```
\#(1\ 2\ 3\ 4) collect: [:each | each *\ 2] \longrightarrow \#(2\ 4\ 6\ 8)
#(1 2 3 4)
   inject: 0
   into: [:each:result | each + result ] ----
" testing "
#( 2 4 ) anySatisfy: [:each | each odd ] \longrightarrow
                                                 false
#(24) allSatisfy: [:each | each even] ----
                                                true
" findina "
'abcdef' includes: $e → true
'abcdef' contains: [:each | each isUppercase ] → false
'abcdef'
   detect: [:each | each isVowel]
   ifNone: [\$u] \longrightarrow \$a
" String – a collection of characters "
string := 'abc'.
                               'abcDEF'
string := string , 'DEF' ----
string beginsWith: 'abc'
string endsWith: 'abc' ----
string includesSubString: 'cD'
                                       true
string asLowercase --> 'abcdef
string asUppercase --- 'ABCDEF'
" OrderedCollection - an ordered collection of objects "
ordered := OrderedCollection new.
ordered addLast: 'world'.
ordered addFirst: 'hello'.
ordered size \longrightarrow 2
ordered at: 2 \longrightarrow
                      'world'
ordered removeLast ---- 'world'
ordered removeFirst ----
                              'hello'
ordered is Empty ---- true
" Set - an unordered collection of objects without duplicates "
set := Set new.
set add 'hello'; add: 'hello'.
set size --- 1
" Bag - an unordered collection of objects with duplicates "
bag := Bag new.
bag add: 'this'; add: 'that'; add: 'that'.
bag occurrencesOf: 'that' --> 2
bag remove: 'that'.
bag occurrencesOf: 'that' --> 1
" Dictionary – associates unique keys with objects "
dictionary := Dictionary new.
dictionary at: 'smalltalk' put: 80.
dictionary at: 'smalltalk' --> 80
dictionary at: 'squeak' ifAbsent: [82] ----
dictionary removeKey: 'smalltalk'.
dictionary is Empty --> true
```

### Streams

```
"ReadStream – to read a sequence of objects from a collection
"
stream := 'Hello World' readStream.
stream next — $H
stream upTo: $0 — 'ell'
stream skip: 2.
stream peek — $0
stream upToEnd — 'orld'

"WriteStream – to write a sequence of objects to a collection "
stream := WriteStream on: Array new.
stream nextPut: 'Hello'.
stream nextPutAll: #( 1 2 3 ).
stream contents — #( 'Hello' 1 2 3 )
```

## File Streams

fileStream := FileDirectory default newFileNamed: 'tmp.txt'. fileStream nextPutAll: 'my cool stuff'. fileStream close.

fileStream := FileDirectory default oldFileNamed: 'tmp.txt'. fileStream contents —— 'my cool stuff'

### Method Definition

messageSelectorAndArgumentNames
"comment stating purpose of message"
| temporary variable names |
statements

### **Class Definition**

Object subclass: #NameOfSubclass instanceVariableNames: 'instVar1 instVar2' classVariableNames: " poolDictionaries: " category: 'Category-Name'

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# Smalltalk Cheat Sheet

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## 1. The Environment

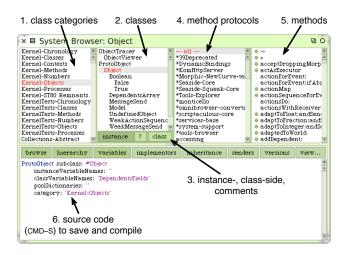


Figure 1: The Smalltalk Code Browser

- Do it (CMD-D): Evaluate selected code.
- Print it (CMD-P): Display the result of evaluating selected code.
- Debug it: Evaluate selected code step-by-step with the integrated debugger.
- Inspect it (CMD-I): Show an *object inspector* on the result of evaluating selected code.
- Explore it (CMD-SHIFT-I): Show an *object explorer* on the result of evaluating selected code.

# 2. The Language

- Everything is an object.
- Everything happens by sending messages.
- Single inheritance.
- Methods are public.
- Instance variables are private to objects.

