CS 600.226: Data Structures Michael Schatz

Sept 5, 2018 Lecture 3: Introduction to Interfaces



Agenda

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Welcome!

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Programming Language:	Java with Checkstyle and JUnit Virtual Machine (Lubuntu) or CS acct.
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Students must see Steve DiBlasio, with your J-card, in Malone G61A to get CS Lab access. The CS Lab is Malone 122 and that's where course TA/CAs will be available for help.

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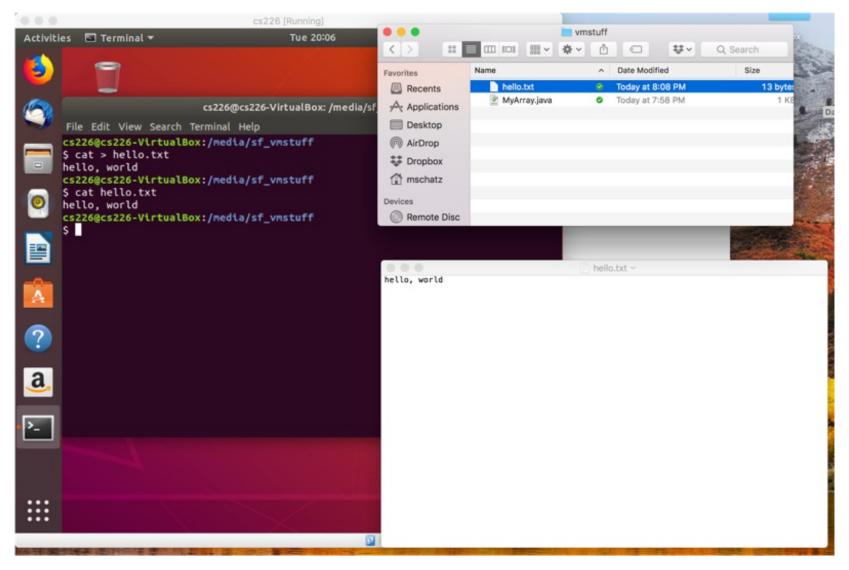


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 - Guaranteed that your development environment matches testing environment
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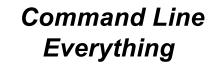
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Java Environments





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\$ javac HelloWorld.java
\$ java HelloWorld

Universal, fast, flexible Steep learning curve

GUI Editor + Command Line



Sublime Text

\$ javac HelloWorld.java
\$ java HelloWorld

Nearly universal, flexible Moderate learning curve

Integrated Development Environment (IDE)



Eclipse / IntelliJ

Most Support Most "magical"

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Interfaces



Introduction to Java Interfaces

Objects define their interaction with the outside world through the methods that they expose. Methods form the object's interface with the outside world; the buttons on the front of your television set, for example, are the interface between you and the electrical wiring on the other side of its plastic casing. You press the "power" button to turn the television on and off. [...] **An interface is a group of related methods with empty bodies.**

https://docs.oracle.com/javase/tutorial/java/concepts/interface.html



interface Counter {
 int value();
 void up();
 void down();
}

Interfaces Review

 Interfaces establish the "contract" between the implementation and any potential client code

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Whats wrong with this interface?

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```
interface Counter {
    int banana();
    void orange();
    void grape();
}
```

Whats wrong with this interface?

Algebraic Specification of Abstract Data Types

Counter ADT Specification.

adt Counter

uses Integer defines Counter

operations

new: ---> Counter
up: Counter ---> Counter
down: Counter ---> Counter
value: Counter ---> Integer

axioms

value(new()) >= 0
value(up(c)) > value(c)
value(down(c)) <= value(c)</pre>

name of specification

- # specification(s) this one needs (imports)
- # type(s) defined by this specification
- # operations(s) defined in this specification
 # constructor, "convert" TO Counter
 # mutators, make Counters from Counters
 # (in Java they'd change their receiver!)
 - # observer, "convert" FROM Counter
- # axioms for the operations defined above
 # value of a new Counter is >= 0
 # value of up'd Counter is > value before
 # value of down'd Counter is <= value before</pre>

Axioms should be read as universally quantified. For example, the second axiom is "for all counters c, the value of up(c) is > the value of c" if read out aloud. The "rule of thumb" for finding axioms is to combine all constructors/mutators with all observers and then stare at that until we figure it out. :-)

Axioms are enforced by asserts and other test cases!

Variables and Types (1)

adt Counter

uses Integer defines Counter

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down: Counter ---> Counter
value: Counter ---> Integer

axioms

