

Modify and Rewrite Programs

Week 3

Make

make [OPTION]... [TARGET]...

- GNU utilities to maintain groups of program
- Automatically determine which part of large program needs to be recompiled
 - Make update a target if it depends on prerequisite files that **have been modified** since the target was last modified, or if the target **does not exist**
- Efficient compilation
- Take a **Makefile** to specify all target and prerequisite

Makefile Example

Makefile - A Basic Example

all : shop #usually first

shop : item.o shoppingList.o shop.o

g++ -g -Wall -o shop item.o shoppingList.o shop.o

item.o : item.cpp item.h

g++ -g -Wall -c item.cpp

shoppingList.o : shoppingList.cpp shoppingList.h

g++ -g -Wall -c shoppingList.cpp

shop.o : shop.cpp item.h shoppingList.h

g++ -g -Wall -c shop.cpp

clean :

rm -f item.o shoppingList.o shop.o shop

} Rule

■ Comments
■ Targets
■ Prerequisites
■ Commands

} Dependency Line

Introduction to Python

- High-level
(high readability, not efficient as C)
- General-purpose
- Interpreted
- Dynamic (dynamic type system)
- Automatic memory management
- Also support Object-oriented programming
 - Support class
 - Support member function

Python List

- Common data structure in Python
- A python list is like a C array but much more
 - **Dynamic**: expands as new items are added
 - **Heterogeneous**: can hold objects of different types
- Access elements: List_name[index]
- Example

```
>>> t = [123, 3.0, 'hello!']  
>>> print t[0]          -123  
>>> print t[1]          - 3.0  
>>> print t[2]          hello!
```

List Operations

- `>>> list1 = [1, 2, 3, 4]`
- `>>> list2 = [5, 6, 7, 8]`
- Adding an item to a list
 - `list1.append(5)`
 - Output: **[1, 2, 3, 4, 5]**
- Merging lists
 - `>>> merged_list = list1 + list2`
 - `>>> print merged_list`
 - Output: **[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 5, 6, 7, 8]**

Python Dictionary

- Essentially a hash table
 - Provides key-value (pair) storage capability
- Instantiation:
 - `dict = {}`
 - This creates an EMPTY dictionary
- Keys are unique, values are not!
 - Keys must be immutable (strings, numbers, tuples)

Example

- dict = {}
- dict['hello'] = "world"
- print dict['hello']
—world
- dict['power'] = 9001
- if (dict['power'] > 9000):
 - print "It is over ", dict['power']
- It is over 9001
- del dict['hello']
- del dict

for loops

```
list = ['Mary', 'had', 'a', 'little', 'lamb']
```

```
for item in list:  
    print item
```

Result:

Mary
had
a
little
lamb

```
for i in range(len(list)):  
    print i
```

Result:

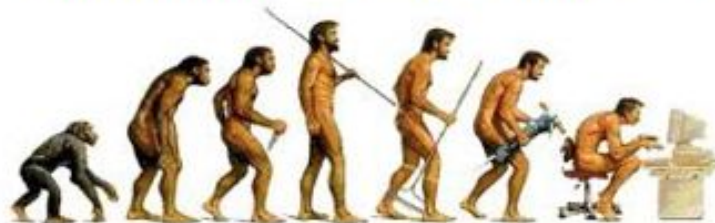
0
1
2
3
4

Indentation

- Python has no braces or keywords for code blocks
 - C delimiter: {}
 - bash delimiter:
 - then...else...fi (if statements)
 - do...done (while, for loops)
- Indentation makes all the difference
 - Tabs change code's meaning!!

A more powerful Environment

- Higher mammals use advanced tools !



