Computer Science 212: Object-Oriented Programming in Java

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1 Introduction to Java

- Java code can be written once and run anywhere
- Java source code goes to a compiler for a machine and made into source code which can be run on any machine
- API: application program interface- class libraries (MATH, GUI, Database...)
- JRI: Java Runtime Environment: JVM plus API (can run Java programs)
- JDK: Java Development Kit: JRE plus compiler, javadoc, ...
- Example: Java source code is written and stored in a .java file, compiler then calls "javac name.java" making a class file "name.class" which can then be run "run name"
- The Java virtual machine ensures a program will run the same way on any computer
- When running on native hardware, you are dependent on the machine's architecture
- The JVM levels the playing field

2 Classes and Objects

- Primitives: single-valued data items, not objects
 - byte: 8 bit signed two's complement integer
 - short: 16 bit signed two's complement integer
 - int: 32 bit signed two's complement integer
 - long: 64 bit signed two's complement integer
 - float: 32 bit single precision IEEE 754
 - double: 64 bit single precision IEEE 754
 - boolean: true/false
 - char: 16 bit Unicode character
- The number of bits and the range of values:

$$n = 32$$

$$-(2^{n-1})\dots(2^{n-1}) + 1$$

$$-2^{31}\dots 2^{31} - 1$$

$$-2, 147, 483, 648\dots 2, 147, 483, 647$$

• ASCII: 8 bit char code

$$2^8 = 256 \text{ char}$$

• Unicode: 16 char code

$$2^{16} = 2^6 \times 2^{10} = 64,000 \text{ char}$$

- Class: a blueprint or template that describes the properties and behaviors of an object
- Object: an instance of a class which has specific properties
- Instantiation: making an instance of a class
- Static variables belong to a class only one variable for every instance of the class
- Instance variables belong to an object the object is an instance of the class
- Static variables can be changed
- Use the final modifier to make constants
- Methods: defines the behavior of an object

3 Arrays and Sorting

```
private static int inputFromFile(String filename, short[] numbers){
     TextFileInput in = new TextFileInput(filename);
     int lengthFilled = 0;
     String line = in.readLine();
     while ( lengthFilled < numbers.length && line != null ) {</pre>
        numbers[lengthFilled++] = Short.parseShort(line);
        line = in.readLine();
     } // while
     if ( line != null ) {
        System.out.println("File contains too many numbers.");
        System.out.println("This program can process only " +
                          numbers.length + " numbers.");
        System.exit(1);
     } // if
     in.close();
     return lengthFilled;
  } // method inputFromFile
  private static void selectionSort (short[] array, int length) {
     for ( int i = 0; i < length - 1; i++ ) {</pre>
        int indexLowest = i;
        for ( int j = i + 1; j < length; j++ )</pre>
           if ( array[j] < array[indexLowest] )</pre>
```

```
indexLowest = j;
if ( array[indexLowest] != array[i] ) {
    short temp = array[indexLowest];
    array[indexLowest] = array[i];
    array[i] = temp;
    } // if
} // for i
} // method selectionSort
```

4 Methods and Parameter Passing

- Primitive type parameters are passed by value
- Pass by value means a copy of the value of the parameter is given to the method
- Each variable in the main program and the method has its own memory location
- Object type parameters are passed by reference
- Pass by reference means a reference to the parameter is given to the method
- Each variable in the main program and the method has its own memory location for the reference
- Since we have a reference to an object in a method, any changes made to that object are permanent
- Changes happen to the object whose reference is used in a method call

```
a[x]=a[y];
a[y]=temp;
}
```

