



CSCI 1300

Intro to Computing

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Java Graphics and Objects

Part 2

Lecture Goals

1. The Automata HW
2. Javadoc
3. Be Like Hendrix
4. More Graphics

Automata HW

Java: 'prev' is a member variable. *You will never need to redeclare it.*

These are declarations:

```
char[] prev;  
char[] prev = new char[some_length];
```

These are just assignments (you will do this):

```
prev = some_other_char_array;  
prev = someString.toCharArray();
```

Declare temp array

You *can* and probably will need to declare a different array—one that isn't the 'prev' member variable. In your *cycle* method, you'll need a place to store the next round before you reassign it into prev:

```
char[] nextRound = new char[prev.length];  
for (i = 0; i < prev.length; i++) {  
    nextRound[i] = something;  
}  
prev = nextRound;
```

Python Caveat

In Python, the 'prev' member is a string, not a character array. This is ok. It works like this:

```
def cycle(self):  
    next_round = "" # empty string  
    for i in range(len(self.prev)):  
        # append to end of 'next_round'  
        next_round = next_round + something  
    self.prev = next_round
```

Javadoc

Any language you are likely to use will have extensive documentation. For Java, this is called **Javadoc**. Just Google search for Javadoc 1.6 (assuming you want version 1.6).

Bookmark the result. You should keep it open whenever you are hacking.

Top/Left: packages. java.util has basic stuff.

Java™ Platform, Standard Edition 6

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Java™ Platform, Standard Edition 6 API Specification

This document is the API specification for version 6 of the Java™ Platform, Standard Edition.

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java.awt.datatransfer	Provides interfaces and classes for transferring data between and within applications.
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java.awt.event	Provides interfaces and classes for dealing with different types of events fired by AWT components.
java.awt.font	Provides classes and interface relating to fonts.
java.awt.geom	Provides the Java 2D classes for defining and performing operations on objects related to two-dimensional geometry.
java.awt.im	Provides classes and interfaces for the input method framework.
java.awt.im.spi	Provides interfaces that enable the development of input methods that can be used with any Java runtime environment.
java.awt.image	Provides classes for creating and modifying images.

Bottom left: classes in a package.

Main area: documentation or package info.

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL `docs.oracle.com/javase/6/docs/api/`. The browser's address bar and tabs are visible at the top. Below the browser window, the page content is displayed. On the left side, there is a sidebar with the title "Java™ Platform Standard Ed. 6" and a link to "All Classes". Below this, a list of packages is shown: `java.applet`, `java.awt`, `java.awt.color`, `java.awt.datatransfer`, and `java.awt.dnd`. The main content area has a navigation bar with links: "Overview" (highlighted), "Package", "Class", "Use", "Tree", "Deprecated", "Index", and "Help". Below the navigation bar, the title "Java™ Platform, Standard Edition 6 API Specification" is centered. A paragraph states: "This document is the API specification for version 6 of the Java™ Platform, Standard Edition." Below this, a link "Description" is provided. The "Packages" section is a table with two columns: the package name and its description.

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string - C++ Reference

String (Java Platform SE 6)

docs.oracle.com/javase/6/docs/api/

Gmail - Inbox

Misc

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[java.awt.image](#)
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java.lang

Class String

[java.lang.Object](#)
└─ [java.lang.String](#)

All Implemented Interfaces:

[Serializable](#), [CharSequence](#), [Comparable<String>](#)

```
public final class String
extends Object
implements Serializable, Comparable<String>, CharSequence
```

The `String` class represents character strings. All string literals in Java programs, such as `"abc"`, are implemented as instances of this class.

Strings are constant; their values cannot be changed after they are created. String buffers support mutable strings. Because `String` objects are immutable they can be shared. For example:

```
String str = "abc";
```

