# **Basics of the Object-Oriented Programming**

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## JComboBox class

- Similar with JList
- Allows to select only one item that will be visible
- List of other elements is displayed only by pressing the button marked with an arrow
- Component initialization can be done using:
  - A vector
  - A model of ComboBoxModel type
- Each item can be represented differently through an object instance of a class that implements **ListCellRenderer** interface



## JComboBox class

- Allows to edit explicitly the value of the item through the method setEditable
- The events that are generated are of type:
  - -ItemEvent
    - » Is generated when we navigate in the list
  - Action Event
    - » Is generated when we select an item from the list

## JComboBox class - Example

```
import javax.swing.*;
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.*;
public class ComboBoxExample implements ActionListener {
  private JComboBox<String> comboBox;
  private JLabel label;
  public ComboBoxExample() {
    String[] options = {"Option 1", "Option 2", "Option 3", "Option 4"};
    // Create the combo box
    comboBox = new JComboBox<>(options);
    comboBox.addActionListener(this);
    // Create the label
    label = new JLabel("Please select an option");
    // Create the frame and add the components
    JFrame frame = new JFrame("Combo Box Example");
    frame.setLayout(new FlowLayout());
    frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
    frame.setSize(300, 100);
    frame.add(comboBox);
    frame.add(label);
    frame.setVisible(true); }
```

```
@Override
  public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e) {
    // Get the selected item from the combo box
    String selectedOption = (String)
                   comboBox.getSelectedItem();
    // Update the label with the selected option
    label.setText("You selected " + selectedOption);
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    ComboBoxExample example = new
                                 ComboBoxExample();
```

## JSpinner class

- Allows to select a specific value in predefined range
- The item of the list are not visible
- Is used when the domain from which the selection is made is very large
  - -e.g., integers between 1950 and 2050
- The component contains two buttons with which we can select the next item or the previous item in list
- Uses a model which is an object of SpinnerModel type (SpinnerModel is an interface)

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- There are a lot of predefined classes that implements this interface
  - » e.g.: SpinnerListModel, SpinnerNumberModel, SpinnerDateModel
- The events are of ChangeEvent type and are generated when the state of the component is changed

#### JTable class

- Shows the items in a tabular form
- Can be used for:
  - Formatted display of data
  - -Editing information in its cells
- Rows of the tables can be marked as selected; the selection type can be simple or multipe
- Table initialization can be made by:
  - Using one of the constructors having as arguments:
    - » The table elements represented as a matrix or a collection of **Vector** type
    - » The names of the columns
  - Implementing the table model in a separate class and using the corresponding constructor



# JTable class - Exemple of initializing a table using constructor

- Initializing a table using a constructor having as arguments:
  - The table elements represented as a matrix or a collection of Vector type
    - » Data type of the elements of a column can be anything
  - The names of the columns

# JTable class - Exemple of initializing a table using constructor

```
import javax.swing.*;
public class TableExample {
   JFrame f;
   TableExample(){
    f=new JFrame();
    String data[][]={ {"101", "Amit", "670000"}, {"102", "Jai", "780000"}, {"101", "Sachin", "700000"}};
    String column[]={"ID","NAME","SALARY"};
    JTable jt=new JTable(data, column);
    jt.setBounds(30,40,200,300);
    JScrollPane sp=new JScrollPane(jt);
    f.add(sp);
    f.setSize(300,400);
    f.setVisible(true);
public static void main(String[] args) {
  new TableExample();
```

# JTable class - Exemple of initializing a table by implementing the table model

- Initializing the table by implementing the table model in a separate class and using the corresponding constructor
  - For implementing the model:
    - »Implements TableModel interface
      - Contains methods that are queried to obtain information from the table
    - »Or extends AbstractTableModel class
      - Override the specific methods; the most used methods are:
        - getRowCount() returns the number of rows in the table
        - getColumnCount() returns the number of columns in the table
        - -getValueAt (int row, int column) return the element to a specific row and column
        - getColumnName(int column) returns the name of the column
        - isCellEditable (int rowIndex, int columnIndex) specify if a cell is editable or not

