# SdPd/Java Lab Exam 2

## **Objective: Coin Collection**

Write a java program to maintain a coin collection using a sequential text file.

- 1. **Download** the lab exam 2 **zip** file and extract the folder, **Save** the zipped folder on the **desktop** (**not** the local C drive, USB or network account)
  - Rename the **LastNameFirstNameLabEx2** folder and starter java program as per your own name
  - E.g. **AgnewGerryLabEx2** folder/**AgnewGerryLabEx2**.java program file
  - To be **verified** by your lab supervisor
  - Verify the contents of the input text file "Coin.dat" using NotePad
- 2. Add your Program Id, Name & Program Description as comments at the top of the java program
- 3. Remember to rename the starter **class** as per your java program name and Save, Compile and Run the program before you write any code
  - Alert your supervisor if the program does not run initially
- 4. 10% of the marks are for the Algorithm form (write your name at the top of the first page) which must be submitted at the end of the lab exam

#### 5. Warning:

Marks will be lost for **bad programming practices** such as:

- Lacking meaningful variable names, white-space, indentation, etc.
- Ensure redundant code is deleted prior to program submission

#### 6. File / Record Layout:

Each record consists of the following details about each coin:

Year (integer) - e.g. 1900 Name (string max 10)Face Value (double) - e.g. Penny -e.g. 0.01

Metal (character) – e.g. c/C (case insensitive) → Copper

- e.g. US

Country (string max 10)Sale Price (integer) \* 3 – e.g. 1000 (last 3 sale prices)

#### 7. Screenshots:

Refer to the attached Screenshots to clarify the below requirements

#### 8. Constants / Variables:

Declare constants and variables as appropriate with meaningful names and types

#### 9. Initialise:

Initialise any necessary variables

#### 10. Main Processing / File Input:

- Using an EOF controlled while loop read each coin record from the file until there are no more records to be processed
- Read the 3 sale prices for each coin using an inner for loop

#### 11. Line Output:

Display formatted coin details: Year, Name, Metal, Country, Face Value, and the 3 Sales Prices including the calculated Average Price as shown

Metal name displayed with a switch based on the Metal type character where: c/C → Copper, s/S → Silver, & g/G → Gold otherwise Unknown

## 12. Header Output:

Display the program header including your name aligned as specified

#### 13. Footer Output:

After all the coin records have been processed display the following:

- Coin / Copper / Silver / Gold and Unknown counts
- Oldest coin is: Dollar from year 1855 (hint: lowest year)
- Most valuable coin is: 1911 Sovereign sold for 16999
- 6 records output to: US country file

## 14. Output Report:

Output the entire screen contents to a report file called "CointReport.dat"

Located in the same folder to be verified using NotePad (or equivalent)

### 15. Input and Message Dialogues:

- Get the Country name using a seeded (US) Input dialogue as shown in the screenshot
- Output the footer info using a Message dialogue with appropriate Title and Icon as shown in the screenshot

#### 16. Output File CoinCountry:

Write selected coin records to an output text file called "CoinCountry.dat" for the specified country name (case insensitive string comparison) using an input dialog to obtain the country name

- Using the exact same record layout/format as for the Coin file
- Located in the same folder to be verified using NotePad (or equivalent)
- With only the final sale price if unable to save all 3 sale prices

#### 17. Close Files:

Close all the file objects

#### 18. Save - The End:

- When finished Save and Exit TextPad
- Zip (R/click: Send Compressed) → LastNameFirstNameLabEx2 folder
- Upload LastNameFirstNameLabEx2 zip file to Moodle link provided
- To be verified by your supervisor before you submit the zip file
- Backup your lab exam folder to your **root** network account
- Sign the attendance sheet before you exit the lab











