Object-Oriented Programming. Exercise 4.1

Unit 4. Pre-Defined Java Classes

Exercise 1. (project prGrading)

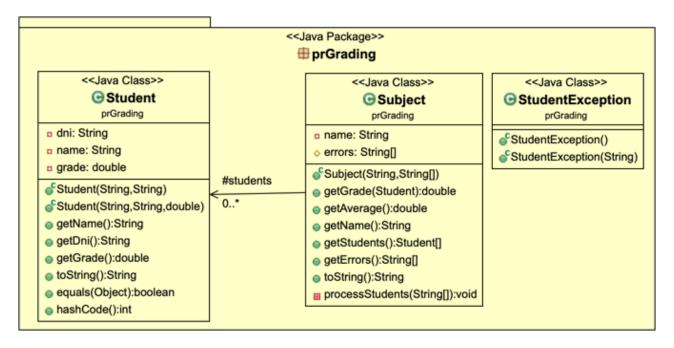


Figura 1: UML class diagram

In this exercise, we will create an application to record the grades obtained by students in a subject. For this, the classes Student, Subject and StudentException will be created in the package prGrading.

Class StudentException

Create the **checked StudentException** exception to handle exceptional situations that may occur in the following classes.

Class Student

The Student class maintains information about a student: his DNI¹ (String), his name (String) and his grade in a subject (double).

- The class will have two constructors, one in which the DNI, the name and the grade are provided (in this order) and the other with only the DNI and the name, in this case the grade being equal to zero. If the given grade is negative, a StudentException exception must be thrown with the message "Negative grade".
- Two students are the considered equal if their names and DNIs match. The letter of the DNI may be in upper or lower case, but the names will distinguish upper and lower case.
- The textual representation of a student must show the name (as it has been provided) and the DNI (in parentheses), but not the grade. For example:

Gonzalez Perez, Juan (22456784F)

■ The getName(), getDni() and getGrade() methods allow access to the name, DNI and grade, respectively.

¹DNI is the Spanish identity card.

Application MainStudent

Create a MainStudent application to test the previous class. In this class, two students must be created with the following data:

```
DNI: 22456784F, Name: Gonzalez Perez, Juan, Grade: 5.5 DNI: 33456777S, Name: Gonzalez Perez, Juan, Grade: 3.4
```

Next, the DNI and name of each student will be shown on the screen, as well as their grades in the above format. In addition, it will be checked if both students are equal (using equals) and the result will be shown on the screen. Finally, a third student will be created with the following data:²

```
DNI: 33456776S Name: Gonzalez Perez, Juan Grade: -3.4
```

The output obtained when executing the program should be the following:

```
DNI: 22456784F, Name: Gonzalez Perez, Juan, Grade: 5.5
DNI: 33456777S, Name: Gonzalez Perez, Juan, Grade: 3.4
The students Gonzalez Perez, Juan (22456784F) and Gonzalez Perez, Juan (33456777S) are not equal prGrading.StudentException: Negative grade
   at prGrading.Student.
init>(Student.java:14)
at MainStudent.main(MainStudent.java:13)
```

Class Subject

An instance of the Subject class maintains information about students taking a subject. A subject is created from the name of the subject and an *array* of String in which each element of the array will contain all the information to create a student with the following format:³

```
<DNI>;<Surname, name>;<Grade>
```

The three components must always appear, and will be separated by ';'. For example:

```
55343442L; Godoy Molina, Marina; 6.31
```

Although we will always give the name in the format <surname>, <name> we will not check the student's name, and it will be taken as it appears.

• The class will have a single constructor, which receives the name of the subject and the array of String as described above, and for each element in the array we will create, if possible, the student with the given name, DNI and grade, and store it in an array of students.

The strings with which it is not possible to build a **Student** object will be stored in the **String** array **errors**, preceded by a comment indicating the problem because of which the student could not be created. For example, upon the input

```
342424f2J; Fernandez Vara, Pedro; tr
```

the following String will be included in the errors array:

```
ERROR. Non numerical grade: 342424f2J; Fernandez Vara, Pedro; tr
```

■ The getGrade method returns the grade of the student with the name and DNI of the student that it gets as an argument, if it exists. If it does not exist, it will throw a StudentException exception with the message "The student xxx has not been found", where xxx is the textual representation of the student received as an argument.

