



CSE 219 COMPUTER SCIENCE III

EVENT PROGRAMMING WITH JAVAFX

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EVENT PROGRAMMING

In event-driven programming, code is executed upon activation of events.

Operating Systems constantly monitor events

- Ex: keystrokes, mouse clicks, etc...

The OS:

- sorts out these events
- reports them to the appropriate programs

WHERE DO WE COME IN?

For each control (button, combo box, etc.):

- define an event handler
- construct an instance of event handler
- tell the control who its event handler is

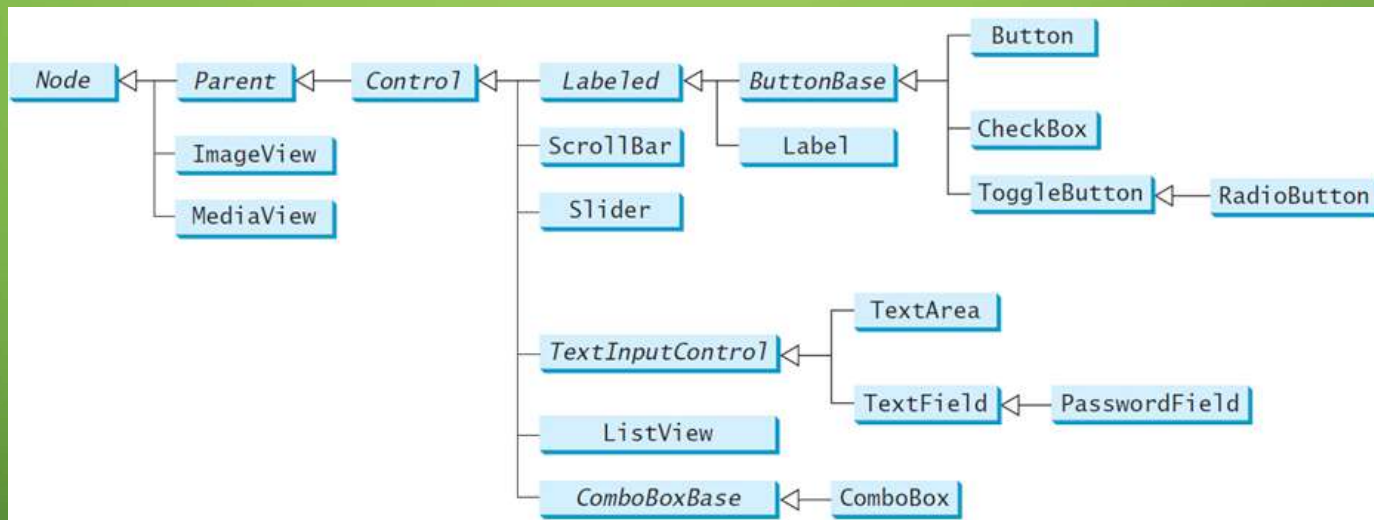
Event Handler?

- code with response to event
- a.k.a. event listener

JAVA'S EVENT HANDLING

An **event source** is a GUI control

- JavaFX: Button, ChoiceBox, ListView, etc.



- different types of sources:
 - can detect different types of events
 - can register different types of listeners (handlers)

JAVA'S EVENT HANDLING

When the user interacts with a control (source):

- an *event object* is constructed
- the event object is sent to all registered *listener objects*
- the listener object (handler) responds as you defined it to

EVENT LISTENERS (EVENT HANDLER)

Defined by you, the application programmer

- you customize the response
- How?
 - Inheritance & Polymorphism

You define your own listener class

- implement the appropriate interface
- define responses in all necessary methods

EVENT OBJECTS

Contain information about the event

Like what?

- location of mouse click
- event source that was interacted with
- etc.

