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Object Oriented Programming (JAVA)

Lecture 1 & 2

General Introduction

- Basics of Computer Programming
- Course Outlines
- Recommendations and references
- Sources
- Elements of Evaluation
 - Assignments/Class Exercises – 10
 - Weekly Quizzes - 10
 - Mid-term Exam - 40
 - Final Exam - 40

Introduction to course

- Why to program?
- Why Program in Object Oriented Language?
- Why to Program with JAVA?
- What are the objectives of Course?
- What is final outcome of Course?

Contents

- Procedural vs. Object Oriented Programming
- History of Programming Languages
- History of JAVA
- Buzzwords
- Resources
- Writing First Hello World
- How to Compile
- How to Run
- Review

I hear I forget
I see and I remember
I do and I understood

Chinese Proverb

Procedural vs. OOP

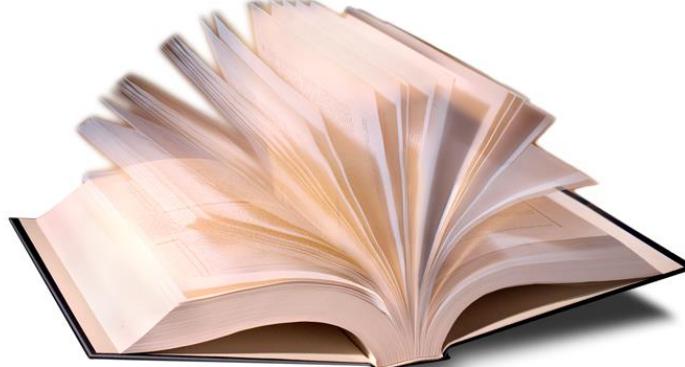
- **Procedural Programming (PP):**
 - A series of conceptual steps
 - Step by step approach to achieve desired output
 - Focus: Break down to programming task into variables, methods, data structures.
 - A minor change in any part may become a bigger modification in whole the code

- **Object Oriented Programming (OOP)**
 - A collection of interacting objects
 - Objects act individually but used collectively to achieve desired output
 - Focus: Breakdown to programming task into Objects.
 - Change in any part would not affect other code

Why OOP? Examples



If we have
Thousand or
Millions of LOCs,
Then?



History of Programming Languages

- FORTRON: Good for Scientific Applications not good for system code
- BASIC: Easy, not v. powerful, lack of structure, not efficient with large programs
- ASSEMBLY: Efficient, not very easy, difficult to debug.
- C: Procedural
- C++: Very popular, Object Oriented

Why JAVA?

- Why Java if C++ is there?
 - Pointers
 - Destructors
 - Networking

History of JAVA

- 1990s' a funded team **Project Green** by sun worked on next age technology.
- Need of an application (Distributed, Heterogeneous and Huge)
- Oak as first name of Java
- In 1995 James Gosling
- Popularity of Internet in 1995 was the reason behind the popularity of Java
- Todays' Java:
- Enterprise applications, Mobile Devices, Mars probes

Questions?

Thanks...