## JTable class - Exemple of initializing a table by implementing the table model

```
class ModelTabel extends AbstractTableModel{
 String[] coloane = {"Name", "Age", "Student"};
 Object[][] elemente = { {"Ionescu", new Integer(20), Boolean.TRUE},
                         {"Popescu", new Integer(80), Boolean.FALSE} }
 public int getColumnCount() {return coloane.length;}
 public int getRowCount() {return elemente.length;}
 public Object getValueAt(int row, int col) {return elemente[row][col]; }
 public String getColumnName(int col) {return coloane[col]; }
 public boolean isCellEditable(int row, int col)
      //only the name is editable
        return (col == 0);
ModelTabel model = new ModelTabel();
JTable tabel = new JTable(model);
```

# JTable class - Handling the events generated by a change of the date in the table

- Changing the date in a table will generate an TableModelEvent event
- TableModelListener interface
  - Handle events of type TableModelEvent
  - -The interface consists of one method that tells you when the table data changes

```
public interface TableModelListener extends EventListener {
  public void tableChanged(TableModelEvent e);
}
```

Register a listener will be done for the table model

# JTable class - Exemple of handling the events generated by the date changing in the table

```
import javax.swing.*;
import javax.swing.event.*;
import javax.swing.table.*;
public class JTableExample extends JFrame {
  private JTable table;
  public JTableExample() {
    // create table data and column headers
     Object[][] data = { { "John", 28 },
       { "Jane", 32 },
       { "Joe", 25 },
       { "Julie", 30 } };
     String[] columnNames = { "Name", "Age"
    // create the table using the data and
column headers
    table = new JTable(data,
columnNames);}
```

```
// add a table model listener to handle cell changes
    table.getModel().addTableModelListener(new TableModelListener() {
       public void tableChanged(TableModelEvent e) {
         // handle the cell change event here
         int row = e.getFirstRow();
         int column = e.getColumn();
         TableModel model = (TableModel)e.getSource();
         Object data = model.getValueAt(row, column);
         System.out.println("Cell updated at row " + row + " and column " +
column + ": " + data);
  JScrollPane scrollPane = new JScrollPane(table);
     getContentPane().add(scrollPane);
     setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
     setTitle("JTable Example");
     pack();
     setVisible(true); }
  public static void main(String[] args) {
     new JTableExample(); }}
```

# JTable class - Exemple of handling the events generated by the date changing in the table

- ➤In the previous example, we create a JTable component with some sample data and column headers.
- ➤ We then add a table model listener to the table, which listens for changes to the table's cells.
- ➤When a cell is changed, the tableChanged method is called, and we can handle the event there. In this example, we simply print the updated cell's value to the console.
- ➤ Note that we also add the table to a scroll pane before adding it to the frame

# JTable class - Handing the events generated by changing the selection in the table

- We can select one or more than one rows in the table
- Management of selected lines is achieved through a model
  - -The model is an instance of a class that implements ListSelectionModel interface
- Handing the events generated by changing the selection in the table is made by registering a listener of type ListSelectionListener

# **JTable** class - Handing the events generated by changing the selection in the table (Example)

```
class Test implements ListSelectionListener { ...
 public Test() { ...
 // Determine the selection mode
 tabel.setSelectionModel(ListSelectionModel.SINGLE_SELECTION);
// adding a listener
 ListSelectionModel model = tabel.getSelectionModel();
 model.addListSelectionListener(this);
 public void valueChanged(ListSelectionEvent e) {
   ListSelectionModel model = (ListSelectionModel)e.getSource();
   if (model.isSelectionEmpty()) {
     // No line is selected
  else {int index = model.getMinSelectionIndex();
       // The line with the index number is the first selected
          }} }
```