Listeners use them to properly respond

- different methods inside a listener object can react differently to different types of interactions



```
public class HandleEvent extends Application {  
    public void start(Stage primaryStage) {  
        HBox pane = new HBox(10);  
        Button btOK = new Button("OK");  
        Button btCancel = new Button("Cancel");  
        OKHandler handler1 = new OKHandler ();  
        btOK.setOnAction(handler1);  
        CancelHandler handler2 =  
            new CancelHandler ();  
        btCancel.setOnAction(handler2);  
        pane.getChildren().addAll(btOK, btCancel);  
        Scene scene = new Scene(pane);  
        primaryStage.setScene(scene);  
        primaryStage.show();  
    }.../*main*/}
```



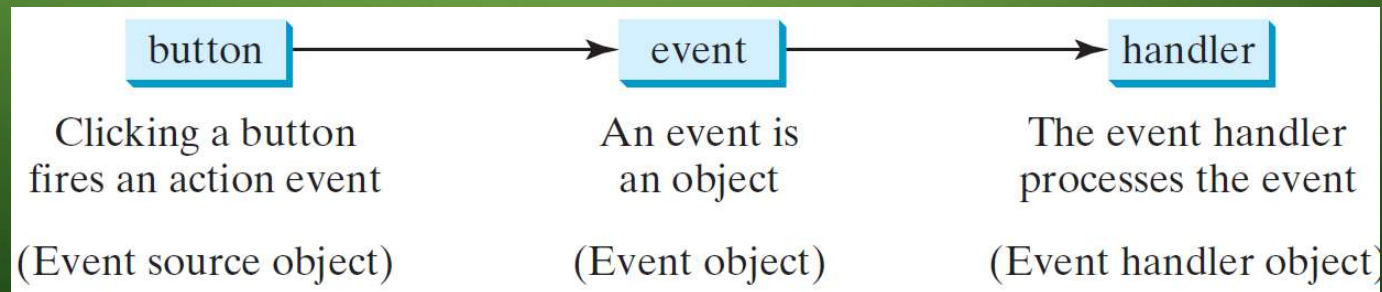

```
class OKHandler implements EventHandler<ActionEvent> {  
    @Override  
    public void handle(ActionEvent e) {  
        System.out.println("OK button clicked");  
    }  
}  
class CancelHandler implements  
    EventHandler<ActionEvent> {  
    @Override  
    public void handle(ActionEvent e) {  
        System.out.println("Cancel button clicked");  
    }  
}
```

