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Lesson 2
Data and Operators

Programming

Grade in Computer Science

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1. Basic data types and variables
2. Input and output
3. Comments
4. Arrays
5. Operations with data
6. Casting between data types
7. Enumerates
8. Classes as data structures

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Data

Information processed by the program

read from the keyboard
used in calculations
printed on the screen
written on a file
…

Literals

Values directly introduced in the program

Variables

Symbols whose value change during the program execution

> piece of memory with a readable name

Literals

Integers
- `int`
- `long`
- `short`
- `byte`

Real
- `float`
- `double`

Characters
- `char`

Boolean
- `boolean`

String
- `String`

Type	Example
`int`	`-2147483648, 2147483647`
`long`	`-85738593L, 8593854L`
`short`	`-30000, 8438, -4923`
`byte`	`-32, 123, 39`
`float`	`-3.56E+30F, 8.234`
`double`	`-2.49E+300, 3.95E+200`
`char`	`'a', 'D', '\n', '\\', '\"'`
`boolean`	`true, false`
`String`	`"hello world!"`

Integers

Signed (positive and negative integer values)

Four types: **`byte`**, **`short`**, **`int`**, **`long`**

Range is platform independent

By default integers are of type `int`

For a long append an `L`

Example

```
> int
    123456
    -156
> long
    123456L
    989493849859L
    -284829848L
```

Real (floating point)

Two types: **`float`**, **`double`**

By default floats are of type `double`

For a float append an `F`

Example

```
> double
    123.45
    -18.23
    3.14E-5
> float
    123.45F
    3.45E+21F
    -284829848F
```

Special values for **`float`** and **`double`**:

Infinity (`Inf`), -Infinity (`-Inf`), not a number (`NaN`)

These values may appear as a result of an operation, but cannot be directly assigned

Characters

Enclosed between single quotes: `'a'`, `'A'`

Escape characters: `'\''`, `'\b'`, `'\t'`, `'\n'`, `'\\'`, …

UNICODE 16 bits

Each characters has an equivalent numerical code, defined by the UNICODE standard

Unicode code `'\u0065'` corresponds to `'A'`

Characters and integers can be interchanged in some cases

Integer value 65 corresponds to `'A'`

1. Basic data types and variables

UNICODE table

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Strings are complex data types to represent and manage a string of characters

Enclosed between double quotes " " (shift + 2 key)

```
"Hello world!"

"My name is Bond"
```

Strings can be concatenated with the **+** operator

```
"My name is Bond"
```

1. Basic data types and variables

Literals example

DatatypeExamples.java

```
public class DatatypeExamples {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        // int values
        System.out.println(134);
        System.out.println(134L);

        // float values
        System.out.println(3.45E+5);

        // special float values
        System.out.println(1.1E200*1.E200);
        System.out.println(-1.1E200*1.E200);
        System.out.println(Math.sqrt(-1));

        // character values
        System.out.println('a');
        System.out.println('\'');
        System.out.println('\\');
        System.out.println('\u0061');

        // String values
        System.out.println("Hello world!");
        System.out.println("Hello world!" + " My name is J.");
    }

}
```

Compilation error
Error in Java syntax
The program cannot run

Runtime error
Error in the execution of the program

`System.out.println`
Printing instruction

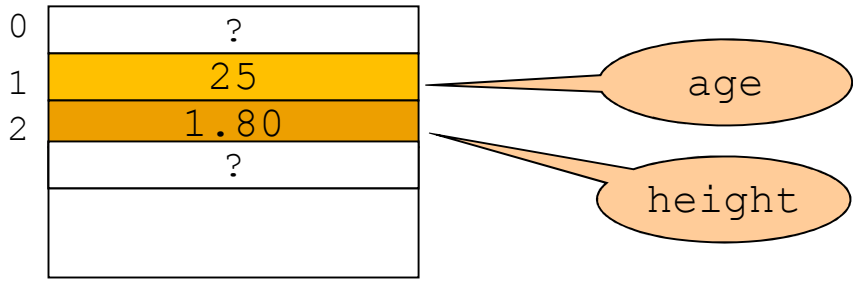
Comments
Notes to the code

Variables store data that can be changed during the execution of a program

Can be seen as a piece of the memory to store a piece of data

User-defined readable name for a cell of the memory

When the name (or identifier) of the variable is used in the program, the information at the address of the variable is accessed



Variables store data that can be changed during the execution of a program

Java is a *strongly typed language*: Necessary to **declare a variable before it is used and define the type of the variable**

Java Syntax for declaration of variables:


```
<type> identifier [=value] [, identifier[=value]…];
```

- `int, char…`
- name
- optional
- optional: definition of several variables

[ ] optional
< > compulsory

1. Basic data types and variables

Variable types

Type	Contains	Default	Size	Range
`boolean`	`true` or `false`	`false`	1 bit	NA
`char`	Unicode character	'\u0000'	16 bits	'\u0000' to '\uFFFF'
`byte`	Signed integer	0	8 bits	-128 to 127
`short`	Signed integer	0	16 bits	-32768 to 32767
`int`	Signed integer	0	32 bits	-2147483648 to 2147483647
`long`	Signed integer	0	64 bits	-9223372036854775808 to 9223372036854775807
`float`	IEEE 754 floating point	0.0	32 bits	±1.4E-45 to ±3.4028235E+38
`double`	IEEE 754 floating point	0.0	64 bits	±4.9E-324 to ±1.7976931348623157E+308
`String`	Unicode character string	Empty string	-	-

1. Basic data types and variables

Variable declaration and assignation

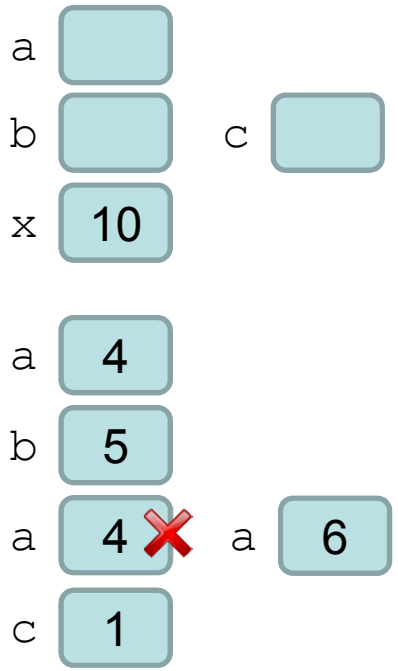
VariablesExamples.java

```
public class VariablesExamples {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        // Declaration of integer variables
        int a;              // integer variable
        int b, c;           // two integer variables
        int x = 10;         // integer variable and initialization

        // Use of integer variables
        a = 4;              // first value
        b = 5;              // first value
        a = 6;              // change of value
        c = a - b;          // association of the result of
                            // an arithmetical operation
    }

}
```



Variable declaration
Memory is allocated

Variable initialization
First value assignment

Variable definition
Declaration + initialization

Variables are not valid in a whole *program*

- Names can be reused
- Side-effects are avoided

Scope: Section of the code where the variable is valid and can be used

The scope of a variable encompasses is the block of code in which it is declared

- A block is delimited by braces { }
  - Also named curly brackets

1. Basic data types and variables

Variable declaration and assignments

VariablesExamples.java

```
// Pre-declaration
z = a * b;       // ERROR! z has not been defined

// Scope of a variable
{
    int z = -1;
}
z = 2;           // ERROR! z is out of scope

// Other declarations and use of variables
double pi = 3.1416, phi = 1.6180;
double r  = 5;
double area_of_circle = pi * (r * r);
System.out.println(area_of_circle);

char letter = 'a';
letter = 'b';
//letter = r;              // ERROR! "r" is a double
                           // and "letter" a character
boolean is_late = true;
is_late = false;
```

Variable assignment

Variables can be assigned to values with different types only under certain conditions

Special variables whose value cannot be changed during the execution of the program

Use **`final`** in the declaration of a variable to make it constant:

```
final <type> <identifier> [= value];
```

Constants are used as variables

E.g.:

```
final double PI = 3.14;
double r = 5;
double a = 2 * PI * r;
```

The value of a constant **can be modified only once**! Otherwise, we get a compilation error.