5 Program Modularity and Error Checking

- Program modularity: break a program down into smaller parts (methods), test each method separately, understand the relationship between the methods: parameters and their expected values
- Date validation: data entered by a use (at a prompt), data entered by a user (into a file), data values received from other methods
- A method should verify what it receives and returns
- System.exit(0) causes the program to end
- "Run-time" error messages can provide useful information to the programmer or to the user
- Errors could be due to bad code or bad data
- Bad code and testing: test the program with all kinds of possible data
- From method to method, all data variables in the program should be in a "correct" state
- Ex: a method that sorts should produce a sorted object
- Assertions: used during program development, testing for errors in the logic of the program
- They are usually "turned off" when a program is run by the user
- Such errors should not occur in the final version of the program
- Once an assertion is "thrown," the program terminates
- These errors should not happen in "real life"
- The string in the assertion statement is printed along with a stack trace
- Exception: an error that can be "thrown" by a method
- Ex: Integer.parseInt("abc") will throw an exception called "IllegalArgumentException"
- Our program can also throw these common exceptions and terminate

• To throw an exception:

6 GUIs and Inheritance

- It is common for the "main" application and the GUI to be separate classes
- By using inheritance, all things a JFrame can do is brought to the class

```
public class SSNGUI extends JFrame{?
}
```

- Non-Application Classes (no "main" method)
 - Classes without "main" methods are true objects
 - They cannot exist without being instantiated
 - They may inherit from other classes so little extra code must be written
 - When an object is instantiated, a special method called a "constructor" is automatically executed
 - The name of the constructor is the same as the name of the class
 - The constructor has no "return" attributes
 - The constructor is the initialization method for the object
 - The constructor may take parameters from the instantiating method for initial values

```
import javax.swing.*;
import java.awt.*;
public class SSNJFrame3{
    static final int LIST_SIZE = 10;
    static String ssn;
    static String[] ssnList;
    static int ssnSize;
    static TextFileInput inFile;
    static String inFileName = "SSN.txt";
    static JFrame myFrame;

public static void main(String[] args) {
    initialize();
    readSSNsFromFile(inFileName);
    printSSNList(ssnList,ssnSize);
```

```
printSSNtoJFrame(myFrame,ssnList,ssnSize);
}
public static void initialize() {
    ssn="";
    ssnList= new String[LIST_SIZE];
    ssnSize=0;
    inFile = new TextFileInput(inFileName);
    myFrame=new JFrame();
    myFrame.setSize(400,200);
    myFrame.setLocation(100, 100);
    myFrame.setTitle("Social Security Numbers");
    myFrame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
}
```

7 Defining a Simple Class

- An object is defined by its attributes and behavior
- Attributes: data values
- Behavior: defined by the methods
- The reason the data value is private is to ensure that the object contains correct data values
- Public data values can be changed by the user
- Methods that assign values to the data values should check for validity and throw an exception if they are not valid
- A method is private if it is not to be called from outside the class
- A method is static if it is not the behavior of an object
- Since all classes inherit from class Object, it automatically has methods:

```
equals(Object o);
toString();
```

- These methods may not behave the way we want to
- The "this" operator is a reference to the class in which it is used

8 Dynamic vs. Static Structures: Linked Lists

- Static storage structures: once declared, they are fixed in size
- the size may be a "variable" or a constant but once declared, the size is fixed
- Dynamic structures use only as much memory as they need
- Dynamic structures rely on themselves to determine the order of the data items they contain
- Dynamic structures are not stored in contiguous memory
- A node has 2 components: the actual data of the node and a reference linking it to the next node in the list
- It is helpful to have an empty dummy node at the beginning of the list

```
public class ListNode {
  String data;
  ListNode next;
  public ListNode(String data, ListNode next) {
     this.data = data;
     this.next = next;
  } // constructor
  public ListNode() {
     this.data = null;
     this.next = null;
  } // constructor
  public ListNode(String data) {
     this.data = data;
     this.next = null;
  } // constructor
}
```

```
public class LinkedListIterator {
   private ListNode node;
   public LinkedListIterator(ListNode first) {
       node = first;
   }
   public boolean hasNext() {
       return ( node != null );
   }
}
```

```
}
  public String next() {
     if ( node == null )
        throw new NullPointerException("Linked list empty.");
     String currentData = node.data;
     node = node.next;
     return currentData;
  }
}
public void append (String s) {
 ListNode n = new ListNode(s);
 last.next = n;
 last = n;
 length++;
}
public void printList () {
 ListNode p = first.next;
```

```
public ListNode find (String s) {
  ListNode p = first.next;
  while (p != null && !(p.data).equals(s)) {
    p = p.next;
  } // while
  return p;
```

