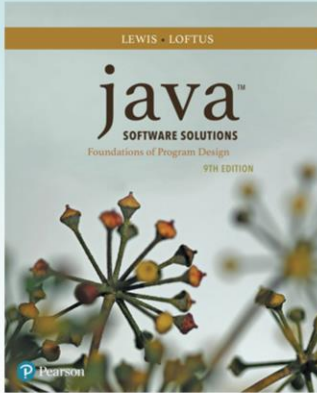


Chapter 2

Data and Expressions



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Data and Expressions

- Let's explore some other fundamental programming concepts
- Chapter 2 focuses on:
 - character strings
 - primitive data
 - the declaration and use of variables
 - expressions and operator precedence
 - data conversions
 - accepting input from the user

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Character Strings

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Character Strings

- A *string literal* is represented by putting double quotes around the text

- Examples:

```
"This is a string literal."
```

```
"123 Main Street"
```

```
"X"
```

- Every character string is an object in Java, defined by the `String` class
- Every string literal represents a `String` object

The println Method

- In the `Lincoln` program from Chapter 1, we invoked the `println` method to print a character string
- The `System.out` object represents a destination (the monitor screen) to which we can send output

```
System.out.println ("Whatever you are, be a good one.");
```



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The print Method

- The `System.out` object provides another service as well
- The `print` method is similar to the `println` method, except that it does not advance to the next line
- Therefore anything printed after a `print` statement will appear on the same line
- See `Countdown.java`

```

//*****
// Countdown.java      Author: Lewis/Loftus
//
// Demonstrates the difference between print and println.
//*****

public class Countdown
{
    //-----
    // Prints two lines of output representing a rocket countdown.
    //-----
    public static void main (String[] args)
    {
        System.out.print ("Three... ");
        System.out.print ("Two... ");
        System.out.print ("One... ");
        System.out.print ("Zero... ");
        System.out.println ("Liftoff!"); // appears on first output line
        System.out.println ("Houston, we have a problem.");
    }
}

```

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Output

```

//****
// Co Three... Two... One... Zero... Liftoff!
// De Houston, we have a problem.
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    }
}

```


String Concatenation

- The *string concatenation operator* (+) is used to append one string to the end of another

```
"Peanut butter " + "and jelly"
```

- It can also be used to append a number to a string
- A string literal cannot be broken across two lines in a program
- See `Facts.java`

```

//*****
// Facts.java      Author: Lewis/Loftus
//
// Demonstrates the use of the string concatenation operator and the
// automatic conversion of an integer to a string.
//*****

public class Facts
{
    //-----
    // Prints various facts.
    //-----
    public static void main (String[] args)
    {
        // Strings can be concatenated into one long string
        System.out.println ("We present the following facts for your "
            + "extracurricular edification:");

        System.out.println ();

        // A string can contain numeric digits
        System.out.println ("Letters in the Hawaiian alphabet: 12");
    }
}

```

continue

continue

```
// A numeric value can be concatenated to a string
System.out.println ("Dialing code for Antarctica: " + 672);

System.out.println ("Year in which Leonardo da Vinci invented "
                    + "the parachute: " + 1515);

System.out.println ("Speed of ketchup: " + 40 + " km per year");
    }
}
```

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Output

We present the following facts for your extracurricular edification:

Letters in the Hawaiian alphabet: 12

Dialing code for Antarctica: 672

Year in which Leonardo da Vinci invented the parachute: 1515

Speed of ketchup: 40 km per year

```
        System.out.println ("Speed of ketchup: " + 40 + " km per year");  
    }  
}
```

String Concatenation

- The + operator is also used for arithmetic addition
- The function that it performs depends on the type of the information on which it operates
- If both operands are strings, or if one is a string and one is a number, it performs string concatenation
- If both operands are numeric, it adds them
- The + operator is evaluated left to right, but parentheses can be used to force the order
- See `Addition.java`

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```

//*****
//  Addition.java      Author: Lewis/Loftus
//
//  Demonstrates the difference between the addition and string
//  concatenation operators.
//*****

public class Addition
{
    //-----
    //  Concatenates and adds two numbers and prints the results.
    //-----
    public static void main (String[] args)
    {
        System.out.println ("24 and 45 concatenated: " + 24 + 45);

        System.out.println ("24 and 45 added: " + (24 + 45));
    }
}

```

Output

```
*****
// Addition.      24 and 45 concatenated: 2445
//               24 and 45 added: 69
// Demonstra
// concatena
//*****
string
```

```
public class Addition
{
    //-----
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    //-----
    public static void main (String[] args)
    {
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        System.out.println ("24 and 45 added: " + (24 + 45));
    }
}
```

Quick Check

What output is produced by the following?

