

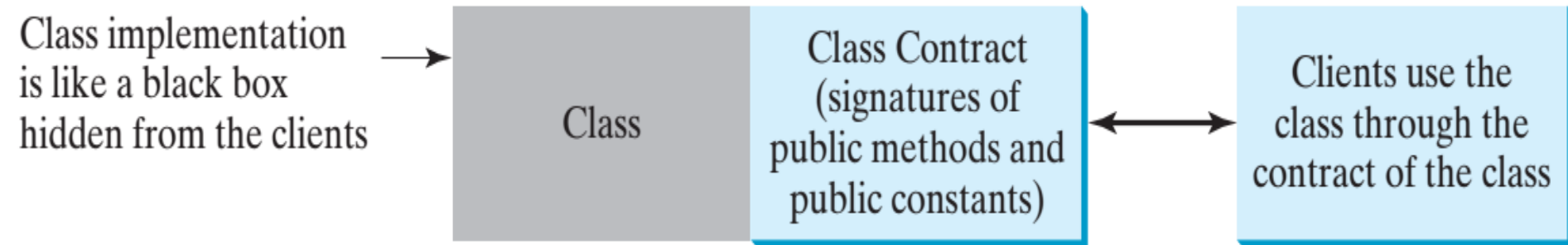
Thinking in Objects



Class Abstraction and Encapsulation

类抽象和封装

- * Class *abstraction* means to separate class implementation from the use of the class.
- * The creator of the class provides a description of the class and let the user know how the class can be used.



Object-Oriented Thinking

- * Classes provide more *flexibility* and *modularity* for building reusable software.

Class Relationships

* The common relationships among classes are

- *association*, 关联
- *aggregation*, 聚集
- *composition*, 组合
- *inheritance*. 继承

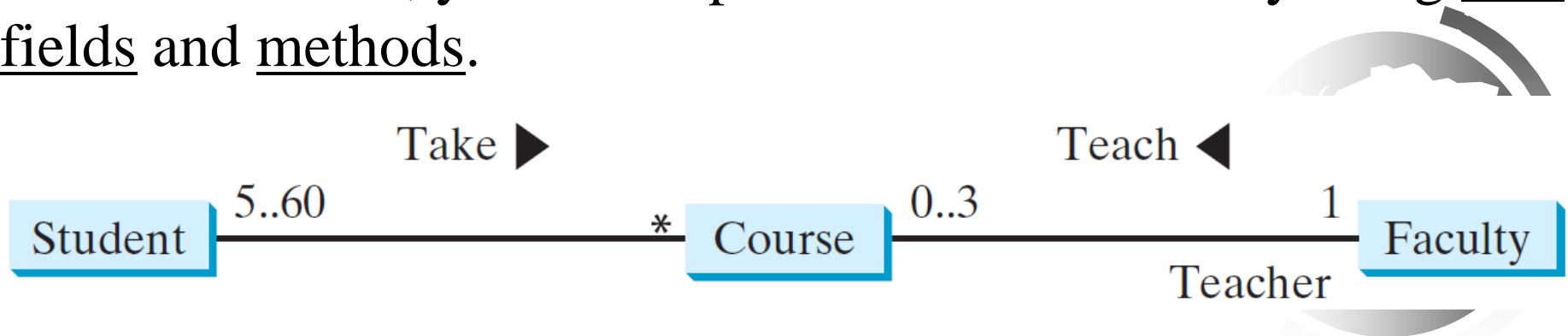
- This section explores association, aggregation, and composition.
- The inheritance relationship will be introduced in the next chapter.



Association 关联

* Association is a general binary relationship that describes an activity between two classes.

- a student taking a course is an association between the Student class and the Course class,
- and a faculty member teaching a course is an association between the Faculty class and the Course class.
- In Java code, you can implement associations by using data fields and methods.



Aggregation and Composition

(聚集和组合)

- * Aggregation is a special form of association that represents an ownership relationship between two objects.
 - Aggregation models has-a relationships.
 - The owner object is called an *aggregating object*, and its class is called an *aggregating class*.
 - The subject object is called an *aggregated object*, and its class is called an *aggregated class*.
- * If an object is exclusively owned by an aggregating object, the relationship is referred to as a *composition*.