HANDLING GUI EVENTS

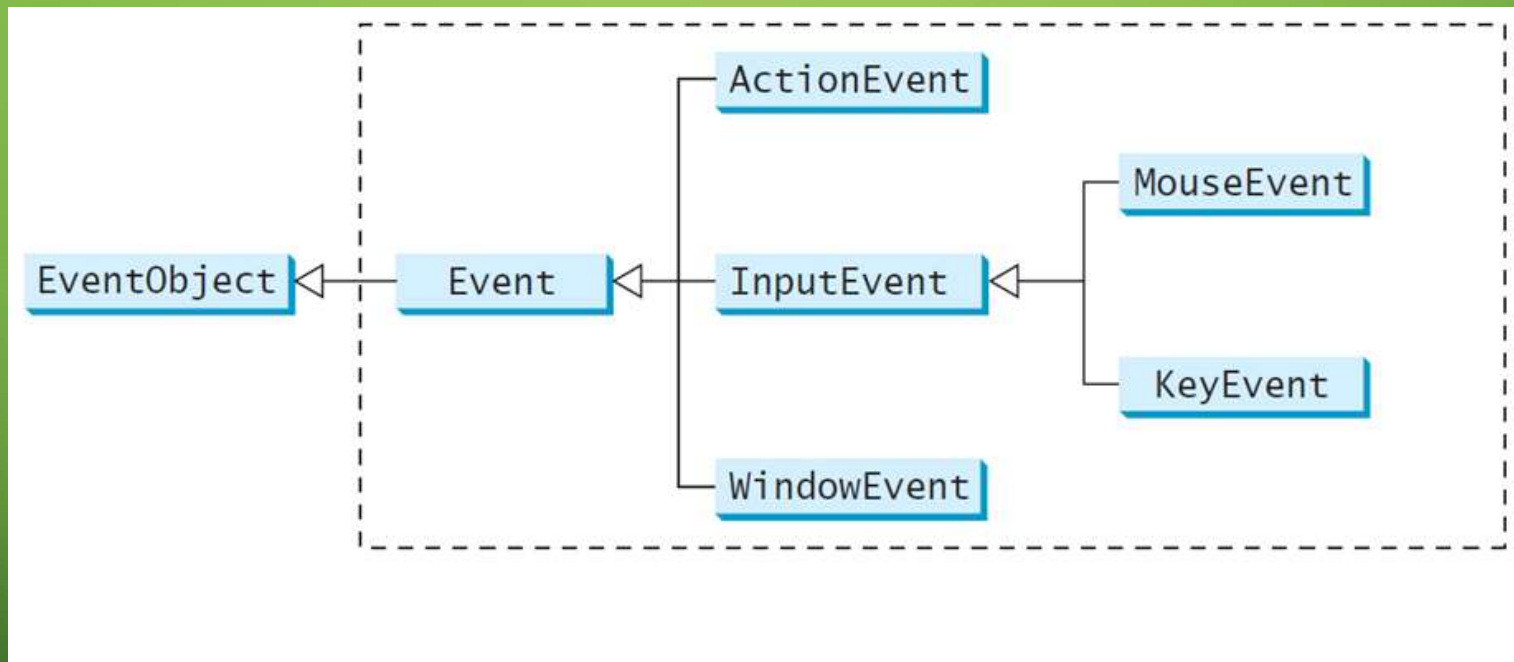
Source object: Button

Event object: ActionEvent

- Listener objects: OkHandler, CancelHandler



EVENT CLASSES



EVENT INFORMATION

Event objects have info *about* the event:

— e.g. the *source object* (via `getSource()`)

EventObject subclasses are for special events:

- such as button actions
- window events
- component events
- mouse movements
- keystrokes

SELECTED USER ACTIONS AND HANDLERS

<i>User Action</i>	<i>Source Object</i>	<i>Event Type Fired</i>	<i>Event Registration Method</i>
Click a button	Button	ActionEvent	setOnAction(EventHandler<ActionEvent>)
Press Enter in a text field	TextField	ActionEvent	setOnAction(EventHandler<ActionEvent>)
Check or uncheck	RadioButton	ActionEvent	setOnAction(EventHandler<ActionEvent>)
Check or uncheck	CheckBox	ActionEvent	setOnAction(EventHandler<ActionEvent>)
Select a new item	ComboBox	ActionEvent	setOnAction(EventHandler<ActionEvent>)
Mouse pressed	Node, Scene	MouseEvent	setOnMousePressed(EventHandler<MouseEvent>)
Mouse released			setOnMouseReleased(EventHandler<MouseEvent>)
Mouse clicked			setOnMouseClicked(EventHandler<MouseEvent>)
Mouse entered			setOnMouseEntered(EventHandler<MouseEvent>)
Mouse exited			setOnMouseExited(EventHandler<MouseEvent>)
Mouse moved	Node, Scene	MouseEvent	setOnMouseMoved(EventHandler<MouseEvent>)
Mouse dragged			setOnMouseDragged(EventHandler<MouseEvent>)
Key pressed		KeyEvent	setOnKeyPressed(EventHandler<KeyEvent>)
Key released			setOnKeyReleased(EventHandler<KeyEvent>)
Key typed			setOnKeyTyped(EventHandler<KeyEvent>)

INNER CLASS LISTENERS

A listener class typically for a particular GUI component (e.g., one button).

- **Any object instance of the inner handler class has access to all GUI fields of the outer class.**
- It will not be shared by other applications.


```

public class OuterClass {
    private int outerData = 0;
    private InnerClass iC1;
    private InnerClass iC2;

    public OuterClass()
    {
        iC1 = new InnerClass();
        iC2 = new InnerClass();
    }

    public void update() {
        iC1.updateFromInner();
        iC2.updateFromInner();
        iC2.updateFromInner();
    }

    public void print() {
        System.out.println(outerData);
        System.out.println(iC1.innerData);
        System.out.println(iC2.innerData);
    }

    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        OuterClass x = new OuterClass();
        System.out.println(x.outerData);
    }
}

```

WHAT'S THE OUTPUT?

The **Inner** class is a class is a member of another class.

- class can reference the data and methods defined in the outer class
- is compiled as
OuterClass\$InnerClass.class

```

class InnerClass
{
    private int innerData = 0;
    public void updateFromInner()
    {
        OuterClass.this.outerData++;
        this.innerData--;
    }
}

```


ANONYMOUS INNER CLASSES

Inner class listeners can be shortened using anonymous inner classes

- inner classes without a name.
- combines declaring an inner class and creating an instance of the class in one step

```
new SuperClassName/InterfaceName() {  
    // Implement or override methods in superclass/interface  
    // Other methods if necessary  
}
```

