Time Difference Calculator

<u>Overview</u>

This Java program calculates the difference between two times provided by the user in the format HH:MM:SS. It consists of three main classes: 'Main', 'Time', and 'Difference_Time'.

Files and Classes

1. Main.java

- Package: 'Time'
- Class: 'Main'
- Purpose: This class serves as the entry point for the program. It handles user input, initializes 'Time' objects, and computes the time difference using the 'Difference_Time' class.

2. Time.java

- Package: 'Time'
- Class: 'Time'
- Purpose: This class represents a time object with hours, minutes, and seconds. It also contains fields and methods to store and retrieve the difference in time components (hours, minutes, seconds).

3. Difference_Time.java

- Package: 'Time'
- Class: 'Difference_Time'
- Purpose: This class calculates the difference between two 'Time' objects and sets the difference in the provided 'Time' object.

Functionality

1. <u>Main.java</u>

- User Input:
- The program prompts the user to input two times in the format HH:MM:SS.
- Example:

```
Enter the Time 1 (HH:MM:SS) = 12:30:45
Enter the Time 2 (HH:MM:SS) = 14:45:30
```

- Time Object Creation:
- The input strings are parsed to extract hours, minutes, and seconds.
- Two `Time` objects are created with the parsed values.
 - Time Difference Calculation:
- An empty `Time` object (`difftime`) is created to store the time difference.
- The `Difference_Time` object is used to calculate the difference between the two `Time` objects.
 - The result is printed in the format: `X Hours Y Minutes Z Seconds`.

2. <u>Time.java</u>

- Fields:
- `Hours`, `Minutes`, `Seconds`: Stores the time components.
- `hoursDifference`, `minutesDifference`, `secondsDifference`: Stores the differences in the time components.
 - Constructors:
 - `Time(int hours, int minutes, int seconds)`: Initializes the `Time` object with the given hours, minutes, and seconds.
 - `Time()`: Default constructor.
 - Getters and Setters:
 - Methods to get and set the values of the time components and their differences.

- toString() Method:
- Overrides the `toString` method to provide a string representation of the `Time` object.

3. <u>Difference_Time.java</u>

- Constructor:
- `Difference_Time(Time t1, Time t2, Time t)`: Calculates the difference between `t1` and `t2`, and sets the difference in `t`.
 - Difference Calculation:
 - Converts the times to total seconds.
 - Calculates the difference in seconds.
 - Adjusts for negative differences by adding 24 hours in seconds.
 - Converts the difference back to hours, minutes, and seconds.
 - Sets the differences in the provided 'Time' object using its setters.

Example Usage

<u>Input</u>

```
Enter the Time 1 (HH:MM:SS) = 12:30:45
Enter the Time 2 (HH:MM:SS) = 14:45:30
```

<u>Output</u>

```
Time [Hours=12, Minutes=30, Seconds=45]
Time [Hours=14, Minutes=45, Seconds=30]
2 Hours 14 Minutes 45 Seconds
```

This set of classes and their interactions allows for the straightforward calculation and display of time differences, ensuring accurate results even when the difference spans midnight.