Class Representation

* An aggregation relationship is usually represented as a data field in the aggregating class.

```
public class Name {  
    ...  
}
```

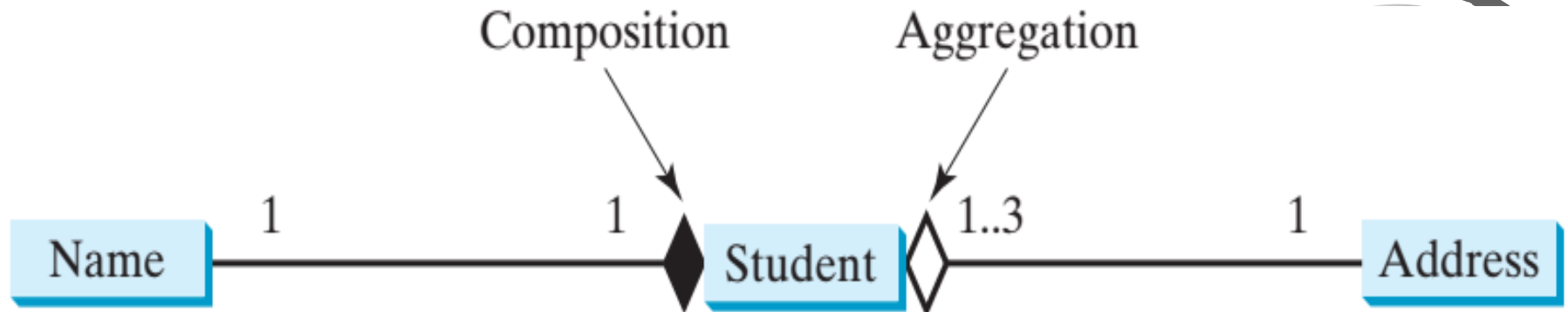
Aggregated class

```
public class Student {  
    private Name name;  
    private Address address;  
    ...  
}
```

Aggregating class

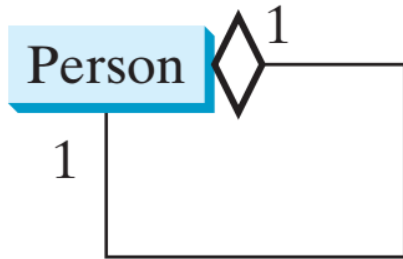
```
public class Address {  
    ...  
}
```

Aggregated class



Aggregation Between Same Class

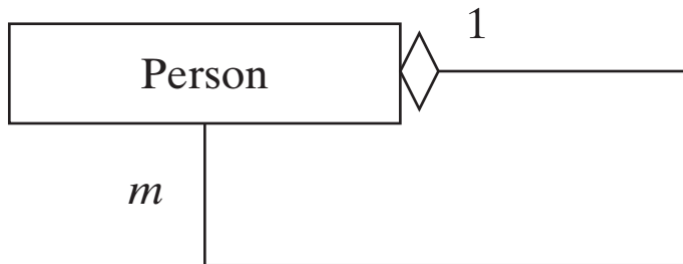
* Aggregation may exist between objects of the same class.



Supervisor

```
public class Person {  
    // The type for the data is the class itself  
    private Person supervisor;  
    ...  
}
```

a person has a supervisor



Supervisor

```
public class Person {  
    ...  
    private Person[] supervisors;  
}
```

A person can have several supervisors

Wrapper Classes 包装类

- * Owing to performance considerations, primitive data type values are not objects in Java.
- * However, many Java methods require the use of objects as arguments.
- * Java offers a convenient way to wrap a primitive data type into an object.
- * Java provides
 - Boolean, Character, Double, Float, Byte, Short, Integer, and Long wrapper classes in the java.lang package for primitive data types.