ANONYMOUS INNER CLASSES EXAMPLE

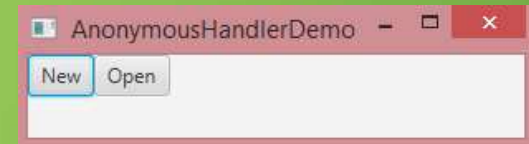
We could use this:

```
btOK.setOnAction(new EventHandler<ActionEvent>() {  
    @Override  
    public void handle(ActionEvent e) {  
        System.out.println("OK button clicked");  
    }  
});
```

Instead of this:

```
OKHandler handler1 = new OKHandler();  
btOK.setOnAction(handler1);
```

```
public class AnonymousHandlerDemo extends Application {  
    public void start(Stage primaryStage) {  
        HBox hBox = new HBox();  
        Button btNew = new Button("New");  
        Button btOpen = new Button("Open");  
        hBox.getChildren().addAll(btNew, btOpen);  
        btNew.setOnAction(new EventHandler<ActionEvent>() {  
            @Override  
            public void handle(ActionEvent e) {  
                System.out.println("Process New");  
            }  
        });  
        btOpen.setOnAction(new EventHandler<ActionEvent>() {  
            @Override  
            public void handle(ActionEvent e) {  
                System.out.println("Process Open");  
            }  
        });  
        Scene scene = new Scene(hBox, 300, 50);  
        primaryStage.setTitle("AnonymousHandlerDemo");  
        primaryStage.setScene(scene);  
        primaryStage.show();  
    } ...}
```



SIMPLIFYING EVENT HANDLING USING LAMBDA EXPRESSIONS

Lambda expression is a new feature in Java 8.

- Predefined functions for the type of the input.

Lambda expressions can be viewed as an anonymous method with a concise syntax.

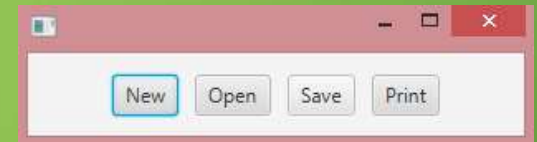
```
btEnlarge.setOnAction(  
    new EventHandler<ActionEvent>() {  
        @Override  
        public void handle(ActionEvent e) {  
            // Code for processing event e  
        }  
    }  
));
```

(a) Anonymous inner class event handler

```
btEnlarge.setOnAction(e -> {  
    // Code for processing event e  
});
```

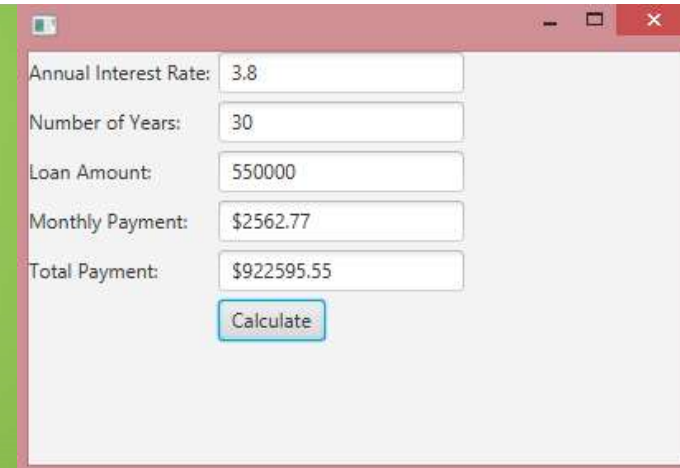
(b) Lambda expression event handler

```
public class LambdaHandlerDemo extends Application {
    @Override
    public void start(Stage primaryStage) {
        HBox hBox = new HBox();
        hBox.setSpacing(10);
        hBox.setAlignment(Pos.CENTER);
        Button btNew = new Button("New");
        Button btOpen = new Button("Open");
        Button btSave = new Button("Save");
        Button btPrint = new Button("Print");
        hBox.getChildren().addAll(btNew, btOpen, btSave, btPrint);
        btNew.setOnAction(e -> {
            System.out.println("Process New");
        });
        btOpen.setOnAction(e -> {
            System.out.println("Process Open");
        });
        btSave.setOnAction(e -> {
            System.out.println("Process Save");
        });
        btPrint.setOnAction(e -> {
            System.out.println("Process Print");
        });
        ...
    }
}
```