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Arrays are collections of elements of the same type which are collectively *managed*

Creation

Syntax for declaration of one-dimensional arrays

```
<type> [] <identifier>;
```

E.g.:

```
int [] myArray;
```

Syntax for initialization of one-dimensional arrays

```
<identifier> = new <type>[<n° of elements>];
```

E.g.:

```
myArray = new int[10];
```

Syntax for accessing values

```
<identifier>[<position>];
```

E.g.:

```
System.out.println(myArray[2]);
```

Array elements have a default value

Array elements do not have to be initialized before using them in an expression

Default values are 0 for numbers and characters, false for booleans, null for Strings

Syntax for value assignment

```
identifier[<position>] = <value>;
```

E.g.:

```
myArray[3] = 28;
```

Syntax for multi-value assignment (only in initialization)

```
identifier = new <type>[] {<list of values>};
```

E.g.:

```
myArray = new int[] {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10};
```

Use `length` to get the **size of an array**

E.g.:

```
System.out.println(myArray.length)
```

2. Arrays

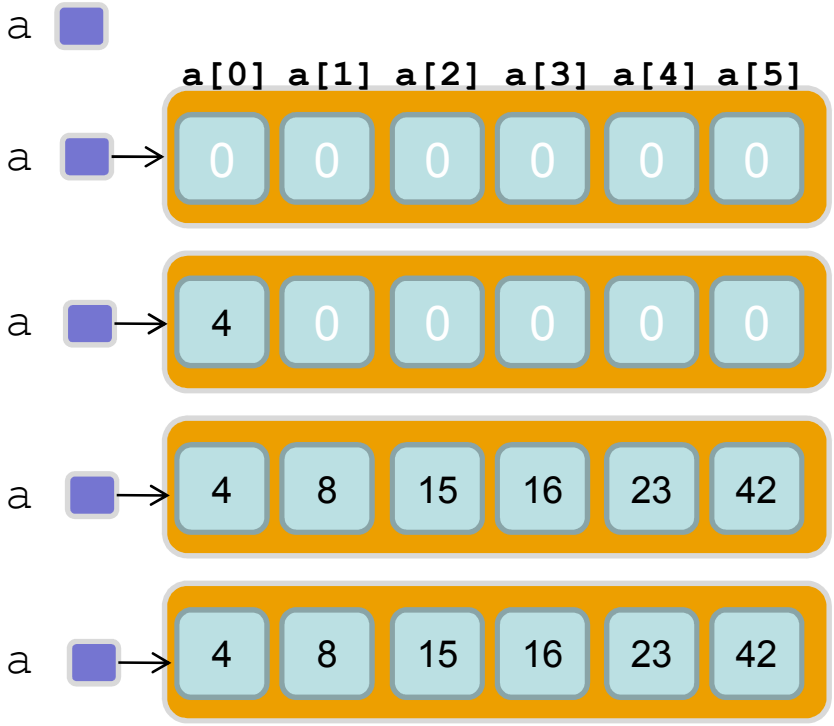
Basic array example

```
int [] a;
a = new int[6];
a[0] = 4;
a[1] = 8;
a[2] = 15;
a[3] = 16;
a[4] = 23;
a[5] = 42;

a[6] = 100;
```

Array index out of bounds

Accessing to a non-allocated position of an array is a serious mistake resulting in a runtime error



Runtime error!

ArraysExamples.java

Syntax for array assignment

Contents are not copied in a direct assignment! Both identifiers refers to the same array

```
<identifier1> = <identifier2>;
```

E.g.:

```
myArray_1 = myArray_2;
```

Syntax for array copy

Contents are copied! Both identifiers refers to different arrays

Option 1: `<identifier1>[index] = <identifier2>[index];`

E.g.:

```
myArray_1[0] = myArray_2[0];
```

Option 2: `System.arrayCopy(source_array, source_position, destination_array, destination_position, n_elements_to_copy)`

E.g.:

```
System.arrayCopy(myArray_2, 0, myArray_1, 0, myArray_1.length);
```

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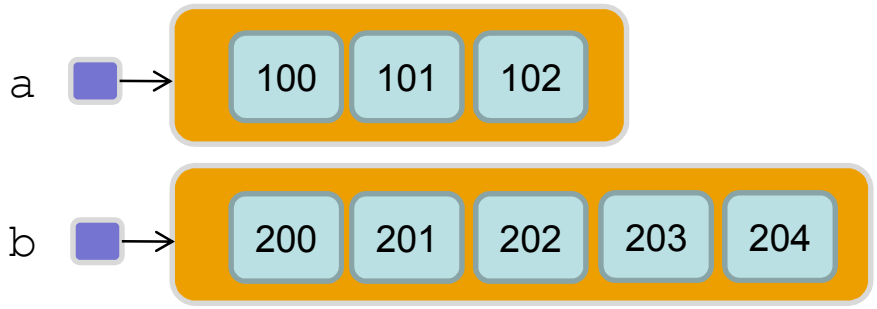
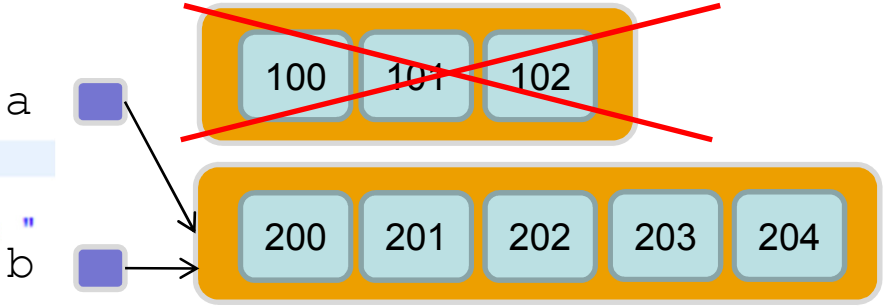
```
// Change size and values
a = new int[] {100, 101, 102};
System.out.println("0 new element: " + a[0]);
System.out.println("1 new element: " + a[1]);
System.out.println("2 new element: " + a[2]);


 // Array assignment
 int [] b = new int[5];
 b[0] = 200;
 b[1] = 201;
 b[2] = 202;
 b[3] = 203;
 b[4] = 204;


System.out.println("a length before assignment is: "
        + a.length);
a = b;
System.out.println("a length after assignment is: "
        + a.length);
System.out.println("0 element of a is: "
        + a[0]);
b[0] = 300;
System.out.println("0 element of a after assignment is: "
        + a[0]);
```






```
Console
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a length before assignment is: 3
a length after assignment is: 5
0 element of a is: 200
0 element of a after assignment is: 300
```
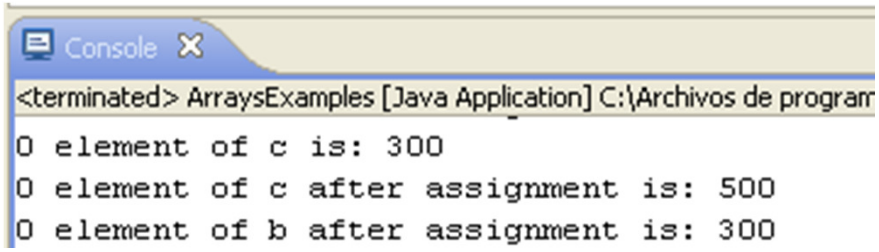
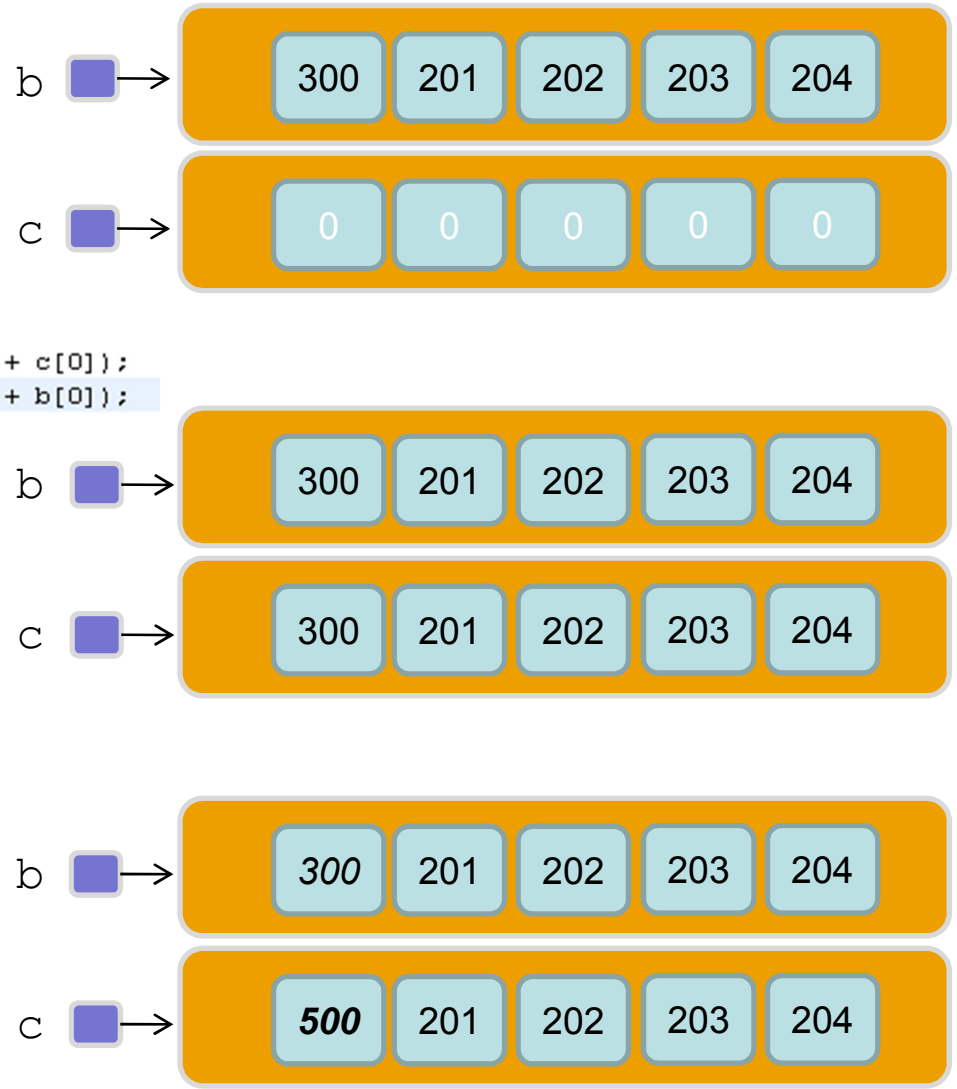

