Java Objects Part 2 Notes

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1 constants

- Are named *IN_CAPITALIZED_SNAKE_CASE*
- Can be done using *static* keyword
- Allows variables and methods to be exponsed without instantiation

```java
public class PezDispenser {
    public static final int MAX_PEZ = 12; // <- 1. static declared here :)
    ...
}

```

Listing 1: lesson_1/PezDispenser.java

```java
import java.io.Console;

public class Example {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        ...
        System.out.printf("FUN FACT: There are %d PEZ allowed in every dispenser\n", PezDispenser.MAX_PEZ); // 2. <- And is used here :)
        ...
    }
}

```

Listing 2: lesson_1/Example.java

<u>**Notes:**</u>

- Files can be compiled and displayed by typing *javac Example.java && java Example* in terminal

2 Exercise 1

- Solution included in *exercise_1.java*

3 Filling the Dispenser

- *void* keyword means nothing is returned at the end of a method

```java
    public class PezDispenser {
        public void fill() { // <- This little guy here :)
            this.pezCount = MAX_PEZ;
            System.out.printf("The current count of delicious PEZ is %d\n", this.pezCount);
        }
    }

```

Listing 3: lesson_3/PezDispenser.java

```java
    import java.io.Console;

    public class Example {
        public static void main(String[] args) {
            ...
            dispenser.fill(); // <- 2. Is used like this

        }
    }

```

Listing 4: lesson_3/Example.java

Notes:

- Files can be compiled and displayed by typing *javac Example.java && java Example* in terminal
- Always start with private methods, and turn to public when needed.

4 Exercise 2

- Solution included in *exercise_2.java*

5 Abstraction at Play

- *Golden Rule* Don't make users understand object internally
  - Simple questions such as 'is it empty?' is sufficent

```java
public class PezDispenser {
    public boolean isEmpty() { // <- This little guy here :)
        return this.pezCount == 0;
    }

    ...
}
```

Listing 5: lesson_5/PezDispenser.java

```java
import java.io.Console;

public class Example {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        ...
        if (dispenser.isEmpty()) {
            System.out.printf("Dispenser is empty"); // <- 2. with this little fellow here
        }

        ...
        if (!dispenser.isEmpty()) {
            System.out.printf("Dispenser is full\n"); // <- 3. and this guy as well
        }

    }
}
```

Listing 6: lesson_5/Example.java

Notes:

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6 Exercise 3

- Solution included in *exercise_3.java*

7 Incrementing and Decrementing

- *INT_VARIABLE–:* Decrements the value in variable by 1
- *INT_VARIABLE++:* Increments the value in variable by 1

```java
public class PezDispenser {
    ...
    public boolean dispense() { // <- 1. This little guy here :)
        boolean wasDispensed = false;
        if (!this.isEmpty()) {
            this.pezCount--; // <- 2. With decrement count here
            wasDispensed = true;
        }

        return wasDispensed;

    }
}

```

Listing 7: lesson_7/PezDispenser.java

```java
import java.io.Console;

public class Example {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        ...
        while (dispenser.dispense()) {
            System.out.println("Chomp!"); // <- 3. This will print as long as .dispensed() returns true
        }

        if (dispenser.isEmpty()) {
            System.out.println("Ate all the PEZ");
        }
    }
}

```

Listing 8: lesson_7/Example.java

```
>>> javac Example.java && java Example
We are making a new PEZ dispenser

FUN FACT: There are 12 PEZ allowed in every dispenser
Dispenser is emptyThe dispenser is Yoda
Filling the dispenser with delicious PEZ...
The current count of delicious PEZ is 12
Dispenser is full
Chomp!
```

```
    Chomp!
    Chomp!
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    Chomp!
    Chomp!
    Chomp!
    Chomp!
    Chomp!
    Chomp!
    Ate all the PEZ

```

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8 Exercise 4

- Solution included in *exercise_4.java*