LOAN CALCULATOR

```
public class LoanCalculator extends Application {  
    private Stage primaryStage;  
    private TextField tfAnnualInterestRate;  
    private TextField tfNumberOfYears;  
    private TextField tfLoanAmount;  
    private TextField tfMonthlyPayment;  
    private TextField tfTotalPayment;  
    private Button btCalculate;  
    private Scene scene;  
  
    @Override  
    public void start(Stage initPrimaryStage) {  
        primaryStage = initPrimaryStage;  
        layoutGUI();  
        initHandlers();  
    }  
    ...  
}
```



A screenshot of a JavaFX application window titled "Loan Calculator". The window has a light gray background and a red title bar with standard window controls. It contains five text input fields and a button. The fields are labeled "Annual Interest Rate:", "Number of Years:", "Loan Amount:", "Monthly Payment:", and "Total Payment:". The values entered in the fields are 3.8, 30, 550000, \$2562.77, and \$922595.55 respectively. A blue "Calculate" button is located below the "Total Payment" field.

Field	Value
Annual Interest Rate:	3.8
Number of Years:	30
Loan Amount:	550000
Monthly Payment:	\$2562.77
Total Payment:	\$922595.55

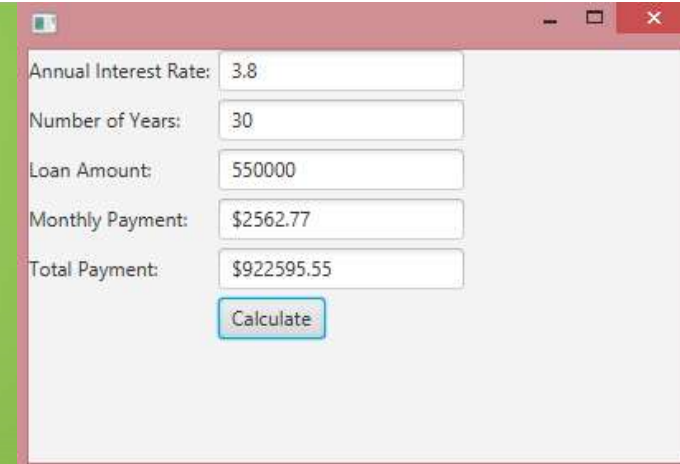
Calculate

LOAN CALCULATOR

...

```
public void layoutGUI() {  
    tfAnnualInterestRate = new TextField();  
    tfNumberOfYears = new TextField();  
    tfLoanAmount = new TextField();  
    tfMonthlyPayment = new TextField();  
    tfTotalPayment = new TextField();  
    btCalculate = new Button("Calculate");  
    GridPane gridPane = new GridPane();  
    scene = new Scene(gridPane, 400, 250);  
    primaryStage.setScene(scene);  
    primaryStage.show();  
}
```

...



The screenshot shows a Java Swing window titled "Loan Calculator" with a red title bar. The window contains a light gray background with five text input fields and a button. The fields are labeled "Annual Interest Rate:", "Number of Years:", "Loan Amount:", "Monthly Payment:", and "Total Payment:". The values entered in the fields are 3.8, 30, 550000, \$2562.77, and \$922595.55 respectively. A blue button labeled "Calculate" is positioned below the "Total Payment:" field.

Field Label	Value
Annual Interest Rate:	3.8
Number of Years:	30
Loan Amount:	550000
Monthly Payment:	\$2562.77
Total Payment:	\$922595.55

