

Cheatsheet Java

Comments

Single-line Comment:

```
1 String txt = "Hello!";
2 //this is a Comment
3 System.out.println(txt);
4
```

Multi-line Comment:

```
1 String txt = "Hello!";
2 /*Comments will not be
3 executed */
4 System.out.println(txt);
```

Control structures

```
1 if(condition1){
2     /*if condition1 true,
3     execute*/
4 }
5 else if(condition2){
6     /*if condition1 false and
7     condition2 true, execute */
8 }
9 else{
10    /*if everything false, execute
11    */
12 }
```

Loops

```
1 for(int i=0; i<10; i++){
2     //execute 10 times
3 }
4 while(condition){
5     //execute as long as condition
6 }
7 do{
8     //execute at least once
9 }while(condition);
```

Switch

```
1 switch(expression){
2     case 1:
3         //execute if expression==1
4         break;
5     case 2:
6         //execute if expression==2
7         break;
8     default:
9         //execute if expression is
10        not 1 or 2 */
11        break;
12 }
```

Functions

```
1 //Declaration and Implementation
2 <ret-type> <func-name>(<para-type>
3     <para-name>, ...){
4     // function body
5     //execute
6     return <expression>;
7 }
8 //Function call
9 <func-name>(<argument>, ...);
```

Types

Primitive data types:

Type	Size	Type	Size
byte	8 bit	float	32 bit
short	16 bit	double	64 bit
int	32 bit	Type	Value
long	64 bit	char	'a', 'G'
		boolean	true, false
		void	-

Typecasting: *byte* → *short* → *char* → *int* → *long* → *float* → *double*

Non-Primitive data types:

Type	Value
String	"Hello World!"
Array	int[] myNum = {10, 20, 30, 40};

Declaration, Initialisation

Declaration: int a; String txt;

<Type>< Name>;

Initialisation: int b = 50; int b = a;

<Type><Name>=<Literal/Variable>;

Assignment: a = b; txt = "abc";

Operations

Arithmetic:

Operation	Example
+	3 + 5 == 8
-	7 - 2 == 5
*	4 * 2 == 8
/	7 / 2 == 3
% (Modulo)	72 % 10 == 2

Comparison:

Operator	Math	Example
>	>	5 > 2
>=	≥	5 >= 2
<	<	10 < 21
<=	≤	5 <= 5
==	=	5 == 5
!=	≠	-32 != 32

Arrays

```
1 //Declaration
2 <type>[] <name>;
3 int[] arr;
4 //allocation
5 <name> = new <type>[<size>];
6 arr = new int[5];
7 //or
8 <name> = {<element1>, ...};
9 arr = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5};
10 //Access
11 <name>[<index>];
12 arr[2] = 5;
```

Strings

```
1 /*Strings are immutable and come
2 with a number of methods
3 already implemented*/
4 //Declaration
5 String <name>=new String(<value>);
6 String helloString=new String("
7     hello");
7 //or
8 String <name>=<value>;
9 String helloString="hello";
10 //Small Selection of useful Methods
11 helloString.length();
12 helloString.charAt(<index>);
13 helloString.split(" ");
```

Object-Oriented Programming

• Attributes:

define the state of an Object

Data

Describes the Object

Other names: fields, properties

Modifier always private, use Get-ter/Setter for access

• Methods:

describes behavior of an Object

Code/Function

Changes the state of the object

Or interacts with other objects

Modifier mostly public

```
1 // Defining Class
2 class <class-name>{
3     //Attributes
4     <modifier> <type> <var-name>;
5     //Methods
6     <modifier> <ret-type> <func-name>
7         <(<para-type> <para-name>,
8         ...){
9         // function body
10    }
11 }
12
13 class Room {
14     private int chairs = 4; //
15     Attribute
16     public void addChairs(int chairs)
17     {
18         this.chairs += chairs;
19     } //Method
20 }
21
22 //Creating Object
23 <class-name> <obj-name> =
24 new <class-name>();
25 Room kitchen = new Room();
26
27 //Accessing Attributes and Methods
28 <obj-name>.<var-name>; //Attribute
29 kitchen.chairs;
30
31 <obj-name>.<func-name>
32 (<argument>, ...); //Method
33 kitchen.addChairs(2);
34
35 //to access members of own class
36 use keyword this:*/
37 this.<var-name>;
38 this.<func-name>(<argument>, ...);
39 this.chairs += 5;
```

Access modifiers to define access to an attribute or method:

- public: Anyone can access the member, default
- private: Only the class itself can access the member
- protected: Only the class itself and its subclasses can access the member

Constructor:

• same name as class

• will get called if a new object is created

• mostly used for Initialisation of attributes

```
1 class <class-name> {
2     public <class-name>(){...}{
3         //constructor body
4     }
5     ...
6 }
7 class Student {
8     public Student(String name, ...){
9         this.name = name;
10    }
11 }
12 }
```

Inheritance

```
1 /* To give a subclass all members
2 of a superclass
3 to inherit use 'extends' keyword */
4 class Vehicle {
5     ...
6 }
7 class Car extends Vehicle {
8     ...
9 }
10
11 /* use 'super' to refer
12 to the superclass */
13 class <Subclass-name> extends
14 <Superclass-name> {
15     public <Subclass-name>(){
16         super();
17     }
18 }
19
20 /*use @Override to replace a
21 method from the superclass */
22 @Override
23 public <Superclass-Method>(){
24     /* calls the method
25     of the superclass */
26     super.<Superclass-Method>();
27     //insert own code here
28 }
```