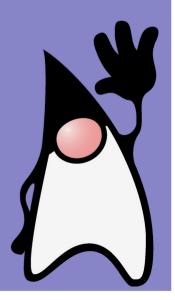
Java

Source files



Unicode

- programs ~ Unicode
 - comments, identifiers, char and string constants
 - the rest is in ASCII (<128)
 - or Unicode escape sequences < 128
- Unicode escape sequences
 - \uxxxx
 - \u0041 A
- the expanded sequence is not used for following ones
 - \u005cu005a results in six chars
 - \ u 0 0 5 a

Source code file processing

- 1. translation of unicode escape sequences (and all of the source code) into a sequence of unicode chars
- 2. the sequence from (1) is translated into a sequence of chars and lineterminating chars
- 3. the sequence from (2) is translated into a sequence of input tokens (without white-spaces and comments)
- line-terminating chars
 - CR LF
 - CR
 - LF

Test

```
public class Test {
  public static void main(String[] argv) {
    int i = 1;
    i += 1; // is the same as \u0000A i = i + 1;
    System.out.println(i);
  }
}
```

- Program prints out:
 - a) 1
 - b) 2
 - c) 3
 - d) cannot be compiled
 - e) a runtime exception

Encoding

- argument of javac -encoding
 - encoding of source files
 - without it default encoding
- in IDE typically a project property



- integer literals
 - decimal ... 0 1 23 -3
 - hexadecimal ... 0xa 0xA 0x10
 - octal ... 03 010 0777
 - binary ... 0b101 0B1001
 - since Java 7
 - by default of the int type
 - long ... 1L 331 077L 0x33L 0b10L
- floating-point literals
 - 0.0 2.34 1. .4 1e4 3.2e-4
 - by default double
 - **float** ... 2.34f 1.F .4f 1e4F 3.2e-4f
- boolean literals
 - true, false

use capital L

- underscores in numerical literals
 - since Java 7
 - for better readability

```
1234_5678_9012_3456L

999_99_9999L

3.14_15F

0xFF_EC_DE_5E

0xCAFE_BABE

0x7fff_ffff_ffffL

0b0010_0101

0b11010010 01101001 10010100 10010010
```

char literals

```
- 'a' '%' '\\' '\u0045' '\123'
```

- escape sequences

```
\b \u0008 back space
\t \u0009 tab
\n \u000A line feed
\f \u000C form feed
\r \u000D carriage return
\" \u0022
\' \u0027
\\ u005c
```

```
    String literals
```

```
-"" "\"" "this is a String"
```

- multi-line string literals since Java 15
 - -"""multiline string"""
 - initial spaces (indentation) are removed
 - trailing spaces too

• null literal



Identifiers

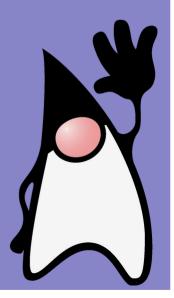
- identifier
 - name of class, method, field,...
- allowed characters
 - letters and digits
 - digit cannot be first character
 - special characters only _ and \$
 - standalone underscore is not allowed
 - since Java 9

Identifiers

- naming
 - packages lowercase letters
 - cz.cuni.mff.java
 - class, interface ListArray, InputStreamReader
 - composed words
 - mixed case
 - first letter capital
 - methods, fields getSize, setColor
 - composed words
 - mixed case
 - first letter lower case
 - constants MAX SIZE
 - all letters upper case
 - composing via underscore

Java

Assertions



Assertion

- the statement with a boolean expression
- a developer supposes that the expression is always satisfied (evaluates to true)
- if it is evaluated to **false** -> error
- intended for debugging
 - assertions can be enabled or disable
 - for whole program or for several classes only
 - disabled by default
 - must not have any side effects

Usage

```
assert Expression1;
assert Expression1 : Expression2;
```

- disabled assertions the statement does nothing
 - expressions are not evaluated
- enabled assertions
 - Expression1 is true program continues normally
 - Expression1 is false
 - Expression2 is presented throw new AssertionError(Expression2)
 - Expression2 is not presented throw new AssertionError()

Enabling and disabling

- arguments for the virtual machine
- enabling
 - -ea[:PackageName...|:ClassName]
 - -enableassertions[:PackageName...|:ClassName]
- disabling
 - -da[:PackageName...|:ClassName]
 - -disableassertions[:PackageName...|:ClassName]
- without class or package for all classes
- assertions in "system" classes
 - -esa | -enablesystemasserions
 - -dsa | -disablesystemasserions

 decision whether the assertions are enabled, is evaluated just once during initialization of a class (before anything is called/used on this class)

java.lang.AssertionError

- extends java.lang.Error
- constructors

```
AssertionError()
AssertionError(boolean b)
AssertionError(char c)
AssertionError(double d)
AssertionError(float f)
AssertionError(int i)
AssertionError(long l)
AssertionError(Object o)
```

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invariants

```
if (i%3 == 0) {
    ...
} else if (i%3 == 1) {
    ...
} else {
    assert i%3 == 2;
    ...
}
```

"unreachable places" in a program

```
class Directions {
  public static final int RIGHT = 1;
 public static final int LEFT = 2;
switch(direction) {
  case Directions.LEFT:
  case Directions.RIGHT:
  default:
   assert false;
```

- preconditions
 - testing arguments of private methods

```
private void setInterval(int i) {
  assert i>0 && i<=MAX_INTERVAL;
  ...
}</pre>
```

- unrecommended for testing arguments of public methods

```
public void setInterval(int i) {
  if (i<=0 && i>MAX_INTERVAL)
    throw new IllegalArgumentException();
    ...
}
```