Calculate

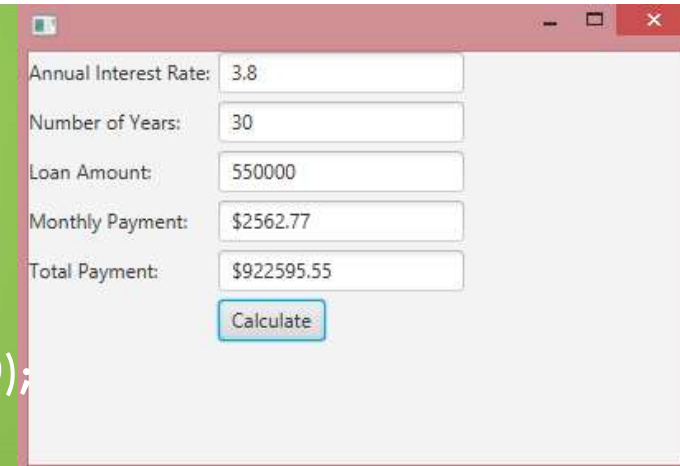
LOAN CALCULATOR

...

```
gridPane.setHgap(5);
gridPane.setVgap(5);
gridPane.add(new Label("Annual Interest Rate:"), 0, 0);
gridPane.add(tfAnnualInterestRate, 1, 0);
gridPane.add(new Label("Number of Years:"), 0, 1);
gridPane.add(tfNumberOfYears, 1, 1);
gridPane.add(new Label("Loan Amount:"), 0, 2);
gridPane.add(tfLoanAmount, 1, 2);
gridPane.add(new Label("Monthly Payment:"), 0, 3);
gridPane.add(tfMonthlyPayment, 1, 3);
gridPane.add(new Label("Total Payment:"), 0, 4);
gridPane.add(tfTotalPayment, 1, 4);
gridPane.add(btCalculate, 1, 5);
```

}

...

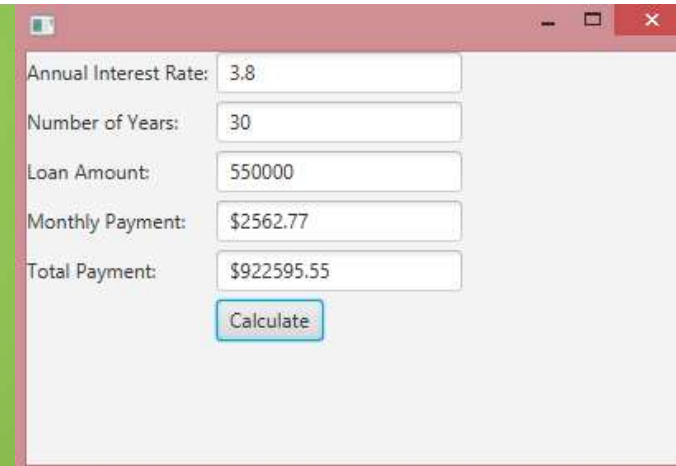


A screenshot of a Java Swing window titled "Loan Calculator". The window has a light gray background and a red title bar with standard window controls. It contains five text input fields arranged vertically, each with a label to its left. The labels and their corresponding values are: "Annual Interest Rate:" with "3.8", "Number of Years:" with "30", "Loan Amount:" with "550000", "Monthly Payment:" with "\$2562.77", and "Total Payment:" with "\$922595.55". Below these fields is a blue button with the text "Calculate".

Field	Value
Annual Interest Rate	3.8
Number of Years	30
Loan Amount	550000
Monthly Payment	\$2562.77
Total Payment	\$922595.55

LOAN CALCULATOR

```
public void initHandlers() {  
    btCalculate.setOnAction(e -> calculateLoanPayment());  
}  
  
private void calculateLoanPayment()  
{  
    double interest = Double.parseDouble(tfAnnualInterestRate.getText());  
    int year = Integer.parseInt(tfNumberOfYears.getText());  
    double loanAmount = Double.parseDouble(tfLoanAmount.getText());  
    Loan loan = new Loan(interest, year, loanAmount);  
    tfMonthlyPayment.setText(String.format("$%.2f", loan.getMonthlyPayment()));  
    tfTotalPayment.setText(String.format("$%.2f", loan.getTotalPayment()));  
}  
  
public static void main(String[] args)  
{  
    launch(args);  
}
```



The screenshot shows a Java Swing window titled "LOAN CALCULATOR" with a red title bar. Inside the window, there are five text input fields and one button. The fields are labeled "Annual Interest Rate:", "Number of Years:", "Loan Amount:", "Monthly Payment:", and "Total Payment:". The values entered in the fields are 3.8, 30, 550000, \$2562.77, and \$922595.55 respectively. A blue "Calculate" button is located below the "Total Payment:" field.

Field	Value
Annual Interest Rate:	3.8
Number of Years:	30
Loan Amount:	550000
Monthly Payment:	\$2562.77
Total Payment:	\$922595.55

Calculate

MOUSEEVENT

javafx.scene.input.MouseEvent

+getButton(): MouseButton
+getClickCount(): int
+getX(): double
+getY(): double
+getSceneX(): double
+getSceneY(): double
+getScreenX(): double
+getScreenY(): double
+isAltDown(): boolean
+isControlDown(): boolean
+isMetaDown(): boolean
+isShiftDown(): boolean

Indicates which mouse button has been clicked.

Returns the number of mouse clicks associated with this event.