```
System.out.println ("X: " + 25);  
System.out.println ("Y: " + (15 + 50));  
System.out.println ("Z: " + 300 + 50);
```

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Quick Check

What output is produced by the following?

```
System.out.println ("X: " + 25);  
System.out.println ("Y: " + (15 + 50));  
System.out.println ("Z: " + 300 + 50);
```

```
X: 25  
Y: 65  
Z: 30050
```

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Escape Sequences

- What if we wanted to print the quote character?
- The following line would confuse the compiler because it would interpret the second quote as the end of the string

```
System.out.println ("I said "Hello" to you.");
```

- An *escape sequence* is a series of characters that represents a special character
- An escape sequence begins with a backslash character (\)

```
System.out.println ("I said \"Hello\" to you.");
```

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Escape Sequences

- Some Java escape sequences:

<u>Escape Sequence</u>	<u>Meaning</u>
<code>\b</code>	backspace
<code>\t</code>	tab
<code>\n</code>	newline
<code>\r</code>	carriage return
<code>\"</code>	double quote
<code>'</code>	single quote
<code>\\</code>	backslash

- See `Roses.java`

```

//*****
//  Roses.java      Author: Lewis/Loftus
//
//  Demonstrates the use of escape sequences.
//*****

public class Roses
{
    //-----
    //  Prints a poem (of sorts) on multiple lines.
    //-----
    public static void main (String[] args)
    {
        System.out.println ("Roses are red,\n\tViolets are blue,\n" +
            "Sugar is sweet,\n\tBut I have \"commitment issues\",\n\t" +
            "So I'd rather just be friends\n\tAt this point in our " +
            "relationship.");
    }
}

```

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Output

```

//****
// Ro. Roses are red,
// Violets are blue,
// Des Sugar is sweet,
//****
public      But I have "commitment issues",
{          So I'd rather just be friends
    //--   At this point in our relationship.
    //
    //-----
public static void main (String[] args)
{
    System.out.println ("Roses are red,\n\tViolets are blue,\n" +
        "Sugar is sweet,\n\tBut I have \"commitment issues\",\n\t" +
        "So I'd rather just be friends\n\tAt this point in our " +
        "relationship.");
}
}
```

Quick Check

Write a single `println` statement that produces the following output:

"Thank you all for coming to my home
tonight," he said mysteriously.

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Quick Check

Write a single `println` statement that produces the following output:

```
"Thank you all for coming to my home  
tonight," he said mysteriously.
```

```
System.out.println ("\"Thank you all for \" +  
    \"coming to my home\\ntonight,\" he said \" +  
    \"mysteriously.\");
```

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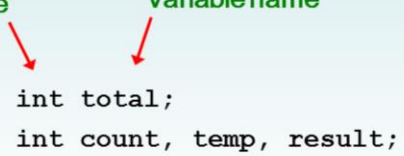
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Variables

- A *variable* is a name for a location in memory that holds a value
- A *variable declaration* specifies the variable's name and the type of information that it will hold

data type variable name



```
int total;  
int count, temp, result;
```

Multiple variables can be created in one declaration

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- Recall we discussed that every area in memory has an address
- Instead of accessing memory using this address, we can use a variable
- When we declare a variable, memory at a specific address is reserved for our use
- Another term for reserving memory is **allocation** (e.g. memory is allocated)
- We use the variable name to access the information stored at this reserved memory location

Variable Initialization

- A variable can be given an initial value in the declaration

```
int sum = 0;  
int base = 32, max = 149;
```

- When a variable is referenced in a program, its current value is used
- See `PianoKeys.java`

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```

//*****
// PianoKeys.java      Author: Lewis/Loftus
//
// Demonstrates the declaration, initialization, and use of an
// integer variable.
//*****

public class PianoKeys
{
    //-----
    // Prints the number of keys on a piano.
    //-----
    public static void main (String[] args)
    {
        int keys = 88;
        System.out.println ("A piano has " + keys + " keys.");
    }
}

```

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Output

```

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// PianoKeys.java
//
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//*****

public class PianoKeys
{
    //-----
    // Prints the number of keys on a piano.
    //-----
    public static void main (String[] args)
    {
        int keys = 88;
        System.out.println ("A piano has " + keys + " keys.");
    }
}
```

A piano has 88 keys.