The Integer and Double Classes

java.lang.Integer

-value: int

+MAX_VALUE: int

+MIN_VALUE: int

+Integer(value: int)

+Integer(s: String)

+byteValue(): byte

+shortValue(): short

+intValue(): int

+longValue(): long

+floatValue(): float

+doubleValue(): double

+compareTo(o: Integer): int

+toString(): String

+valueOf(s: String): Integer

+valueOf(s: String, radix: int): Integer

+parseInt(s: String): int

+parseInt(s: String, radix: int): int

java.lang.Double

-value: double

+MAX_VALUE: double

+MIN_VALUE: double

+Double(value: double)

+Double(s: String)

+byteValue(): byte

+shortValue(): short

+intValue(): int

+longValue(): long

+floatValue(): float

+doubleValue(): double

+compareTo(o: Double): int

+toString(): String

+valueOf(s: String): Double

+valueOf(s: String, radix: int): Double

+parseDouble(s: String): double

+parseDouble(s: String, radix: int): double

The Integer Class and the Double Class

- ❑ Constructors
- ❑ Class Constants `MAX_VALUE`, `MIN_VALUE`
- ❑ Conversion Methods



Numeric Wrapper Class Constructors

- * The wrapper classes do not have no-arg constructors.
- * The instances of all wrapper classes are immutable;
 - this means that, once the objects are created, their internal values cannot be changed.
- * You can construct a wrapper object either from a primitive data type value or from a string representing the numeric value, such as

public Integer(int value)

example: new Integer(5)

public Integer(String s)

example: new Integer("5")

public Double(double value)

example: new Double(5.0)

public Double(String s)

example: new Double("5.0")

Numeric Wrapper Class Constants

* Each numerical wrapper class has the constants MAX_VALUE and MIN_VALUE.

- MAX_VALUE represents the maximum value of the corresponding primitive data type.

- For Byte, Short, Integer, and Long, MIN_VALUE represents the minimum byte, short, int, and long values.

- For Float and Double, MIN_VALUE represents the minimum *positive* float and double values.



Conversion Methods

* Each numeric wrapper class contains the methods doubleValue(), floatValue(), intValue(), longValue(), and shortValue() for returning a double, float, int, long, or short value for the wrapper object.

new Double(12.4).intValue() returns 12;

new Integer(12).doubleValue() returns 12.0;

* The numeric wrapper classes contain the compareTo method for comparing two numbers and returns 1, 0, or -1 (represent greater than, equal to, or less than).

new Double(12.4).compareTo(new Double(12.3)) returns 1;

new Double(12.3).compareTo(new Double(12.3)) returns 0;

new Double(12.3).compareTo(new Double(12.51)) returns -1;

The Static valueOf Methods

- * The numeric wrapper classes have a useful class method, valueOf(String s).
- * This method creates a new object initialized to the value represented by the specified string.

For example:

```
Double doubleObject = Double.valueOf("12.4");  
Integer integerObject = Integer.valueOf("12");
```



Parsing Strings into Numbers

- * Each numeric wrapper class has two overloaded parsing methods to parse a numeric string into an appropriate numeric value based on specified radix.

- * Example:

 - Integer.parseInt("11", 2) returns 3;

 - Integer.parseInt("12", 8) returns 10;

 - Integer.parseInt("13", 10) returns 13;

 - Integer.parseInt("1A", 16) returns 26;

- * Note that you can convert a decimal number into a hex number using the format method. For example,

 - String.format("%x", 26) returns 1A;

Automatic Conversion Between Primitive Types and Wrapper Class Types

* JDK 1.5 allows primitive type and wrapper classes to be converted automatically.

* For example, the following statement in (a) can be simplified as in (b):

```
Integer intObject = new Integer (2);
```

(a)

Equivalent

```
Integer intObject = 2;
```

(b)

autoboxing

```
Integer[] intArray = {1, 2, 3};  
System.out.println(intArray[0] + intArray[1] + intArray[2]);
```

Unboxing



BigInteger and BigDecimal

- * If you need to compute with very large integers or high precision floating-point values, you can use the BigInteger and BigDecimal classes in the java.math package.
- * Both are *immutable*.
- * Both extend the Number class and implement the Comparable interface.



