
CSE 373

Data Types and Manipulation; Arrays

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Numeric data

type	kind of number	memory (bits)	range	examples
byte	integer	8	-128 .. 127	(byte) 5
char	character (integer)	16	\u0000 .. \uFFFF	'a', '\u2603'
float	real number	32	-3.4e38 .. 3.4e38	3.14f, 1.1e7f
double	real number	64	-1.8e308 .. 1.8e308	3.14, 6.022e23
int	integer	32	$-2^{31} .. 2^{31}$	42, -17, 0xff
long	integer	64	$-2^{63} .. 2^{63}$	42L, 21874109487L
short	integer	16	$-2^{15} .. 2^{15}$	(short) 42

The Math class

Method name	Description
<code>Math.abs(<i>value</i>)</code>	absolute value
<code>Math.ceil(<i>value</i>)</code>	rounds up
<code>Math.floor(<i>value</i>)</code>	rounds down
<code>Math.log10(<i>value</i>)</code>	logarithm, base 10
<code>Math.max(<i>value1</i>, <i>value2</i>)</code>	larger of two values
<code>Math.min(<i>value1</i>, <i>value2</i>)</code>	smaller of two values
<code>Math.pow(<i>base</i>, <i>exp</i>)</code>	<i>base</i> to the <i>exp</i> power
<code>Math.random()</code>	random double between 0 and 1
<code>Math.round(<i>value</i>)</code>	nearest whole number
<code>Math.sqrt(<i>value</i>)</code>	square root
<code>Math.sin(<i>value</i>)</code> <code>Math.cos(<i>value</i>)</code> <code>Math.tan(<i>value</i>)</code>	sine/cosine/tangent of an angle in radians
<code>Math.toDegrees(<i>value</i>)</code> <code>Math.toRadians(<i>value</i>)</code>	convert degrees to radians and back

Constant	Description
<code>Math.E</code>	2.7182818...
<code>Math.PI</code>	3.1415926...

Wrapper classes

- **wrapper**: an object whose sole purpose is to hold a primitive value.

- often used with Java collections, since they can store only objects

- useful wrapper class behavior:

- string -> primitive: `parseType`
- primitive -> wrapper: `valueOf`
- wrapper -> primitive: `typeValue`
- `MIN_VALUE`, `MAX_VALUE`
- **Character**: `isAlphabetic`, `isDigit`, `isLetter`, `isLowerCase`, `isUpperCase`, `isWhitespace`, `toLowerCase`, `toUpperCase`
- **Integer**: `toString(int radix)`, `parseInt(str, radix)`

Primitive Type	Wrapper Type
<code>boolean</code>	<code>Boolean</code>
<code>byte</code>	<code>Byte</code>
<code>char</code>	<code>Character</code>
<code>double</code>	<code>Double</code>
<code>float</code>	<code>Float</code>
<code>int</code>	<code>Integer</code>
<code>long</code>	<code>Long</code>
<code>short</code>	<code>Short</code>

Interesting integers

- **factorial:** $n!$ is the product of 1 .. n inclusive, e.g. $4! = 1*2*3*4=24$
- **prime number:** only divisible by 1 and itself
 - **prime factorization:** e.g. $180 = 2*2*3*3*5$
- **perfect number:** equals sum of its factors (e.g. $6=1+2+3$)
- **greatest common divisor (GCD)**
 - Euclid's algorithm: $\text{GCD}(a, b) = \text{GCD}(b, a \bmod b)$
- **least common multiple (LCM)**
 - $\text{LCM}(a, b) = (a*b) / \text{GCD}(a, b)$
- **Fibonacci:** sum of the previous two: 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, ...

BigInteger and BigDecimal

- can represent arbitrarily large integers and real numbers
 - `import java.math.*;`

<code>BigInteger(String)</code>	constructor
<code>abs()</code>	absolute value
<code>add(BigInteger),</code> <code>divide(BigInteger),</code> <code>multiply(BigInteger),</code> <code>subtract(BigInteger)</code>	returns new big integer result
<code>equals(BigInteger),</code> <code>compareTo(BigInteger)</code>	comparing two BigIntegers
<code>gcd(BigInteger)</code>	greatest common divisor
<code>isProbablePrime(certainty),</code> <code>nextProbablePrime()</code>	checks whether integer is prime; gets next prime \geq current integer
<code>pow(int exponent)</code>	exponentiation
<code>toString()</code>	BigInteger -> String
<code>valueOf(long)</code>	converts primitive into BigInteger

Text data: String and char

- **String** : A type of objects representing character sequences.
- **char** : A primitive type representing single characters.
 - A `String` is stored internally as an array of `char`

```
String s = "Hi Ya!";
```

<i>index</i>	0	1	2	3	4	5
<i>value</i>	'H'	'i'	' '	'Y'	'a'	'!'

