

COSC 1P02 Method Summary

Math

Method/Value	meaning
E	<i>constant</i> : the mathematical constant e
PI	<i>constant</i> : the mathematical constant π
<code>v = abs(x)</code>	returns the absolute value of <i>x</i>
<code>v = acos(x)</code>	returns the arc cosine of <i>x</i>
<code>v = asin(x)</code>	returns the arc sine of <i>x</i>
<code>v = atan(x)</code>	returns the arc tangent of <i>x</i>
<code>v = cos(x)</code>	returns the cosine of <i>x</i>
<code>v = log(x)</code>	returns the natural logarithm of <i>x</i>
<code>v = pow(a,b)</code>	returns a^b
<code>v = random()</code>	returns a random value between 0.0 and 1.0
<code>v = sin(x)</code>	returns the sine of <i>x</i>
<code>v = sqrt(x)</code>	returns the square root of <i>x</i>
<code>v = tan(x)</code>	returns the tangent of <i>x</i>

Turtle

method	meaning
SLOW, MEDIUM, FAST	<i>constants</i> : turtle speeds
<code>t = new Turtle()</code>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a turtle object
<code>t = new Turtle(speed)</code>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a turtle object drawing at <i>speed</i> .
<code>t.backward(units)</code>	move backwards <i>units</i> drawing units
<code>t.forward(units)</code>	move forward <i>units</i> drawing units
<code>t.left(radians)</code>	turn left radians <i>radians</i>
<code>t.moveTo(x,y)</code>	move turtle to coordinates (<i>x</i> , <i>y</i>)
<code>t.penDown()</code>	place the pen on the canvas
<code>t.penUp()</code>	raise the pen from the canvas
<code>t.right(radians)</code>	turn right radians <i>radians</i>
<code>t.setPenColor(color)</code>	change the turtle's pen color to <i>color</i>
<code>t.setPenWidth(width)</code>	change the turtle's pen width to <i>width</i>

PictureDisplayer

method	meaning
<code>d = new PictureDisplayer()</code>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a new displayer with canvas 200x200
<code>d = new PictureDisplayer(pic)</code>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a new displayer with canvas to fit <i>pic</i> and with <i>pic</i> placed on displayer
<code>d = new PictureDisplayer(width, height)</code>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a new displayer with canvas of specified <i>height</i> and <i>width</i>
<code>d.close()</code>	wait until user presses Close button and close displayer
<code>d.placePicture(pic)</code>	place <i>pic</i> on the displayer
<code>d.waitForUser()</code>	wait until user presses OK before continuing

Picture

method	meaning
<code>p = new Picture()</code>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a picture object loading pixels from a file selected via a file open dialog
<code>p = new Picture(width,height)</code>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a picture object with specified <i>height</i> and <i>width</i> with all pixels white
<code>i = p.getHeight()</code>	returns height (in pixels) of picture
<code>q = p.getPixel(x,y)</code>	returns pixel in column <i>x</i> of row <i>y</i>
<code>i = p.getWidth()</code>	returns width (in pixels) of picture
<code>b = p.hasNext()</code>	returns true if another pixel is available
<code>q = p.next()</code>	returns the next available pixel
<code>p.save()</code>	present file save dialog to allow user to save picture as modified

Pixel

method	meaning
<code>i = q.getBlue()</code>	obtain blue color channel of pixel
<code>c = q.getColor()</code>	obtain color of pixel
<code>r = q.getDistance(color)</code>	returns the color distance between this pixel's color and <i>color</i>
<code>i = q.getGreen()</code>	obtain green color channel of pixel
<code>i = q.getRed()</code>	obtain red color channel of pixel
<code>q.setBlue(v);</code>	change blue channel value to <i>v</i>
<code>q.setColor(color)</code>	change color of pixel to <i>color</i>
<code>q.setGreen(v)</code>	change green channel value to <i>v</i>
<code>q.setRed(v)</code>	change red channel value to <i>v</i>

Color

method	meaning
<code>red, green, ..., RED, GREEN, ...</code>	<i>constant</i> : standard colors
<code>c = new Color(r,g,b)</code>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a new color object with specified <i>r</i> , <i>g</i> and <i>b</i> components
<code>c = new Color(value)</code>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a new color object with color value (0-16,777,215)