²Note that the StudentException exception is checked. If you let the system handler handle the exception (propagating it in the main method) you will get a different output than the one indicated. To get the indicated one, catch the exception and treat it by displaying the execution stack with the printStackTrace() method.

³Use an auxiliary method processStudents() to process the array of strings and initialize the students and errors arrays. Use Scanner to process the array of strings. In order for Scanner to read decimal numbers with the period separator (e.g., 7.1) we must send our Scanner object the message useLocale with argument Locale.ENGLISH (if our Scanner object is sc you can do sc.useLocale(Locale.ENGLISH)). To use; as a separator (with an arbitrary number of spaces before or after) you can use the expression "\\s*[;]\\s*" (with sc.useDelimiter("\\s*[;]\\s*")).

- The getStudents() and getErrors() methods return, respectively, the students array and the array of bad entries.
- Objects in the Subject class will be represented as a string (toString()) as shown in the example at the end of this exercise description (use StringBuilder or StringJoiner to create the representation).
- The getAverage() method returns the average of the students' grades for the subject. If there are no registered students, it will throw an exception StudentException with the message "No students".

Application MainSubject

Create a MainSubject application to test the Subject class. In this class the subject POO will be created with three students with the following data:

```
DNI: 12455666F Name: Lopez Perez, Pedro Grade: 6.7
DNI: 33678999D Name: Merlo Gomez, Isabel Grade: 5.8
DNI: 23555875G Name: Martinez Herrera, Lucia Grade: 9.1
```

Next, the average of the grades of the subject will be shown, the students of the subject will be accessed one by one, showing the DNI of each of them on the screen, and the grade of the student with name Lopez Perez, Pedro and DNI 12455666F will be printed. Finally, an attempt to show the grade of the student with name Lopez Lopez, Pedro and DNI 12455666F will be made. Its execution will produce the following output:

```
Average 7.20
DNIs: 12455666F, 33678999D, 23555875G
Grade of Lopez Perez, Pedro (12455666F): 6.7
The student Lopez Lopez, Pedro (12455666F) has not been found
```

App MainSubject2

The output of the MainSubject2 program provided as part of this exercise's statement must be: 4

```
Grade of Lopez Turo, Manuel (23322443k): 4.3
The student Fernandez Vara, Pedro (34242432J) has not been found
Average 6.20
Students...
Garcia Gomez, Juan (25653443S): 8.1
Lopez Turo, Manuel (23322443K): 4.3
Merlo Martinez, Juana (24433522M): 5.3
Lopez Gama, Luisa (42424312G): 7.1
Errors...
ERROR. Negative grade: 53553421D; Santana Medina, Petra; -7.1
ERROR. Missing data: 55343442L, Godoy Molina, Marina; 6.3
ERROR. Non numerical grade: 34242432J; Fernandez Vara, Pedro; 2.k
Algebra: { [Garcia Gomez, Juan (25653443S), Lopez Turo, Manuel (23322443K),
            Merlo Martinez, Juana (24433522M), Lopez Gama, Luisa (42424312G)],
           [ERROR. Negative grade: 53553421D; Santana Medina, Petra; -7.1,
            ERROR. Missing data: 55343442L, Godoy Molina, Marina; 6.3,
            ERROR. Non numerical grade: 34242432J;Fernandez Vara, Pedro;2.k] }
```

Exercise 2. (project prGrading)

In this exercise we are going to define a SubjectWithAverages class that extends the Subject class with the possibility of calculating different types of averages.

⁴The last five lines of the displayed output correspond to the toString() of the subject, carriage returns have been introduced to be able to view them but they should appear on a single line.

