

Work on project. Stage 4/5: Prepare for battle

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Project: Minesweeper

Medium 24 minutes ?

Description

We managed to create the minefield and fill it with clues: now it's time to play! Let's give our player the opportunity to guess where the mines are with the help of our hints.

All the numbers are still shown to the player, but now the mines are not. To win, the player must find all the mines on the field by marking them.

Update the field input and add the coordinate grid like in the examples so that the player can mark cells by entering their coordinates.

Objectives

Your upgraded program should meet the following requirements:

1. After initializing the field, all the numbers are shown to the player, but not the positions of the mines.
2. The player sees the message "Set/delete mine marks (x and y coordinates): " and enters two numbers as coordinates on the field.
3. The user input is treated according to the rules:
 1. If the player enters the coordinates of a non-marked cell, the program marks the cell, which means that the player thinks a mine is located there.
 2. If the player enters the coordinates of a cell with a number, the program should print the message "There is a number here! " and ask the player again without printing the minefield, since cells with numbers are guaranteed to be free of mines.
 3. If the player enters the coordinates of a marked cell, the cell becomes unmarked. This is necessary because the game ends only if all the marks are correct, but the player can mark more cells than there are mines.
4. After successfully marking or unmarking a cell, the new minefield state is printed. The symbol `.` is used to represent non-marked cells, and `*` is for marked ones. The prompt for the player's next move is printed until the game is finished.
5. When the player marks all the mines correctly without marking any empty cells, they win and the game ends. If the player has marked extra cells that do not contain mines, they continue playing. After clearing all the excess mine marks, the player wins. Print the message "Congratulations! You found all the mines!" after the final field state.

Examples

The greater-than symbol followed by a space (`>`) represents the user input. Note that it's not part of the input.

Example 1: the user enters the coordinates of a cell that contains a number

8 / 8 Prerequisites

- ✓ Final variables In project 3 ↗ ✓
- ✓ Static members In project 2 ↗ ✓
- ✓ Initialization blocks 2 ↗ ✓
- ✓ Enums in Java In project 2 ↗ ✓
- ✓ Fields and methods in enum 2 ↗ ✓

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How many mines do you want on the field? > 5

```
|123456789|
-|-----|
1|.111....|
2|.1.1....|
3|.1221...|
4|..1.1...|
5|.1221...|
6|.1.21...|
7|.12.1...|
8|..1221...|
9|...1.1...|
-|-----|
```

Set/delete mines marks (x and y coordinates): > 2 1

There is a number here!

Set/delete mines marks (x and y coordinates): > 3 2

```
|123456789|
-|-----|
1|.111....|
2|.1*1....|
3|.1221...|
4|..1.1...|
5|.1221...|
6|.1.21...|
7|.12.1...|
8|..1221...|
9|...1.1...|
-|-----|
```

Set/delete mines marks (x and y coordinates): > 4 4

```
|123456789|
-|-----|
1|.111....|
2|.1*1....|
3|.1221...|
4|..1*1...|
5|.1221...|
6|.1.21...|
7|.12.1...|
8|..1221...|
9|...1.1...|
-|-----|
```

Set/delete mines marks (x and y coordinates): > 3 6

```
|123456789|
-|-----|
1|.111....|
2|.1*1....|
3|.1221...|
4|..1*1...|
5|.1221...|
6|.1*21...|
7|.12.1...|
8|..1221...|
9|...1.1...|
-|-----|
```

Set/delete mines marks (x and y coordinates): > 4 7

```
|123456789|
-|-----|
1|.111....|
2|.1*1....|
3|.1221...|
4|..1*1...|
5|.1221...|
6|.1*21...|
7|.12*1...|
8|..1221...|
9|...1.1...|
-|-----|
```

Set/delete mines marks (x and y coordinates): > 5 9

```
|123456789|
-|-----|
1|.111....|
```

```

2|.1*1....|
3|.1221....|
4|..1*1....|
5|.1221....|
6|.1*21....|
7|.12*1....|
8|..1221....|
9|...1*1....|
-|-----|
Congratulations! You found all the mines!