2. Arrays

Array copy example

```
// Array copy
int [] c;
c = new int[b.length];
System.arraycopy(b, 0, c, 0, b.length);
System.out.println("0 element of c is: " + c[0]);
c[0] = 500;
System.out.println("0 element of c after assignment is: " + c[0]);
System.out.println("0 element of b after assignment is: " + b[0]);
```





ArraysExamples.java

Multi-dimension arrays can be also created

Syntax for declaration of two-dimensional arrays

```
<type> [][] identifier;
```

E.g.:

```
int [][] my2DMatrix;
```

Syntax for initialization of two-dimensional arrays

```
identifier = new <type>[<n° elements>][<n° elements>];
```

E.g.:

```
my2DMatrix = new int[3][3];
```

Syntax for value assignment of two-dimensional arrays

```
identifier[<position>][<position>] = <value>;
```

E.g.:

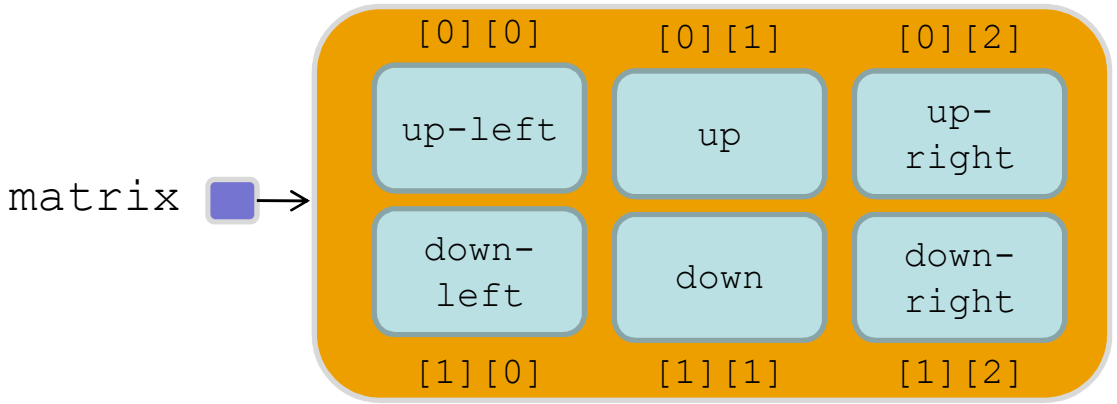
```
my2DMatrix[1][2] = 17;
```

Syntax and use can be **extended to n-dimension** arrays

2. Arrays

Multi-dimension arrays example

```
// Two-dimensional array
String [][] matrix = new String[2][3];
matrix[0][0] = "Up-Left";
matrix[0][1] = "Up";
matrix[0][2] = "Up-Right";
matrix[1][0] = "Down-Left";
matrix[1][1] = "Down";
matrix[1][2] = "Down-Right";
System.out.println("Element 1x1: " + matrix[1][1]);
```



ArraysExamples.java

Irregular arrays are arrays that have a different number of elements in each row

E.g.: A 2-dimensional array to store the names of the 1st year students, classified by group

Syntax for declaration of irregular two-dimensional arrays is the same as for regular arrays

```
<type> [][] <identifier>;
```

E.g.:

```
String [][] students;
```

Syntax for **initialization of irregular two-dimensional arrays is different!** Each row is created with a different new instruction.

```
<identifier> = new <type>[<n° rows>] [];
```

E.g.:

```
students    = new String[2][];
students[0] = new String[23];          // Students of grade in Computer Eng.
students[1] = new String[36];          // Students of grade in Comm. Syst.
```

Syntax for accessing values is the same as for regular arrays, but we must be **careful with the size of the arrays**

