Java's Math class

Method name	Description	Description					
Math.abs(<i>value</i>)	absolute value						
Math.ceil(<i>value</i>)	rounds up						
Math.floor(<i>value</i>)	rounds down						
Math.log10(<i>value</i>)	logarithm, base 10						
Math.max(<i>value1, value2</i>)	larger of two values						
Math.min(<i>value1, value2</i>)	smaller of two values	smaller of two values					
Math.pow(<i>base, exp</i>)	base to the exp power	base to the exp power					
Math.random()	random double between 0						
Math.round(<i>value</i>)	nearest whole number	nearest whole number					
Math.sqrt(<i>value</i>)	square root						
Math.sin(<i>Value</i>)	sine/cosine/tangent of						
Math.cos(<i>value</i>)	an angle in radians	Constant	t D	escription			
Math.tan(<i>value</i>)		Math.E	2.	.7182818			
Math.toDegrees(<i>value</i>)	convert degrees to	Math.PI	3	.1415926			
Math.toRadians(<i>Value</i>)	radians and back		4				

Calling Math methods

Math.methodName(parameters)

• Examples:

```
double squareRoot = Math.sqrt(121.0);
System.out.println(squareRoot); // 11.0
```

```
int absoluteValue = Math.abs(-50);
System.out.println(absoluteValue); // 50
```

System.out.println(Math.min(3, 7) + 2); // 5

- The Math methods do not print to the console.
 - Each method produces ("returns") a numeric result.
 - The results are used as expressions (printed, stored, etc.).



- A *string* is a sequence of characters.
- A string literal surrounds a character sequence with double quotes, as in "Hello", "52 Main St.", or "42", vs. an integer literal like 42 or character literal like 'a'.



• **string**: An object storing a sequence of text characters.

```
String name = "text";
String name = expression;
```

```
– Examples:
```

```
String name = "Marla Singer";
int x = 3;
int y = 5;
String point = "(" + x + ", " + y + ")";
```

Indexes

• Characters of a string are numbered with 0-based *indexes*.

String name = "R. Kelly";

index	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
character	R	•		K	Û	l	l	У

- First character's index : 0
- Last character's index : 1 less than the string's length
- The individual characters are values of type char (seen later)

String methods

Method name	Description				
indexOf(str)	index where the start of the given string appears in this string (-1 if not found)				
length()	number of characters in this string				
<pre>substring(index1, index2) or substring(index1)</pre>	the characters in this string from <i>index1</i> (inclusive) to <i>index2</i> (<u>exclusive</u>); if <i>index2</i> is omitted, grabs till end of string				
toLowerCase()	a new string with all lowercase letters				
toUpperCase()	a new string with all uppercase letters				

• These methods are called using the dot notation:

String gangsta = "Dr. Dre";
System.out.println(gangsta.length()); // 7

String method examples

// index 012345678901
String s1 = "Stuart Reges";
String s2 = "Marty Stepp";
System.out.println(s1.length()); // 12
System.out.println(s1.indexOf("e")); // 8
System.out.println(s1.substring(7, 10)); // "Reg"

String s3 = s2.substring(1, 7);
System.out.println(s3.toLowerCase()); // "arty s"

• Given the following string:

// index 0123456789012345678901
String book = "Building Java Programs";

- How would you extract the word "Java" ?

Modifying strings

• Methods like substring and toLowerCase build and return a new string, rather than modifying the current string.

```
String s = "lil bow wow";
s.toUpperCase();
System.out.println(s); // lil bow wow
```

• To modify a variable's value, you must reassign it:

```
String s = "lil bow wow";
s = s.toUpperCase();
System.out.println(s); // LIL BOW WOW
```

Interactive Programs with Scanner

Input and System.in

- interactive program: Reads input from the console.
 - While the program runs, it asks the user to type input.
 - The input typed by the user is stored in variables in the code.
 - Can be tricky; users are unpredictable and misbehave.
 - But interactive programs have more interesting behavior.

- Scanner: An object that can read input from many sources.
 - Communicates with System.in (the opposite of System.out)
 - Can also read from files , web sites, databases, ...