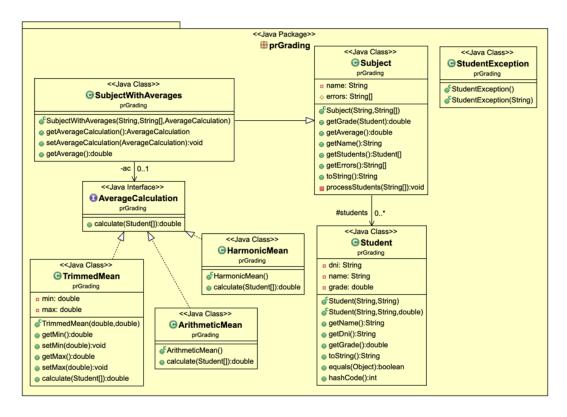


Figura 2: UML class diagram

Class SubjectWithAverages

Given the AverageCalculation interface that we introduce below, the SubjectWithAverages class extends the Subject class by redefining the getAverage() method. Grade averages are then calculated by invoking the calculate(Student[] method) provided by the AverageCalculation object that the SubjectWithAverages object has.

The class provides a single constructor with three arguments in which it receives, in addition to the subject name and the array of strings to process the students of the subject (such as the Subject class it inherits from), an instance of a class that implements the AverageCalculation interface. The class also provides get andset methods to modify this object.

Interface AverageCalculation

The AverageCalculation interface includes a single calculate(Student[]) method that computes the average of the grades of the students in the array passed as argument.

Classes ArithmeticMean, HarmonicMean y TrimmedMean

The ArithmeticMean, HarmonicMean and TrimmedMean classes implement the AverageCalculation interface according to the following specifications:

■ The calculate method provided by the ArithmeticMean class computes the arithmetic mean of the *n* students in the array it receives. In case there are no students, it will throw a StudentException exception with the message "No students".

$$mean = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} studentGrade_i$$

■ The calculate method provided by the HarmonicMean class calculates the harmonic mean of n students with grades above θ according to the following equation:

$$mean = \frac{n}{\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \frac{1}{studentGrade_i}}$$

In case there are no students that meet the specified requirement, it will throw a StudentException exception with the message "No students".

■ The calculate method provided by the TrimmedMean class computes the arithmetic mean of the grades of the students in the array it receives that are within the range defined by the values given in its constructor or by the setMin(double) and setMax(double) methods. In case there are no students with grades in this range, a StudentException exception will be thrown with the message "No students".

App MainSubjectWithAverages

The output obtained when executing the MainSubjectWithAverages program provided as part of the statement must be:⁵

```
Grade of Lopez Turo, Manuel (23322443k): 4.3
The student Fernandez Vara, Pedro (34242432J) has not been found
Arithmetic mean: 6.20
Harmonic mean: 5.83
Mean of values in the range [5.00, 9.00]: 6.83
Students...
Garcia Gomez, Juan (25653443S): 8.1
Lopez Turo, Manuel (23322443K): 4.3
Merlo Martinez, Juana (24433522M): 5.3
Lopez Gama, Luisa (42424312G): 7.1
Errors...
ERROR. Negative grade: 53553421D; Santana Medina, Petra; -7.1
ERROR. Missing data: 55343442L, Godoy Molina, Marina; 6.3
ERROR. Non numerical grade: 34242432J; Fernandez Vara, Pedro; 2.k
Subject...
Algebra: { [Garcia Gomez, Juan (25653443S), Lopez Turo, Manuel (23322443K),
            Merlo Martinez, Juana (24433522M), Lopez Gama, Luisa (42424312G)],
           [ERROR. Negative grade: 53553421D; Santana Medina, Petra; -7.1,
            ERROR. Missing data: 55343442L, Godoy Molina, Marina; 6.3,
            ERROR. Non numerical grade: 34242432J; Fernandez Vara, Pedro; 2.k] }
```

Exercise 3. (project prGrading)

The enumerated type Degree

Create the enumerated type Degree with the following values: COMPUTADORES, INFORMATICA, SOFTWARE and SALUD.

Class StudentWithDegree

The StudentWithDegree class extends the Student class with a new attribute of type Degree.

■ The class provides four constructors, in which, in addition to the constructors arguments of its superclass, it adds an additional argument of type String or Degree to specify the student's degree. In the case of receiving the title as a String, upper and lower case letters will be considered equivalent. You can use the valueOf(String) method to convert a String to the value of the corresponding enumerated type. Note that this method can throw an exception of type IllegalArgumentException, which should be caught and thrown one of type StudentException with the message "Wrong degree".