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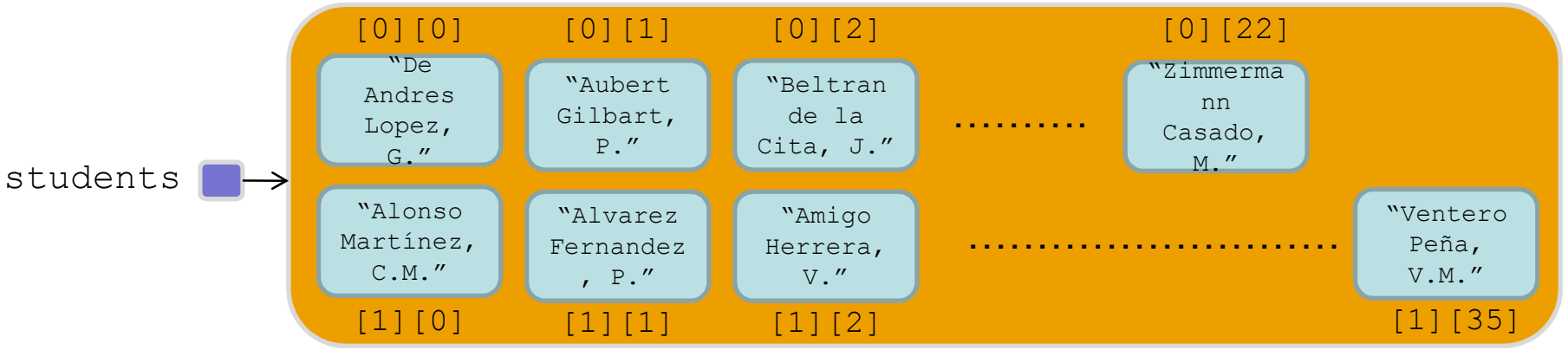
ArraysExamples.java

```
// Irregular arrays
String [][] students;
students = new String[2][];
students[0] = new String[23];
students[1] = new String[36];

// students of the group 89
students[0][0]  = "De Andres Lopez, G.";
students[0][1]  = "Aubert Gilbart, P.";
students[0][2]  = "Beltran de la Cita, J.";
students[0][22] = "Zimmermann Casado, M.";

// students of the group 65
students[1][0]  = "Alonso Martínez, C.M.";
students[1][1]  = "Alvarez Fernandez, P.";
students[1][2]  = "Amigo Herrera, V.";
students[1][35] = "Ventero Peña, V.M.";
```



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`System.out` for printing on the screen

Methods for writing on screen:

Without a line jump

```
System.out.print(<String>);
```

With a line jump

```
System.out.println(<String>);
```

A line jump can be achieved by writing a new line character '\n'

`> println("Hi!")` is equivalent to `print("Hi!\n")`

Strings can be concatenated with the **+** operator within printing instructions

Other values with different datatypes can be appended with the + operator

> Java automatically converts them into the corresponding string

Arrays must be printed element-by-element!

3. Input and output

Printing on the screen

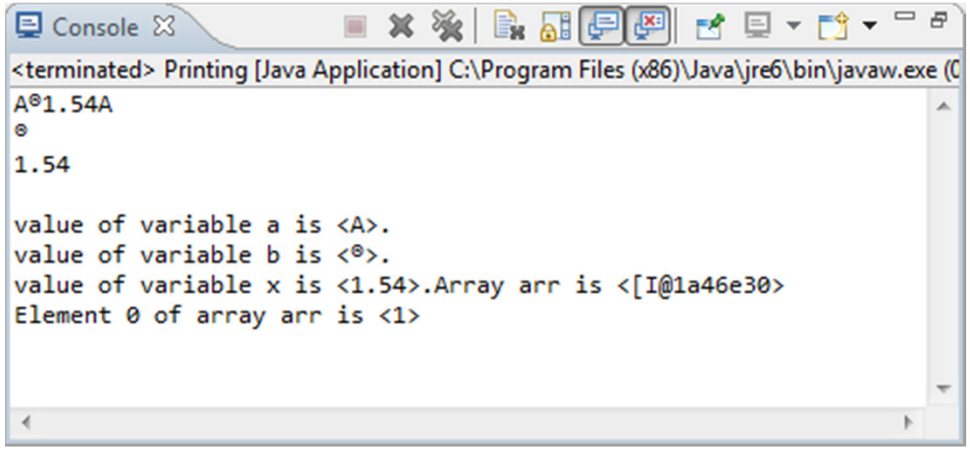
```
char a = 'A';
char b = '\u00AE';
double x = 1.54;

// Without new line
System.out.print(a);
System.out.print(b);
System.out.print(x);

// With new line (after the printing)
System.out.println(a);
System.out.println(b);
System.out.println(x);

// Concatenation of strings and values
System.out.print("\nvalue of variable a is <" + a + ">.\n");
System.out.println("value of variable b is <" + b + ">.");
System.out.print("value of variable x is <" + x + ">.");

// Arrays
int [] arr = new int[] {1, 2, 3, 4};
System.out.println("Array arr is <" + arr + ">");
System.out.println("Element 0 of array arr is <" + arr[0] + ">");
```



Printing.java

`Scanner` class can be used to read values from the keyboard

Use:

1. Import `java.util.* package`

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

2. Declare and initialize a `Scanner` object `sc`

```
Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
```

3. Read values

```
Integer:    int a = sc.nextInt ();
Float:      float b = sc.nextFloat();
Double:     double c = sc.nextDouble();
String:     String s = sc.next();        (No blank spaces)
            String s = sc.nextLine();    (With blank spaces)
…
```

3. Input and output

Reading from the keyboard

Reading.java

```java
// 1. Import java.util.*
import java.util.*;

public class Reading {

    public static void main(String [] args) {

        // 2. Define Scanner object
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);

        // 3. Read values
        String name;
        int age;

        System.out.print("What's your name? ");
        name = sc.nextLine();
        System.out.println("Hello " + name + "!");

        System.out.print("How old are you? ");
        age = sc.nextInt();
        System.out.println("So, you are " + age + " years old.");
    }

}
```

Console

```
<terminated> Reading [Java Application] C:\Program Files (x86)\Java\jre6\bin\javaw
What's your name? Juan Gomez
Hello Juan Gomez!
How old are you? 30
So, you are 30 years old.
```

Reading.java

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Comments are notes to the code that are not executed

Its **very important to comment the code well**:

- Makes the code readable and understandable
- Although we now know perfectly what it does, perhaps within years we will have to reuse it
- Perhaps other programmers reuse our code and need to understand it
- It is a good practice to introduce a comment at the beginning of each file describing what it does

Single line comments

Using the characters //

Everything appearing **on the right** is a comment, and it is ignored by the compiler

Multiple line comments

Using the characters /* for the beginning of the comment, and */ for the end

Everything written **in between** is a comment, and it is ignored by the compiler

4. Comments
Example

HelloWorld.java

```
/*
 * Name: HelloWorld.java
 * Description: Prints "Hello world!" on the screen
 * Author: Juan Gomez Romero
 * Version: 1.1
 * Creation: September 12, 2009
 * Modification: September 19, 2009
 */

public class HelloWorld {

    public static void main(String[] args) {

        // One-line comment

        // Printing instruction
        System.out.println("Hello World!");

        /* This
         * is a
         * multiple
         * line
         * comment */
    }

}
```

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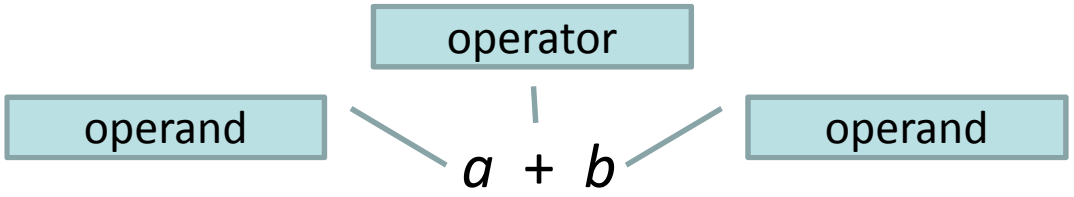
Expressions

An expression is a combination of data by means of one or several operators (e.g., *sum*)

Data can be literal values, variables, constants, and other expressions

> *calls to methods can be also included*

Data symbols in an expression are called **operands**



Expression composition is guided by rules

For example, operands must have a concrete type to be used in an operation

Non-initialized variables cannot be used in expressions

Compilation error

Operations with data

Arithmetic

Operate with numbers; the result is a number

Relational

Operate with numbers; the result is true/false

Conditional

Operate with true/false; the result is true/false

Bitwise

Operate with the binary representation of integer numbers; the result is a number

