Recitation 4

Enums and
The Java Collections classes

How do we represent...

- Suits: Clubs, Spades, Diamonds, Hearts
- Directions: North, South, East, West
- Days of week: Monday, Tuesday...
- Planets: Mercury, Venus, Earth...

Other small sets of values that do not change

Using constants

```java
public class Suit {
    public static final int CLUBS = 0;
    public static final int SPADES = 1;
    public static final int DIAMONDS = 2;
    public static final int HEARTS = 3;
}
```

Problems:
- No type checking
- Readability

Better way: Objects as constants

```java
public class Suit {
    private Suit() {} // constructor is private!

    public static final Suit CLUBS = new Suit();
    public static final Suit SPADES = new Suit();
    public static final Suit DIAMONDS = new Suit();
    public static final Suit HEARTS = new Suit();

    public void setSuit(int suit) {...}
    public int getSuit() {...}
}
```

No new Suits can be created
Cannot modify Suit objects

About enums

1. Can contain methods, fields, constructors
   - `Suit.HEARTS.getColor();`
1. Suit's constructor is private!
   - Cannot instantiate except for initial constants
1. `Suit.values()` returns a `Suit[]` of constants in the enum
Demo: Enums in action

Look at `enum` Suit.

Create a class PlayingCard and a class Deck.

What would be the fields for a PlayingCard object?

Enum odds and ends

1. Suit is a subclass of `java.lang.Enum`
2. `ordinal()` returns position in list (i.e. the order it was declared)
   a. `Suit.CLUBS.ordinal() == 0`
3. Enums automatically implement `Comparable`
   a. `Suit.CLUBS.compareTo(Suit.HEARTS)` uses the ordinals for Clubs and Hearts
4. `toString()` of `Suit.CLUBS` is "CLUBS"
   a. you can override this!

Collections and Maps

The Collections classes and interfaces that come with Java provide implementations of

- bags (a.k.a. multiset — sets with repeated values)
- sets (and sorted sets)
- lists
- stacks
- queues
- maps (and sorted maps) [like dictionaries]

You will see in later assignments how easy it is to use these

ArrayList as example of structure

Class ArrayList implements a list in an array that can grow and shrink. Example of code:

```java
ArrayList<Integer> t = new ArrayList<Integer>();
t.add(5);
t.add(7);
System.out.println(t.get(0)); // prints 5
System.out.println(t); // prints [2, 5, 7]
```

Power of inheritance and interfaces
Important interfaces, some methods in them

Collection<E>
- add(E);
- contains(Object);
- isEmpty();
- remove(Object);
- size();
- ...

Map<K,V>
- put(K,V);
- get(Object);
- ...

Set<E>

No new methods in Set<E>, just changes specifications

Important classes and interfaces

Collection<E>
- List<E>
  - get(int);
  - indexOf(int);
  - add(int,E);
  - ...

Set<E>
- List<E>
- Map<K,V>
- HashSet<E>
- HashMap<K,V>
- LinkedList<E>
- ArrayList<E>

Queues? Stacks?

Collection<E>
- Queue<E>
  - Deque:
    - Double-Ended Queue
    - LinkedList<E>
    - ArrayDeque<E>

Iterating over a HashSet or ArrayList

HashSet<E> s = new HashSet<E>();
... store values in the set ...
for (E e : s) {
  System.out.println(e);
}

Body of loop is executed once with e being each element of the set. Don’t know order in which set elements are processed

Collections problems

1. Remove duplicates from an array
2. Find all negative numbers in array
3. Create ransom note
4. Implement a Stack with a max API
5. Braces parsing

Complete

Integer[] removeDuplicates(int[])

Remove all duplicates from an array of integers.

Very useful HashSet method:
hs.toArray(new Integer[hs.size()]);
Collections problems

Find Negative Numbers
Find all negative numbers in array and return an array with those integers

Very useful ArrayList method:
`lst.toArray(new Integer[lst.size()]);`

Collections problems

Create Ransom Note
Given a note (String) that you would like to create and a magazine (String), return whether you can create your note from the magazine letters.

Collections problems

Implement a Stack<E> with a max() function in O(1) time
No matter how full the stack is, the max function should be in constant time. (ie you should not iterate through the Linked List to find the maximum element)

Collections problems

Braces parsing in O(n) time
Return whether a String has the right format of square brackets and parenthesis.

E.g.

"array[4] = {{ new Integer(3) }});" <- is true
"( ) [ ]" <- is false
" ) [ ]" <- is false
" { [ ] }" <- is false