ASCIIPrompter

method	meaning
<code>d = new ASCIIPrompter()</code>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a prompter with default label
<code>d.close()</code>	closes prompter
<code>r = d.readDouble()</code>	waits for user to enter data and press OK, then reads data as a double and returns value
<code>i = d.readInt()</code>	waits for user to enter data and press OK, then reads data as an int and returns value
<code>s = d.readString()</code>	waits for user to enter data and press OK, then reads data as a String and returns value
<code>d.setLabel(label)</code>	sets the prompt label to <i>label</i>

ASCIIDisplayer

method	meaning
<code>d = new ASCIIDisplayer()</code>	<i>constructor</i> : displays window with a text area to display text
<code>d.close()</code>	waits for user to press Close and then closes displayer
<code>d.newLine()</code>	writes a line marker to the display so next output begins on next line
<code>d.writeDouble(r)</code>	writes the double value <i>r</i> to the display
<code>d.writeInt(i)</code>	writes the int value <i>i</i> to the display
<code>d.writeLine(s)</code>	writes the String value <i>s</i> to the display and positions to next line
<code>d.writeString(s)</code>	writes the String value <i>s</i> to the display

ASCIIDataFile

method	meaning
<code>f = new ASCIIDataFile()</code>	<i>constructor</i> : presents a file open dialog and opens text (data) file for input
<code>f.close()</code>	closes data file
<code>b = f.isEOF()</code>	returns true if last read failed because of EOF
<code>r = f.readDouble()</code>	reads next field as a double and returns value
<code>i = f.readInt()</code>	reads next field as an int and returns value
<code>s = f.readString()</code>	reads next field as a String and returns value

ASCIIOutputFile

method	meaning
<code>f = new ASCIIOutputFile()</code>	<i>constructor</i> : opens a new text output file presenting a File Save dialog.
<code>f.close()</code>	closes file
<code>f.newLine()</code>	writes a line marker to the file so next field begins on next line
<code>f.writeDouble(r)</code>	writes the double value <i>r</i> as a field
<code>f.writeInt(i)</code>	writes the int value <i>i</i> as a field
<code>f.writeString(s)</code>	writes the String value <i>s</i> as a field

BinaryDataFile

method	meaning
<code>f = new BinaryDataFile()</code>	<i>constructor</i> : presents a file open dialog and opens binary data file for input
<code>f.close()</code>	closes data file
<code>b = f.isEOF()</code>	returns true if last read failed because of EOF
<code>r = f.readDouble()</code>	reads next 8 bytes as a double and returns value
<code>i = f.readInt()</code>	reads next 4 bytes as an int and returns value
<code>o = f.readObject()</code>	reads some number of bytes as an Object and returns object reference
<code>s = f.readString()</code>	reads some number of bytes as a String and returns value

BinaryOutputFile

method	meaning
<code>f = new BinaryOutputFile()</code>	<i>constructor</i> : opens a new binary output file presenting a File Save dialog.
<code>f.close()</code>	closes file
<code>f.writeDouble(r)</code>	writes the double value <i>r</i> as 8 bytes
<code>f.writeInt(i)</code>	writes the int value <i>i</i> as 4 bytes
<code>f.writeObject(o)</code>	writes the Object <i>o</i> as a sequence of bytes
<code>f.writeString(s)</code>	writes the String value <i>s</i> as a sequence of bytes