# JTable class-Handing the events generated by changing the selection in the table

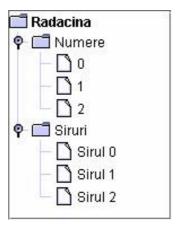
```
import javax.swing.*;
import javax.swing.event.*;
public class TableExample {
public static void main(String[] a) {
 JFrame f = new JFrame("Table Example");
 String data[][]={ {"101", "Amit", "670000"},
 {"102", "Jai", "780000"}, {"101", "Sachin", "700000"}};
 String column[]={"ID","NAME","SALARY"};
 JTable jt=new JTable(data,column);
 jt.setCellSelectionEnabled(true);
 ListSelectionModel select= jt.getSelectionModel();
 select.setSelectionMode(ListSelectionModel.SINGLE_SELECTIO
N);
```

```
select.addListSelectionListener(
 new ListSelectionListener() {
     public void valueChanged(ListSelectionEvent e)
        String Data = null;
        int[] row = jt.getSelectedRows();
        int[] columns = jt.getSelectedColumns();
        for (int i = 0; i < row.length; i++) {
         for (int j = 0; j < columns.length; <math>j++) {
           Data = (String) jt.getValueAt(row[i], columns[j]);
       System.out.println("Table element selected is: " +
                            Data);
        JScrollPane sp=new JScrollPane(jt);
       f.add(sp);
      f.setSize(300, 200);
      f.setVisible(true);
```

#### JTable class

- The cell of a column are represented in the same way
- Each column has associated a renderer object which is responsible for creating the component describing its cells
- A render object implements **TableCellRenderer** interface
  - -setDefaultRenderer method is used to specify a default renderer

- Shows the elements in a hierarchical way
- A tree consists of:
  - –A root
  - -Internal nodes
    - » Nodes that have at least a son
  - Leaf nodes
- The information from an JTree object is kept in a model



## DefaultMutableTreeNode

- -Class that model a node of a tree
- Steps to create a tree:
  - –Creating root
  - -Instantiation of a **JTree** object with root previously defined
  - Add leaf nodes as sons of an existing nodes
- Tree nodes can be of different types
  - -The default representation of nodes is obtained by calling toString for the considered object
- It is possible to specify a text in HTML format as value of a node

# JTree class -Example of building a tree

```
String text = "<html><b>Radacina</b></html>";

DefaultMutableTreeNode root = new DefaultMutableTreeNode(text);

DefaultMutableTreeNode numere = new DefaultMutableTreeNode("Numere");

DefaultMutableTreeNode siruri = new DefaultMutableTreeNode("Siruri");

for(int i=0; i<3; i++) {

    numere.add(new DefaultMutableTreeNode(new Integer(i)));

    siruri.add(new DefaultMutableTreeNode("Sirul " + i));

    }

    root.add(numere);

    root.add(siruri);

JTree tree = new JTree(root);
```

- Another way to build a tree
  - -By defining a class that implements **TreeModel** interface and describes the tree model
- Management of the selected items from a tree is made through a model:
  - -The interface corresponding to the model is TreeSelectionModel

#### TreeSelectionListener

 Listener object that handle the events that are generated when the selection in tree is changed

## JTree class - Example of handling events

```
class Test implements TreeSelectionListener{ ...
    public Test() { ...
      // establish the selection mode
      tree.getSelectionModel().setSelectionModel(TreeSelectionModel.SINGLE_TREE_SELECTION);
      // add listener
      tree.addTreeSelectionListener(this);
       ... }
      public void valueChanged(TreeSelectionEvent e){
        //get the selected node
        DefaultMutableTreeNode node = (DefaultMutableTreeNode) tree.getLastSelectedPathComponent();
        if (node == null)
          //Nothing is selected.
          return;
        Object nodeInfo = node.getUserObject();////get the data associated with the node.
        if (node.isLeaf()) {
                                  //do something }
                 //do something }
       else {
      }}
```

