

6.092: Intro to Java

2: More types, Methods, Conditionals

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- More types
- Methods
- Conditionals

Types

Kinds of values that can be stored and manipulated.

boolean: Truth value (**true** or **false**).

int: Integer (0, 1, -47).

double: Real number (3.14, 1.0, -2.1).

String: Text ("hello", "example").

Variables

Named location that stores a value

Example:

```
String a = "a";
```

```
String b = "letter b";
```

```
a = "letter a";
```

```
String c = a + " and " + b;
```

Operators

Symbols that perform simple computations

Assignment: =

Addition: +

Subtraction: -

Multiplication: *

Division: /

```
class GravityCalculator {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        double gravity = -9.81;  
        double initialVelocity = 0.0;  
        double fallingTime = 10.0;  
        double initialPosition = 0.0;  
        double finalPosition = .5 * gravity * fallingTime *  
            fallingTime;  
        finalPosition = finalPosition +  
            initialVelocity * fallingTime;  
        finalPosition = finalPosition + initialPosition;  
        System.out.println("An object's position after " +  
            fallingTime + " seconds is " +  
            finalPosition + " m.");  
    }  
}
```

```
finalPosition = finalPosition +  
    initialVelocity * fallingTime;  
finalPosition = finalPosition + initialPosition;
```

OR

```
finalPosition += initialVelocity * fallingTime;  
finalPosition += initialPosition;
```

Questions from last lecture?

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Division

Division (“/”) operates differently on integers and on doubles!

Example:

```
double a = 5.0/2.0; // a = 2.5
```

```
int b = 4/2; // b = 2
```

```
int c = 5/2; // c = 2
```

```
double d = 5/2; // d = 2.0
```

Order of Operations

Precedence like math, left to right

Right hand side of = evaluated first

Parenthesis increase precedence

```
double x = 3 / 2 + 1; // x = 2.0
```

```
double y = 3 / (2 + 1); // y = 1.0
```

Mismatched Types

Java verifies that types always match:

```
String five = 5; // ERROR!
```

```
test.java.2: incompatible types
found: int
required: java.lang.String
String five = 5;
```

Conversion by casting

```
int a = 2;           // a = 2
double a = 2;        // a = 2.0 (Implicit)

int a = 18.7;         // ERROR
int a = (int)18.7;    // a = 18

double a = 2/3;       // a = 0.0
double a = (double)2/3; // a = 0.6666...
```

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Methods

```
public static void main(String[] arguments)
```

```
{
```

```
    System.out.println("hi");
```

```
}
```

Adding Methods

```
public static void NAME() {  
    STATEMENTS  
}
```

To call a method:

```
NAME () ;
```

```
class NewLine {  
    public static void newLine() {  
        System.out.println("");  
    }  
  
public static void threeLines() {  
    newLine(); newLine(); newLine();  
}  
  
public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
    System.out.println("Line 1"); ←  
    threeLines();  
    System.out.println("Line 2");  
}  
}
```

```
class NewLine {  
    public static void newLine() {  
        System.out.println("");  
    }  
}
```

```
public static void threeLines() {  
    newLine(); newLine(); newLine();  
}
```

```
public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
    System.out.println("Line 1");  
    threeLines();  
    System.out.println("Line 2");  
}
```

```
class NewLine {  
    public static void newLine() {  
        System.out.println("");  
    }  
  
    public static void threeLines() {  
        newLine(); newLine(); newLine();  
    }  
  
    public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
        System.out.println("Line 1");  
        threeLines();  
        System.out.println("Line 2");  
    }  
}
```

Parameters

```
public static void NAME(TYPE NAME) {  
    STATEMENTS  
}
```

To call:

```
NAME (EXPRESSION) ;
```

```
class Square {  
    public static void printSquare(int x) {  
        System.out.println(x*x);  
    }  
  
    public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
        int value = 2;  
        printSquare(value);  
        printSquare(3);  
        printSquare(value*2);  
    }  
}
```

```
class Square2 {  
    public static void printSquare(int x) {  
        System.out.println(x*x);  
    }  
  
    public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
        printSquare("hello");  
        printSquare(5.5);  
    }  
}
```

What's wrong here?

```
class Square3 {  
    public static void printSquare(double x) {  
        System.out.println(x*x);  
    }  
  
    public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
        printSquare(5);  
    }  
}
```

What's wrong here?

