

Session 16:

SCALA BASICS 3

Assignment 1

Task 1

Create a calculator to work with rational numbers.

Requirements:

- It should provide capability to add, subtract, divide and multiply rational Numbers
- Create a method to compute GCD (this will come in handy during operations on rational)

Add option to work with whole numbers which are also rational numbers i.e. (n/1)

- achieve the above using auxiliary constructors
- enable method overloading to enable each function to work with numbers and rational.

Solution :

Defined a Class

```
package Rational.math

class Rational(initialNumer: Int = 1, initialDenom: Int = 1) {
  require(initialDenom != 0, "denominator must be nonzero")

  private val gcd = {
    def gcdRec(x: Int, y: Int): Int = {
      if(y == 0) x else gcdRec(y, x % y)
    }
    gcdRec(initialNumer, initialDenom)
  }

  val numer = (if(initialDenom < 0) -(initialNumer) else (initialNumer)) / gcd
  val denom = (initialDenom) / gcd

  def unary_- = new Rational(-numer, denom)

  def +(that: Rational) =
    new Rational(that.numer * denom + numer * that.denom,
      denom * that.denom)

  def +(that: Int): Rational =
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    this + (new Rational(that, 1))

def -(that: Rational) = this + -that
def -(that: Int): Rational = this - new Rational(that)

def *(that: Rational) = new Rational(numer * that.numer, denom * that.denom)
def *(that: Int): Rational = this * new Rational(that)

def /(that: Rational) = new Rational(numer * that.denom, denom * that.numer)
def /(that: Int): Rational = this / new Rational(that)

override def toString = numer + "/" + denom
}

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Defined a Object:

```

package Rational.math

object RationalTest extends App {

    val r1 = new Rational(3, 5)
    val r2 = new Rational(2, 7)
    val r3 = new Rational(5, 9)

    r1 + r2

    println ("r1 + r2      = " + (r1 + r2))

    r1 - r2

    println ("r1 - r2      = " + (r1 - r2))

    r1 * r2
    println ("r1 * r2      = " + (r1 * r2))

    r1 / r2
    println ("r1 / r2      = " + (r1 / r2))

}

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Output:

