

# **Best Programming Practice**

- 1. Use Variables including for Fixed, User Inputs, and Results
- 2. Use Methods instead of writing code in the main() function
- 3. Proper naming conventions for all variables and methods
- 4. Proper Program Name and Class Name
- 5. Handle Checked and Unchecked Exceptions wherever possible
- 6. Proper Method Name which indicates action taking inputs and providing result

**Sample Program 1:** Create a program to find all the occurrences of a character in a string using charAt() method

- a. Take user input for the String and occurrences of the Character to find
- b. Write a method to find all the occurrences of the characters.
  - i. The logic used is to first find the number of occurrences of the character and
  - ii. then create an array to store the indexes of the character
- c. Call the method in the main and display the result

```
// Program to find all the occurrences of a character in a string
import java.util.Scanner;
class StringAnalyzer {
  // Method to find all the index of a character in a string using charAt()
  // method and return them in an array
  public static int[] findAllIndexes(String text, char ch) {
    // The count is used to find the number of occurrences of the character
    int count = 0;
    for (int i = 0; i < text.length(); i++) {</pre>
        if (text.charAt(i) == ch) {
            count++;
        }
    // Create an array to store the indexes of the character
    int[] indexes = new int[count];
    int j = 0;
    for (int i = 0; i < text.length(); i++) {</pre>
        if (text.charAt(i) == ch) {
            indexes[j] = i;
            j++;
        }
    return indexes;
```



```
}
 public static void main(String[] args) {
   // Take user input for Text and Character to check Occurrences
   Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
   System.out.print(Enter a text: ");
   String text = sc.nextLine();
   System.out.print("Enter a character to find the occurrences: ");
   char ch = sc.next().charAt(0);
   // Find the occurrences of the character
   int[] indexes = findAllIndexes(text, ch);
   // Display the occurrences of the character
   System.out.println("Indexes of the character '" + ch + "': ");
   for (int i = 0; i < indexes.length; i++) {</pre>
        System.out.print(indexes[i] + " ");
   }
 }
}
```



# Level 2 Practice Programs

- Write a program to find and return the length of a string without using the length() method
   Hint =>
  - a. Take user input using the Scanner next() method
  - b. Create a method to find and return a string's length without using the built-in length() method. The logic for this is to use the infinite loop to count each character till the charAt() method throws a runtime exception, handles the exception, and then return the count
  - c. The main function calls the user-defined method as well as the built-in *length()* method and displays the result

```
package Day5.LabPractice L2;
import java.util.Scanner;
public class LP1 {
  public static int findStringLength(String text) {
       } catch (IndexOutOfBoundsException e) {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
       Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
      System.out.print("Enter a string: ");
       int builtInLength = inputText.length();
       int customLength = findStringLength(inputText);
       System.out.println("\nOriginal Text: " + inputText);
      System.out.println("Length using built-in method: " +
```



```
System.out.println("Length using custom method: " + customLength);
System.out.println("Are both lengths equal? " + (builtInLength == customLength));
scanner.close();
}
```

2. Write a program to split the text into words, compare the result with the split() method and display the result

- a. Take user input using the **Scanner nextLine()** method
- b. Create a Method to find the length of the String without using the built-in length() method.
- c. Create a Method to split the text into words using the charAt() method without using the String built-in **split()** method and return the words. Use the following logic
  - i. Firstly Count the number of words in the text and create an array to store the indexes of the spaces for each word in a 1D array
  - ii. Then Create an array to store the words and use the indexes to extract the words
- d. Create a method to compare the two String arrays and return a boolean
- e. The main function calls the user-defined method and the built-in **split()** method. Call the user defined method to compare the two string arrays and display the result

```
package Day5.LabPractice_L2;
import java.util.Scanner;
import java.util.Arrays;
public class LP2 {
    public static int findStringLength(String text) {
        int count = 0;
        try {
            while (true) {
                text.charAt(count);
                count++;
            }
        } catch (IndexOutOfBoundsException e) {
            return count;
        }
        return count;
```



```
public static String[] customSplit(String text) {
    int length = findStringLength(text);
    int wordCount = 1;
        if (text.charAt(i) == ' ') {
    String[] words = new String[wordCount];
       if (text.charAt(i) == ' ') {
           words[wordIndex++] = extractSubstring(text, start, i);
           start = i + 1;
    words[wordIndex] = extractSubstring(text, start, length);
   return words;
        subStr.append(text.charAt(i));
   return subStr.toString();
   return Arrays.equals(arr1, arr2);
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);
```



```
System.out.print("Enter a sentence: ");
String inputText = input.nextLine();
String[] customWords = customSplit(inputText);
String[] builtInWords = inputText.split(" ");
boolean areEqual = compareArrays(customWords, builtInWords);
System.out.println("\nCustom Split Method Output: " +
Arrays.toString(customWords));
System.out.println("Built-in split() Method Output: " +
Arrays.toString(builtInWords));
System.out.println("Are both methods producing the same result? " + areEqual);
input.close();
}
```

3. Write a program to split the text into words and return the words along with their lengths in a 2D array

- a. Take user input using the **Scanner nextLine()** method
- b. Create a Method to split the text into words using the charAt() method without using the String built-in **split()** method and return the words.
- c. Create a method to find and return a string's length without using the length() method.
- d. Create a method to take the word array and return a 2D String array of the word and its corresponding length. Use String built-in function String.valueOf() to generate the String value for the number
- e. The main function calls the user-defined method and displays the result in a tabular format. During display make sure to convert the length value from String to Integer and then display

```
package Day5.LabPractice_L2;
import java.util.Scanner;
public class LP3 {
   public static int findStringLength(String text) {
      int count = 0;
      try {
       while (true) {
        text.charAt(count);
    }
}
```



```
} catch (IndexOutOfBoundsException e) {
public static String[] customSplit(String text) {
    int length = findStringLength(text);
    String[] words = new String[wordCount];
           words[wordIndex++] = extractSubstring(text, start, i);
    words[wordIndex] = extractSubstring(text, start, length);
public static String extractSubstring (String text, int start, int end)
       subStr.append(text.charAt(i));
    return subStr.toString();
```



```
public static String[][] getWordsWithLengths(String[] words) {
      String[][] wordLengths = new String[numWords][2];
          wordLengths[i][1] =
String.valueOf(findStringLength(words[i]));
      return wordLengths;
  public static void main(String[] args) {
      Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
      String inputText = scanner.nextLine();
      String[] words = customSplit(inputText);
      String[][] wordsWithLengths = getWordsWithLengths(words);
      System.out.println("\nWord\t\tLength");
      for (String[] row : wordsWithLengths) {
          System.out.println(row[0] + "\t\t" +
      scanner.close();
```

4. Write a program to split the text into words and find the shortest and longest strings in a given text

- a. Take user input using the **Scanner nextLine()** method
- b. Create a Method to split the text into words using the charAt() method without using the String built-in **split()** method and return the words.
- c. Create a method to find and return a string's length without using the length() method.
- d. Create a method to take the word array and return a 2D String array of the word and its corresponding length. Use String built-in function String.valueOf() to generate the String value for the number



- e. Create a Method that takes the 2D array of word and corresponding length as parameters, find the shortest and longest string and return them in an 1D int array.
- f. The main function calls the user-defined methods and displays the result.

```
package Day5.LabPractice L2;
import java.util.Scanner;
public class LP4 {
               text.charAt(count);
       } catch (IndexOutOfBoundsException e) {
  public static String[] customSplit(String text) {
       int length = findStringLength(text);
       int wordCount = 1;
          if (text.charAt(i) == ' ') {
              wordCount++;
       String[] words = new String[wordCount];
       int wordIndex = 0, start = 0;
              words[wordIndex++] = extractSubstring(text, start, i);
              start = i + 1;
```



```
words[wordIndex] = extractSubstring(text, start, length);
  public static String extractSubstring(String text, int start, int end)
      StringBuilder subStr = new StringBuilder();
          subStr.append(text.charAt(i));
       return subStr.toString();
  public static String[][] getWordsWithLengths(String[] words) {
      String[][] wordLengths = new String[numWords][2];
          if (words[i] != null) {
               wordLengths[i][0] = words[i];
String.valueOf(findStringLength(words[i]));
      return wordLengths;
  public static String[] findShortestAndLongest(String[][]
wordsWithLengths) {
      String longestWord = wordsWithLengths[0][0];
      for (String[] row : wordsWithLengths) {
          if (findStringLength(row[0]) < findStringLength(shortestWord))</pre>
```



```
if (findStringLength(row[0]) > findStringLength(longestWord))
            longestWord = row[0];
    return new String[]{shortestWord, longestWord};
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
    System.out.print("Enter a sentence: ");
    String inputText = scanner.nextLine();
    String[] words = customSplit(inputText);
    String[][] wordsWithLengths = getWordsWithLengths(words);
    String[] result = findShortestAndLongest(wordsWithLengths);
    for (String[] row : wordsWithLengths) {
        System.out.println(row[0] + "\t^* + row[1]);
    System.out.println("\nShortest Word: " + result[0]);
    scanner.close();
```

