

CS100J 7 March 2006

About wrapper classes and class Vector
More on loops. Reading: Secs 7.1–7.3
Do the self-review exercises on pp. 235 and 242!!!

Quotes for the Day:

Instead of trying out computer programs on test cases until they are debugged, one should prove that they have the desired properties.
John McCarthy, 1961, A basis for a mathematical theory of computation.

Testing may show the presence of errors, but never their absence.
Dijkstra, Second NATO Conf. on Software Engineering, 1969.

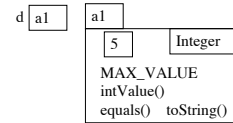
A week of hard work on a program can save you 1/2 hour of thinking.
Paul Gries, CS, University of Toronto, 2005.

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Wrapper classes and Java 1.5

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Primitive type Wrapper class

byte	Byte
int	Int
short	Short
long	Long
double	Double
char	Character
boolean	Boolean

Two purposes of wrapper class:

1. An instance wraps a value of the primitive type.
2. The wrapper class provides several instance methods and static methods/fields to manipulate values of the primitive type.

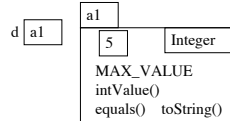
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Java 1.5 makes it easier to deal with the wrapper classes

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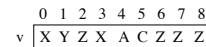
Java 1.5

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It does the equivalent of:
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Integer f = 5; **legal**
It does the equivalent of:
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About class Vector (in lab today)



This is a Vector of Characters

Java 1.4:

Vector v = new Vector();

An object of class Vector
contains a list of objects, all of
the are Objects

v.add(obj) add object obj to v
v.get(0) = first object in v
v.get(1) = second object in v
v.size() = no. of objects in v

If you know v.get(0) is of class
Character, can do

(Character) v.get(0)

Java 1.5:

Vector<Character> v =
new Vector<Character>();

The objects in v have to be of type
Character.

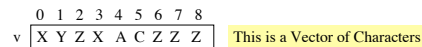
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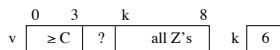
Character c = v.get(0); **this works**

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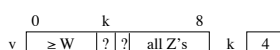
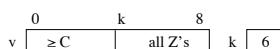
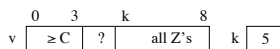
Understanding assertions



This is a Vector of Characters



This is an assertion about v
and k. It is **true** because
chars of v[0..3] are greater
than 'C' and chars of v[6..8]
are 'Z's.



Indicate
whether
each of
these 3
assertions
is true or
false.

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The while loop

x = 0;
x = x + 2*2;
x = x + 3*3;
x = x + 4*4;

x = 0;
int k = 2;
while (k != 5) {
 x = x + k*k;
 k = k+1;
}

To execute the while loop:

- (1) Evaluate condition k != 5;
 if false, stop execution of loop.

- (2) Execute the repetend.
- (3) Repeat again from step (1).

Repetend: the thing to be
repeated. The block:

```
{
    ...
}
```

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Develop loop to store in x the sum of 1..100.

We'll keep this definition of x and k true:
 $x = \text{sum of } 1..k-1$

1. How should the loop start? Make range 1..k-1 empty: $k = 1$; $x = 0$;
2. When can loop stop? What condition lets us know that x has result? When $k == 101$
3. How can repetend make progress toward termination? $k = k + 1$;
4. How do we keep def of x, h, k true? $x = x + k$;

Four
loopy
questions

```
k= 1; x= 0;
// invariant: x = sum of 1..(k-1)
while ( k != 101) {
    x= x + k;
    k= k + 1;
}
// { x = sum of 1..100 }
```

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Develop loop to store in x the sum of 1..100.

This time, we'll keep this definition of x and k true:
 $x = \text{sum of } h..100$

1. How should the loop start? Make range h..100 empty: $h = 101$; $x = 0$;
2. When can loop stop? What condition lets us know that x has result? When $h == 1$
3. How can repetend make progress toward termination? $h = h - 1$;
4. How do we keep def of x, h, k true? $x = x + (h - 1)$;

Four
loopy
questions

```
h= 101; x= 0;
// invariant: x = sum of h..100
while ( h != 1) {
    x= x + (h - 1);
    h= h - 1;
}
// { x = sum of 1..100 }
```

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Develop a loop (with initialization) to store in x the minimum of $p^*p - p$ for p in the range h..k.

E.g. for h..k the range -2..0, it's min of
 $(-2)*(-2) - 2$, $(-1)*(-1) - 1$, $0*0 - 0$

We'll keep this definition of x, h, and k true:

$x = \text{minimum of } p^*p - p \text{ for p in the range } h..i$

1. How should the loop start? $i = h$; $x = h^*h - h$;
2. When can loop stop? What condition lets us know that x has result? $i == k$
3. Make progress toward termination? $i = i + 1$;
4. How do we keep def of x, h, k true?
 if $((i+1)*(i+1) - (i+1) < x)$
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Four
loopy
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```
i= h; x= h*h - h;
// invariant: x = min of p*p - p for p
// in the range h..i
while ( i != k) {
    if ((i+1)*(i+1) - (i+1) < x)
        x= ((i+1)*(i+1) - (i+1));
    i= i + 1;
}
// x = min of p*p - p for p in the range h..k
```

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Roach infestation!

/* = number of weeks it takes roaches to fill the apartment --see p 244 of text*/

```
public static int roaches() {
    double roachVol= .001; // Space one roach takes
    double aptVol= 20*20*8; // Apartment volume
    double growthRate= 1.25; // Population growth rate per week

    int w= 0; // number of weeks
    int pop= 100; // roach population after w weeks

    // inv: pop = roach population after w weeks AND
    // before week w, volume of the roaches < aptVol
    while (aptVol > pop * roachVol) {
        pop= (int) (pop * growthRate);
        w= w + 1;
    }
    return w;
}
```

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Develop loop to count the number of 'e's in String s.

We'll keep this definition of c and k true:
 $c = \text{number of 'e's in } s[0..h-1]$

1. How should the loop start? Make range h..100 empty: $h = 0$; $c = 0$;
2. When can loop stop? What condition lets us know that x has result? When $h == s.length$
3. How can repetend make progress toward termination? $h = h + 1$;
4. How do we keep def of x, h, k true? $x = x + (h - 1)$;

Four
loopy
questions

```
if (s.charAt(h) == 'e')
    c = c + 1;

h= 0; c= 0;
// invariant: c = no. of 'e's in s[0..s.length-1]
while ( h != s.length) {
    if (s.charAt(h) == 'e') c= c + 1;
    h= h + 1;
}
// { c = no. of 'e's in s[0..h-1] }
```

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