```
value(new()) >= 0
value(up(c)) > value(c)
value(down(c)) <= value(c)</pre>
```

Does this specification allow for floating point numbers? How would you fix it?

interface Counter {
 int value();
 void up();
 void down();
}

Variables and Types (2)

adt Counter

uses **Float** defines Counter

operations

new: ---> Counter
up: Counter ---> Counter
down: Counter ---> Counter
value: Counter ---> Float

axioms

```
value(new()) >= 0.0
value(up(c)) > value(c)
value(down(c)) <= value(c)</pre>
```

What if you want to allow the counter to use either floats or ints? How would you code it?

interface Counter {
 float value();
 void up();
 void down();
}

Variable Types

<pre>adt Variable uses Any defines Variable<t: any=""> operations</t:></pre>	"Any" defines a type with = operation T stands for "Any" type: int, float, String, v and t are values of type T		
new: T> Variable <t></t>			
get: Variable <t>> T</t>			
set: Variable <t> x T</t>	-> Variable <t></t>		
axioms			
get(new(t)) = t			
get(set(v, t)) = t			

```
adt Counter
uses Any
defines Counter<T: Any>
operations
new: T ---> Counter<T>
up: Counter<T> ---> Counter<T>
down: Counter<T> ---> Counter<T>
value: Counter<T> ---> T
axioms
value(new(t)) = t
value(up(c)) > value(c)
value(down(c)) <= value(c)</pre>
```

Using t with new() enables more flexibility than initializing to 0, 3.14 or any other specific value

T must define >, <=, and = new() takes a starting value t

Java Generics

In a nutshell, generics enable *types* (classes and interfaces) to be parameters when defining classes, interfaces and methods. Much like the more familiar *formal parameters* used in method declarations, type parameters provide a way for you to reuse the same code with different inputs.

• Stronger type checks at compile time.

A Java compiler applies strong type checking to generic code and issues errors if the code violates type safety. Fixing compile-time errors is easier than fixing runtime errors, which can be difficult to find.

• Elimination of casts.

The following code snippet without generics requires casting:

```
List list = new ArrayList();
list.add("hello");
String s = (String) list.get(0);
```

When re-written to use generics, the code does not require casting:

```
List<String> list = new ArrayList<String>();
list.add("hello");
String s = list.get(0); // no cast
```

• Enabling programmers to implement generic algorithms.

By using generics, programmers can implement generic algorithms that work on collections of different types, can be customized, and are type safe and easier to read.

https://docs.oracle.com/javase/tutorial/java/generics/why.html

Implementing Variable Types with Generics

```
Variable.java
```

```
public interface Variable <T> {
    public T get();
    public void set(T t);
}
```

```
SimpleVariable.java
```

```
public class SimpleVariable<T> implements Variable<T> {
    private T value;
```