- Each node of the tree is represented by a renderer class that implements
   TreeCellRenderer interface
- By implementing the interface or extending the default class (i.e.,
   DefaultTreeCellRenderer) we can personalize the tree nodes depending on their type and value

- There are different ways to change how the tree show without to create new classes of TreeCellRenderer type:
  - -setRootVisible
    - »Specify if the root is visible or not
  - -setShowsRootHandles
    - »Specify if the nodes on the first level have symbols for expanding or collapsing the nodes
  - putClientProperty
    - » Establishes different properties such as the way in which the lines between the father node and the son node is represented
      - □ To specify that the Java look and feel use only horizontal lines to group nodes, use the following code:
        - -tree.putClientProperty("JTree.lineStyle", "Horizontal");
      - □ To specify that the Java look and feel should draw no lines, use this code:
        - -tree.putClientProperty("JTree.lineStyle", "None");

• Example of specifying an icon for a leaf node or for an internal node

```
ImageIcon leaf = new ImageIcon("img/leaf.gif");
ImageIcon open = ImageIcon("img/open.gif");
ImageIcon closed = ImageIcon("img/closed.gif");
DefaultTreeCellRenderer renderer = new DefaultTreeCellRenderer();
renderer.setLeafIcon(leaf);
renderer.setOpenIcon(open);
renderer.setClosedIcon(closed);
tree.setCellRenderer(renderer);
```

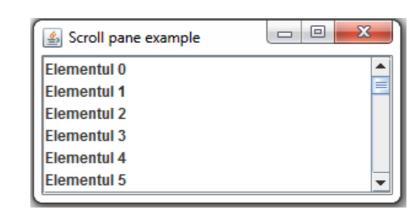
# Swing containers

- High level containers
  - Are the root of the hierarchies of the components of an application
    - »JFrame, JDialog, JApplet
- Intermediate containers
  - Are display areas used to arrange efficiently the application components
  - »JPanel, JScrollPane, JTabbedPane, JSplitPane, JLayeredPane, JDesktopPane, JRootPane
  - Can be nested

## JScrollPane class

- Provides a scrollable view of a component (e.g., horizontal and vertical scrolling of component)
- Is used to represent the components that do not fit on the display area

```
import javax.swing.*;
public class ScrollPaneDemo{
 public static void main(String args[]) {
 JFrame frame = new JFrame("Scroll pane example");
 String elemente[] = new String[100];
for(int i=0; i<100; i++)
   elemente[i] = "Elementul " + i;
 JList lista = new JList(elemente);
 JScrollPane sp = new JScrollPane(lista);
 frame.getContentPane().add(sp);
 frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
frame.setSize(300, 150);
frame.setVisible(true);
```



#### JTabbedPane class

- Is used for overlaying multiple containers (JPanel objects) on the same display area
- The selection of a panel is made at the top of the component

```
import javax.swing.*;
  public class TabbedPaneDemo{
   public static void main(String args[]) {
       JFrame frame = new JFrame("TabbedPane");
       JTabbedPane tabbedPane = new JTabbedPane();
       ImageIcon icon = new ImageIcon("smiley.gif");
       JComponent panel₁ = new JPanel();
       panel<sub>1</sub>.add(new JLabel("Hello"));
       tabbedPane.addTab("Tab 1", icon, panel₁);
       JComponent panel<sub>2</sub> = new JPanel();
       panel<sub>2</sub>.add(new JButton("OK"));
       tabbedPane.addTab("Tab 2", icon, panel<sub>2</sub>);
       frame.getContentPane().add(tabbedPane);
       frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
       frame.setVisible(true);
```



# JSplitPane class

- Allows to create a container that contains two components that are arranged either side by side or one above the other
  - Separation of components is made through a bar that allows the configuration of display area allocated for each component