BasicForm

method	meaning
<code>f = new BasicForm()</code>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a new form with one default button (OK) that will size to the layout of the fields added.
<code>f = new BasicForm(button₁, button₂, ...)</code>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a new form with default buttons <i>button₁</i> , <i>button₂</i> ... that will size to the layout of the fields added.
<code>f.accept()</code>	presents the default button(s) and awaits user pressing a button
<code>i = f.accept()</code>	presents the default button(s), awaits user pressing a button and returns button number (from 0) of button pressed
<code>i = f.accept(button₁,button₂, ...)</code>	presents the specified <i>button</i> (s), awaits user pressing a button and returns button number (from 0) of button pressed
<code>f.clear(name)</code>	clears the field <i>name</i>
<code>f.clearAll()</code>	clears all fields in the form
<code>f.close()</code>	closes the form so that it cannot be used
<code>f.placePicture(name,picture)</code>	places <i>picture</i> onto the canvas <i>name</i>
<code>f.placeTurtle(name,turtle)</code>	places <i>turtle</i> onto the canvas <i>name</i>
<code>r = f.readDouble(name)</code>	reads and returns the field <i>name</i> as a double
<code>i = f.readInt(name)</code>	reads and returns the field <i>name</i> as an int
<code>s = f.readString(name)</code>	reads and returns the field <i>name</i> as a String
<code>f.setEditable(name,editable)</code>	makes field <i>name</i> <i>editable</i> (true) by user
<code>f.setTitle(title)</code>	sets title in title bar of window to <i>title</i>
<code>f.writeDouble(name,r)</code>	writes the double value <i>r</i> to the field <i>name</i>
<code>f.writeInt(name,i)</code>	writes the int value <i>i</i> to the field <i>name</i>
<code>f.writeString(name,s)</code>	writes the String value <i>s</i> to the field <i>name</i>

BasicForm Widgets

method	meaning
<i>f.addCanvas(name, label, width, height, x, y)</i>	adds a labeled canvas with <i>name</i> , <i>width</i> , and <i>height</i> at (<i>x</i> , <i>y</i>)
<i>f.addCheckBox(name, label, x, y)</i>	adds a labeled checkbox with <i>name</i> at (<i>x</i> , <i>y</i>)
<i>f.addLabel(name, label, x, y)</i>	adds a label with <i>name</i> at (<i>x</i> , <i>y</i>)
<i>f.addRadioButtons(name, label, vertical, x, y, button₁, ...)</i>	adds labeled radio buttons with <i>name</i> , vertical or horizontal at (<i>x</i> , <i>y</i>) with button names <i>button_i</i>
<i>f.addSlider(name, label, min, max, size, x, y)</i>	adds a labeled slider with <i>name</i> and <i>size</i> over the range <i>min</i> to <i>max</i> at (<i>x</i> , <i>y</i>)
<i>f.addSound(name, label, x, y)</i>	adds a labeled sound play button with <i>name</i> , at (<i>x</i> , <i>y</i>)
<i>f.addTextArea(name, label, rows, columns, x, y)</i>	adds a labeled text area with <i>name</i> , <i>rows</i> and <i>columns</i> at (<i>x</i> , <i>y</i>)
<i>f.addTextField(name, label, format, width, x, y)</i>	adds a labeled text field with <i>name</i> , <i>format</i> and <i>width</i> at (<i>x</i> , <i>y</i>)

ReportPrinter

method	meaning
<i>p = new ReportPrinter()</i>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a new report in portrait orientation
<i>p = new ReportPrinter(portrait)</i>	<i>constructor</i> : creates a new report in portrait (true) or landscape (false) orientation
<i>p.addField(name, label, format, width)</i>	adds (L-R) a field to the report with <i>name</i> , <i>label</i> <i>format</i> and <i>width</i>
<i>p.close()</i>	closes report and prints it (print dialog)
<i>p.newLine()</i>	writes a line marker to the display so next output begins on next line
<i>p.newPage()</i>	forces next write to new page, printing header
<i>p.setTitle(line₁, line₂, ...)</i>	Sets title for page to specified <i>lines</i>
<i>p.writeDouble(name, r)</i>	writes the double value <i>d</i> to field <i>name</i>
<i>p.writeInt(name, i)</i>	writes the int value <i>i</i> to field <i>name</i>
<i>p.writeLine(s)</i>	writes the String value <i>s</i> starting at the next field and moves to next line
<i>p.writeString(name, s)</i>	writes the String value <i>s</i> to field <i>name</i>

Formats

method	meaning
<i>f = getCurrencyInstance()</i>	returns a format for currency (dollars)
<i>f = getDateInstance()</i>	returns a format for dates
<i>f = getDateTimeInstance()</i>	returns a format for date and time
<i>f = getDecimalInstance(n)</i>	returns a format for decimal number with <i>n</i> decimal places
<i>f = getIntegerInstance()</i>	returns a format for integer number
<i>f = getPercentInstance()</i>	returns a format for percentages
<i>f = getTimeInstance()</i>	returns a format for time