Programming 1

Tutorial 8

Activity 1

Given the following 2D array:

Print the following table on the console:

```
+-----+
| 8 | 1 | 6 |
+-----+
| 3 | 5 | 7 |
+-----+
| 4 | 9 | 2 |
```

Hint

Apply what you learned about using nested for loops for multi-dimentional array in the lecture. It is also possible to use the enhanced for loop (for-each loop) in this exercise.

Deliverable

PrintTable.java

Activity 2

Write a method public static String cleanText(String content) which converts the content to lowercase and remove all the special characters from the extracted content. Essentially, only a-z, 0-9 and white spaces are allowed to exist in the content. Write a main method to test the cleanText method.

Sample output

```
Original: Roses are red. Violets are blue, Sugar is sweet... And so are you. Cleaned: roses are red violets are blue sugar is sweet and so are you
```

Hint

This method should make use of StringBuilder to achieve better performance than using the regular String. You need to return a String as output of this method. Use toString() method to get a String out of a StringBuilder object.

Deliverable

TextCleaning.java

Activity 3

Write a method removeEvenLength that takes an ArrayList of strings as a parameter, then removes all of the strings of even length from the list. The method header should be:

```
public static void removeEvenLength(ArrayList<String> arrList)
```

Supply a main method to test this removeEvenLength method.

Hint

In this case, the method receives a reference to an ArrayList object and modifies its content. So the purpose is to modify the existing ArrayList object, not creating and returning a new one. This situation is called "Call by Reference" and it applies to all types of objects including arrays. Write a main method to test this method.

- Use ArrayList, remove (int index) to remove an element at a certain index.
- Use String.length() % 2 == 0 to check if a String has even length.
- Because ArrayList size decreases when you remove an element, avoid looping in an increasing manner (i.e. from 0 to size() 1). Try to loop decreasingly from size() 1 to 0 instead.

Sample output

```
Original list: [odd, even, abc, abcde, abcdef]
Output list: [odd, abc, abcde]
```

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RemoveEvenLength.java

Activity 4

(optional)

Write a program to generate 100 random integers between 2 and 1000 and print out the probability (in percentage) that a number is a prime number.

Sample output (may vary between multiple runs because of randomness)

```
Among 100 random integers, 15 are prime numbers Probability is 15%
```

Hint

Use Math.random() to generate a double value x where: $0.0 \le x < 1.0$. Then scale x in some way so as to obtain the desired random integer.

Or use nextInt(int bound) method from java.lang.Random to generate an integer value x where: $0 \le x < \text{bound}$. Then further modify x to obtain the desired random integer.

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PrimeProbability.java

Activity 5

(optional)

Write a method sumWithoutSmallest that computes the sum of an array of values, except for the smallest one, using only a single loop. Write a main method to test this method.

Some test cases:

```
{5,4,1,3,2} -> 14
{3,2,2,1,2,3,4} -> 16
{3,2,1,2,1,2,3,4} -> 17
```

(In the last case where there are two instances of the smallest value, only one instance is excluded from the sum)

Hint

Calculate the sum and find the smallest value in a single loop. Then subtract the smallest number from the sum amount.

Deliverable

SumWithoutSmallest.java

Activity 6 (*)

(optional)

Write a static method named countLastDigits that accepts an array of integers as a parameter and examines its elements to determine how many end in 0, how many end in 1, how many end in 2, etc. Your method will return an array of counts. The count of how many elements end in 0 should be stored in its element at index 0, how many of the values end in 1 should be stored in its element at index 1, and so on.

For example, if an array named list contains the values:

```
{9, 29, 44, 103, 2, 52, 12, 12, 76, 35, 20}
...the call of countLastDigits(list) should return the array:
{1, 0, 4, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 2}
```

Deliverable

CountLastDigits.java

Activity 7 (*)

Write a method named shiftRight that accepts an array of integers as a parameter and shifts the values in the array to the right (forward) by one position. Each element moves right by one, except the last element, which moves to the front. For example, if a variable named list refers to an array containing the values {3, 8, 19, 7}, the call of shiftRight(list) should modify it to contain {7, 3, 8, 19}. A subsequent call of shiftRight(list) would turn the array into the following: {19, 7, 3, 8}.

Hint

Because the input array is passed into the method by reference, there are 2 different ways to do this exercise:

1. Create a new array, copy elements from input array over, return the new array.

```
public static int[] shiftRight(int[] a)
```

2. Write the method as void and manipulate the input array. In this way, the input array is modified.

```
public static void shiftRight(int[] a)
```

Deliverable

ShiftRight.java