5. Write a program to find vowels and consonants in a string and display the count of Vowels and Consonants in the string

- a. Create a method to check if the character is a vowel or consonant and return the result.
   The logic used here is as follows:
  - i. Convert the character to lowercase if it is an uppercase letter using the ASCII values of the characters
  - ii. Check if the character is a vowel or consonant and return Vowel, Consonant, or Not a Letter
- b. Create a Method to Method to find vowels and consonants in a string using charAt() method and finally return the count of vowels and consonants in an array



c. Finally, the main function takes user inputs, calls the user-defined methods, and displays the result.

```
package Day5.LabPractice L2;
public class LP5 {
          String type = checkCharacterType(text.charAt(i));
          if (type.equals("Vowel")) {
           } else if (type.equals("Consonant")) {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
      Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
      System.out.print("Enter a string: ");
      String inputText = scanner.nextLine();
```



```
int[] counts = countVowelsAndConsonants(inputText);
    System.out.println("\nVowel Count: " + counts[0]);
    System.out.println("Consonant Count: " + counts[1]);
    scanner.close();
}
```

6. Write a program to find vowels and consonants in a string and display the character type - Vowel, Consonant, or Not a Letter

- a. Create a method to check if the character is a vowel or consonant and return the result. The logic used here is as follows:
  - i. Convert the character to lowercase if it is an uppercase letter using the ASCII values of the characters
  - ii. Check if the character is a vowel or consonant and return Vowel, Consonant, or Not a Letter
- b. Create a Method to find vowels and consonants in a string using charAt() method and return the character and vowel or consonant in a 2D array
- c. Create a Method to display the 2D Array of Strings in a Tabular Format
- d. Finally, the main function takes user inputs, calls the user-defined methods, and displays the result.

```
package Day5.LabPractice_L2;
import java.util.Scanner;
public class LP6 {
   public static String classifyCharacter(char ch) {
      ch = (ch >= 'A' && ch <= 'Z') ? (char) (ch + 32) : ch;
      if (ch >= 'a' && ch <= 'z') {
        if (ch == 'a' || ch == 'e' || ch == 'i' || ch == 'o' || ch == 'u') {
        return "Vowel";
      } else {
        return "Consonant";
      }
   }
   return "Not a Letter";</pre>
```



```
public static String[][] analyzeString(String text) {
   int length = text.length();
   String[][] result = new String[length][2];
       char ch = text.charAt(i);
       result[i][0] = String.valueOf(ch);
       result[i][1] = classifyCharacter(ch);
public static void displayResult(String[][] data) {
   System.out.println("\nCharacter\tType");
   System.out.println("-----);
   for (String[] row : data) {
       System.out.println(row[0] + "\t\t" + row[1]);
public static void main(String[] args) {
   Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
   String inputText = scanner.nextLine();
   String[][] classifiedData = analyzeString(inputText);
```

7. Write a program to trim the leading and trailing spaces from a string using the **charAt()** method

# Hint =>

a. Create a method to trim the leading and trailing spaces from a string using the *charAt()* method. Inside the method run a couple of loops to trim leading and trailing spaces and