Multiple Parameters

```
[...] NAME(TYPE NAME, TYPE NAME) {  
    STATEMENTS  
}
```

To call:

```
NAME (arg1, arg2);
```

```
class Multiply {  
    public static void times (double a, double b) {  
        System.out.println(a * b);  
    }  
}
```

```
public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
    times (2, 2);  
    times (3, 4);  
}  
}
```

Return Values

```
public static TYPE NAME() {  
    STATEMENTS  
    return EXPRESSION;  
}
```

void means “no type”

```
class Square3 {  
    public static void printSquare(double x) {  
        System.out.println(x*x);  
    }  
  
public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
    printSquare(5);  
}  
}
```

```
class Square4 {  
    public static double square(double x) {  
        return x*x;  
    }  
  
public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
    System.out.println(square(5));  
    System.out.println(square(2));  
}  
}
```

Variable Scope

Variables live in the block ({}) where they
are defined (**scope**)

Method parameters are like defining a
new variable in the method

```
class SquareChange {  
    public static void printSquare(int x) {  
        System.out.println("printSquare x = " + x);  
        x = x * x;  
        System.out.println("printSquare x = " + x);  
    }  
}
```

```
public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
    int x = 5;  
    System.out.println("main x = " + x);  
    printSquare(x);  
    System.out.println("main x = " + x);  
}  
}
```

```
class Scope {  
    public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
        int x = 5;  
        if (x == 5) {  
            int x = 6;  
            int y = 72;  
            System.out.println("x = " + x + " y = " + y);  
        }  
        System.out.println("x = " + x + " y = " + y);  
    }  
}
```

Methods: Building Blocks

- Big programs are built out of small methods
- Methods can be individually developed, tested and reused
- User of method does not need to know how it works
- In Computer Science, this is called “*abstraction*”

Mathematical Functions

Math.sin(x)

Math.cos(Math.PI / 2)

Math.pow(2, 3)

Math.log(Math.log(x + y))

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if statement

```
if (CONDITION) {  
    STATEMENTS  
}
```

```
public static void test(int x) {  
    if (x > 5) {  
        System.out.println(x + " is > 5");  
    }  
}
```

```
public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
    test(6);  
    test(5);  
    test(4);  
}
```

Comparison operators

$x > y$: x is greater than y

$x < y$: x is less than y

$x \geq y$: x is greater than or equal to y

$x \leq y$: x is less than or equal to y

$x == y$: x equals y

(equality: $==$, assignment: $=$)

Boolean operators

`&&`: logical AND

`||`: logical OR

```
if (x > 6) {           → if ( x > 6 && x < 9) {  
    if (x < 9) {       ...  
        ...  
    }  
}  
}
```

else

```
if (CONDITION) {  
    STATEMENTS  
} else {  
    STATEMENTS  
}
```

```
public static void test(int x) {  
    if (x > 5) {  
        System.out.println(x + " is > 5");  
    } else {  
        System.out.println(x + " is not > 5");  
    }  
}
```

```
public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
    test(6);  
    test(5);  
    test(4);  
}
```

else if

```
if (CONDITION) {  
    STATEMENTS  
} else if (CONDITION) {  
    STATEMENTS  
} else if (CONDITION) {  
    STATEMENTS  
} else {  
    STATEMENTS  
}
```

```
public static void test(int x) {  
    if (x > 5) {  
        System.out.println(x + " is > 5");  
    } else if (x == 5) {  
        System.out.println(x + " equals 5");  
    } else {  
        System.out.println(x + " is < 5");  
    }  
}
```

```
public static void main(String[] arguments) {  
    test(6);  
    test(5);  
    test(4);  
}
```

Questions?

Assignment: FooCorporation

Method to print pay based on base pay and hours worked

Overtime: More than 40 hours, paid 1.5 times base pay

Minimum Wage: \$8.00/hour

Maximum Work: 60 hours a week

Reminder

- Write **your own** code
- Homework due tomorrow (Wednesday)
3pm on Stellar.

Conversion by method

int to String:

```
String five = 5; // ERROR!
```

```
String five = Integer.toString(5);
```

```
String five = "" + 5; // five = "5"
```

String to int:

```
int foo = "18"; // ERROR!
```

```
int foo = Integer.parseInt("18");
```

Comparison operators

- Do NOT call `==` on doubles! EVER.

```
double a = Math.cos (Math.PI / 2);  
double b = 0.0;
```

`a = 6.123233995736766E-17`

`a == b` will return FALSE!

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