Problem Statement: Crazy 8 Card Game (OOP Approach)

Objective

Design and implement the **Crazy 8 Card Game** using Object-Oriented Programming (OOP) principles. The program should include multiple **classes**, **objects**, **methods**, **attributes**, **and return types**, ensuring proper encapsulation, abstraction, and polymorphism.

Class Design Overview

Class Name	Description
Card	Represents a single playing card (Suit, Rank)
Deck	Represents a deck of 52 shuffled playing cards
Hand	Represents the collection of cards held by a player
Player	Represents a player in the game
Game	Controls the game flow, players, deck, and rules
Crazy8Game	Main driver class to test all methods

Class Breakdown

1. Card Class

- Represents an individual card with a suit and rank.
- Determines if one card matches another (either by suit or rank).

Attributes

Attribute	Туре	Description
suit	String	Represents the suit (Hearts, Diamonds, Clubs, Spades)
rank	String	Represents the rank (2-10, J, Q, K, A, 8)

Methods

Method	Return Type	Description
Card(String suit, String rank)	Constructor	Initializes a card with suit and rank
getSuit()	String	Returns the suit of the card
getRank()	String	Returns the rank of the card
matches(Card other)	boolean	Checks if the card matches another card (by suit or rank)
toString()	String	Returns the string representation of the card

2. Deck Class

- Represents a deck of **52 cards**.
- Manages shuffling and drawing.

Attributes

Attribute	Туре	Description
cards	ArrayList <card></card>	Stores all the cards in the deck

Methods

Method	Return Type	Description
Deck()	Constructor	Initializes and shuffles a deck of 52 cards
shuffle()	void	Shuffles the deck
drawCard()	Card	Draws and returns the top card from the deck
isEmpty()	boolean	Checks if the deck is empty

3. Hand Class

• Represents a collection of cards held by a player.

Attributes

Attribute	Туре	Description
cards	ArrayList <card></card>	Stores the cards in the player's hand

Methods

Method	Return Type	Description
Hand()	Constructor	Initializes an empty hand
addCard(Card card)	void	Adds a card to the hand
removeCard(Card card)	boolean	Removes a card from the hand
playCard(Card topCard)	Card	Returns the first playable card from the hand
hasCards()	boolean	Checks if the hand has cards left

4. Player Class

• Represents an individual player.

Attributes

Attribute	Туре	Description
name	String	Stores the player's name
hand	Hand	Stores the player's hand
isHuman	boolean	Determines if the player is human

Methods

Method	Return Type	Description
Player(String name, boolean isHuman)	Constructor	Initializes a player with a name and an empty hand
drawCard(Deck deck)	void	Draws a card from the deck
playTurn(Card topCard, Deck deck)	Card	Plays a turn, returning the played card or drawing if no match
hasWon()	boolean	Checks if the player has won the game

5. Game Class

• Manages game logic, deck, players, and rules.

Attributes

Attribute	Туре	Description
deck	Deck	Stores the deck of cards
players	ArrayList <player></player>	Stores the list of players
topCard	Card	Represents the top card on the discard pile
currentPlayerIndex	int	Keeps track of the current player's turn

Methods

Method	Return Type	Description
Game(int numPlayers)	Constructor	Initializes the game with players and deck
startGame()	void	Deals initial cards and starts the game
playGame()	void	Runs the game loop

6. Crazy8Game (Main Class)

• Tests every method of all classes rigorously.

```
public class Crazy8Game {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        // Testing Card class
        Card c1 = new Card("Hearts", "8");
        Card c2 = new Card("Diamonds", "8");
        Card c3 = new Card("Hearts", "10");
        System.out.println("Card Test: " + c1 + " matches " + c2 + "? " + c1.matches
        System.out.println("Card Test: " + c1 + " matches " + c3 + "? " + c1.matches
        // Testing Deck class
        Deck deck = new Deck();
        System.out.println("Deck shuffled and first card drawn: " + deck.drawCard())
        // Testing Hand class
        Hand hand = new Hand();
        hand.addCard(new Card("Spades", "A"));
        hand.addCard(new Card("Clubs", "5"));
        System.out.println("Hand size after adding cards: " + hand.getCards().size()
```

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// Testing Player class
Player player = new Player("Alice", true);
player.drawCard(deck);
System.out.println(player.getName() + " has " + player.getHand().getCards().

// Testing Game logic
Game game = new Game(2);
game.playGame();
}
```

Expected Output (Sample)

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Card Test: 8 of Hearts matches 8 of Diamonds? true
Card Test: 8 of Hearts matches 10 of Hearts? true
Deck shuffled and first card drawn: K of Spades
Hand size after adding cards: 2
Alice has 6 cards.
Starting Card: 3 of Diamonds
Player 1's Turn. Top Card: 3 of Diamonds
Player 1 played: 3 of Hearts
Player 2's Turn. Top Card: 3 of Hearts
Player 2 had to draw a card.
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Player 1 wins the game!
```