Assignment

Perform an operation on an expression and assign the resulting value to a variable

Expressions have a returning value

Returning values have a type

Expressions are said to have type

Two numbers

`+  -  *  /  %`

One number

`++  --`

Increasing / decreasing a variable

They can be used in prefix or suffix, and they have a different precedence

Ej.:

`x++` means increment `x` in 1

`++y` means increment `y` in 1

5. Operations with data

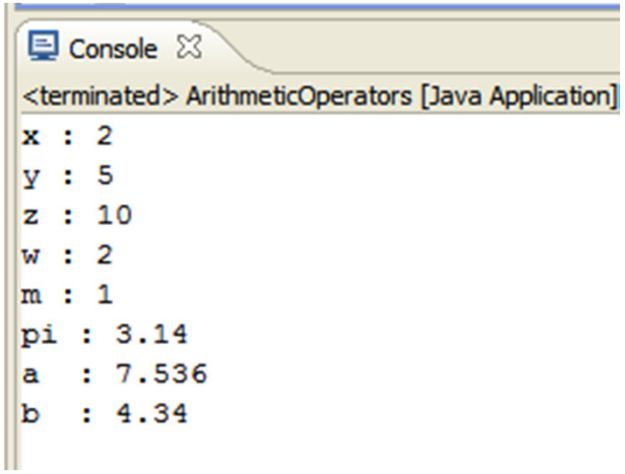
Arithmetic operators

```
// Integer operations
int x = 2,
    y = 5,
    z, w, m;

System.out.println("x : " + x);
System.out.println("y : " + y);
z = x * y;
System.out.println("z : " + z);
w = y / x;
System.out.println("w : " + w);
m = y % x;
System.out.println("m : " + m);

// Real operations
double pi = 3.14,
       r  = 1.2,
       a, b;

System.out.println("pi : " + pi);
a = 2.0 * pi * r;
System.out.println("a  : " + a);
b = pi + r;
System.out.println("b  : " + b);
```



ArithmeticOperators.java

```
// One number operations
int i = 3, j = 5,
    k;
i++;
System.out.println("i : " + i);
--j;
System.out.println("j : " + j);

i = 5;
k = ++i;
System.out.println("i : " + i);
System.out.println("k : " + k);

i = 5;
k = i++;
System.out.println("i : " + i);
System.out.println("k : " + k);
```

k = ++i is equivalent to

```
i = i + 1;
k = i;
```

k = i++ is equivalent to

```
k = i;
i = i + 1;
```

Console

<terminated> ArithmeticOperators [Java Application]

```
i : 4
j : 4
i : 6
k : 6
i : 6
k : 5
```

5. Operations with data

Arithmetic operators

```
i = 5;
k = i++ *2;
System.out.println("i : " + i);
System.out.println("k : " + k);

i = 5;
k = ++i *2;
System.out.println("i : " + i);
System.out.println("k : " + k);
```

k = i++ * 2 is equivalent to

```
k = i * 2;
i = i + 1;
```

k = ++i * 2 is equivalent to

```
i = i + 1;
k = i * 2;
```

Console

<terminated> ArithmeticOperators

```
i : 6
k : 10
i : 6
k : 12
```

ArithmeticOperators.java

Used for comparisons

`==` `!=` `>` `<` `>=` `<=`

Have a **`boolean`** value as result (true/false)

E.g.:

```
boolean result;
int x = 10, y = 16;
result = x == y;   // result is false
result = x <= y;   // result is true
```

For **`String`** comparisons, use **`equal`** method

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Relational operators

```
public static void main(String[] args) {

    // Comparisons between integers
    boolean result;
    int x = 10,
        y = 16;

    result = x == y;
    System.out.println("result is " + result);
    result = x != y;
    System.out.println("result is " + result);
    result = x <= y;
    System.out.println("result is " + result);

    // Comparisons between doubles
    double z = 0.345,
           w = 0.124;
    result = z >= y;
    System.out.println("result is " + result);

    // Comparisons between Strings
    String s1 = "ABCD",
           s2 = "abcd";
    result = s1.equals(s2);
    System.out.println("result is " + result);
    result = s1.equalsIgnoreCase(s2);
    System.out.println("result is " + result);
}
```

```
Console
<terminated> RelationalOperators [Java Application]
result is false
result is true
result is true
result is false
result is false
result is true
```

RelationalOperators.java

Used for operations between **`boolean`** values

AND: **`&`** **`&&`** OR: **`||`** **`|`** NOT: **`!`**

Logic operators are usually **combined with relational operators** to compose complex conditions

Result is a **`boolean`** value

E.g.:

```
boolean result;
int x = 10, y = 16;
result = (x != 0) &  (x <= y);     // true
result = (x <= y) || (y > 100);    // true
```

	a AND b		a OR b	
	b is true	*b is false*	*b is true*	*b is false*
a is true	true	false	true	true
a is false	false	false	true	false

`|` is OR; **`||`** is OR "short-circuit" (same for **`&`**, **`&&`**)

> the evaluation stops when the result is known

5. Operations with data

Logic operators

LogicOperators.java

```
package example;

public class LogicOperators {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int x = 10,
            y = 16;
        boolean result;

        result = (x != 0) &  (x <= y);
        System.out.println("result is " + result);
        result = (x <= y) || (y > 100);   // true
        System.out.println("result is " + result);

        result = (y % 2 == 0) &&
                 (Math.sqrt(y) - (int) Math.sqrt(y) == 0);
        System.out.println("result is " + result);
    }

}
```

Console

```
<terminated> LogicOperators [Java Application]
result is true
result is true
result is true
```

LogicOperators.java

Operations on the bit-based internal representation of integer values

- `~` NOT
- `&` AND
- `|` OR
- `^` XOR
- `>>` SHIFT right
- `>>>` SHIFT right with carry
- `<<` SHIFT left

Have an **`int`** value as result

- `short` and `byte` are promoted to **`int`**

Ej.:

```
int x = 64;
int y = x << 2;
```

Operator	Usage	Description
Bitwise AND	`a & b`	Returns a one in each bit position for which the corresponding bits of both operands are ones.
Bitwise OR	`a | b`	Returns a one in each bit position for which the corresponding bits of either or both operands are ones.
Bitwise XOR	`a ^ b`	Returns a one in each bit position for which the corresponding bits of either but not both operands are ones.
Bitwise NOT	`~ a`	Inverts the bits of its operand.
Left shift	`a << b`	Shifts `a` in binary representation `b` (< 32) bits to the left, shifting in zeros from the right.
Sign-propagating right shift	`a >> b`	Shifts `a` in binary representation `b` (< 32) bits to the right, discarding bits shifted off.
Zero-fill right shift	`a >>> b`	Shifts `a` in binary representation `b` (< 32) bits to the right, discarding bits shifted off, and shifting in zeros from the left.