Returns the *x*-coordinate of the mouse point in the event source node.

Returns the *y*-coordinate of the mouse point in the event source node.

Returns the *x*-coordinate of the mouse point in the scene.

Returns the *y*-coordinate of the mouse point in the scene.

Returns the *x*-coordinate of the mouse point in the screen.

Returns the *y*-coordinate of the mouse point in the screen.

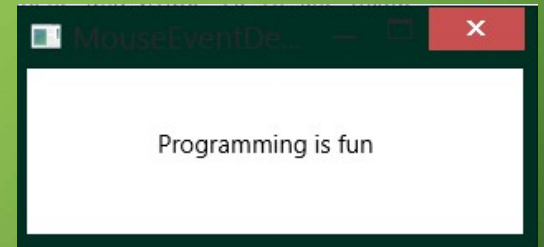
Returns true if the **Alt** key is pressed on this event.

Returns true if the **Control** key is pressed on this event.

Returns true if the mouse **Meta** button is pressed on this event.

Returns true if the **Shift** key is pressed on this event.

```
public class MouseEventDemo extends Application {  
    @Override  
    public void start(Stage primaryStage) {  
        Pane pane = new Pane();  
        Text text = new Text(20, 20, "Programming is fun");  
        pane.getChildren().addAll(text);  
        text.setOnMouseDragged(e -> {  
            text.setX(e.getX());  
            text.setY(e.getY());  
        });  
  
        Scene scene = new Scene(pane, 300, 100);  
        primaryStage.setTitle("MouseEventDemo");  
        primaryStage.setScene(scene);  
        primaryStage.show();  
    }  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        launch(args);  
    }  
}
```



THE KEYEVENT CLASS

javafx.scene.input.KeyEvent

+getCharacter(): String
+getCode(): KeyCode
+getText(): String
+isAltDown(): boolean
+isControlDown(): boolean
+isMetaDown(): boolean
+isShiftDown(): boolean

Returns the character associated with the key in this event.
Returns the key code associated with the key in this event.
Returns a string describing the key code.
Returns true if the **Alt** key is pressed on this event.
Returns true if the **Control** key is pressed on this event.
Returns true if the mouse **Meta** button is pressed on this event.
Returns true if the **Shift** key is pressed on this event.

```
public class KeyEventDemo extends Application {  
    @Override  
    public void start(Stage primaryStage) {  
        Pane pane = new Pane();  
        Text text = new Text(20, 20, "A");  
        text.setFocusTraversable(true);  
        pane.getChildren().add(text);  
        text.setOnKeyPressed(e -> {  
            switch (e.getCode()) {  
                case DOWN: text.setY(text.getY() + 10); break;  
                case UP:   text.setY(text.getY() - 10); break;  
                case LEFT: text.setX(text.getX() - 10); break;  
                case RIGHT: text.setX(text.getX() + 10); break;  
                default:  
                    if (Character.isLetterOrDigit(e.getText().charAt(0)))  
                        text.setText(e.getText());  
            }  
        });  
        Scene scene = new Scene(pane);  
        primaryStage.setTitle("KeyEventDemo");  
        primaryStage.setScene(scene);  
        primaryStage.show();  
    }  
}
```



THE KEYCODE CONSTANTS

<i>Constant</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Constant</i>	<i>Description</i>
HOME	The Home key	CONTROL	The Control key
END	The End key	SHIFT	The Shift key
PAGE_UP	The Page Up key	BACK_SPACE	The Backspace key
PAGE_DOWN	The Page Down key	CAPS	The Caps Lock key
UP	The up-arrow key	NUM_LOCK	The Num Lock key
DOWN	The down-arrow key	ENTER	The Enter key
LEFT	The left-arrow key	UNDEFINED	The keyCode unknown
RIGHT	The right-arrow key	F1 to F12	The function keys from F1 to F12
ESCAPE	The Esc key	0 to 9	The number keys from 0 to 9
TAB	The Tab key	A to Z	The letter keys from A to Z

JAVAFX SUPPORT FOR MOBILE DEVICES

JavaFX has event programming support for mobile devices:

```
javafx.scene.input.SwipeEvent,  
javafx.scene.input.TouchEvent,  
javafx.scene.input.ZoomEvent.
```

Example:

<http://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/javafx/events-tutorial/gestureeventsjava.htm>

<http://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/javafx/events-tutorial/toucheventsjava.htm>