

**ESS 201 - Programming II**  
**Term 1, 2018-19**  
**Lab 1**  
**Getting started**

1. To get started, use the following simple “Hello World” program written in Java. Compile (using javac) and run this (with java), on the command line. What additional files are generated?

```
public class Hello {  
    public static void main() {  
        System.out.println("Hello there");  
    }  
}
```

Copy the .class files to a different OS (e.g. Linux to Windows or vice versa) and try running it (without recompiling).

2. Write a Java program that concatenates an array of strings and prints out the concatenated string.  
Create a single class (as in question 1) with one method (main) which contains the code for this computation.  
You can use the following:

- Java has a String class
- You can create an array of String objects with a statement like:  
    String[] sentence = {"This", "is", "a", "short", "sentence"};
- Write a simple **for** loop (syntax similar to C) to iterate through the elements of this array, and concatenate the strings. You can concatenate String objects using the **+** operator.

3. Run the following piece of code:

```
public class Test1 {  
    public static void main () {  
  
        int N = 10;  
        int M = 100000;  
        for(int i =0; i< N; i++) {  
            int[] box = new int[M];  
        }  
    }  
}
```

```
    }  
}
```

Are there large values of N (within the range of “int”) for which this program does not work?

If you modify the program as follows:

```
public class Test1 {  
    public static void main () {  
  
        int N = 10;  
        int M = 100000;  
        int[][] boxes = new int[N][];  
        for(int i =0; i< N; i++) {  
            int[] box = new int[M];  
            boxes[i] = box;  
        }  
    }  
}
```

How large can you make N and still be able to run on your machine? Why is this different from the first version?