# JSplitPane class - Example

```
//Separam lista de grupul celor trei butoane

JSplitPane sp<sub>1</sub> = new JSplitPane(JSplitPane.

VERTICAL_SPLIT, list, panel);

//Separam containerul cu lista si butoanele de componenta pentru editare de text

JSplitPane sp<sub>2</sub> = new JSplitPane(JSplitPane.

HORIZONTAL_SPLIT, sp<sub>1</sub>, text);

frame.getContentPane().add(sp<sub>2</sub>);

frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);

frame.setSize(300, 150);

frame.setVisible(true);

}
```



# Swing – Dialogs

- Creating a dialog is made by extending JDialog class
- Predefine classes that describe certain types of dialogs
  - JOptionPane allows to create simple dialogs used for:
    - » Displaying messages
    - » Making queries for confirmation / cancel, etc.

#### -JFileChooser

- » Standard dialog that allows to navigate through the file system
- » Allow the selection of a specific file for open or save operations

#### -JColorChooser

»Standard dialog for selecting a color

## ProgressMonitor

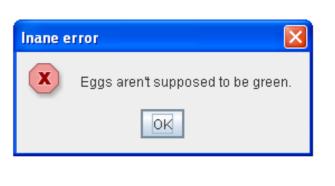
»Class used to monitor the progress of time-consuming operations

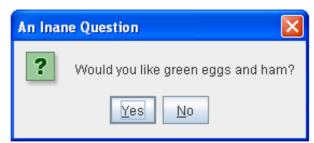
# JOptionPane class

Two ways of using JOptionPane class:

JOptionPane.showMessageDialog(frame, "Eggs are not supposed to be green.", "Inane error", JOptionPane.ERROR\_MESSAGE);

JOptionPane.showConfirmDialog(frame, "Would you like green eggs and ham?", "An Inane Question", JOptionPane.YES\_NO\_OPTION);





# JOptionPane class

Example of using showMessageDialog() from JOptionPane

```
import javax.swing.*;
public class OptionPaneExample {
  JFrame f;
  OptionPaneExample(){
   f=new JFrame();
   f.setSize(200,100);
   f.setVisible(true);
   JOptionPane.showMessageDialog(f, "Wellcome");
public static void main(String[] args) {
  new OptionPaneExample();
```



# JOptionPane class

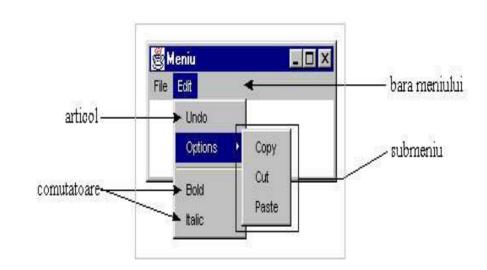
Example of using showMessageDialog() from JOptionPane

```
import javax.swing.*;
public class OptionPaneExample {
  JFrame f;
  OptionPaneExample(){
   f=new JFrame();
   f.setSize(200,100);
   f.setVisible(true);
   String name=JOptionPane.showInputDialog(f,"Enter Name");
public static void main(String[] args) {
  new OptionPaneExample();
```



#### Menus

- Fixed menus (permanently visible):
  - -They are grouped in a menu bar
  - -Contains items that can be selected, switches or others sub menus
  - -A frame can have only one menus



- Context menus (popup):
  - Invisible menus associated with a window that are activated by pressing the right button of the mouse
  - Are not grouped in a menu bar

## Menus

- In Swing the menu bar objects are instance of JMenuBar class
- A JMenuBar object
  - -Contains JMenu objects
- JMenu objects contain:
  - -JMenuItem objects
  - -JCheckBoxMenuItem objects
  - -JMenu objects (sub-menus)

### Menus

Example of creating a menu bar:

```
// Crearea barei de meniuri

JMenuBar mb = new JMenuBar();

// Adaugarea meniurilor derulante la bara de meniuri...

// Atasarea barei de meniuri la o fereastra

JFrame f = new JFrame("Fereastra cu meniu");

f.setJMenuBar(mb);
```