```

Example 2: *the user wins after removing excessive mine marks*

```

How many mines do you want on the field? > 1

|123456789|
-|-----|
1|.....|
2|.....|
3|.....|
4|...111..|
5|...1.1..|
6|...111..|
7|.....|
8|.....|
9|.....|
-|-----|
Set/delete mines marks (x and y coordinates): > 1 1


|123456789|
-|-----|
1|*.....|
2|.....|
3|.....|
4|...111..|
5|...1.1..|
6|...111..|
7|.....|
8|.....|
9|.....|
-|-----|
Set/delete mines marks (x and y coordinates): > 6 5

|123456789|
-|-----|
1|*.....|
2|.....|
3|.....|
4|...111..|
5|...1*1..|
6|...111..|
7|.....|
8|.....|
9|.....|
-|-----|
Set/delete mines marks (x and y coordinates): > 1 1

|123456789|
-|-----|
1|.....|
2|.....|
3|.....|
4|...111..|
5|...1*1..|
6|...111..|
7|.....|
8|.....|
9|.....|
-|-----|
Congratulations! You found all mines!

```

 Report a typo

 See hint

 Write a program

```
1 package minesweeper;
2 import java.util.*;
3
4 public class Main {
5
6     public static void initialize(char[][] array){
7         for(int i = 0; i < 9; i++){
8             for(int j = 0; j < 9; j++){
9                 array[i][j] = '.';
10            }
11        }
12    }
13
14    public static void main(String[] args) {
15        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
16        char[][] array = new char[9][9];
17        initialize(array);
18        System.out.print("How many mines do you want on the field? ");
19        int n = sc.nextInt();
20        mines(array,n);
21        clue(array);
22        printArray(array);
23        while(n == 0){
24            int op = setMine(array);
25            n = n - op;
26        }
27        System.out.println("Congratulations! You found all the mines!");
28        sc.close();
29    }
30
31    public static int setMine(char[][] array){
32        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
33        System.out.print("Set/delete mines marks (x and y coordinates): ");
34        int x = sc.nextInt();
35        int y = sc.nextInt();
36        if(array[--y][--x] == '.'){
37            array[y][x] = '*';
38            return(1);
39        }
40        if(array[y][x] == '*'){
41            array[y][x] = '.';
42        }
43        else if(array[y][x] != '.'){
44            System.out.println("There is a number here!");
45            return(0);
46        }
47        else if(array[y][x] == 'X'){
48            array[y][x] = '*';
49            return(-1);
50        }
51        return (-1);
52    }
53
54    public static void clue(char[][] array){
55        for(int i = 0; i < 9; i++){
56            for(int j = 0; j < 9; j++){
57                if(array[i][j] == 'X'){
58                    continue;
59                }
60                setClue(array, i, j);
61            }
62        }
63    }
64
65    public static int getStartI(int i){
66        if(i == 0){
67            return(i);
68        }
69        return(i - 1);
70    }
71
72    public static int getStartJ(int j){
73        if(j == 0){
74            return(j);
75        }
76        return(j - 1);
77    }
78
79    public static int getEndI(int i){
80        if(i == 8){
81            return(i+1);
82        }
83    }
```

```

81         return(i),
82     }
83     return(i + 1);
84 }
85
86 public static int getEndJ(int j){
87     if(j == 8){
88         return(j);
89     }
90     return(j + 1);
91 }
92
93 public static void setClue(char[][] array, int i, int j){
94     int startI = getStartI(i);
95     int startJ = getStartJ(j);
96     int endI = getEndI(i);
97     int endJ = getEndJ(j);
98     int count = 0;
99     for(int m = startI; m <= endI; m++){
100         for(int n = startJ; n <= endJ; n++){
101             if(array[m][n] == 'X'){
102                 count++;
103             }
104         }
105     }
106     if(count != 0){
107         array[i][j] = (char)(count + 48);
108     }
109 }
110
111 public static void mines(char[][] array, int n){
112     int i,j;
113     Random rand = new Random();
114     while(n != 0){
115         i = rand.nextInt(9);
116         j = rand.nextInt(9);
117         if(array[i][j] == '.'){
118             n--;
119             array[i][j] = 'X';
120         }
121     }
122 }
123
124 public static void printArray(char[][] array){
125     System.out.println("\n |123456789|");
126     System.out.println("-|-----|");
127     for(int i = 0; i < 9; i++){
128         System.out.print((i+1) + "|");
129         for(int j = 0; j < 9; j++){
130             if(array[i][j] == 'X'){
131                 System.out.print('.');
132             }
133             else{
134                 System.out.print(array[i][j]);
135             }
136         }
137         System.out.println("|");
138     }
139     System.out.println("-|-----|");
140 }
141 }

```

✓ Correct.

Seems like you've got all the theory down, way to go!

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