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Object Oriented Programming CS F213

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**-Packages
-Downcasting
-Strings**

Solution to Take Home Exercise given in the Previous Class



```
class Printable{
    private interface Showable{
        void show();}

    class ShowClass implements
        Showable {
        public void show() {
            System.out.println("Within Show");}
        }

    public void print() {
        ShowClass s = new ShowClass();
        s.show();
        System.out.println("Within Print"); }
}
```

```
public class test {
    public static void main(String[]
        args) {
        Printable t = new Printable();
        t.print();
    }
}
```



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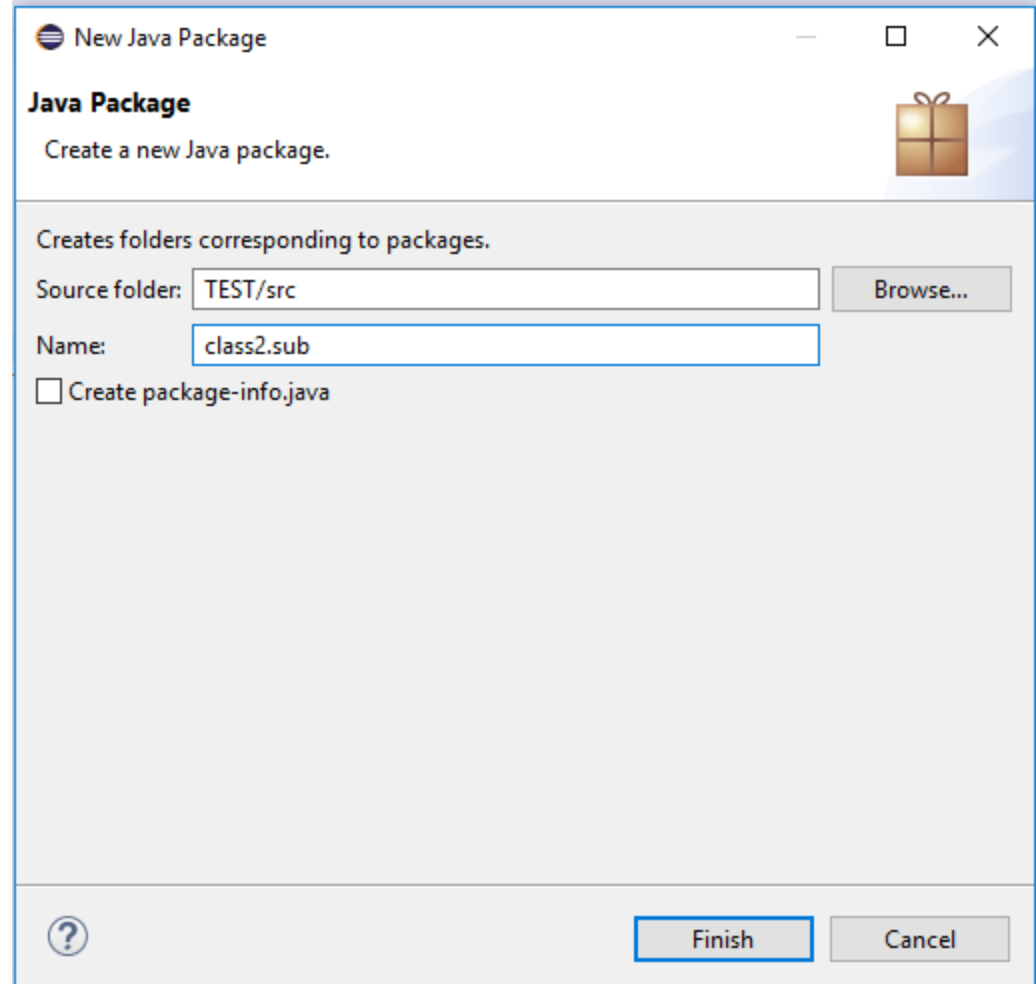