### Menus

#### JMenu class

- -Allows to create a drop-down menu in the menu bar
- -Each menu has a label that represents the name that will be display on menu bar
- A menu can contain instance of JMenuItem, JMenu or JCheckboxMenuItem classes

#### JMenultem class

- Instance of JMenuItem class describing the individual options of the drop-down menus
   \*E.g., "Open", "Close", "Exit", etc.
- -An instance of JMenuItem class
  - » Is a button or a switch with a label that will appears on the menu
  - »Can be accompanied by an accelerator
    - MenuShortcut object representing a key combination for calling quickly an item

### Menus

### JCheckboxMenuItem class

- Implement items of switching type; by proceedings the item it will move from one state to another
  - »By validating the switch from the right of the label, a graphical simbol will be displayed that indicate this thing
  - »By invalidating, the graphical symbol will disappear
- Has the same functionality as boxes of type Checkbox, both implementing ItemSelectable interface

# Menus -Example of creating menus

```
public class TestMenu{
  public static void main (String args []) {
    JFrame f = new JFrame("Test Menu");
    JMenuBar mb = new JMenuBar();
    JMenu fisier = new JMenu("File");
    fisier.add(new JMenuItem("Open"));
    fisier.add(new JMenuItem("Close"));
    fisier.addSeparator();
    fisier.add(new JMenuItem("Exit"));
    JMenu optiuni = new JMenu("Options");
```

```
optiuni.add(new JMenuItem("Copy"));
optiuni.add(new JMenuItem("Cut"));
optiuni.add(new JMenuItem("Paste"));
Menu editare = new JMenu("Edit");
editare.add(new JMenuItem ("Undo"));
editare.add(optiuni);
editare.addSeparator();
editare.add(new JCheckboxMenuItem("Bold"));
editare.add(new JCheckboxMenuItem("Italic"));
mb.add(fisier);
mb.add(optiuni);
mb.add(editare);
f.setJMenuBar(mb);
f.setSize(200, 100);
f.show();
```

## Menus - Events handling

- When an option is selected from the menu, an event is generated:
  - -ActionEvent for JMenuItem
  - ItemEvent for JCheckboxMenuItem
- To activate the menu options, we implement the following interface:
  - -ActionListener with actionPerformed method
  - ItemListener with itemStateChanged method
- For each menu, a different receptor object can be associated
- The link between the menu object and the listener object is made by the following methods:
  - -addActionListener
  - -addltemListener

# Menus - Events handling

- JCheckboxMenuItem objects implements ItemSelectable interface
  - -Events handling is similar with the events handling for List, Choice, CheckBox
  - -Operation type (i.e. check/uncheck) is encoding in generated event by the static fields:
    - »ItemEvent.SELECTED
    - »ItemEvent.DESELECTED

# Menus - Events handling

```
public class Test extends JFrame implements ActionListener,
ItemListener
 public Test (String titlu) {
  super(titlu);
  JMenuBar mb = new JMenuBar();
  JMenu test = new JMenu("Test");
  JCheckboxMenuItem check = new JCheckboxMenuItem("Check
me");
  JMenuItem exit= new JMenuItem("Exit");
  test.add(check);
  test.add(exit);
  mb.add(test);
  setJMenuBar(mb);
  JButton btnExit = new JButton("Exit");
  add(btnExit, BorderLayout.SOUTH);
```

```
setSize(300, 200);
setVisible(true);
exit.addActionListener(this);
btnExit.addActionListener(this);
check. addItemListener(this);
public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e) {
   String command = e.getActionCommand();
    if(command.equals("Exit"))
         System.exit(0); }
public void itemStateChanged(ItemEvent e) {
  if (e.getStateChange() == ItemEvent.SELECTED)
       setTitle("Checked !");
   else setTitle("Not checked !"); }
  public static void main ( String args []) {
   Test f = new Test("Tratare eveniment");
    } }
```