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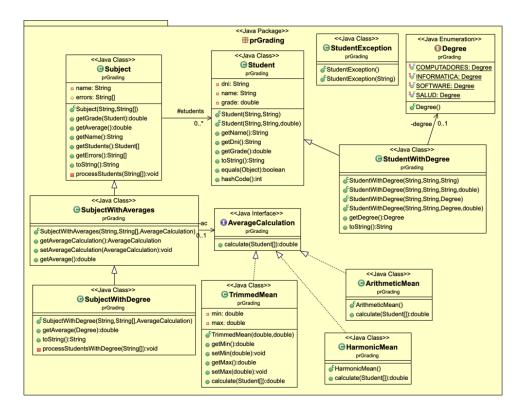


Figura 3: UML class diagram

• This class redefines the toString() method so that the instances of the class are rendered as the following example shows (note that the grade does not appear):

Garcia Gomez, Juan (25653443S) SOFTWARE

Class SubjectWithDegree

The SubjectWithDegree class inherits from SubjectWithAverages so the subjects now contain instances of the StudentWithDegree class. The processing of the strings in the input array will now be performed by a method processStudentsWithDegree(String[]) so that the student strings will now include the student's title. These will come in the format:

```
<DNI>;<Surname, Name>;<Degree>;<Grade>
```

The four components must always appear, and will be separated by the delimiter; For example: 55343442L; Godoy Molina, Marina; INFORMATICA; 6.31

The class redefines the toString() method, so that now the subject representation groups the students by degree. See example below.

Finally, the class provides an additional getAverage(Degree) method that returns the mean (based on the subject's AverageCalculation object) of the qualifications of students in the degree that it receives as an argument.

$\operatorname{\mathbf{App}}$ MainSubjectWithDegree

The output obtained when executing the ${\tt MainSubjectWithDegree}$ program provided as part of the exercise's description must be:

```
Grade of Lopez Turo, Manuel (23322443k) INFORMATICA: 4.3
The student Vara Riera, Pedro (34242432J) COMPUTADORES has not been found
```

⁶The last eleven lines of the output shown corresponds to the toString() of the subject, carriage returns have been introduced to be able to view them but they must appear on a single line.

```
Average: 6.73
Students...
Garcia Gomez, Juan (25653443S) SOFTWARE: 8.1
Lopez Turo, Manuel (23322443K) INFORMATICA: 4.3
Merlo Martinez, Juana (24433522M) COMPUTADORES: 5.3
Lopez Gama, Luisa (42424312G) SOFTWARE: 7.1
Gomez Ayuso, Laura (76213433Q) SALUD: 8.3
Navas Perez, Luis (89234024N) INFORMATICA: 6.5
Leon Zarate, Maria (92748362F) COMPUTADORES: 7.5
Errors...
ERROR. Negative grade: 53553421D; Santana Medina, Petra; Software; -7.1
ERROR. Missing data: 55343442L, Godoy Molina, Marina; Informatica; 6.3
ERROR. Non numerical grade: 34242432J; Vara Riera, Pedro; Computadores; 2.k
ERROR. Wrong degree: 21658324F; Jimenez Ayo, Pepe; Medicina; 8.3
Subject...
Algebra: { [Merlo Martinez, Juana (24433522M) COMPUTADORES,
            Leon Zarate, Maria (92748362F) COMPUTADORES,
            Lopez Turo, Manuel (23322443K) INFORMATICA,
            Navas Perez, Luis (89234024N) INFORMATICA,
            Garcia Gomez, Juan (25653443S) SOFTWARE,
            Lopez Gama, Luisa (42424312G) SOFTWARE,
            Gomez Ayuso, Laura (76213433Q) SALUD],
           [ERROR. Negative grade: 53553421D; Santana Medina, Petra; Software; -7.1,
            ERROR. Missing data: 55343442L, Godoy Molina, Marina; Informatica; 6.3,
            ERROR. Non numerical grade: 34242432J; Vara Riera, Pedro; Computadores; 2.k,
            ERROR. Wrong degree: 21658324F; Jimenez Ayo, Pepe; Medicina; 8.3] }
```