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5. Operations with data

Bitwise operators

```
byte b = 64, a;
int i;
i = b << 2;
a = (byte) (b << 2);
System.out.println("b : " + b);
System.out.println("i : " + i);
System.out.println("a : " + a);

int x = 0xFFFFFFFF;
int y = ~x;
System.out.println("\nx : " + x);
System.out.println("y : " + y);

int bitmask = 0x00011000;
x = 0x00000001;
y = x & bitmask ;
System.out.println("\nx : " + x);
System.out.println("y : " + y);

x = 0x00000001;
y = x | bitmask ;
System.out.println("\nx : " + x);
System.out.println("y : " + y);

x = 0x00000001;
y = x ^ bitmask ;
System.out.println("\nx : " + x);
System.out.println("y : " + y);
```

```
Console
<terminated> BitwiseOperators [Java Application]
b : 64
i : 256
a : 0

x : -1
y : 0

x : 1
y : 0

x : 1
y : 69633

x : 1
y : 69633
```

BitwiseOperators.java

Change the value of the variable on the left by the result of the operator applied on the variable and the expression on the right

`<v> <op>= <exp>` is equivalent to `<v> = <v> <op> <exp>`

`=  +=  -=  *=  /=  %=  &=`
`|=  ^=  <<=  >>=  >>>=`

Abbreviation for an operation and a assignment

E.g.:

```
int x = 10, y = 2;
y += x;   // y = y + x;          (y : 12)
y -= ++x; // y = y - (x + 1);    (y : -9)
```

Special abbreviation involving boolean values:

```
<variable> =
    <logical expression> ?
    <value if true> : <value if false>;
```

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Assignment operators

AssignmentOperators.java

```
package example;

public class AssignmentOperators {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int x, y;
        x = 10;
        y = 2;

        // Assignment
        y += x;
        System.out.println("y : " + y);
        y -= ++x;
        System.out.println("y : " + y);
        y <<= 2;
        System.out.println("y : " + y);

        int a = 5,
            b = 6,
            c;

        // Conditional assignment
        c = (a - b > 0)? a - b : b - a;
        System.out.println("c : " + c);
    }

}
```

Console

```
<terminated> AssignmentOperators [Java Application]
y : 12
y : 1
y : 4
c : 1
```

AssignmentOperators.java

Precedence

If not specified, expressions are evaluated in a predefined order

> not directly from left to right

Similar to usual mathematical operator precedence

Parentheses ( ) are used when:

The order of operator application is ambiguous

We want to give higher precedence to some operators over others

We want to make the code more readable / understandable

E.g.:

```
int x = 3, y = 4, z = 5;
a =  x + y  * z;                    // a : 23
a =  x + (y * z);                   // a : 23

a = (x + y) * z;                    // a : 35
a = (x * z) + (y * z);              // a : 35
```

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Precedence

HIGHER PRECEDENCE

LOWER PRECEDENCE

Operator	Type
[] . () expr++ expr--	Postfix operators
++expr --expr +expr -expr ~ !	Unary operators
(cast) new	Creation or casting
* / %	Multiplication/division
+ -	Sum/difference
>> >>> <<	Shift
> >= <= > instanceof	Comparison
== !=	Equality
&	AND bitwise
^	XOR bitwise
|	OR bitwise
&&	AND logical
||	OR logical
?:	Condicional
= += -= *= /= %= &= |= = <<= >>= >>>=	Assignment

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Automatic promotion

Assigning a value of type *A* to a variable of type *B* is only allowed when *A* is "bigger" than *B* (no information is lost in the conversion!)

integers can be assigned to *floats*

```
float <-- int
```

chars can be assigned to *integers*

```
int <-- char
```

Direct assignment, no special code is required

Type casting

The programmer can enforce the conversion in the opposite direction, from a "bigger" type to a "smaller" type (information is lost in the conversion!)

a *float* can be explicitly cast to an *integer*

```
int <-- (int) float
```

the floating part is removed

Use the explicit casting operator

`(<destination type>)` (besides the expression to cast)

6. Casting between data types

Examples

CastingExamples.java

```
public class CastingExamples {

    public static void main(String [] args) {

        double x, y, z;
        int a, b, c;

        x = 1.5;     // double <-- double
        y = 2;       // double <-- int
        z = x + y;   // double <-- double

        a = 1;       // int <-- int
        b = 1.5;     // int <-- double, compilation error
        a = x + y;   // int <-- double, compilation error

        b = (int) 1.5;       // int <-- int
        a = (int) (x + y);   // int <-- int
        c = (int) x + y;     // int <-- double, compilation error
    }
}
```

CastingExamples.java

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New data types can be created by enumeration of the **allowed values of the new type**

> Create a new type named `DayOfTheWeek` with allowed values `{Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat, Sun}`

New variables with type `DayOfTheWeek` can be created

These variables can store the values defined in the enumerate

Syntax

Definition

```
enum <type identifier> {<value 1>, …, <value n>};
```

E.g.:

```
enum DayOfTheWeek {Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat, Sun};
```

`enum` declarations must be **outside of the main procedure!**

Use

E.g.:

```
DayOfTheWeek x;
x = DayOfTheWeek.Mon;
```

ConstEnumExamples.java

```java
public class ConstEnumExamples {

    // Definition of the enumerated type
    enum GeometricalFigure {Quadrilateral, Circle, Ellipse};

    public static void main(String[] args) {

        // Use of the enumerated type
        GeometricalFigure x;
        x = GeometricalFigure.Circle;

        System.out.println(x.name());
        System.out.println(x.ordinal());

        String y = "Circle";
        String z = "Square";

        GeometricalFigure f;
        f = "Circle";                    // compilation error
        f = GeometricalFigure.Square;    // compilation error
    }

}
```

Console

<terminated> ConstEnumExamples

```
Circle
1
```

CostEnumExamples.java

enums are similar to `Strings` but `enums` restrict the possible values of the "string"

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An **object** can be seen as a **data structure** that represents an entity of the domain

Object Entry *#5* of an address book
- "Juan"
- "Gomez Romero"
- 29
- "jgromero@inf.uc3m.es"

Object 2D point *p*
- (2.1, 3.2)

> ***collection of values of different types*** which are managed together

An object belongs to a **class**, where the **attributes** or fields of the objects of the class are defined

Class Entry of an address book
- > Name
- > Surname
- > Age
- > E-mail

Class 2D point
- > x coordinate
- > y coordinate

Programmers can define classes their own classes and use objects in their applications

Class definition

```
[modifiers] class <name of the class> {
    <attributes>
}
```

[modifiers]

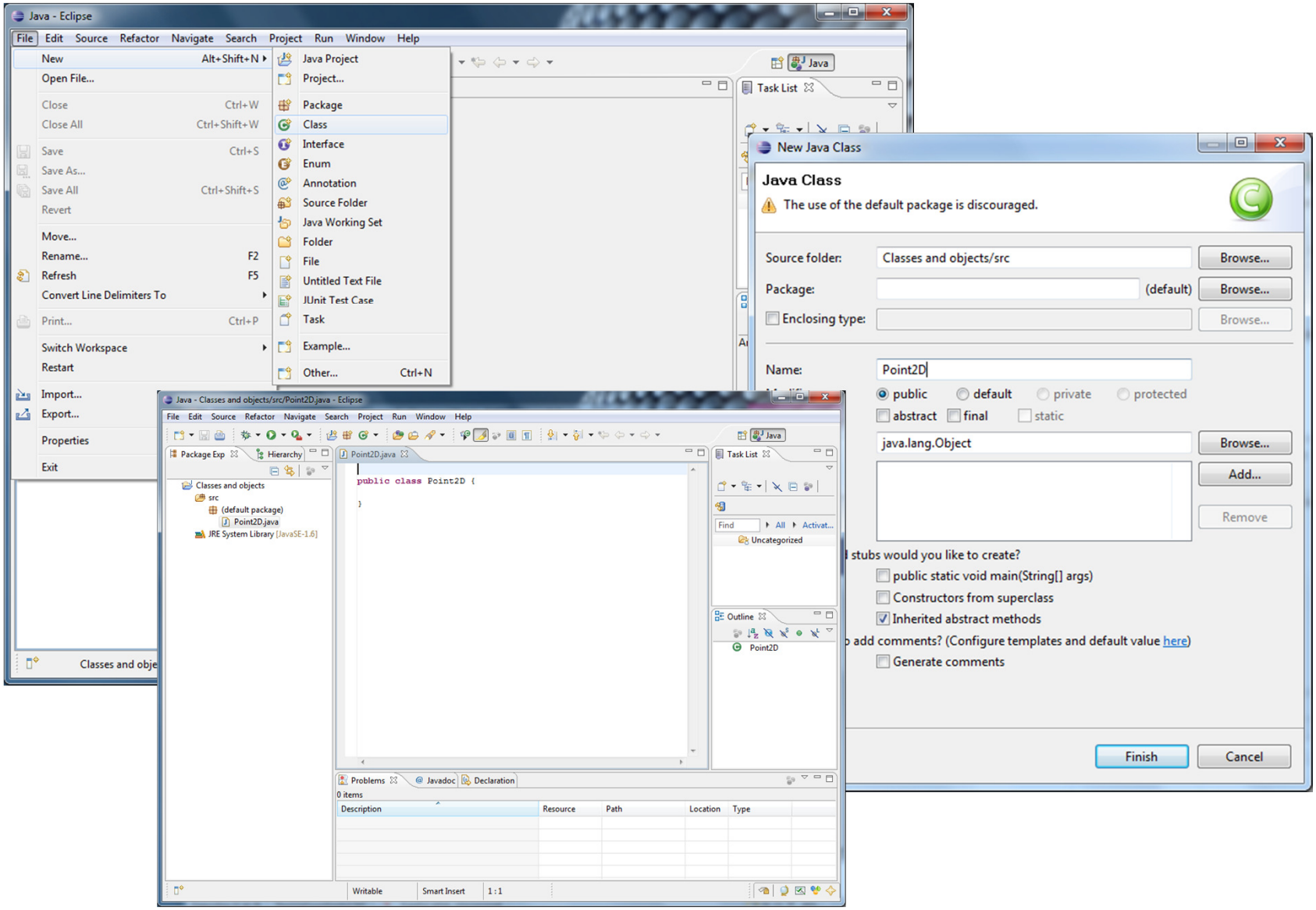
public	**The class can be used by any other class**
abstract	Objects cannot be created for this class, but subclasses are allowed
final	Subclasses are not allowed
none	By default, the class can be used by the classes of the same package

