

Exam 1 Review

Lecture 5



Format

- The exam will be in two parts (across two days)...
 1. Questions via Blackboard
 - ~20 questions
 - T/F, multiple choice/answer, output, legal code?
 2. Coding via GitLab+Eclipse (think LA, sans resources)
 - JUnit tests
 - Individual methods, classes, `main`
- For each part you are allowed a single 8.5x11" piece of paper with whatever notes you wish
 - Can be different/same for parts 1 vs. 2
 - You cannot use other resources (e.g. prior programs, Google)
 - Bring your laptop charged!



Content

Everything we've covered all semester, including...

- Anything COMP1000
 - Command-line arguments
- Classes and Objects
 - UML
 - Static vs Instance, Visibility, **final** (x3)
 - Packages
 - Wrappers, **ArrayList**, **StringBuilder/StringBuffer**
 - String interning
- Inheritance and Polymorphism
 - Terms (+ abstraction, encapsulation)
 - **this**, **super**
 - Constructor chaining, dynamic binding
 - Overriding vs. overloading, annotations
 - Concrete vs. **abstract** classes/methods
 - Explicit vs. implicit casting
 - **instanceof**, **equals**, **toString**



Review Exercises

- The following slides contain exercises that will help you prepare for the exam
- The exercises give you an idea of the style of questions to expect as well as the complexity



Exercise

What is wrong with the following code?

```
public class Review {  
    private int x = 10;  
  
    public static void m() {  
        x++;  
    }  
}
```



Answer

- The `m()` method is static (i.e. 1 per class), while `x` is an instance variable (i.e. 1 per object)
- Static methods only have access to static variables
 - Which object's `x` would we be accessing?



Exercise

What about the following code?

```
public class Review {  
    private static int x = 10;  
  
    public void m() {  
        x++;  
    }  
}
```



Answer

- This code is just fine!
- All instance methods (i.e. 1 per object) have access to static variables (also known as “class variables”)



Exercise

- Write a **Book** class
 - Each instance has a title and author (constant once constructed), as well as getter methods, and overridden **toString/equals**
 - The class has a variable for the number of copies of any book sold (i.e. objects instantiated), as well as a getter
- Write a **main** that creates three books (a/b/a), outputs + compares, and outputs the number of books sold



Answer

```
final private String title;
final private String author;
private static int sold = 0;

public Book(String title, String author) {
    this.title = title;
    this.author = author;
    sold++;
}

public String getTitle() {
    return title;
}

public String getAuthor() {
    return author;
}

public static int getNumBooks() {
    return sold;
}

@Override
public String toString() {
    return String.format("'%' by %s",
                          title, author);
}
```

```
@Override
public boolean equals(Object o) {
    if (o instanceof Book) {
        final Book b = (Book) o;
        return (b.title.equals(title) &&
                b.author.equals(author));
    } else {
        return false;
    }
}

public static void main(String[] args) {
    final Book b1 = new Book("t1", "a1");
    final Book b2 = new Book("t2", "a1");
    final Book b3 = new Book("t1", "a1");

    System.out.printf("Books sold: %d\n",
                      Book.getNumBooks());
    System.out.printf("%s vs %s = %b\n",
                      b1, b2, b1.equals(b2));
    System.out.printf("%s vs %s = %b\n",
                      b1, b3, b1.equals(b3));
    System.out.printf("%s vs %s = %b\n",
                      b2, b3, b2.equals(b3));
}
```



Exercise

Inheritance vs. Polymorphism?

1. `Object o = "hi";`
2. `public class B extends A {}`
3. `boolean b = x instanceof Foo;`
4. `(new Bar()).toString();`
5. `@Override`
6. `super`



Answer

Inheritance vs. Polymorphism?

1. **Object o = "hi";**

- Polymorphism: a subtype is being stored in a supertype for later use

2. **public class B extends A {}**

- Inheritance: B inherits A methods/variables

3. **boolean b = x instanceof Foo;**

- Polymorphism: the type hierarchy is being inspected at runtime, commonly before a type cast

4. **(new Bar()).toString();**

- Polymorphism: dynamic binding chooses the appropriate method implementation to execute

5. **@Override**

- Inheritance: annotation commonly used before providing a more specific method implementation

6. **super**

- Inheritance: allows a subclass to access superclass methods/variables



Exercise

What is the output of the following code?

```
System.out.println(Integer.parseInt("101"));  
System.out.println(Integer.parseInt("101",2));  
System.out.println(Integer.parseInt("101",10));  
System.out.println(Integer.parseInt("101",16));
```



Answer

101

5

101

257



Exercise

- True/False

A class cannot contain both static and non-static methods



Answer

- False (e.g. see the **Book** class)



Exercise

What is the result of the following code?

A.java

```
package p10;

public class A {
    int i;

    public void m(int i) {
        this.i = i;
    }
}
```

B.java

```
package p10;

public class B extends A {
    public void m(String s) {
    }
}
```

1. *Compile error*
2. *Runtime error*
3. *Output?*

Review.java

```
package p10;

public class Review {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        final B b = new B();
        b.m(5);
        System.out.printf("i is %d\n", b.i);
    }
}
```



Answer

i is 5



Exercise

On which line(s) do you find errors?

1. `final int a;`
2. `int b;`
3. `Integer c = 200;`
4. `final String d = new String("hi?");`

5. `a = b = 100;`
6. `b = null;`
7. `c++;`
8. `c = null;`
9. `d.replace('?', '!');`



Answer

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6. `b = null; // only objects can be null`
7. `c++;`
8. `c = null;`
9. `d.replace('?', '!');`



Exercise

- Write a method that returns the smallest integer from an **ArrayList** supplied as a parameter (or **null** if empty)
- Write a program that needs two command-line arguments: a *seed* and a *number*
 - Initialize a random number generator with the *seed* (first argument)
 - Create an **ArrayList** with *num* numbers from 1-100
 - Output the full list, as well as the smallest value (using your method above)
- Example runs...

```
$java p10.Review 100 10  
[16, 51, 75, 89, 92, 67, 37, 89, 24, 14]  
Smallest: 14
```

```
$ java p10.Review 101 10  
[41, 91, 94, 55, 31, 66, 80, 34, 83, 7]  
Smallest: 7
```

```
$ java p10.Review 100  
Usage: <seed> <num>
```

```
$ java p10.Review a b  
Usage: <seed> <num>
```



Answer

```
final private static String ERR_USAGE = "Usage: <seed> <num>";

public static Integer smallest(ArrayList<Integer> a) {
    if (a.isEmpty()) return null;

    int ret = a.get(0);
    for (int v : a) {
        if (v < ret) {
            ret = v;
        }
    }

    return ret;
}

public static void main(String[] args) {
    try {
        final int seed = Integer.parseInt(args[0]);
        final int num = Integer.parseInt(args[1]);

        final Random r = new Random(seed);
        final ArrayList<Integer> a = new ArrayList<>(num);

        for (int i=0; i<num; i++) {
            a.add(r.nextInt(100)+1);
        }

        System.out.printf("%s\nSmallest: %d\n", a, smallest(a));
    } catch (Exception e) {
        System.out.printf("%s\n", ERR_USAGE);
    }
}
```