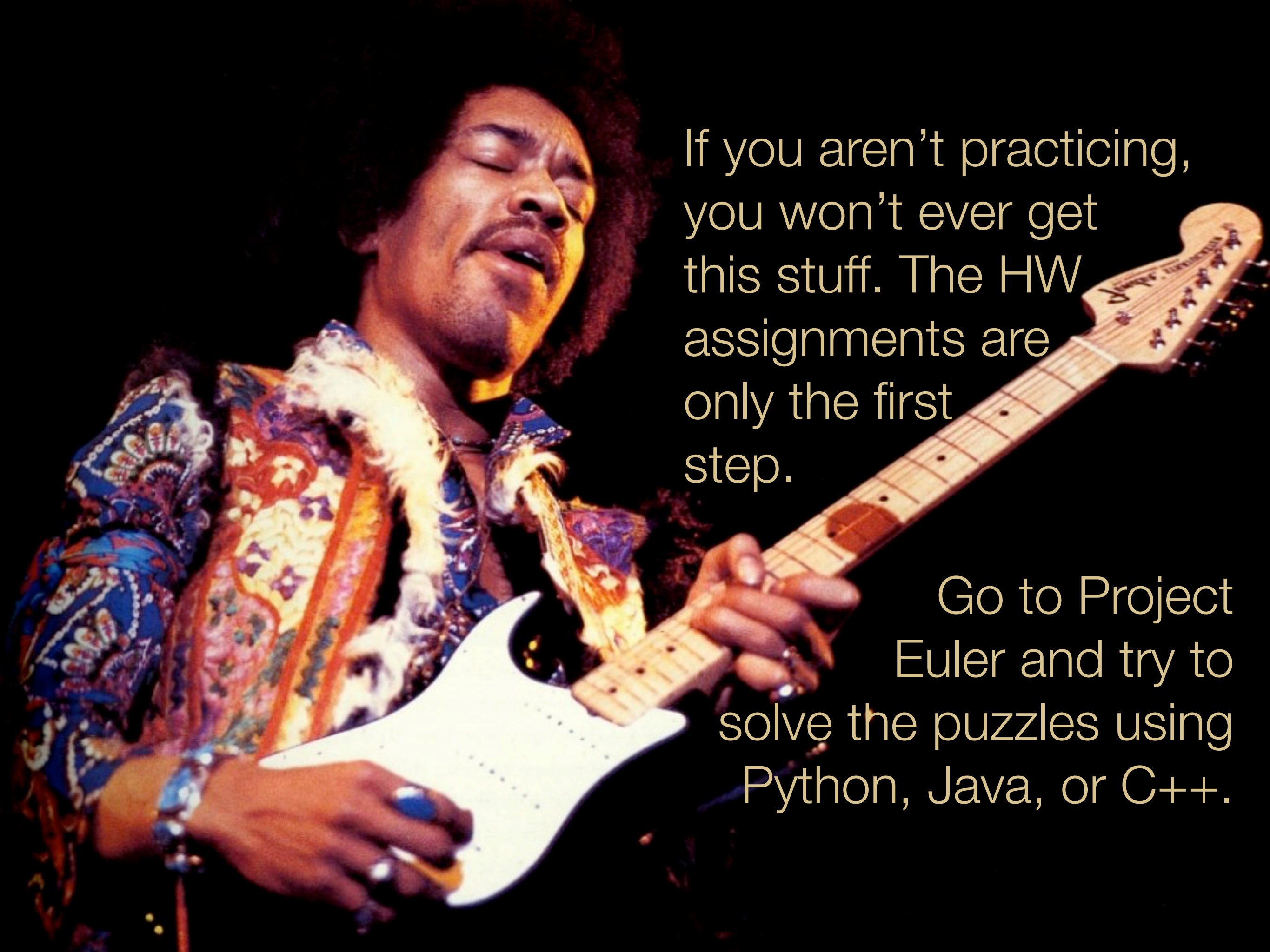
is equivalent to:

```
char data[] = {'a', 'b', 'c'};
String str = new String(data);
```

Here are some more examples of how strings can be used:

```
System.out.println("abc");
String cde = "cde";
System.out.println("abc" + cde);
String c = "abc".substring(2,3);
String d = cde.substring(1, 2);
```

The class `String` includes methods for examining individual characters of the sequence, for comparing strings, for searching strings, for extracting substrings, and for creating a copy of a string with all characters translated to uppercase or to



If you aren't practicing,
you won't ever get
this stuff. The HW
assignments are
only the first
step.

Go to Project
Euler and try to
solve the puzzles using
Python, Java, or C++.

A close-up photograph of Jimi Hendrix playing a white Fender Telecaster electric guitar. He is wearing a vibrant, multi-colored paisley jacket and has his eyes closed in a state of musical immersion. The background is dark, with some stage lights visible. The text "PRACTICE EVERY DAY" is overlaid in the top left corner, and "... and you'll be awesome." is overlaid in the bottom right corner.

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More Java Graphics

Today we're going to program our circles to fly around and have social behavior.

This is Lecture_26.java.