Scanner syntax

• The Scanner class is found in the java.util package. import java.util.*; // so you can use Scanner

• Constructing a Scanner object to read console input:

Scanner name = new Scanner(System.in);

- Example:

Scanner console = new Scanner(System.in);

Scanner methods

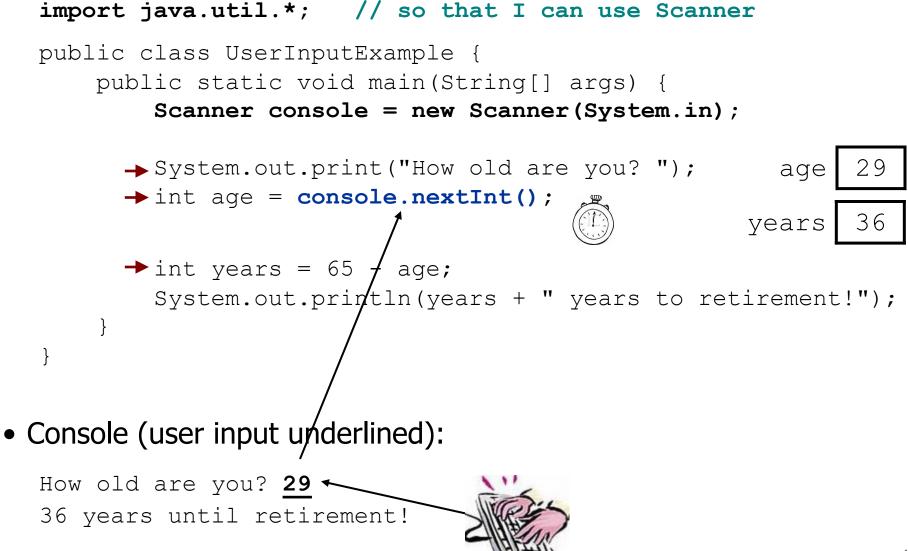
Method	Description
nextInt()	reads an int from the user and returns it
nextDouble()	reads a double from the user
next()	reads a one-word String from the user
nextLine()	reads a one-line String from the user

- Each method waits until the user presses Enter.
- The value typed by the user is returned.

```
System.out.print("How old are you? "); // prompt
int age = console.nextInt();
System.out.println("You typed " + age);
```

• prompt: A message telling the user what input to type.

Scanner example



Scanner example 2

```
import java.util.*; // so that I can use Scanner
public class ScannerMultiply {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Scanner console = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.print("Please type two numbers: ");
        int num1 = console.nextInt();
        int num2 = console.nextInt();
        int product = num1 * num2;
        System.out.println("The product is " + product);
    }
}
```

• Output (user input underlined):

Please type two numbers: **8 6** The product is 48

- The Scanner can read multiple values from one line.

Input tokens

- token: A unit of user input, as read by the Scanner.
 - Tokens are separated by *whitespace* (spaces, tabs, new lines).
- When a token is not the type you ask for, it crashes.

```
System.out.print("What is your age? ");
int age = console.nextInt();
```

Output:

```
What is your age? <u>Timmy</u>
java.util.InputMismatchException
at java.util.Scanner.next(Unknown Source)
at java.util.Scanner.nextInt(Unknown Source)
...
```

Strings as user input

• Scanner's next method reads a word of input as a String.

```
Scanner console = new Scanner(System.in);
System.out.print("What is your name? ");
String name = console.next();
name = name.toUpperCase();
System.out.println(name + " has " + name.length() +
       " letters and starts with " + name.substring(0, 1));
```

Output:

What is your name? <u>Chamillionaire</u> CHAMILLIONAIRE has 14 letters and starts with C

• The nextLine method reads a line of input as a String.

```
System.out.print("What is your address? ");
String address = console.nextLine();
```

Characters

Type char

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

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

The charAt method

- The chars in a String can be accessed using the charAt method.
 - accepts an ${\tt int}$ index parameter and returns the ${\tt char}$ at that index

```
String food = "cookie";
char firstLetter = food.charAt(0); // 'c'
System.out.println(firstLetter + " is for " + food);
```

• You can use a for loop to print or examine each character.

Character operations

Table 3.15.1: Character methods return values. Each method must prepend Character., as in Character.isLetter.

<i>isLetter</i> (c)	true if alphabetic: a-z or A-Z	<pre>isLetter('x') // true isLetter('6') // false isLetter('!') // false</pre>	toUpperCase (c)	Uppercase version	<pre>toUpperCase('a') // A toUpperCase('A') // A toUpperCase('3') // 3</pre>	/
isDigit (c)	true if digit: 0-9.	isDigit('x') // false isDigit('6') // true	toLowerCase (c)	Lowercase version	<pre>toLowerCase('A') // a toLowerCase('a') // a toLowerCase('3') // 3</pre>	/
isWhitespace (c)	true if whitespace.	<pre>isWhitespace(' ') // true isWhitespace('\n') // true isWhitespace('x') // false</pre>				

Comparing char values

• 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);
}</pre>
```

char VS. int

- Each char is mapped to an integer value internally
- Called an ASCII value (You can find it at zybook 2.14)

'A'	is	65	'B'	is	66	V	V	is	32
'a'	is	97	'b'	is	98	۲ *	V	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.

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

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