9 Inheritance and Polymorphism

- Extending a class is based on the "is a" relationship
- The protected modifier grants access only from descendant classes
- Public grants access from any class

while (p != null) {

p = p.next;

}

}

System.out.println(p.data);

• Private grants access only to instances of the same class

- When a class is instantiated, the first thing it must do is "construct" its super class
- Calling one of the constructors of the super class is done using the method super(<optional parameters>)
- The name of the constructor is the same as the name of the class and has no return type
- An abstract class cannot be instantiated
- A class is abstract if
 - it is declared as abstract
 - it contains an abstract method
 - it inherits an abstract method and does not overload it
- The instance of operator tests if an object (instance) is a subtype of a given type

10 GUIs and Event-Driven Programming

- JFrames: complete Window objects, they don't do anything until told to
- An event, such as a menu choice, signals the JFrame to respond
- Three Tier Architecture: graphical user interface, program logic decisions based on the user's choices, data (files) data available for the user's choice
- All the main program needs to do is instantiate the GUI
- An event is something that happens while the program is running
- An Event Handler is a method that is automatically called when an event, such as choosing a menu item, occurs
- An Event Handler can handle more than one event but each event needs a handler (or nothing will happen)
- Event Handlers are written in a class that implements an interface called ActionListener
- An Interface is a collection of method headings only (not bodies)
- Interfaces are implemented by a Java class
- If an interface is implemented, all methods specified in the interface must be provided by that class
- An interface, if implemented, guarantees that all methods will be defined
- The interface ActionListener contains a method called actionPerformed(ActionEvent)

- The actionPerformed method is called when an event happens
- Each event needs to be registered with some ActionListener
- When an ActionEvent object is created, the actionPerformed method of the handler that is registered with the event is called and the ActionEvent is passed to it as a parameter

```
import javax.swing.*;
import java.awt.*;
public class SSNGUI extends JFrame {
  public SSNGUI(String title, int height, int width) {
      setTitle(title);
      setSize(height, width);
      setLocation (400,200);
      createFileMenu();
      setDefaultCloseOperation(EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
      setVisible(true);
  } //SSNGUI
  private void createFileMenu( ) {
     JMenuItem item;
     JMenuBar
                menuBar = new JMenuBar();
                fileMenu = new JMenu("File");
     JMenu
     FileMenuHandler fmh = new FileMenuHandler(this);
     item = new JMenuItem("Open"); //Open...
     item.addActionListener( fmh );
     fileMenu.add( item );
     fileMenu.addSeparator();
                                     //add a horizontal separator line
     item = new JMenuItem("Quit");
                                      //Quit
     item.addActionListener( fmh );
     fileMenu.add( item );
     setJMenuBar(menuBar);
     menuBar.add(fileMenu);
  } //createMenu
} //SSNGUI
```

```
import java.awt.event.*;
import java.io.*;
public class FileMenuHandler implements ActionListener {
```

```
JFrame jframe;
public FileMenuHandler (JFrame jf) {
    jframe = jf;
}
public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent event) {
    String menuName;
    menuName = event.getActionCommand();
    if (menuName.equals("Open"))
        openFile();
    else if (menuName.equals("Quit"))
        System.exit(0);
} //actionPerformed
}
```

11 Exception Handling

• To throw an exception:

```
public SSN (String s) {
    if (isValidSSN(s) )
        SSNumber = s;
    else
        throw new IllegalSSNException("Invalid SSN: "+s);
}
```

• Extending an existing exception:

- When an exception is thrown, the RunTime System looks for a method that can handle the exception
- If no such method is found, the Runtime System handles the exception and terminates the program
- The Runtime System looks at the most recently called method and backs up all the way to the main program
- If any one of the previous methods knew how to handle the exception, it would be an exception catcher

- Multiple exceptions can be taught by a try-catch block
- The JVM will go through the catch blocks top to bottom until a matching error is found
- This is why the order of the exceptions listed is important, because of the class hierarchy and inheritance
- When an exception is not caught, the program terminates and does not continue
- The finally block is executed whether or not an exception occurs
- It is executed even if there is a return statement prior to the final code
- Excluding exceptions in the class RuntimeException, the compiler must find a catcher or a propagator for every exception
- RuntimeException is an unchecked exception while all other exceptions are checked exceptions

12 Regular Expressions

• A Regular Expression (regex) is a pattern that can be matched against a string

```
import java.util.regex.*;

public static isValidSSN(String ssn) {
   Pattern p;
   Matcher m;
   String SSN_PATTERN = ;
   p = Pattern.compile(SSN_PATTERN);
   m = p.matcher(ssn);
   return matcher.matches();
}
```

- Constants: match exactly the string inside the regex
- Character Classes (match any character inside []

```
abc - a, b, or c (simple class)
âbc - any character except a, b, or c (negation)
a-zA-Z - a through z, or A through Z, inclusive (range)
a-d[m-p ] - a through d or m through p: [a -dm-p] (union)
a-z&&[def ] - d, e or f (intersection)
a-z&&[bc ] - a through z, except for b and c: [ad-z]
```

 $a-z\&\&[\hat{m}-p]-a$ through z, and not m through p: [a-lq-z]

- Predefined Character Classes
 - . any character (may or may not match line end)
 - d a digit: [0-9]
 - $\D a non-digit: [\hat{0}-9]$
 - $\slash s \slash s \slash$
 - $\S a$ non-whitespace character: $[\hat{s}]$
 - \w a word character: [a-zA-Z_0-9]
 - \W a non-word character: $[\hat{w}]$
- Quantifiers
 - X? X, once or not at all
 - X* X, zero or more times
 - X+ one or more times
 - Xn X, exactly n times
 - Xn, X, at least n times
 - Xn,m X, at least n but not more than m times
- - beginning of regex, \$ end of regex

13 Maps

- In a hashmap, a "hash function" maps key to index
- Issues: search in time O(c), collisions, growth

```
import java.util.HashMap;
import java.util.Iterator;

public class HashMapExample{
    public static void main(String args[]){
        HashMap hashMap = new HashMap();
        hashMap.put("One", new Integer(1));
        hashMap.put("Two", new Integer(2));
        hashMap.put("Three", new Integer(3));

Integer myInt = hashMap.get("Two");

if(hashMap.containsValue(new Integer(1)))
        System.out.println("HashMap contains 1 as value");
```

• To get the keys and values out of the HashMap

```
Iterator itr;
System.out.println("Retrieving all keys from the HashMap");
itr = hashMap.keySet().iterator();
while(itr. hasNext()){
    System.out.println(itr.next());
}

System.out.println("Retrieving all values from the HashMap");
itr = hashMap.entrySet().iterator();
while(itr. hasNext()){
    System.out.println(itr.next());
}
```

- The order items went in is not the same as how they come out
- A TreeMap arranges the data keys so they come out in order when using the iterator

```
TreeMap <String, String> french =

new TreeMap<String, String> ( );
```

- entrySet() returns a collection of key/value pairs
- interface Map.Entry is a key/value pair

```
Set set = french.entrySet();
Iterator i = set.iterator();
Map.Entry <String,String> me;
while(i.hasNext()) {
   me = (Map.Entry)i.next();
```

```
System.out.print(me.getKey() + ": ");
System.out.println(me.getValue());
}
```

• Order can be assumed if the class implements Comparable

```
TreeMap <String, String> french =
    new TreeMap<String, String> ( );
```

• For user-defined objects, the TreeMap needs to know how to order the keys

```
TreeMap <SSN, Integer> treeMap =
    new TreeMap (new SSNComparator());
```

• Comparator is a class that implements Comparator which has a method int compare (Object, Object)

```
import java.util.Comparator;

public class SSNComparator implements Comparator <SSN> {
   public int compare(SSN num1, SSN num2) {
      return num1.compareTo(num2);
   }
}
```