- Are implemented with help of JPopupMenu class
- Are invisible menus that are activated by pressing the right button of the mouse
- Methods for adding items to a context menu are inherited from fixed menus

```
JPopupMenu popup = new JPopupMenu("Options");
popup.add(new JMenuItem("New"));
popup.add(new JMenuItem("Edit"));
popup.addSeparator();
popup.add(new JMenuItem("Exit"));
```

- When we have more popup menus that are used in a window:
  - -All of them must be defined
  - —At a certain moment, the corresponding menu will be added on the window, and than it will be set as visible
  - After the menu is closed, the link between the window and the menu is broken my means of remove method

```
fereastra.add(popup<sub>1</sub>);
...
fereastra.remove(popup<sub>1</sub>);
fereastra.add(popup<sub>2</sub>);
```

To display a context menu, we use show method:

popup.show(Component origin, int x, int y)

## -origin

- » Is the component in relation to which the display position of popup menu is computed (the position is calculated relative to the origin of the component);
- » Is an instance of the window in which the menu will be displayed

- Steps follows to create a menu context:
  - -Creates the menu context
  - Activated the menu by pressing the right button of the mouse on the area of the main window
- Observation
  - Evens handling generated by the context menu is identical realized as in the case of fixed menus

## Menus - Context Menus (Example)

```
import javax.swing.*;
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.*;
public class ContextMenuExample extends JFrame {
  private JPopupMenu contextMenu;
  public ContextMenuExample() {
    setTitle("Context Menu Example");
    // create a popup menu
    contextMenu = new JPopupMenu();
    JMenuItem cutMenuItem = new JMenuItem("Cut");
    JMenuItem copyMenuItem = new JMenuItem("Copy");
    JMenuItem pasteMenuItem = new JMenuItem("Paste");
    // add action listeners to menu items
    cutMenuItem.addActionListener(new ActionListener() {
       public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e) {
         // handle cut action
         System.out.println("Cut action performed"); }});
```

```
copyMenuItem.addActionListener(new ActionListener() {
       public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e) {
         // handle copy action
         System.out.println("Copy action performed");
pasteMenuItem.addActionListener(new ActionListener() {
       public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e) {
         // handle paste action
         System.out.println("Paste action performed");
// add menu items to popup menu
contextMenu.add(cutMenuItem);
contextMenu.add(copyMenuItem)
contextMenu.add(pasteMenuItem);
```

## Menus - Context Menus (Example)

```
// add mouse listener to component
     addMouseListener(new MouseAdapter() {
       public void mousePressed(MouseEvent e) {
         if (e.isPopupTrigger()) {
            showContextMenu(e);}}
      public void mouseReleased(MouseEvent e) {
         if (e.isPopupTrigger()) {
            showContextMenu(e);
// set frame properties
  setSize(300, 300);
  setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
  setVisible(true);
private void showContextMenu(MouseEvent e) {
     contextMenu.show(e.getComponent(), e.getX(), e.getY());
public static void main(String[] args) {
     new ContextMenuExample();
```

- ✓ In this example, we create a JPopupMenu and add JMenuItem objects for Cut, Copy, and Paste.
- ✓ We add action listeners to the menu items to handle their respective actions.
- ✓ We add a MouseListener to the component (in this case, the JFrame) to detect when the user right-clicks on the component.
- ✓ If the user right-clicks, we display the context menu at the location of the mouse click.
- ✓ Finally, we set the properties of the JFrame and make it visible.

### Menus - Accelerators

- An JMenuItem object can have associated an accelerator object, which is used to define a keyboard shortcut for the menu item
- An accelerator is a key combination that, when pressed, performs the action associated with the menu item.
- It can be specified using the setAccelerator method of the JMenuItem class, which takes an Accelerator object as its argument.