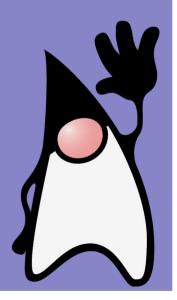
postconditions

```
public String foo() {
   String ret;
   ...
   assert ret != null;
   return ret;
}
```

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Generics



Introduction

- since Java 5
- similar to the generics in C#
- typed arguments
- goal
 - clear code
 - type safety

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Motivational example

without generics (<=Java 1.4)

```
List myIntList = new LinkedList();
myIntList.add(new Integer(0));
Integer x = (Integer) myIntList.iterator().next();
```

• with generics

```
List<Integer> myIntList = new LinkedList<Integer>();
myIntList.add(new Integer(0));
Integer x = myIntList.iterator().next();
```

- no explicit casting
- type checks during compilation

Definition of generics

```
public interface List<E> {
     void add(E x);
     Iterator<E> iterator();
     E get(int i);
   public interface Iterator<E> {
     E next();
     boolean hasNext();
• List<Integer> can be seen as
   public interface IntegerList {
     void add(Integer x);
     Iterator<Integer> iterator();
```

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but in reality no such code exists!

Compilation of gen. types

to simplify – during compilation, all information about generic types are erased
 – "erasure"

```
List<Integer> myIntList = new LinkedList<Integer>();
myIntList.add(new Integer(0));
Integer x = myIntList.iterator().mext();

    at runtime, it behaves as

List myIntList = new LinkedList();
myIntList.add(new Integer(0));
Integer x = (Integer) myIntList.iterator().next();
```

Compilation of gen. types

- always the same class, even if parametrized by anything
 - LinkedList<String>
 - LinkedList<Integer>
 - LinkedList<Foo>
 - ...
- just a single byte-code

- primitive types cannot be used as type parameters
 - List<int>

New instances

```
ArrayList<Integer> list = new ArrayList<Integer>();
 ArrayList<ArrayList<Integer>> list2 =
 new ArrayList<ArrayList<Integer>>();
 HashMap<String, ArrayList<ArrayList<Integer>>> h =
 new HashMap<String, ArrayList<ArrayList<Integer>>>();
since Java 7 ("diamond" operator)
 ArrayList<Integer> list = new ArrayList<>();
 ArrayList<ArrayList<Integer>> list2 =
 new ArrayList<>();
 HashMap<String, ArrayList<ArrayList<Integer>>> h =
 new HashMap<>();
```

no changes in typed arguments are allowed

```
List<String> ls = new ArrayList<String>();
List<Object> lo = ls;

lo.add(new Object());
String s = ls.get(0);
error - assigning Object to String
```

second line causes compilation error

example – printing all elements in a collection – without generics

```
void printCollection (Collection c) {
  Iterator i = c.iterator();
  for (k = 0; k < c.size(); k++) {
    System.out.println(i.next());
  }
}</pre>
```

naive attempt with generics

```
void printCollection(Collection<Object> c) {
  for (Object e : c) {
    System.out.println(e);
  }
}
```

does not work (see the previous example)

- Collection<Object> is not supertype of all collections
- correctly

```
void printCollection(Collection<?> c) {
   for (Object e : c) {
     System.out.println(e);
   }
}
```

- Collection<?> is supertype of all collections
 - collection of unknown
 - any collection can be assigned there
- BUT to Collection<?> nothing can be added

```
Collection<?> c = new ArrayList<String>();
  c.add(new Object()); <= compilation error</pre>
```

get () can be called – return type is Object

- ? wildcard
- bounded wildcard

```
public abstract class Shape {
   public abstract void draw(Canvas c);
}
public class Circle extends Shape { ... }
public class Canvas {
   public void drawAll(List<Shape> shapes) {
     for (Shape s:shapes) {
        s.draw(this)
     }
}
```

• can draw lists of the type List<Shape> only but not e.g. List<Circle>

solution – bounded ?

```
public void drawAll(List<? extends Shape> shapes) {
   for (Shape s:shapes) {
      s.draw(this)
   }
}
```

but still you cannot add to this List

```
shapes.add(0, new Rectangle()); compilation error
```

Generic methods

```
static void fromArrayToCollection(Object[] a,
                                           Collection<?> c) {
  for (Object o : a) {
    c.add(o); ← compilation error
static <T> void fromArrayToCollection(T[] a,
                                           Collection<T> c) {
  for (T o : a) {
    c.add(o); \leftarrow OK
```

Generic methods

Usage – the compiler determines actual types automatically

```
Object[] oa = new Object[100];
Collection<Object> co = new ArrayList<Object>();
fromArrayToCollection(oa, co); // T → Object
String[] sa = new String[100];
Collection<String> cs = new ArrayList<String>();
fromArrayToCollection(sa, cs); // T → String
fromArrayToCollection(sa, co); // T → Object
```

bounds can be used with methods also

Array and generics

- array of generics
 - can be declared
 - cannot be instantiated

```
List<String>[] lsa = new List<String>[10]; wrong
List<?>[] lsa = new List<?>[10]; OK + warning
```

why? arrays can be cast to Object

```
List<String>[] lsa = new List<String>[10];
Object[] oa = (Object[]) lsa;
List<Integer> li = new ArrayList<Integer>();
li.add(new Integer(3));
oa[1] = li;
String_s=2lsa[1].get(0); ClassCastException
```

"Old" and "new" code

"old" code without generics

```
public class Foo {
  public void add(List lst) { ... }
  public List get() { ... }
}
```

"new" code that uses the "old" one

"Old" and "new" code

• "new" code with generics

```
public class Foo {
  public void add(List<String> lst) { ... }
  public List<String> get() { ... }
}
```

"old" code that uses the "new" one

Additional type relations – in detail in 2nd sem.

actual declaration is