Packages

Create a package & sub package



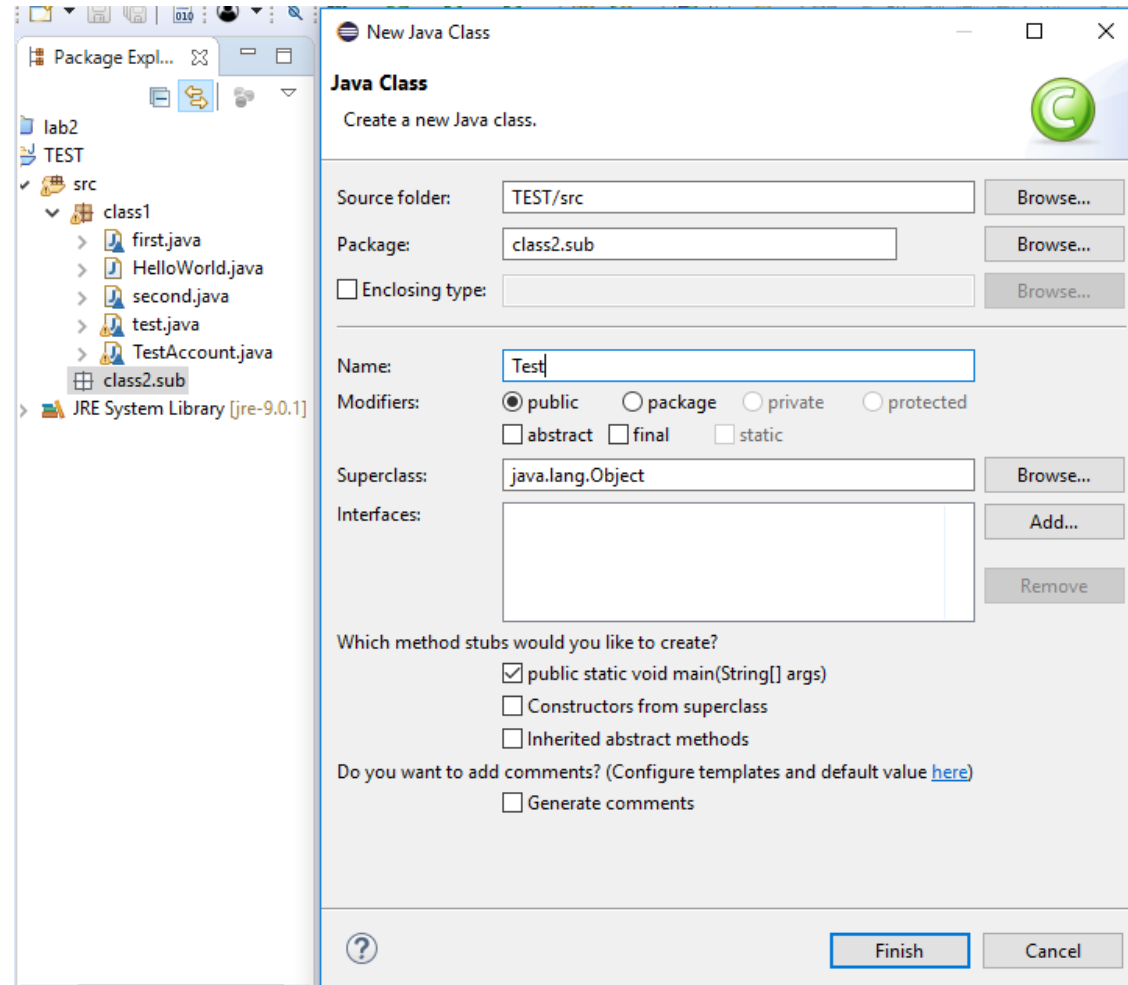
Project → New →
Package



Create a class within the package



Package → New →
class



Class within the package



```
package class2.sub;
```

```
public class Test {
```

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
```

```
// TODO Auto-generated method stub
```

```
}
```

```
}
```

Importing a package



```
package class1;
```

```
public class HelloWorld
```

```
{
```

```
    public void show() {
```

```
        System.out.println("Within class  
        1's show");
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

```
package class2.sub;
```

```
import class1.*;
```

```
public class Test {
```

```
    public static void main(String[]  
        args) {
```

```
        HelloWorld h = new HelloWorld();  
        h.show();
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```


Importing a class



```
package class1;

public class HelloWorld
{
    public void show() {
        System.out.println("Within class
            1's show");
    }
}
```

