

## 02: Getting to Know Java with JShell



# What is JShell

- ▶ JShell is a feature of Java that allows us to program one line at a time.
- ▶ It's great for new programmers because it allows us to write one line and immediately see the results.
- ▶ Let's search for the JShell application.

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The line “System.out.println” will output information the screen.

# Math with Java

“+” is the symbol for addition.

2 + 2

What will this output?

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What will this output?

4

# Math with Java

“-” is the symbol for subtraction.

$7 - 4$

What will this output?



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$$7 - 4$$

What will this output?

3

# Math with Java

"\*" is the symbol for multiplication.

3 \* 5

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What will this output?

15

# Math with Java

“/” is the symbol for division.

12 / 3

What will this output?

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12 / 3

What will this output?

4

# Math with Java

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6 / 4

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Wait a second??? Why isn't this 1.5? Any time you have a whole number divided by another whole number, you will always get another whole number.

Is this a bug or a feature?

# Math with Java

`2 + 2 * 5`

What will this output?



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What will this output?

12. Java understand order of operations. How might we write this to evaluate to be 20?

# Math with Java

`(2 + 2) * 5`

What will this output?

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$(2 + 2) * 5$

What will this output?

If you aren't sure about the order of operations, you can wrap things in parentheses.

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"YourFirstNameHere"
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"YourFirstNameHere"
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What will this output?

It repeats your first name.

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**Concatenation** is when we join two strings together. We use the “+” operator to join two strings. (It’s the same symbol as addition.)

```
"YourFirstNameHere" + "YourLastNameHere"
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If it looks weird, that’s because Java won’t put spaces between the two strings.

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```
"YourFirstNameHere" + " " + "YourLastNameHere"
```

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# Variables

Often, you will want to store the results of your expression. For that, we will need variables.

```
int x = 42
```

Because 42 is an integer, we use the keyword **int** as the variable type. Java requires variable types to store variables. We can now use x in equations.

# Variables

What will this output?

```
x * 2
```

# Variables

What will this output?

```
x * 2
```

84

# Variables

What will this print?

```
x
```

# Variables

What will this print?

x

42. Our variable didn't change! Consistency is a good thing.

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```
x = x - 2
```

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# Variables

What will this print?

```
x
```



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What will this print?

x

40. But I thought x was 42? Nope. We changed it using the “=” sign.

# Types

Types are important to Java. All variables are stored with a type. **int** is for integers. **double** is for **double-precision floating point numbers**.

```
double pi = 3.1415
```

There is another type called **float** for **single-precision floating point numbers**. Don't use this.

# Variables

What will this print?

```
6.0 / 4.0
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1.5 Because we used a decimal point, Java believes these are floating point numbers. In Computer Science, 6 has a slightly different meaning than 6.0, even though they are the same value.

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```
String name = "YourFirstNameHere"  
            + " " + "YourLastNameHere"
```

What will **name** become?

# Thoughts on Types

There are many types in Java. Here are 4 common types.

- ▶ **int** is used for integer values (think whole numbers).
- ▶ **double** is used for floating point numbers. These numbers use a decimal point.
- ▶ **String** is used for text data, such as your name or a message.
- ▶ **boolean** is used to store **true** and **false**.

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It's `String`. The other three are always written with a lowercase letter.

Fill the remaining time.

Geometry time.

- ▶ Imagine that we have a circle.
- ▶ The diameter of a circle is 5.
- ▶ The area of a circle is  $\pi \times \textit{radius}^2$ .
- ▶ What is the area? Try to solve this using using the command line.

# Answer

- ▶ The answer is approximately 19.6. Did you get this?
- ▶ You must first divide the diameter by 2.
- ▶  $\pi * (5.0/2) * (5.0/2)$

Fill the remaining time.

Solve the following.

$$2 + 2 * 2 - 2$$

$$5 + 2 * 4$$

$$10 / 2 - 3$$

$$8 + 12 * 2 - 4$$

$$6 - 3 * 2 + 7 - 1$$

## Evaluate.

Evaluate each of the following.

$$4 = 2 + 2 * 2 - 2$$

$$13 = 5 + 2 * 4$$

$$2 = 10 / 2 - 3$$

$$28 = 8 + 12 * 2 - 4$$

$$6 = 6 - 3 * 2 + 7 - 1$$

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$$(2 + 2) * 2 - 2$$

$$2 + 2 * (2 - 2)$$

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$$4 = 2 + 2 * 2 - 2$$

$$6 = (2 + 2) * 2 - 2$$

$$2 = 2 + 2 * (2 - 2)$$

$$0 = (2 + 2) * (2 - 2)$$