- Anaconda
 - An data science platform powered by python
 - Support Different OS(Windows, Mac OS, Linux)
 - Easy to use
 - Powerful Tools (Jupyter notebook)

<https://www.continuum.io/downloads>

Running Python scripts

- Use the example in [randlin.py](#)
- Make sure it has executable permission:
`chmod +x randline.py`
- Run it
`./randline.py -n 2 filename`
n: is an option indicating the number of lines to write
2: is an argument to n (you can use any number)
Filename: is a program argument

```
#!/usr/bin/python
```

```
import random, sys
from optparse import OptionParser
```

```
class randline:
    def __init__(self, filename):
        f = open (filename, 'r')
        self.lines = f.readlines()
        f.close ()

    def chooseline(self):
        return random.choice(self.lines)
```

```
def main():
    version_msg = "%prog 2.0"
    usage_msg = """%prog [OPTION]...
FILE Output randomly selected lines from
FILE."""
```

Tells the shell which interpreter to use

Import statements, similar to include statements
Import OptionParser class from optparse module

The beginning of the class statement: randline

The constructor

Creates a file handle

Reads the file into a list of strings called lines

Close the file

The beginning of a function belonging to randline

Randomly select a number between 0 and the size of lines and returns the line corresponding to the randomly selected number

The beginning of main function

```

parser = OptionParser(version=version_msg,
usage=usage_msg)
parser.add_option("-n", "--numlines",
action="store", dest="numlines",
default=1, help="output NUMLINES lines
(default 1)")
options, args =
parser.parse_args(sys.argv[1:])
try:
    numlines = int(options.numlines)
except:
    parser.error("invalid NUMLINES: {0}".
format(options.numlines))
if numlines < 0:
    parser.error("negative count: {0}".
format(numlines))
if len(args) != 1:
    parser.error("wrong number of operands")
input_file = args[0]
try:
    generator = randline(input_file)
    for index in range(numlines):
        sys.stdout.write(generator.chooselin
e())
except IOError as (errno, strerror):
    parser.error("I/O error({0}): {1}".
format(errno, strerror))
if __name__ == "__main__":
    main()

```

Creates OptionParser instance

Start defining options, action “store” tells optparse to take next argument and store to the right destination which is “numlines”. **Set the default value of “numlines” to 1 and help message.**

options: an object containing all option args

args: list of positional args leftover after parsing options

Try block

get numline from options and convert to integer

Exception handling

error message if numlines is not integer type, replace {0} w/ input

If numlines is negative

error message

If length of args is not 1 (no file name or more than one file name)

error message

Assign the first and only argument to variable input_file

Try block

instantiate randline object with parameter input_file

for loop, iterate from 0 to numlines – 1

print the randomly chosen line

Exception handling

error message in the format of “I/O error (errno):strerror

In order to make the Python file a standalone program

Homework 3

`comm.py`

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- comm.py – this should end up working almost exactly like the utility ‘comm’
 - Check `$ man comm` for extensive documentation
- Extra option `-u`
 - Means input files are not required to be pre-sorted
 - Could sort them, but then have to maintain original ordering
 - Other ways to accomplish this?

Comm.py

- Use randline.py as a start point
- Support all options for comm
 - -1, -2, -3 and combinations
 - Extra option –u for comparing unsorted files
- Support all type of arguments
 - File names and – for stdin
- If you are unsure of how something should be output, run a test using existing comm utility!
 - Create your own test inputs

Reference

- Optparse tutorial

<https://docs.python.org/2/library/optparse.html>

- Python tutorial

<https://docs.python.org/3/tutorial/>

Virtual Machine

- A program that acts like a virtual computer
- Runs on host OS and provides virtual hardware to guest OS
- Guest OS runs in a window on host OS, just like any other program
- From user's perspective, guest OS seems to be running on a physical machine
- Some popular virtual machine software:
VirtualBox, VMvare



Some applications

- Experiment with other OS
- Test software on multiple platforms
- Consolidate servers

Java virtual machine (JVM)

- An abstract computing machine that enables a computer to run a java program
- JVM is OS specific
- JVM interprets .class (bytecode) file and converts it to machine specific instruction set
- JVM provides a platform independent way of executing code, which makes java very portable

Two-step compilation process

- First stage: java code is **compiled** down to **bytecode** by java compiler (javac)
- Second stage: bytecode is then **interpreted** or compiled to run by JVM depending on the implementation of JVM

Compile-time Environment

Java Source
(.java)

Java Compiler

Java bytecode
(.class)