## Menus – Accelerators (Example)

```
import java.awt.event.KeyEvent; import javax.swing.*;
public class JMenuItemKeyStroke {
 public static void main(final String args[]) {
  JFrame frame = new JFrame("MenuSample Example");
  frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
  JMenuBar menuBar = new JMenuBar();
  // File Menu, F - Mnemonic
  JMenu fileMenu = new JMenu("File");
  fileMenu.setMnemonic(KeyEvent.VK_F);
  menuBar.add(fileMenu);
  // File->New, N - Mnemonic
  JMenuItem newMenuItem = new JMenuItem("New", KeyEvent.VK_N);
  fileMenu.add(newMenuItem);
  // Edit->Cut, T - Mnemonic, CTRL-X - Accelerator
  JMenuItem cutMenuItem = new JMenuItem("Cut", KeyEvent.VK_T);
  KeyStroke ctrlXKeyStroke = KeyStroke.getKeyStroke("control X");
  cutMenuItem.setAccelerator(ctrlXKeyStroke);
  fileMenu.add(cutMenuItem);
  frame.setJMenuBar(menuBar);
  frame.setSize(350, 250);
  frame.setVisible(true); }}
```

- ✓ A JMenuBar is created and added to the JFrame.
- ✓ A JMenu called "File" is created with a mnemonic set to "F". The menu is added to the JMenuBar.
- ✓ A JMenuItem called "New" is created with a mnemonic set to "N". The menu item is added to the "File" menu.
- ✓ Another JMenuItem called "Cut" is created with a mnemonic set to "T". An accelerator is also set to "Ctrl+X". The menu item is added to the "File" menu.
- ✓ The JMenuBar is added to the JFrame, and the size and visibility of the JFrame are set.
- ✓ When you run this code, it will display a window with a menu bar containing a "File" menu. The "File" menu will have two menu items: "New" and "Cut".
- ✓ The "New" menu item will have a mnemonic of "N", and the "Cut" menu item will have a mnemonic of "T" and an accelerator of "Ctrl+X".

- GUI must draw on the screen all its components that have a visual representation
- Drawing
  - Includes standard components used in application as well as the components defined by programmer
  - Is automatically made and is a process that is executed in the following situations:
    - » At displaying for the first time of a component
    - »At minimization operations, maximization operations or resizing the display area
    - »As answer of an explicit request of the program

- Methods that controls the drawing process are from Component class
  - -void paint(Graphics g)
  - -void update(Graphics g)
  - -void repaint()
- The argument of the paint and update methods is an object of type Graphics
  - -Represents the graphical context in which the components drawing is executed
- All drawings that must appear on a display surface are putted in paint method of a component

- void paint(Graphics g)
  - Method from Component class
  - Draw a component
  - -Don't have an implementation
  - Is overridden for each component to provide its graphical specific representation
     Standard AWT components have already overridden paint method
  - Is called each time when component content need to be draw or redraw
  - Is not explicit called
- Graphical representation of a standard component can be modified by:
  - -Creating a subclass and overriding the paint method
  - -Calling the superclass method that is responsible for drawing the component in paint method

# Drawing - Example of redefining paint method

```
import java.awt.*;
import javax.swing.JFrame;
class Fereastra extends JFrame {
 public Fereastra (String titlu) {
  super(titlu);
  setSize(200, 100);}
public void paint(Graphics g) {
 // Apelam metoda paint a clasei Frame
  super.paint(g);
  g.setFont(new Font ("Arial", Font. BOLD, 11));
  g.setColor(Color.red);
  g.drawString("Aplicatie DEMO", 30, 45);
public static void main ( String args []) {
  Fereastra f = new Fereastra ("Test paint");
 f.setVisible(true); }}
```



- void update(Graphics g)
  - Method from Component class
  - Update the graphical state of a component
  - The method works in three steps:
    - » Delete the component by redrawing her with background color
    - » Establish the foreground color of the component
    - »Call paint method to redraw the component
- void repaint()
  - -Method from Component class
  - Execute explicit call of the update method to update the graphical representation of a component