BigInteger and BigDecimal

```
BigInteger a = new BigInteger("9223372036854775807");  
BigInteger b = new BigInteger("2");  
BigInteger c = a.multiply(b); // 9223372036854775807 * 2  
System.out.println(c);
```

```
BigDecimal a = new BigDecimal(1.0);  
BigDecimal b = new BigDecimal(3);  
BigDecimal c = a.divide(b, 20, BigDecimal.ROUND_UP);  
System.out.println(c);
```



The String Class

- ❑ Constructing a String:
- ❑ Obtaining String length and Retrieving Individual Characters in a string
- ❑ String Concatenation (concat)
- ❑ Substrings (substring(index), substring(start, end))
- ❑ Comparisons (equals, compareTo)
- ❑ String Conversions
- ❑ Finding a Character or a Substring in a String
- ❑ Conversions between Strings and Arrays
- ❑ Converting Characters and Numeric Values to Strings



Constructing Strings

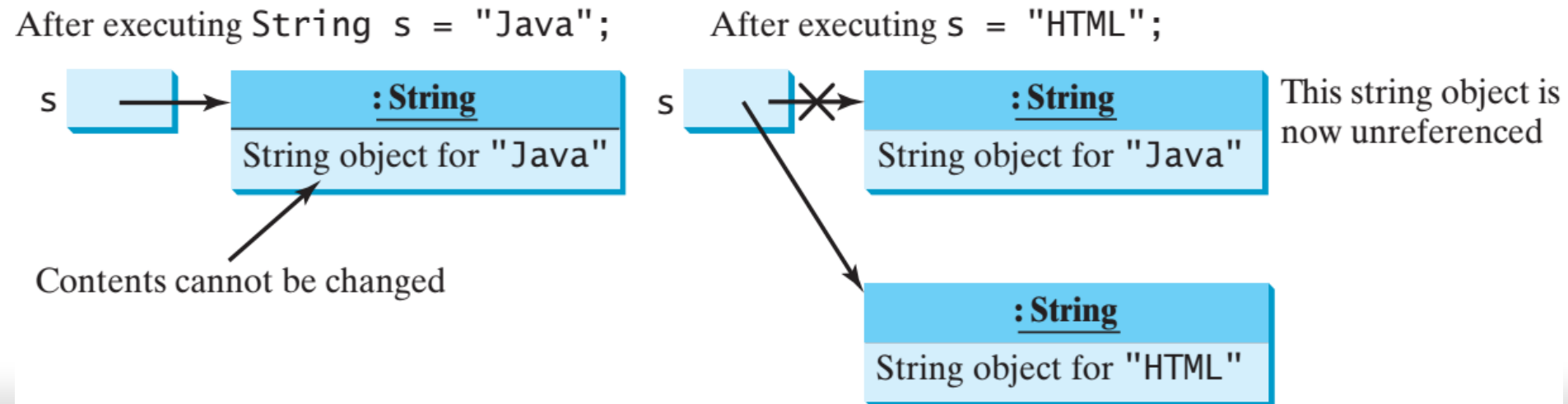
String message = new String("Welcome to Java");

shorthand: String message = "Welcome to Java";

Strings Are Immutable

- * A String object is immutable, its contents cannot be changed.
- * Does the following code change the contents of the string?

```
String s = "Java";    s = "HTML";
```



Interned Strings

* To improve efficiency and save memory, the JVM uses a unique instance for the same string literals.

* Such an instance is called *interned*.

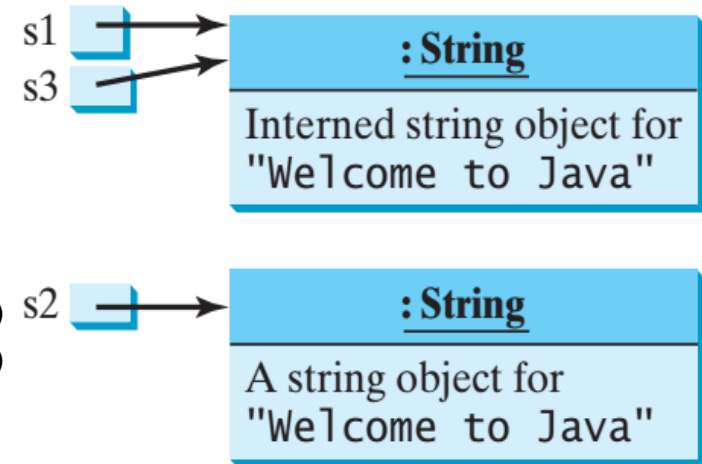
```
String s1 = "Welcome to Java";
```

```
String s2 = new String("Welcome to Java");
```

```
String s3 = "Welcome to Java";
```

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

```
System.out.println("s1 == s3 is " + (s1 == s3));
```



display

s1 == s2 is false

s1 == s3 is true

A new object is created if you use the new operator.