Assignment

- An *assignment statement* changes the value of a variable
- The assignment operator is the = sign

```
total = 55;
```



- The value that was in `total` is overwritten
- You can only assign a value to a variable that is consistent with the variable's declared type
- See `Geometry.java`

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```

//*****
// Geometry.java      Author: Lewis/Loftus
//
// Demonstrates the use of an assignment statement to change the
// value stored in a variable.
//*****

public class Geometry
{
    //-----
    // Prints the number of sides of several geometric shapes.
    //-----
    public static void main (String[] args)
    {
        int sides = 7; // declaration with initialization
        System.out.println ("A heptagon has " + sides + " sides.");

        sides = 10; // assignment statement
        System.out.println ("A decagon has " + sides + " sides.");

        sides = 12;
        System.out.println ("A dodecagon has " + sides + " sides.");
    }
}

```

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Output

```

//*****
// Geometry.java
//
// Demonstrate
// value stored
//*****
A heptagon has 7 sides.
A decagon has 10 sides.
a dodecagon has 12 sides.
*****
change the

public class Geometry
{
    //-----
    // Prints the number of sides of several geometric shapes.
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}
```

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Constants

- A *constant* is an identifier that is similar to a variable except that it holds the same value during its entire existence
- As the name implies, it is constant, not variable
- The compiler will issue an error if you try to change the value of a constant
- In Java, we use the `final` modifier to declare a constant

```
final int MIN_HEIGHT = 69;
```

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Constants

- Constants are useful for three important reasons
- First, they give meaning to otherwise unclear literal values
 - Example: `MAX_LOAD` means more than the literal 250
- Second, they facilitate program maintenance
 - If a constant is used in multiple places, its value need only be set in one place
- Third, they formally establish that a value should not change, avoiding inadvertent errors by other programmers

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Primitive Data

- There are eight primitive data types in Java
- Four of them represent integers:
 - byte, short, int, long
- Two of them represent floating point numbers:
 - float, double
- One of them represents characters:
 - char
- And one of them represents boolean values:
 - boolean

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Numeric Primitive Data

- The difference between the numeric primitive types is their size and the values they can store:

<u>Type</u>	<u>Storage</u>	<u>Min Value</u>	<u>Max Value</u>
byte	8 bits	-128	127
short	16 bits	-32,768	32,767
int	32 bits	-2,147,483,648	2,147,483,647
long	64 bits	$< -9 \times 10^{18}$	$> 9 \times 10^{18}$
float	32 bits	+/- 3.4×10^{38} with 7 significant digits	
double	64 bits	+/- 1.7×10^{308} with 15 significant digits	

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- We see here that understanding memory, bits, and bytes are critical as we write programs
- Different data types take up different amounts of memory storage
- Understanding memory is important when we declare variables of different data types

Characters

- A `char` variable stores a single character
- Character literals are delimited by single quotes:

`'a' 'X' '7' '$' ',' '\n'`

- Example declarations:

```
char topGrade = 'A';  
char terminator = ';', separator = ' ';
```

- Note the difference between a primitive character variable, which holds only one character, and a `String` object, which can hold multiple characters

Character Sets

- A *character set* is an ordered list of characters, with each character corresponding to a unique number
- A `char` variable in Java can store any character from the *Unicode character set*
- The Unicode character set uses sixteen bits per character, allowing for 65,536 unique characters
- It is an international character set, containing symbols and characters from many world languages

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Characters

- The *ASCII character set* is older and smaller than Unicode, but is still quite popular
- The ASCII characters are a subset of the Unicode character set, including:

uppercase letters	A, B, C, ...
lowercase letters	a, b, c, ...
punctuation	period, semi-colon, ...
digits	0, 1, 2, ...
special symbols	&, , \, ...
control characters	carriage return, tab, ...

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Boolean

- A `boolean` value represents a true or false condition
- The reserved words `true` and `false` are the only valid values for a boolean type

```
boolean done = false;
```

- A `boolean` variable can also be used to represent any two states, such as a light bulb being on or off