<name of the class>

valid Java identifier

E.g.: **public class Point2D { … }**

8. Classes as data structures



Only a single `public` class is allowed within a file. That file should be named after the public class that contains with the extension ".java"

Usually, an application consists of numerous .java files

Compilation (`javac`) converts each class definition (.java) into bytecode (.class)

The execution of the application starts from the class that contains the `main()`

Several classes can be grouped in packages, in the same way as classes of the Java platform

A class defines the attributes (or fields) of the objects that belong to (or are *members of*) the class

Attributes definition

Syntax

```
[modifiers] <type> <name of the attribute>;
```

[modifiers]

`public`	**The attribute can be accessed from any other class**
`private`	The attribute cannot be accessed from any class other than this
`protected`	The attribute can be accessed only from this class and its subclasses
`package`	The attribute can be accessed from any other class inside this package

E.g.: **`public double x;`**

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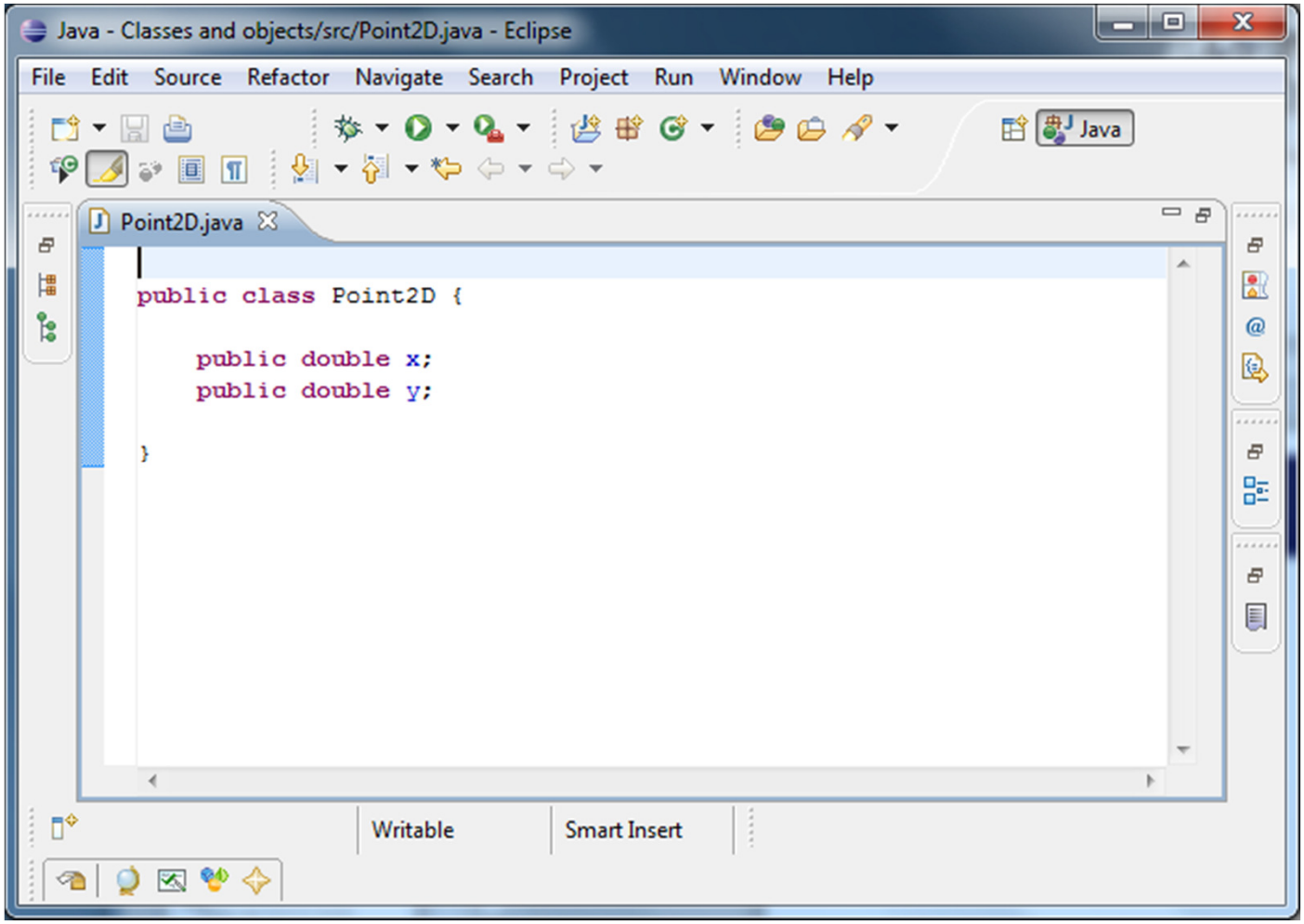
Example



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Example

Student.java

```
public class Student {
    public String name;
    public String surname;
    public int age;

    public double mark1stPartialExam;
    public double mark2ndPartialExam;
    public double mark1stPracticalExercise;
    public double mark2ndPracticalExercise;
    public double mark3rdPracticalExercise;
    public double markJanuaryExam;
    public double markJuneExam;
}
```

Classes are not directly used

Instead, once classes have been implemented,

1. Create a class with a `main` method
   > *the program begins here*

2. Inside the `main`,
   1. Declare object variables
   2. Create objects (allocate memory for an object instance)
   3. Operate with objects

1. Declare object variables

Object variables are declared as basic data type variables

An object declaration declares a reference to the object, not the object itself

Basic syntax

```
<class name> <variable name>;
```

E.g.:

```
Point2D p1;
Student stud;
```

2. Create objects (allocate memory)

Operator **new** creates a new object of a class (memory for the object is allocated)

This object is assigned to a reference (variable previously defined) of the type of the class

Basic syntax

```
<variable name> = <new> <class name>();
```

E.g.:

```
p1 = new Point2D();
st = new Student();
```

3. Operate with objects

Use the dot operator (.) to access to object attributes

> attributes can be seen as a collection of variables grouped in the object

E.g.:

```
p1.x = 2.1;
p1.y = 3.2;
System.out.println(
    "Position (" + p1.x + ", " + p1.y + ")" );
```