Java bytecodes
move locally or
through network

Run-time Environment

Class Loader

Bytecode
verifier

Java Virtual
Machine

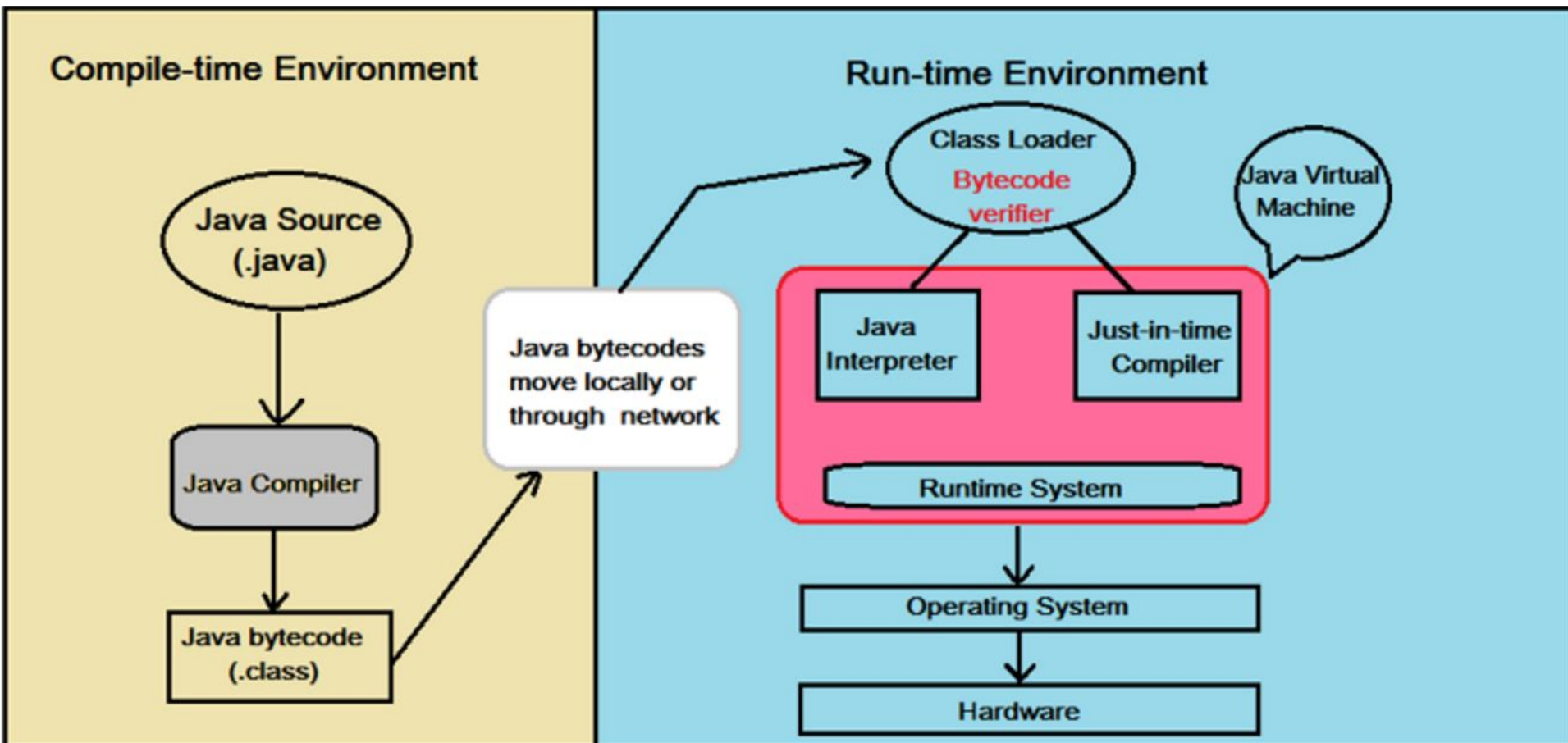
Java
Interpreter

Just-in-time
Compiler

Runtime System

Operating System

Hardware



Java basics

- Java as a compromise between interpreted and compiled language
- **JRE** (Java runtime environment)
JVM + Java class libraries
- **JDK** (Java Development Kit)
JVM + Java class libraries + java compiler