- ullet The TreeMap is efficient because it keeps item in order and has O(n) for adding new values
- The TreeMap is based on the Red-Black tree

14 File Input and Output

- File I/O is done through the operating system: file system to operating system to program
- Files can be stored on a variety of devices, read/written by many operating systems
- Constructor for TextFileInput

```
} catch ( IOException ioe ) {
        throw new RuntimeException(ioe);
    } // catch
} // constructor
}
```

• public FileInputStream(Stringname) throws FileNotFoundException

Creates a FileInputStream by opening a connection to an actual file, the file named by the path name name in the file system. A new FileDescriptor object is created to represent this file connection.

Parameters: name - the system-dependent file name.

Throws: FileNotFoundException - if the file does not exist, is a directory rather than a regular file, or for some other reason cannot be opened for reading.

- public int read() throws IOException Reads a byte of data from this input stream. This method blocks if no input is yet available.
- An InputStreamReader is a bridge from byte streams to character streams: It reads bytes and decodes them into characters using a specified charset. The charset that it uses may be specified by name or may be given explicitly, or the platform's default charset may be accepted.

- The FileInputStream reads ASCII bytes from the file and delivers a stream of 32-bit int values
- The InputStreamReader converts the ints to a stream of Unicode characters (the default character set)
- public String readLine() throws IOException Read a line of text. A line is considered to be terminated by any one of a line feed ('\n'), a carriage return (''), or a carriage return followed immediately by a linefeed.

Returns: A String containing the contents of the line, not including any line-termination characters, or null if the end of the stream has been reached Throws: IOException - If an I/O error occurs

- The BufferedReader separates the stream of Unicode characters into "lines" of the file (a line is terminated with lineFeed \n, carriageReturn or \n\r)
- The class File is an abstract representation of file and directory pathnames

```
import java.io.File;
import javax.swing.*;

public class SingleFile {
    public static void main (String args[]){
        JFileChooser fileChooser = new JFileChooser();
        fileChooser.showOpenDialog(null);
        File myFile = fileChooser.getSelectedFile();
        System.out.println("getName(): "+myFile.getName());
        System.out.println("getParent(): "+myFile.getParent());
        System.out.println("getPath(): "+myFile.getPath());
        System.out.println("lastModified(): "+myFile.lastModified());
        System.out.println("length(): "+myFile.length());
    }
}
```

```
import java.io.File;
import javax.swing.*;
public class ListFiles {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
       JFileChooser fd = new JFileChooser();
         mode - the type of files to be displayed:
//
//
            * JFileChooser.FILES_ONLY
            * JFileChooser.DIRECTORIES_ONLY
//
//
             * JFileChooser.FILES_AND_DIRECTORIES
       fd.setFileSelectionMode(JFileChooser.DIRECTORIES_ONLY);
       fd.showOpenDialog(null);
     File f = fd.getSelectedFile();
     listFiles(f,"");
  }
  public static void listFiles(File f, String indent) {
     File files[] = f.listFiles();
     for (int i = 0; i<files.length; i++) {</pre>
        File f2 = files[i];
        System.out.print(f2.getName());
        if (f2.isDirectory())
```

```
listFiles(f2, indent+" ");
System.out.print("...");
System.out.print(f2.length());
System.out.println();
}
}
}
```

15 Generics

- Generic: of, applicable to, or referring to all the members of a genus, class, group, or kind; general
- The advantage of using generics is to make generalized variables so it can be widely used without edited

```
public class ListNode <E> {
    E data;
    ListNode next;
    public ListNode(E myData) {
        data=myData;
        next=null;
    }
    public ListNode() {
        data=null;
        next=null;
    }
}
```

```
public class LinkedList<E> {
   private ListNode first;
   private ListNode last;
   private int length;

public LinkedList() {
    ListNode ln = new ListNode();
    first = ln;
    last = ln;
    length = 0;
}

public void append ( E myData) {
    ListNode n = new ListNode(myData);
    last.next = n;
    last = n;
    length++;
```

```
}
....
```