- determine the starting and ending points with no spaces. Return the start point and end point in an array
- b. Write a method to create a substring from a string using the charAt() method with the string, start, and end index as the parameters
- c. Write a method to compare two strings using the charAt() method and return a boolean result
- d. The main function calls the user-defined trim and substring methods to get the text after trimming the leading and trailing spaces. Post that use the String built-in method *trim()* to trim spaces and compare the two strings. And finally display the result

```
package Day5.LabPractice L2;
import java.util.Scanner;
       int start = 0, end = text.length() - 1;
       while (start <= end && text.charAt(start) == ' ') {</pre>
           start++;
  public static String customSubstring(String text, int start, int end)
      for (int i = start; i < end; i++) {
           subStr.append(text.charAt(i));
       return subStr.toString();
```



```
public static void main(String[] args) {
      Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
      System.out.print("Enter a string with spaces: ");
      int[] indexes = findTrimIndexes(inputText);
      String customTrimmed = customSubstring(inputText, indexes[0],
indexes[1]);
      String builtInTrimmed = inputText.trim();
      boolean areEqual = compareStrings(customTrimmed, builtInTrimmed);
      System.out.println("\nOriginal String: '" + inputText + "'");
      System.out.println("Custom Trimmed: '" + customTrimmed + "'");
      System.out.println("Are both methods equal? " + areEqual);
      scanner.close();
```

8. Write a program to take user input for the age of all 10 students in a class and check whether the student can vote depending on his/her age is greater or equal to 18.

- a. Create a method to define the random 2-digit age of several students provided as method parameters and return a 1D array of ages of n students
- b. Create a method that takes an array of age as a parameter and returns a 2D String array of age and a boolean true or false to indicate can and cannot vote. Inside the method firstly validate the age for a negative number, if a negative cannot vote. For valid age check for age is 18 or above to set true to indicate can vote.
- c. Create a method to display the 2D array in a tabular format.
- d. Finally, the main function takes user inputs, calls the user-defined methods, and displays the result.



```
package Day5.LabPractice L2;
import java.util.Scanner;
public class LP8 {
  public static int[] generateAges(int numStudents) {
      for (int i = 0; i < numStudents; i++) {</pre>
          ages[i] = random.nextInt(50) - 10;
  public static String[][] checkVotingEligibility(int[] ages) {
      String[][] results = new String[ages.length][2];
          results[i][0] = String.valueOf(ages[i]);
          if (ages[i] < 0) {</pre>
          } else if (ages[i] >= 18) {
             results[i][1] = "Cannot Vote";
  public static void displayResults(String[][] data) {
      System.out.println("\nStudent Age Voting Eligibility");
      System.out.printf("%-10s %-15s\n", "Age", "Voting Status");
      System.out.println("----");
      for (String[] row : data) {
          System.out.printf("\$-10s \ \$-15s\n", row[0], row[1]);
```



```
}

public static void main(String[] args) {
    Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
    System.out.print("Enter the number of students: ");
    int numStudents = scanner.nextInt();
    int[] ages = generateAges(numStudents);
    String[][] results = checkVotingEligibility(ages);
    displayResults(results);
    scanner.close();
}
```

9. Rock-Paper-Scissors is a game played between a minimum of two players. Each player can choose either rock, paper, or scissors. Here the game is played between a user and a computer. Based on the rules, either a player or a computer will win. Show the stats of player and computer win in a tabular format across multiple games. Also, show the winning percentage between the player and the computer.