```
public SimpleVariable(T t) {
    this.value = t;
}
public T get() {
    return this.value;
}
public void set(T t) {
    this.value = t;
}
```

At compile time it will automagically define set(String) and set(Integer)

Implementing Variable Types with Generics

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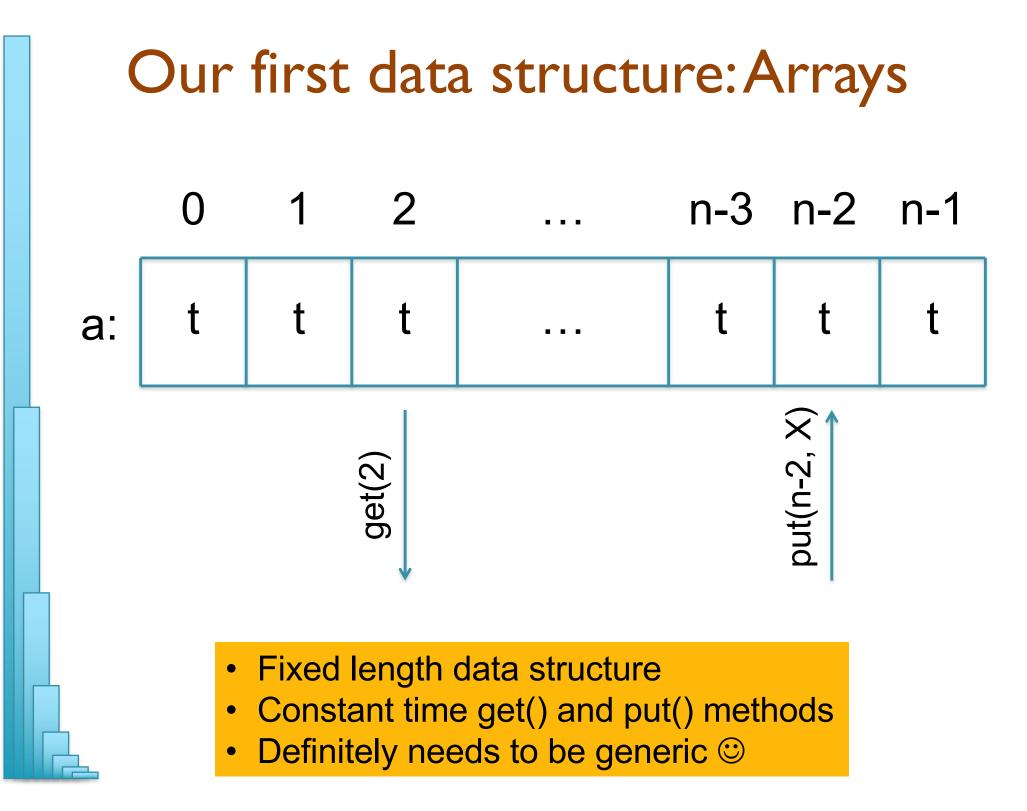
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```
interface Counter {
    int value();
    void up();
    void down();
}
```

- Use an algebraic specification to define the semantics
- Use genetics to allow flexibility across types

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Array ADT

adt Array	
uses Any, Integer	Uses two related ADTs
defines Array <t: any=""></t:>	
	Defines method signatures
operations	
new: Integer x T> Array <t></t>	
get: Array <t> x Integer> T</t>	
put: Array <t> x Integer x T></t>	Array <t></t>
length: Array <t>> Integer</t>	
axioms	
get(new(n, t), i) = t	Enforced by asserts
<pre>get(put(a, i, t), j) = (if i = j</pre>	then t else $qet(a, j)$)
length(new(n, t)) = n	
length(put(a, i, t)) = length(a)	
preconditions	
new(n, t): $0 < n$	Enforced by exceptions
<pre>get(a, i): 0 <= i < length(a) </pre>	
<pre>put(a, i, t): 0 <= i < length(a)</pre>	

Array Interface

```
/**
   Arrays with integer positions.
    The constructor should take a length > 0 as well as a default
    value to "plaster" all over the new array. The constructor should
    throw LengthException if length ≤ 0.
       Array(int length, T default) throws LengthException
 @param <T> Element type.
*/
public interface Array<T> {
    /**
       Change value at index.
        @param i Index to write value at.
        @param t Value to write at index.
        @throws IndexException if i < 0 or i &gt; length-1.
    */
   void put(int i, T t) throws IndexException;
```