• To make a LinkedList, write "LinkedList<String> stringList = new LinkedList<String>();

16 Recursion and the Run Time Stack

- A recursive method is a method that calls itself
- A recursive algorithm is one that solves a problem by using the same algorithm to solve a smaller part of the problem
- Ex: to list all the presidents of the US, identify the first president and then list the rest of the presidents

```
public class BinomialCoefficient {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
     int[] n = \{4,4,4,4,4,4\};
     int[] r = {0,1,2,3,4};
     int x,y;
     for (int i=0; i<n.length; i++) {</pre>
        x=n[i];
        y=r[i];
        System.out.println(x+" choose "+y+" is "+bc(x,y));
     }
  }
  private static int bc (int n, int r) {
      if (n==0 || r==0 ||n==r) {
           return 1;
     }
     else
        return bc(n-1,r)+bc(n-1,r-1);
  }
}
```

```
public class EuclidianGCD {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
     int[] testNumerators = {4,6,1,0,15,20};
     int[] testDenominators = {8,18,2,5,225,225};
```

```
public class Factorial {

  public static void main(String[] args) {
    int[] testValues = {4,6,1,0};
    int n;
    for (int i=0; i<testValues.length; i++) {
        n=testValues[i];
        System.out.println("Factorial("+n+") = "+factorial(n));
    }
}

private static int factorial (int n) {
    if (n==0)
        return 1;
    else
        return n*factorial(n-1);
}</pre>
```

```
return 0;
if
     (n==1)
     return 1;
return fibonacci(n-1)+fibonacci(n-2);
}
```

```
import javax.swing.*;
public class Pascal {
     public static void main (String[] args){
        int numRows =
            Integer.parseInt(JOptionPane.showInputDialog(null, "How many
            rows?"))-1;
        for (int i=0;i<= numRows;i++){</pre>
           for (int j=0; j<=i; j++)</pre>
              System.out.print(bc(i,j)+" ");
           System.out.println();
        }
     }
     private static int bc (int n, int r) {
        if (n==0 || r==0 ||n==r) {
             return 1;
       }
       else
          return bc(n-1,r)+bc(n-1,r-1);
    }
}
```

}

17 Model-View-Controller (MVC)

- Model: a representation of the data with no concern for how it will appear to the user extends Observable
- View: displays the data using GUI components by observing the Model implements Observer
- Controller: a Listener that responds to events and updates the Model
- Regular Program

```
public class TemperatureModel {
    private double temperatureF = 32.0;
    public double getF() {
        return temperatureF;
    }
    public double getC(){
        return (temperatureF - 32.0) * 5.0 / 9.0;
    }
    public void setF(double tempF)
    {
        temperatureF = tempF;
    }
    public void setC(double tempC)
    { temperatureF = tempC*9.0/5.0 + 32.0;
    }
}
```

Model Class

```
import java.util.Observable;
public class TemperatureModel extends Observable {
    private double temperatureF = 32.0;
    public double getF() {
        return temperatureF;
    }
    public double getC(){
        return (temperatureF - 32.0) * 5.0 / 9.0;
    }
    public void setF(double tempF)
    {
        temperatureF = tempF;
    }
}
```

```
setChanged();
  notifyObservers();
}
public void setC(double tempC)
{ temperatureF = tempC*9.0/5.0 + 32.0;
  setChanged();
  notifyObservers();
}
```

• Controller (Listener)

```
import java.awt.event.ActionEvent;
import java.awt.event.ActionListener;

class UpListener implements ActionListener {
   TemperatureModel model;

   public UpListener(TemperatureModel m) {
     model = m;
   }

   public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e) {
      model.setF(model.getF() + 1.0);
   }
}
```