Point2D.java | TestPoint2D.java

```
import java.util.*;

public class TestPoint2D {

    public static void main(String [] args) {

        /* Initialize p1, p2 */
        Point2D p1, p2;
        p1 = new Point2D();
        p2 = new Point2D();

        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);

        System.out.println("p1, coordinate x: ");
        p1.x = sc.nextDouble();
        System.out.println("p1, coordinate y: ");
        p1.y = sc.nextDouble();

        System.out.println("p2, coordinate x: ");
        p2.x = sc.nextDouble();
        System.out.println("p2, coordinate y: ");
        p2.y = sc.nextDouble();

        /* Calculate distance */
        double d = Math.sqrt(
                Math.pow(p1.x - p2.x, 2) +
                Math.pow(p1.y - p2.y, 2));
        System.out.println("Distance: " + d);
    }

}
```

Point2D.java | TestPoint2D.java

```
public class Point2D {

    public double x;
    public double y;

}
```

- **Object references initial value**
  - The value of an object reference may be the special value **`null`**
  - **`null`** means 'not a valid reference' and can be also used for arrays and `String`
  - If we try to access to the attributes of a null reference, we get a runtime error (`NullPointerException`)
- **Object attributes initial value**
  - The attributes of an object have a default value after creation with **`new`** (0 for integers, false for `boolean`, **`null`** for `String`, etc.) –in the same way as arrays
  - An initial value (other than the default) can be assigned to object attributes in the class declaration
  - Until changed, this is the value of the attributes of any object of the class

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Example

Point2D.java | TestPoint2DInitialization.java

```
public class TestPoint2DInitialization {

    public static void main(String [] args) {

        Point2D p = null;
        System.out.println("p: " + p);
        System.out.println("x: " + p.x);
        System.out.println("y: " + p.y);

        p = new Point2D();
        System.out.println("p: " + p);
        System.out.println("x: " + p.x);
        System.out.println("y: " + p.y);

    }
}
```

Point2D.java | TestPoint2DInitialization.java

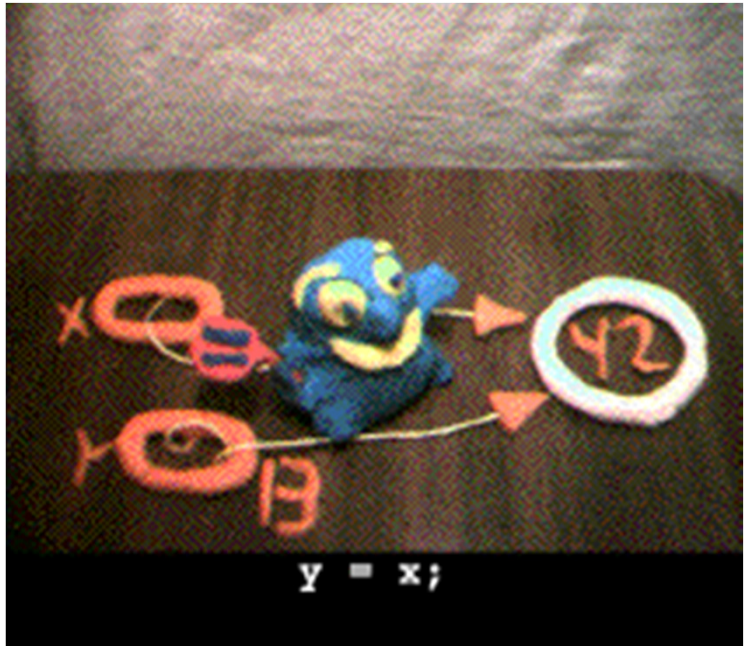
```
public class Point2D {

    public double x;
    public double y;

}
```

Problems

```
<terminated> TestPoint2DInitialization [Java Application] C:\Program Files (x86)\Java\jre6\bin\javaw.exe (15/11/2010 19:19:25)
p: nullException in thread "main"
java.lang.NullPointerException
        at TestPoint2DInitialization.main(TestPoint2DInitialization.java:8)
```

Pointer fun! http://cslibrary.stanford.edu/104/

(http://youtu.be/vm5MNP7pn5g)



pointer: reference
pointee: referenced object
dereference: access to referenced object

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Example

Point2D.java | TestPoint2DInitialization.java

```
public class TestPoint2DInitialization {

    public static void main(String [] args) {

        Point2D p = null;
        System.out.println("p: " + p);
        //System.out.println("x: " + p.x);
        //System.out.println("y: " + p.y);

        p = new Point2D();
        System.out.println("\np: " + p);
        System.out.println("x: " + p.x);
        System.out.println("y: " + p.y);

    }
}
```

Point2D.java | TestPoint2DInitialization.java

```
public class Point2D {

    public double x;
    public double y;

}
```

Console

```
<terminated> TestPoint2DInitialization [Java Application] C:\Program Files\Java\jre6\bin\javaw.exe (17/11/2010 20:17:06)
p: null

p: Point2D@3ae48e1b
x: 0.0
y: 0.0
```

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Example

Point2D.java | TestPoint2DInitialization.java

```
public class TestPoint2DInitialization {

    public static void main(String [] args) {

        Point2D p = null;
        System.out.println("p: " + p);
        //System.out.println("x: " + p.x);
        //System.out.println("y: " + p.y);

        p = new Point2D();
        System.out.println("\np: " + p);
        System.out.println("x: " + p.x);
        System.out.println("y: " + p.y);

    }
}
```

Point2D.java | TestPoint2DInitialization.java

```
public class Point2D {

    public double x = 1;
    public double y = 1;

}
```

Console

```
<terminated> TestPoint2DInitialization [Java Application] C:\Program Files (x86)\Java\jre6\bin\javaw.exe (15/11/20
p: null

p: Point2D@19821f
x: 1.0
y: 1.0
```

Object assignment

Direct object assignment is similar to direct array assignment

(An object variable is a reference to the section of the memory where the object attributes are actually stored.)

> If two objects are directly assigned, they *point* to the same section of the memory, and consequently, to the same object

> Changes in one reference affect the other reference

> Object copy must be performed attribute by attribute

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Direct assignment

TestPoint2DAssignment.java | Point2D.java

```
public class TestPoint2DAssignment {

    public static void main(String [] args) {
        Point2D p1 = new Point2D();
        p1.x = 1.0;
        p1.y = 1.0;

        System.out.println("\np1 coordinates: ");
        System.out.println("x: " + p1.x);
        System.out.println("y: " + p1.y);

        Point2D p2;
        p2 = p1;
        p2.x = 2.5;

        System.out.println("\np1 coordinates: ");
        System.out.println("x: " + p1.x);
        System.out.println("y: " + p1.y);
    }

}
```

Console

```
<terminated> TestPoint2DAssignment [Java Application] C:\Program Files (x86)\Java\jre

p1 coordinates:
x: 1.0
y: 1.0

p1 coordinates:
x: 2.5
y: 1.0
```

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Data in Java

- Basic
  - integers (`int`, `long`, `short`), real (`float`, `double`), character (`char`), boolean (`boolean`), strings (`String`)
- Complex
  - arrays (`[]`)

Variables are used to store values

Variable type is assigned in the variable declaration

Printing (`System.out`) and reading (`Scanner`)

Summary

Data and operators

Operators (arithmetic, relational, logical, bitwise, assignment)

Use of parenthesis when precedence is not clear or the code is confusing

In assignments, the type of the variable and the type of the expression must be compatible

- Explicit casting may be convenient in some cases

Beware of direct assignment of arrays and objects

Use of comments in the code is fundamental

Programmers can define their own data types

- Enumerators
- Classes

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