## Word processing – character Array

You should implement a class which processes text.

## Class diagram:

The (given) text which should be processed is stored in the char-Array in the constructor. Any text file can be stored in the char-Array. You will find the text (name: **18\_laborordnung.txt**) for our example in the same folder as your task. Copy the file into your BlueJ-project directory.

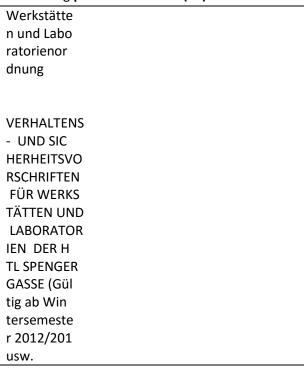
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import java.io.*;
public class WordProcessing{
    // hold the text
    private char[] textToProcess;
    // punctuation marks
    private char[] punctuationMark={'.',',',':',' ',')','(','-');
     * Constructor for objects of class WordProcessing
     ^{\star} The constructor reads a given text file into the
     ^{\star} character array textToProcess
    public WordProcessing()throws IOException{
           // String to hold the text
           String text="";
           // connect to the file for reading
           FileReader fr=new FileReader("17_laborordnung.txt");
           // read character by character till end of file (returns -1)
           int is=fr.read();
           while (is!=-1) {
               text=text+(char)is;
               is=fr.read();
           // textToProcess gets the text
           textToProcess=text.toCharArray();
    }
}
```

## Implement the following methods:

• **printText()** – the text is output to the console

- **printText(position:int)** the text is output to the console starting from a given position **changeChar(ch:char, changeTo:char)** the character **ch** is replaced with **changeTo**.
- **produceBlockText(blocklength:int)** produces a text with justification (=Blocksatz) therefore you have to insert '\n' after blocklength-characters. **Attention:** As a result the char-Array **textToProcess** increases in size. **Hint:** Use a local String-variable in your algorithm.

After calling produceBlockText(10) and afterwards printText() the following output is produced:



- wordCounter():int counts the number of words in the text and returns this number.
   Use the array punctuationMark for this method. The punctuation characters are stored in that array.
- **findWord(searchFor: char[]): int** returns the index of the first occurrence of **searchFor** in the text.

## **Example:**

searchFor: {'1','.'} returns **203** By calling **printText(203)** you can check if the algorithm works correctly.

Please note: In BlueJ you have to use curly brackets for a char-Array.

• **removeSpaces():int** – removes unnecessary spaces in the text and returns the number of deleted spaces.

**Attention:** As a result the char-Array **textToProcess** decreases in size. **Hint:** Use a local Stringvariable in your algorithm.

• **toUppercase()** – replaces all the lowercase letters with uppercase letters in textToProcess

Hint: Use the static method Character.toUpperCase(ch:char):char in order to do so.

- **toLowercase()** replaces all the lowercase letters with uppercase letters in textToProcess
- Hint: Use the static method Character.toUpperCase(ch:char):char in order to do so.

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