Array Interface

```
. . .
    /**
        Value at index.
        @param i Index to read value at.
        @return Value read at index.
        @throws IndexException if i < 0 or i &gt; length-1.
    */
    T get(int i) throws IndexException;
    /**
        Length of array.
        @return Length of array, always > 0.
    */
    int length();
}
```

Array Exceptions

IndexException.java

```
/**
   Exception for invalid index.
   Data structures using (integer) indices throw IndexException
   if a given index is out of range.
*/
public class IndexException extends RuntimeException {
    private static final long serialVersionUID = 0L;
}
```

```
LengthException.java
```

```
/**
   Exception for invalid length.
   Data structures that have a fixed (integer) length throw
   LengthException if a given length is out of range.
*/
public class LengthException extends RuntimeException {
    private static final long serialVersionUID = 0L;
}
```

The type is the main item of interest, but other information could be returned

SimpleArray.Java

/**

Array implementation on top of basic Java array.

The obvious implementation of the Array interface, absolutely positively nothing fancy going on here.

There are two reasons for this class to exist: First it's an example for the style of code we're about to write a lot of. Second it's useful because Java's generics don't really play well with Java's basic arrays; we'll use SimpleArray in lots of places where Java's arrays would give us generic grief.

```
@param <T> Element type.
*/
public class SimpleArray<T> implements Array<T> {
    // The underlying data structure of our abstract Array.
    private T[] data;
    /**
        Constructs a new SimpleArray.
        @param n Length of array, must be n &gt; 0.
        @param t Default value to store in each slot.
        @throws LengthException if n &le; 0.
     */
    public SimpleArray(int n, T t) throws LengthException {
```

. . .

```
public SimpleArray(int n, T t) throws LengthException {
        if (n <= 0) {
            throw new LengthException();
        }
        // This cast works around Java's problems with generic arrays.
        // The resulting warning is acceptable because there simply is
        // no better way of doing this.
        this.data = (T[]) new Object[n];
                                                     Workaround for java syntax
        // Array slots are null by default.
        if (t == null) {
            return;
        }
        for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
            this.data[i] = t;
        }
    }
```

// If we let ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException propagate, we leak an
// implementation detail we should probably hide. (Also that name
// is so horrible, it deserves to live in a dark cave in Mordor.)

```
@Override
public T get(int i) throws IndexException {
    try {
        return this.data[i];
    } catch (ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException e) {
        throw new IndexException();
                                                       These let us "hide" the
    }
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public void put(int i, T t) throws IndexException {
    try {
        this.data[i] = t;
    } catch (ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException e) {
        throw new IndexException();
    }
}
<sup>@</sup>Override
public int length() {
    return this.data.length;
```

```
public static void main(String [] args) throws
IndexException, LengthException {
    Array<String> a = new SimpleArray<String>(4, "226");
    assert a.length() == 4;
    for (int i =0; i <a.length(); i++){
        assert a.get(i).equals("226");
    }
    a.put(2, "Peter");
    assert a.length() == 4;
    assert a.get(2).equals ("Peter");
    assert a.get(0).equals ("226");
    assert a.get(1).equals ("226");
    assert a.get(3).equals ("226");
```

. . .

System.out.println("Passed the value assertions");

. . .

}

}

```
try {
  a.put(a.length(), "Paul");
  System.out.println("Didnt get the exception");
}
catch (IndexException e)
{
  System.out.println("Caught IndexException (as expected)");
}
try {
  Array<String> b = new SimpleArray<String>(0, "Mike");
  System.out.println("No exception after creating second array");
}
catch (LengthException e)
{
  System.out.println("Caught LengthException (as expected)");
}
```

Running with Assertions

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Next Steps

- I. Reflect on the magic and power of interfaces, generics, and exceptions \odot
- 2. Check on Piazza
- 3. Download class virtual machine, get CS account and/or set up Linux!
- 4. Get comfortable with a editor (VI rules!) and/or an IDE (Eclipse for Java)
- 5. Get comfortable with checkstyle



Questions?