```
package class2.sub;
import class1.HelloWorld;

public class Test {
    public static void main(String[]
        args) {
        HelloWorld h = new HelloWorld();
        h.show();
    }
}
```

Take Home Exercise: Learn how to execute the same code from the command prompt.

Access Modifiers



Access Modifier	within class	within package	outside package by subclass only	outside package
Private	Y	N	N	N
Default	Y	Y	N	N
Protected	Y	Y	Y	N
Public	Y	Y	Y	Y



Down casting

Downcasting



- When subclass type refers to the object of the parent class
 - `SavingsAccount sa = new BankAccount();` // compilation error
- If downcasting is done, no compilation error but `ClassCastException` is thrown at run time.
 - `SavingsAccount sa =(SavingsAccount) new BankAccount();`

'instanceof' operator

- It compares the instance with the type and returns true or false.
 - `Account a1 = new Account();`
 - `System.out.println(a1 instanceof Account);`
- If instanceof operator is applied on a variable that has null value, it returns false.
 - `Account a1=null;`
 - `System.out.println(a1 instanceof Account);`
- An object of subclass type is also a type of the parent class.

Downcasting - Example



```
abstract class Animal {  
    public void eat() {  
        System.out.println("Eating...");  
    }  
  
    public void move() {  
  
        System.out.println("Moving...");  
    }  
  
    public void sleep() {  
  
        System.out.println("Sleeping...");  
        ;  
    }  
}
```

```
class Dog extends Animal {  
    public void bark() {  
        System.out.println("Bow  
Bow!");  
    }  
    public void eat() {  
        System.out.println("Dog is  
eating...");  
    }  
}  
  
class Cat extends Animal {  
    public void meow() {  
        System.out.println("Meow  
Meow!");  
    }  
}
```

Downcasting - Example



```
class AnimalTrainer {  
    public void teach(Animal anim) {  
        anim.move();  
        anim.eat();  
  
        if (anim instanceof Cat) {  
            Cat cat = (Cat) anim;  
            cat.meow();  
        } else if (anim instanceof Dog)  
        {  
            Dog dog = (Dog) anim;  
            dog.bark();  
        }  
    }  
}
```

```
class test{  
    public static void main(String[]  
        args) {  
        Dog dog = new Dog();  
        Cat cat = new Cat();  
  
        AnimalTrainer trainer = new  
            AnimalTrainer();  
        trainer.teach(cat);  
    }  
}
```



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Strings

Strings



- Java string is a sequence of characters. They are objects of type String.
- Once a String object is created it cannot be changed. Strings are Immutable.
- To get changeable strings use the class called StringBuffer.
- String and StringBuffer classes are declared final, so there cannot be subclasses of these classes.
- The default constructor creates an empty string.

```
String s = new String();
```

String creation



`String str = "abc";` is equivalent to:

```
char data[] = {'a', 'b', 'c'};
```

```
String str = new String(data);
```

- If data array in the above example is modified after the string object str is created, then str remains unchanged.
- Construct a string object by passing another string object.

```
String str2 = new String(str);
```

String Constructors

- **String(byte[] byte_arr) – default character set (ASCII)**

```
byte[] b_arr = {74, 97, 118, 97};  
String str =new String(b_arr);    // JAVA
```

- **String(byte[] byte_arr, Charset char_set)**

```
byte[] b_arr = {0x4a, 0x61, 0x76, 0x61};  
Charset cs = Charset.forName("UTF-8");  
String str = new String(b_arr, cs);
```

- ***Refer (List of character set supported by Java):***

<https://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/technotes/guides/intl/encoding.doc.html>

String Constructors

- **String(byte[] byte_arr, String char_set_name)**

```
byte[] b_arr = {0x4a, 0x61, 0x76, 0x61};  
String str = new String(b_arr, "UTF-8");
```

- **String(byte[] byte_arr, int start_index, int length)**
- **String(byte[] byte_arr, int start_index, int length, Charset char_set)**
- **String(byte[] byte_arr, int start_index, int length, String char_set_name)**
- **String(char[] char_arr)**
- **String(char[] char_array, int start_index, int count)**



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String Methods

Length and Append

- The `length()` method returns the length of the string.

```
System.out.println("Hello World".length());  
// prints 11
```

- The `+` operator is used to concatenate two or more strings.