• GUI class

```
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.*;
abstract class TemperatureGUI implements java.util.Observer {
  private String label;
  private TemperatureModel model;
  private Frame temperatureFrame;
  private TextField display = new TextField();
  private Button upButton = new Button("Raise");
  private Button downButton = new Button("Lower");
  TemperatureGUI(String theLabel, TemperatureModel tModel, int h, int v) {
     label = theLabel;
     model = tModel;
     Frame temperatureFrame;
     temperatureFrame = new Frame(label);
     temperatureFrame.add("North", new Label(label));
     temperatureFrame.add("Center", display);
     Panel buttons = new Panel();
```

```
buttons.add(upButton);
     buttons.add(downButton);
     temperatureFrame.add("South", buttons);
     temperatureFrame.addWindowListener(new CloseListener());
     model.addObserver(this); // Connect the View to the Model
     temperatureFrame.setSize(200,100);
     temperatureFrame.setLocation(h, v);
     temperatureFrame.setVisible(true);
  public void setDisplay(String s){
     display.setText(s);}
  public double getDisplay() {
     return Double.valueOf(display.getText()).doubleValue();
  }
     continued?
}
}
```

• If it is to operate in Fahrenheit

```
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.*;
import java.util.Observable;
public class FarenheitGUI extends TemperatureGUI {
  public FarenheitGUI(TemperatureModel model, int h, int v) {
     super("Farenheit Temperature", model, h, v);
     setDisplay(""+model.getF());
     addUpListener(new UpListener(model));
     addDownListener(new DownListener(model));
     addDisplayListener(new DisplayListener(model,this));
  }
  public void update(Observable t, Object o)
  // automatically called when the model is changed
  {
     setDisplay("" + model().getF());
  }
}
```

18 Threads

• Thread: an instance of program execution - generalized as a Process

- A single Java application could be considered a Thread but a Java application may contain multiple threads
- The value of threads can be seen by looking at process states that are linked in a continuous loop
- Process States:
 - Ready: threads that are ready to run
 - Running: threads that are running on a CPU
 - Waiting: threads that are waiting for something
- The operating system (or the JVM) is responsible for moving processes (threads) from state to state
- To instantiate a new thread: "Thread t = new Thread();"
- t.start() will make the thread go from ready to running
- t.sleep(ms), t.suspend(),t.wait() will make the thread go from running to waiting
- t.stop() will kill the thread
- t.resume() will make the thread go from waiting to ready
- Making a timer work

```
import java.awt.*;
import javax.swing.*;
public class TimerJFrame extends JFrame implements Runnable {
  private int secondsRemaining;
  private JTextArea text = new JTextArea();
  public TimerJFrame (int seconds) {
     secondsRemaining = seconds;
     setTitle("Time Remaining...");
     setSize(150,150);
     setLocation (400,200);
     Container cp = getContentPane();
     text.setFont(new Font("Arial",2,72));
     cp.add(text);
     text.append(Integer.toString(secondsRemaining));
     setVisible(true);
     setDefaultCloseOperation(EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
     Thread timer = new Thread(this);
     timer.start();
  }
  public void run() {
 System.out.println("The game has started...");
 while (secondsRemaining > 0) {
```

```
try {
    Thread.sleep(1000);
    secondsRemaining--;
    text.setText(Integer.toString(secondsRemaining));
    setVisible(true);
}
    catch (InterruptedException ie) {
        System.out.println("Timer is interrupted");
    }
}
JOptionPane.showMessageDialog(null, "Time is up!");
}
```

• Another example

```
public class LoggingThread extends Thread {
 private LinkedList linesToLog = new LinkedList();
 private volatile boolean terminateRequested;
 public void run() {
   try {
     while (!terminateRequested) {
       String line;
       synchronized (linesToLog) {
         while (linesToLog.isEmpty())
          linesToLog.wait();
         line = (String) linesToLog.removeFirst();
       }
       doLogLine(line);
     }
   } catch (InterruptedException ex) {
     Thread.currentThread().interrupt();
   }
 }
 private void doLogLine(String line) {
   // ... write to wherever
 public void log(String line) {
   synchronized (linesToLog) {
     linesToLog.add(line);
     linesToLog.notify();
   }
 }
}
```