- a. **The rule is:** rock-scissors: rock will win (rock crushes scissors); rock-paper: paper wins (paper covers rock); scissors-paper: scissors win (scissors cuts paper)
- b. Create a Method to find the Computer Choice using the Math.random
- c. Create a Method to find the winner between the user and the computer
- d. Create a Method to find the average and percentage of wins for the user and the computer and return a String 2D array
- e. Create a Method to display the results of every game and also display the average and percentage wins
- f. In the main take user input for the number of games and call methods to display results

```
package Day5.LabPractice_L2;
import java.util.Random;
import java.util.Scanner;
public class LP9 {
   public static String getComputerChoice() {
       String[] choices = {"Rock", "Paper", "Scissors"};
       int index = (int) (Math.random() * 3);
       return choices[index];
```



```
public static String determineWinner(String playerChoice, String
computerChoice) {
      if (playerChoice.equalsIgnoreCase(computerChoice)) {
              (playerChoice.equalsIgnoreCase("Rock") &&
computerChoice.equalsIgnoreCase("Scissors")) ||
                     (playerChoice.equalsIgnoreCase("Paper") &&
                     (playerChoice.equalsIgnoreCase("Scissors") &&
  public static String[][] calculateStats(int playerWins, int
computerWins, int totalGames) {
      String[][] stats = new String[2][2];
      stats[0][0] = "Player Wins";
      stats[0][1] = String.format("%.2f%%", ((double) playerWins /
totalGames) * 100);
      stats[1][0] = "Computer Wins";
      stats[1][1] = String.format("%.2f%%", ((double) computerWins /
  public static void displayResults(String[][] results, String[][]
stats) {
      System.out.println("----");
      System.out.printf("%-10s %-12s %-15s\n", "Game", "Player",
      System.out.println("----");
```



```
System.out.println("----");
   System.out.printf("%-15s %-10s\n", "Category", "Win %");
   System.out.println("----");
   for (String[] row : stats) {
public static void main(String[] args) {
   Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
   int numGames = scanner.nextInt();
   scanner.nextLine();
   String[][] results = new String[numGames][3];
   int playerWins = 0, computerWins = 0;
       String playerChoice = scanner.nextLine();
       while (!playerChoice.equalsIgnoreCase("Rock") &&
               !playerChoice.equalsIgnoreCase("Paper") &&
               !playerChoice.equalsIgnoreCase("Scissors")) {
           System.out.print("Invalid choice. Please enter Rock,
           playerChoice = scanner.nextLine();
       String computerChoice = getComputerChoice();
       String result = determineWinner(playerChoice, computerChoice);
           playerWins++;
```



10. Create a program to take input marks of students in 3 subjects physics, chemistry, and maths. Compute the percentage and then calculate the grade as shown in figure below

Grade	Remarks	Marks
A	(Level 4, above agency-normalized standards)	80% and above
В	(Level 3, at agency-normalized standards)	70-79%
С	(Level 2, below, but approaching agency-normalized standards)	60-69%
D	(Level 1, well below agency-normalized standards)	50-59%
Е	(Level 1-, too below agency-normalized standards)	40-49%
R	(Remedial standards)	39% and below

- a. Write a method to generate random 2-digit scores for Physics, Chemistry and Math (PCM) for the students and return the scores. This method returns a 2D array with PCM scores for all students
- b. Write a Method to calculate the total, average, and percentages for each student and return a 2D array with the corresponding values. Please ensure to round off the values to 2 Digits using *Math.round()* method
- c. Write a Method to calculate the grade based on the percentage as shown in the ref table and return a 2D array of students' grade



d. Finally write a Method to display the scorecard of all students with their scores, total, average, percentage, and grade in a tabular format.

```
package Day5.LabPractice L2;
import java.util.Scanner;
public class LP10 {
       Random rand = new Random();
       int[][] marks = new int[numStudents][3];
       for (int i = 0; i < numStudents; i++) {</pre>
       return marks;
       int numStudents = marks.length;
       double[][] results = new double[numStudents][3];
       for (int i = 0; i < numStudents; i++) {</pre>
           results[i][1] = average;
           results[i][2] = percentage;
  public static String[][] assignGrades(double[][] scores) {
       int numStudents = scores.length;
       String[][] grades = new String[numStudents][2];
       for (int i = 0; i < numStudents; i++) {</pre>
```



```
double percentage = scores[i][2];
              grades[i][0] = "A";
              grades[i][0] = "D";
              grades[i][0] = "R";
String[][] grades) {
      System.out.println("\nStudent Scorecard:");
System.out.println("-----
```



```
"Student", "Physics", "Chemistry", "Math", "Total",
System.out.println("-----
           System.out.printf("%-10d %-10d %-10d %-10d %-10.0f %-10.2f
       for (int i = 0; i < marks.length; i++) {</pre>
  public static void main(String[] args) {
       Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
       int numStudents = scanner.nextInt();
      int[][] marks = generateMarks(numStudents);
      double[][] scores = calculateScores(marks);
       String[][] grades = assignGrades(scores);
       displayResults(marks, scores, grades);
      scanner.close();
```