If you use the string initializer, no new object is created if the interned object is already created.

Replacing and Splitting Strings

java.lang.String

```
+replace(oldChar: char,  
  newChar: char): String  
+replaceFirst(oldString: String,  
  newString: String): String  
+replaceAll(oldString: String,  
  newString: String): String  
+split(delimiter: String):  
  String[]
```

Returns a new string that replaces all matching characters in this string with the new character.

Returns a new string that replaces the first matching substring in this string with the new substring.

Returns a new string that replaces all matching substrings in this string with the new substring.

Returns an array of strings consisting of the substrings split by the delimiter.

"Welcome".replace('e', 'A') returns a new string, WAlcomA.

"Welcome".replace("el", "AB") returns a new string, WABcome.

```
String[] tokens = "Java#HTML#Perl".split("#");  
for (int i = 0; i < tokens.length; i++)  
    System.out.print(tokens[i] + " ");
```

displays: Java HTML Perl



Matching, Replacing and Splitting by Patterns

* You can match, replace, or split a string by specifying a *pattern*, known as *regular expression* (abbreviated regex).

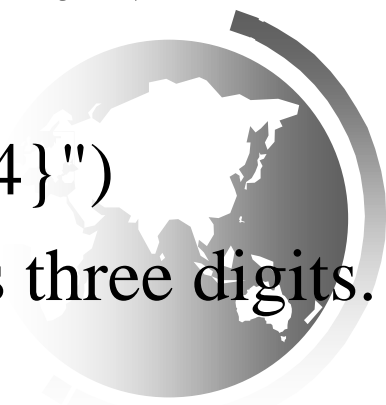
* Matching

```
"Java is fun".matches("Java.*");
```

\\ Java.* describes a string pattern that begins with *Java* followed by any zero or more characters.

```
"440-02-4534".matches("\\d{3}-\\d{2}-\\d{4}")
```

\\d represents a single digit, and \\d{3} represents three digits.



Matching, Replacing and Splitting by Patterns

* Replacing

- the following statement returns a new string that replaces \$, +, or # in "a+b\$#c" by the string NNN.

```
String s = "a+b$#c".replaceAll("[$+#]", "NNN");  
System.out.println(s);
```

- Here the regular expression `[$+#]` specifies a pattern that matches \$, +, or #. So, the output is `aNNNbNNNNNNNc`.



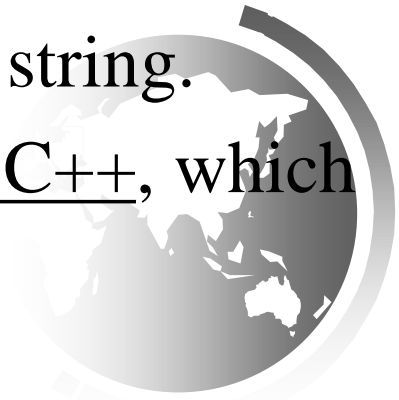
Matching, Replacing and Splitting by Patterns

* Splitting

- The following statement splits the string into an array of strings delimited by some punctuation marks.

```
String[] tokens = "Java,C?C#,C++".split("[.,:;?];");
```

- In this example, the regular expression `[.,:;?]` specifies a pattern that matches `., ,, :, ;, or ?`.
- Each character is a delimiter for splitting the string.
- Thus, the string is split into Java, C, C#, and C++, which are stored in array tokens.