## **Keywords**

- self, the receiver.
- super, the receiver, method lookup starts in superclass.
- nil, the unique instance of the class UndefinedObject.
- true, the unique instance of the class True.
- false, the unique instance of the class False.
- thisContext, the current execution context.

### Literals

- Integer 123 2r1111011 (123 in binary) 16r7B (123 in hexadecimal)
- Float 123.4 1.23e-4
- Character \$a
- String 'abc'
- Symbol #abc
- Array #(123 123.4 \$a 'abc' #abc)

# Message Sends

- 1. *Unary messages* take no argument. 1 factorial sends the message factorial to the object 1.
- 2. *Binary messages* take exactly one argument. 3 + 4 sends message + with argument 4 to the object 3. #answer -> 42 sends -> with argument 42 to #answer. Binary selectors are built from one or more of the characters +, -, \*, =, <, >, ...

3. Keyword messages take one or more arguments. 2 raisedTo: 6 modulo: 10 sends the message named raisedTo:modulo: with arguments 6 and 10 to the object 2.

Unary messages are sent first, then binary messages and finally keyword messages:

2 raisedTo: 1 + 3 factorial --- 128

Messages are sent left to right. Use parentheses to change the order:

$$\begin{array}{cccc}
1 + 2 * 3 & \longrightarrow & 9 \\
1 + (2 * 3) & \longrightarrow & 7
\end{array}$$

## Syntax

- Comments "Comments are enclosed in double quotes"
- Temporary Variables | var | | var1 var2 |
- Assignment var := aStatement var1 := var2 := aStatement
- Statements aStatement1. aStatement2 aStatement1, aStatement2, aStatement3
- Messages receiver message (unary message) receiver + argument (binary message) receiver message: argument (keyword message) receiver message: argument1 with: argument2
- Cascade receiver message1; message2 receiver message1; message2; arg2; message3; arg3
- Blocks [aStatement1.aStatement2] [:argument1 | aStatement1. aStatement2] [:argument1:argument2||temp1 temp2|aStatement1]
- Return Statement ^ aStatement

## 3. Standard Classes

# Logical expressions

```
true not \longrightarrow false
1 = 2 \text{ or: } [2 = 1] \longrightarrow \text{ false}
1 < 2 and: [2 > 1] \longrightarrow true
```

### Conditionals

```
1 = 2 ifTrue: [ Transcript show: '1 is equal to 2'].
1 = 2 ifFalse: [ Transcript show: '1 isn"t equal to 2'].
100 factorial / 99 factorial = 100
   ifTrue: [ Transcript show: 'condition evaluated to true' ]
   ifFalse: [ Beeper beep ].
Loops
" conditional iteration "
[Sensor anyButtonPressed]
   whileFalse: [ "wait" ].
pen := Pen newOnForm: Display.
pen place: Sensor cursorPoint.
[ Sensor anyButtonPressed ]
   whileTrue: [pen goto: Sensor cursorPoint].
" fixed iteration "
180 timesRepeat: [
   pen turn: 88.
   pen go: 250 ].
1 to: 100 do: [:index |
   pen go: index * 4.
   bic turn: 89 ].
" infinite loop (press CMD+. to break) "
[pen goto: Sensor cursorPoint] repeat.
Blocks (anonymous functions)
" evaluation "
[1+2] value \longrightarrow 3
[:x \mid x + 2] value: 1 \longrightarrow 3
[:x:y|x+y] value: 1 value: 2 \longrightarrow 3
" processes "
[ (Delay for Duration: 5 seconds) wait.
 Collections
" iterating "
'abc' do: [:each | Transcript show: each ].
'abc'
   do: [:each | Transcript show: each ]
   separatedBy: [ Transcript cr ].
" transforming "
#(1 2 3 4) select: [:each | each even] \longrightarrow #(2 4)
```

 $\#(1\ 2\ 3\ 4)\ reject: [:each | each = 2] \longrightarrow \#(1\ 3\ 4)$