```
String myname = "Harry"  
String str = "My name is " + myname + ".";
```

- For string concatenation the Java compiler converts an operand to a `String` whenever the other operand of the `+` is a `String` object.

String Methods-Character Extraction



- Characters in a string can be extracted in a number of ways.
- `public char charAt(int index)`
 - Returns the character at the specified index. An index ranges from 0 to `length() - 1`.

```
char ch;
```

```
ch = "Hello World".charAt(4);
```

```
String s1 = new String("Hello World");
```

```
ch=s1.charAt(4);
```

Output:

o

String Methods-Character Extraction



- **public void getChars(int start, int end, char[] destination, int destination_start)**

```
s1 = "Hello World";  
char ch[]=new char[20];  
s1.getChars(0, 11, ch, 0);
```

- **public byte[] getBytes()**
- **public char[] toCharArray()**

```
s1 = "Hello World";  
char ch[]=s1.toCharArray();
```


String Methods



To compare two string objects

- **boolean equals(Object otherObj)**
- **boolean equalsIgnoreCase (String anotherString)**
- **int compareTo(String anotherString):** Compares two string lexicographically.

```
s1 = "World";  
s2 = "Hello";  
p=s1.compareTo(s2);
```

Output:
15

- This returns difference s1-s2. If :
 out < 0 // s1 comes before s2
 out = 0 // s1 and s2 are equal.
 out >0 // s1 comes after s2.

String Methods



- **int compareToIgnoreCase(String anotherString)**
 - Compares two string lexicographically, ignoring case considerations.
- **String toLowerCase()**
 - Converts all characters to lower case
- **String toUpperCase()**
 - Converts all characters to upper case
- **String trim()**
 - Returns the copy of the String, by removing whitespaces at both ends. It does not affect whitespaces in the middle.
- **String replace (char oldChar, char newChar)**
 - Returns new string by replacing all occurrences of *oldChar* with *newChar*

String Methods



- **public boolean endsWith(String suf)**
 - Return *true* if the String has the specified suffix.
- **public boolean startsWith(String pre)**
 - Returns *true* if the String has the specified prefix

```
s1 = "Hello World";  
s2 = "World";  
System.out.println(s1.endsWith(s2));
```

String Methods



- **public boolean regionMatches(int start_OString, String another, int start_AString, int no_of_char)**
- **public boolean regionMatches(boolean ignore_case, int start_OString, String another, int start_AString, int no_of_char)**

```
s1 = "Hello World";  
s2 = "hello";  
System.out.println(s1.regionMatches(1, s2, 1,  
4));
```

String Methods



- **String substring (int i)** – returns the substring from the i^{th} index

```
s1 = new String("Hello World");  
s2=s1.substring(4);  
System.out.println(s2);
```

Output:
o World

- **String substring (int i, int j):** Returns the substring from i to j-1 index.

```
s1 = new String("Hello World");  
s2=s1.substring(4,7);  
System.out.println(s2);
```

Output:
o W

String Methods



- **String concat(String str)** – Concatenates the string 'str' to the object invoking the method.

```
s1 = "Hello ";
```

```
s2 = "World";
```

```
s2=s1.concat(s2);
```

```
System.out.println("s1: "+s1+"s2: "+s2);
```

Output:

s1: :Hello s2 :Hello World

- **int indexOf (String s)** – returns index of the first occurrence of the specified string;

- Returns -1 if not found

```
s1 = "World, Hello World, Hello";
```

```
s2 = "Hello";
```

```
p=s1.indexOf(s2);
```

Output:

7

String Methods



- **int indexOf (String s, int i)** – returns index of the first occurrence of the specified string, starting at the specified index

```
s1 = "World, Hello World, Hello";  
s2 = "Hello";  
p=s1.indexOf(s2,8);
```

Output:
20

- **int lastIndexOf(int ch):** Returns the index within the string of the last occurrence of the specified string.

```
s1 = "World, Hello World, Hello";  
s2 = "Hello";  
p=s1.lastIndexOf(s2);
```

Output:
20

String Methods



- **public int codePointAt(int index)**

- returns the Unicode point of an index

```
s1 = "Hallo World";  
p=s1.codePointAt(1);
```

Output:
97

- **public int codePointBefore(int index)**

- **public boolean contains(String str)**

- Returns true if the invoking string object contains 'str'

```
s1 = "Hello World";  
s2 = "World";  
System.out.println(s1.contains(s2));
```