Conversion between Strings and Arrays

- * Convert a string into an array of characters

```
char[] chars = "Java".toCharArray();
```

- * Copy a substring of the string into a character array

```
getChars(int srcBegin, int srcEnd, char[] dst, int dstBegin)
```

```
char[] dst = {'J', 'A', 'V', 'A', '1', '3', '0', '1'};
```

```
"CS3720".getChars(2, 6, dst, 4);
```

Thus, dst becomes {'J', 'A', 'V', 'A', '3', '7', '2', '0'}

- * Convert an array of characters into a string

```
String str = new String(new char[]{'J', 'a', 'v', 'a'});
```

```
String str = String.valueOf(new char[]{'J', 'a', 'v', 'a'});
```



Convert Character and Numbers to Strings

* The String class contains the static methods for creating strings from primitive type values.

java.lang.String

```
+valueOf(c: char): String  
+valueOf(data: char[]): String  
+valueOf(d: double): String  
+valueOf(f: float): String  
+valueOf(i: int): String  
+valueOf(l: long): String  
+valueOf(b: boolean): String
```

Returns a string consisting of the character `c`.
Returns a string consisting of the characters in the array.
Returns a string representing the `double` value.
Returns a string representing the `float` value.
Returns a string representing the `int` value.
Returns a string representing the `long` value.
Returns a string representing the `boolean` value.

- For example, to convert 5.44 to a string, use `String.valueOf(5.44)`, which returns a string of the characters '5', '.', '4', and '4'.

Formatting Strings

* The `String` class contains the static `format` method to return a formatted string:

```
String.format(format, item1, item2, ..., itemk)
```

```
String s = String.format("%7.2f%6d%-4s", 45.556, 14, "AB");  
System.out.println(s);
```

displays

```
□□45.56□□□□14AB□□
```



StringBuilder and StringBuffer

* The `StringBuilder`/`StringBuffer` class is an alternative to the `String` class.

- In general, a `StringBuilder`/`StringBuffer` can be used wherever a string is used.
- You can add, insert, or append new contents into a string buffer, whereas the value of a `String` object is fixed once the string is created.
- The `StringBuilder` class is similar to `StringBuffer` except that the methods for modifying the buffer in `StringBuffer` are synchronized, which means that only one task is allowed to execute the methods.

StringBuilder Constructors

- * The `StringBuilder` class has three constructors and more than 30 methods for managing the builder and modifying strings in the builder.
- * You can create an empty string builder or a string builder from a string using the constructors.

`java.lang.StringBuilder`

```
+StringBuilder()  
+StringBuilder(capacity: int)  
+StringBuilder(s: String)
```

Constructs an empty string builder with capacity 16.
Constructs a string builder with the specified capacity.
Constructs a string builder with the specified string.

Modifying Strings in the Builder

* You can append new contents at the end of a string builder, insert new contents at a specified position in a string builder, and delete or replace characters in a string builder.

`java.lang.StringBuilder`

```
+append(data: char[]): StringBuilder
+append(data: char[], offset: int, len: int):
  StringBuilder
+append(v: aPrimitiveType): StringBuilder

+append(s: String): StringBuilder
+delete(startIndex: int, endIndex: int):
  StringBuilder
+deleteCharAt(index: int): StringBuilder
+insert(index: int, data: char[], offset: int,
  len: int): StringBuilder
+insert(offset: int, data: char[]):
  StringBuilder
+insert(offset: int, b: aPrimitiveType):
  StringBuilder
+insert(offset: int, s: String): StringBuilder
+replace(startIndex: int, endIndex: int, s:
  String): StringBuilder
+reverse(): StringBuilder
+setCharAt(index: int, ch: char): void
```

Appends a `char` array into this string builder.

Appends a subarray in `data` into this string builder.

Appends a primitive type value as a string to this builder.

Appends a string to this string builder.

Deletes characters from `startIndex` to `endIndex-1`.

Deletes a character at the specified index.

Inserts a subarray of the data in the array into the builder at the specified index.

Inserts data into this builder at the position `offset`.

Inserts a value converted to a string into this builder.

Inserts a string into this builder at the position `offset`.

Replaces the characters in this builder from `startIndex` to `endIndex-1` with the specified string.

Reverses the characters in the builder.

Sets a new character at the specified index in this builder.