- It is legal to have variables, parameters, returns of type `char`
 - surrounded with apostrophes: `'a'` or `'4'` or `'\n'` or `'\''`

```
char initial = 'J';  
System.out.println(initial);           // J  
System.out.println(initial + " Joyce"); // J Joyce
```

String methods

Method name	Description
<code>contains(str)</code>	whether the given string is found within this one
<code>equals(str)</code>	whether two strings contain the same characters
<code>equalsIgnoreCase(str)</code>	whether two strings contain the same characters, ignoring upper vs. lower case
<code>indexOf(str)</code>	index where the start of the given string appears in this string (-1 if not found)
<code>length()</code>	number of characters in this string
<code>replace(a, b)</code>	replace all occurrences of string <i>a</i> with <i>b</i>
<code>split(separator)</code>	split string into array by the given separator text
<code>startsWith(str), endsWith</code>	whether it contains <i>str</i> 's characters at start/end
<code>substring(index1, index2)</code>	the characters from <i>index1</i> (inclusive) to <i>index2</i> (exclusive); if <i>index2</i> omitted, grabs till end of string
<code>toLowerCase(), toLowerCase</code>	a new string with all lower/uppercase letters

Comparing char values

- Get the characters of a string with the `charAt` method.
- You can compare chars with `==`, `!=`, and other operators:

```
String word = console.next();
char last = word.charAt(word.length() - 1);
if (last == 's') {
    System.out.println(word + " is plural.");
}
```

```
// prints the alphabet
for (char c = 'a'; c <= 'z'; c++) {
    System.out.print(c);
}
```

char vs. int

- Each `char` is mapped to an integer value internally
 - Called an **ASCII value**

'A' is 65 'B' is 66 ' ' is 32
'a' is 97 'b' is 98 '*' is 42

- Mixing `char` and `int` causes automatic conversion to `int`.
'a' + 10 is 107, 'A' + 'A' is 130
- To convert an `int` into the equivalent `char`, type-cast it.
(char) ('a' + 2) is 'c'

char vs. String

- "h" is a String, but 'h' is a char (they are different)
- A String is an object; it contains methods.

```
String s = "h";  
s = s.toUpperCase();           // "H"  
int len = s.length();         // 1  
char first = s.charAt(0);     // 'H'
```

- A char is primitive; you can't call methods on it.

```
char c = 'h';  
c = c.toUpperCase();          // ERROR  
s = s.charAt(0).toUpperCase(); // ERROR
```

- What is `s + 1`? What is `c + 1`?
- What is `s + s`? What is `c + c`?

Mutable StringBuilder

- A `StringBuilder` object holds a mutable array of characters:

method	description
<code>StringBuilder()</code> <code>StringBuilder(capacity)</code> <code>StringBuilder(text)</code>	new mutable string, either empty or with given initial text
<code>append(value)</code>	appends text/value to string's end
<code>delete(start, end)</code> <code>deleteCharAt(index)</code>	removes character(s), sliding subsequent ones left to cover them
<code>replace(start, end, text)</code>	remove start-end and add text there
<code>charAt(index)</code> , <code>indexOf(str)</code> , <code>lastIndexOf(str)</code> , <code>length()</code> , <code>substring(start, end)</code>	mirror of methods of String class
<code>public String toString()</code>	returns an equivalent normal String

String + implementation

- The following code runs surprisingly slowly. Why?

```
String s = "";  
for (int i = 0; i < 40000; i++) {  
    s += "x";  
}  
System.out.println(s);
```

- Internally, Java converts the loop into the following:

```
for (int i = 0; i < 40000; i++) {  
    StringBuilder sb = new StringBuilder(s);  
    sb.append("x");  
    s = sb.toString(); // why is the code slow?  
}
```

Tokenizing strings w/ Scanner

- `import java.util.*;`

Method	Description
<code>Scanner(String), Scanner(File), Scanner(InputStream)</code>	constructor
<code>next()</code>	reads a one-word <code>String</code> from the input
<code>nextLine()</code>	reads a one- <i>line</i> <code>String</code> from the input
<code>nextInt(), nextDouble()</code>	reads an <code>int</code> / <code>double</code> from the input and returns it
<code>hasNext()</code>	returns <code>true</code> if there is a next token
<code>hasNextLine()</code>	returns <code>true</code> if there are any more lines of input
<code>hasNextInt(), hasNextDouble()</code>	returns <code>true</code> if there is a next token and it can be read as an <code>int</code> / <code>double</code>

Array declaration

type [] **name** = new **type** [**length**];

- Length explicitly provided. All elements' values initially 0.

```
int[] numbers = new int[5];
```

<i>index</i>	0	1	2	3	4
<i>value</i>	0	0	0	0	0

type [] **name** = {**value**, **value**, ... **value**};

- Infers length from number of values provided. Example:

```
int[] numbers = {12, 49, -2, 26, 5, 17, -6};
```

<i>index</i>	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
<i>value</i>	12	49	-2	26	5	17	-6

Accessing elements; length

```
name [index]           // access
name [index] = value;  // modify
name.length
```

- Legal indexes: between **0** and the **array's length - 1**.

```
numbers [3] = 88;
for (int i = 0; i < numbers.length; i++) {
    System.out.print(numbers[i] + " ");
}
System.out.println(numbers[-1]); // exception
System.out.println(numbers[7]);  // exception
```

<i>index</i>	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
<i>value</i>	12	49	-2	88	5	17	-6

The Arrays class

- Class `Arrays` in package `java.util` has useful static methods for manipulating arrays:

Method name	Description
<code>binarySearch(array, value)</code>	returns the index of the given value in a <u>sorted</u> array (< 0 if not found)
<code>copyOf(array, length)</code>	returns a new array with same elements
<code>equals(array1, array2)</code>	returns <code>true</code> if the two arrays contain the same elements in the same order
<code>fill(array, value)</code>	sets every element in the array to have the given value
<code>sort(array)</code>	arranges the elements in the array into ascending order
<code>toString(array)</code>	returns a string representing the array, such as "[10, 30, 17]"