## **PSP - Java Coding Standard**

Program Header  Java source files won't have any header before package declaration (because no license, trademark, corporate or copyright information will be placed there)  - Class must be documented following JavaDoc standard and must be clearly defined what the class does or the responsibility that the class has in the program  Class Comments  * Class Specific description  * @author Name of the author  * */  Method Comments  - Referred as Java methods.  - Must be documented following JavaDoc standard
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Method Comments example  * Brief Method Description * @param The parameters list and a description of each parameter (if any) * @return The return type and/or value (if not void).  * @throws If an Exception is thrown by method (if needed) */
Identifiers  - Referred as the method or variable name - Must follow the Java naming standards and must use CamelCase - Use descriptive names and avoid abbreviations Method declarations must be placed in one line at least to the first opening parenthesis.
<pre>Identifier Examples     int numberOfClauses (OK)     String customerName (OK)     int xy (No)     String var_foo (No)     public void aMethod(String param) { (OK)     public void -&gt;</pre>
Comments  - Code must be documented briefly and in a concrete way to explain its behavior. Avoid over-comment inside methods or variables, unless needed because code complexity.  - Comments must be placed in a independent line before the effective code (multiline and end-of-line comments)
Example /*

	<pre>* Multiline OK Comment */ // End-Of-Line OK Comment int customerBalance = 0 //He's poor (Bad comment)</pre>	
Blank spaces	<ul> <li>Programs must be accordingly spaced to avoid code to be seen as crowded.</li> <li>At least one space must be set between Java elements (import and package statements, class, variable or method declarations)</li> </ul>	
Indenting	<ul> <li>Code must be indented after opening braces (next line) from the preceding level.</li> <li>Open braces must be placed after function, method or class declaration.</li> <li>Closing braces must be aligned with the line where piece of code (opening brace) was declared or open.</li> </ul>	
Indenting example	<pre>public void someMethod() {     if(someCondition == true) {         doSomething();     } }</pre>	
Capitalization	<ul> <li>Constants must be all in uppercase, separated by underscore sign ( _ )</li> <li>All other identifiers must be CamelCase notation.</li> </ul>	
Capitalization Example	<pre>public static final String PI_CONSTANT_STRING = "Pi"</pre>	

## **PSP Counting Standard**

Count Type	Туре	Comments
Physical / Logical	Logical	Only effective lines will be counted (no blanks or lines inside comments)
Statement Type	Included (Y/N)	Comments
Executable	Yes	
Non-Executable		
Declarations	Yes	
Compiler directives	Yes	Package and Import statements
Comments	No	
Blank lines	No	
Clarifications		Examples / Cases
Methods		Methods will be counted as one according to coding standard
Notes		
Note 1		Method Arguments can be splitted into more than one line.