Examples

```
StringBuilder stringBuilder = new StringBuilder();
stringBuilder.append("Welcome");
stringBuilder.append(' ');
stringBuilder.append("to");
stringBuilder.append(' ');
stringBuilder.append("Java");           // Welcome to Java

stringBuilder.insert(11, "HTML and "); // Welcome to HTML and Java.
stringBuilder.delete(8, 11)           // Welcome Java.
stringBuilder.deleteCharAt(8)         // Welcome o Java.
stringBuilder.reverse()               //avaJ ot emocleW.
stringBuilder.replace(11, 15, "HTML") //Welcome to HTML.
stringBuilder.setCharAt(0, 'w')       // welcome to Java.
```



The toString, capacity, length, setLength, and charAt Methods

java.lang.StringBuilder

```
+toString(): String  
+capacity(): int  
+charAt(index: int): char  
+length(): int  
+setLength(newLength: int): void  
+substring(startIndex: int): String  
+substring(startIndex: int, endIndex: int):  
    String  
+trimToSize(): void
```

Returns a string object from the string builder.

Returns the capacity of this string builder.

Returns the character at the specified index.

Returns the number of characters in this builder.

Sets a new length in this builder.

Returns a substring starting at `startIndex`.

Returns a substring from `startIndex` to `endIndex-1`.

Reduces the storage size used for the string builder.

Regular Expressions

Regular Expression Syntax

Regular Expression	Matches	Example
<code>x</code>	a specified character <code>x</code>	<code>Java</code> matches <code>Java</code>
<code>.</code>	any single character	<code>Java</code> matches <code>J..a</code>
<code>(ab cd)</code>	ab or cd	<code>ten</code> matches <code>t(en im)</code>
<code>[abc]</code>	a, b, or c	<code>Java</code> matches <code>Ja[uvw]a</code>
<code>[^abc]</code>	any character except a, b, or c	<code>Java</code> matches <code>Ja[^ars]a</code>
<code>[a-z]</code>	a through z	<code>Java</code> matches <code>[A-M]av[a-d]</code>
<code>[^a-z]</code>	any character except a through z	<code>Java</code> matches <code>Jav[^b-d]</code>
<code>[a-e[m-p]]</code>	a through e or m through p	<code>Java</code> matches <code>[A-G[I-M]]av[a-d]</code>
<code>[a-e&&[c-p]]</code>	intersection of a-e with c-p	<code>Java</code> matches <code>[A-P&&[I-M]]av[a-d]</code>
<code>\d</code>	a digit, same as <code>[0-9]</code>	<code>Java2</code> matches <code>"Java[\d]"</code>
<code>\D</code>	a non-digit	<code>\$Java</code> matches <code>"[\D][\D]ava"</code>
<code>\w</code>	a word character	<code>Java1</code> matches <code>"[\w]ava[\w]"</code>
<code>\W</code>	a non-word character	<code>\$Java</code> matches <code>"[\W][\w]ava"</code>
<code>\s</code>	a whitespace character	<code>"Java 2"</code> matches <code>"Java\s2"</code>
<code>\S</code>	a non-whitespace char	<code>Java</code> matches <code>"[\S]ava"</code>
<code>p*</code>	zero or more occurrences of pattern <code>p</code>	<code>aaaabb</code> matches <code>"a*bb"</code> <code>ababab</code> matches <code>"(ab)*"</code>
<code>p+</code>	one or more occurrences of pattern <code>p</code>	<code>a</code> matches <code>"a+b*"</code> <code>able</code> matches <code>"(ab)+.*"</code>
<code>p?</code>	zero or one occurrence of pattern <code>p</code>	<code>Java</code> matches <code>"J?Java"</code> <code>Java</code> matches <code>"J?ava"</code>
<code>p{n}</code>	exactly <code>n</code> occurrences of pattern <code>p</code>	<code>Java</code> matches <code>"Ja{1}.*"</code> <code>Java</code> does not match <code>".{2}"</code>
<code>p{n,}</code>	at least <code>n</code> occurrences of pattern <code>p</code>	<code>aaaa</code> matches <code>"a{1,}"</code> <code>a</code> does not match <code>"a{2,}"</code>
<code>p{n,m}</code>	between <code>n</code> and <code>m</code> occurrences (inclusive)	<code>aaaa</code> matches <code>"a{1,9}"</code> <code>abb</code> does not match <code>"a{2,9}bb"</code>