



Preface

Live in fragments no longer, only connect.
—Edgar Morgan Foster

Welcome to Java and *Java How to Program, Ninth Edition*! This book presents leading-edge computing technologies for students, instructors and software developers.

The new Chapter 1 engages students with intriguing facts and figures to get them excited about studying computers and programming. The chapter includes a table of some of the research made possible by computers; current technology trends and hardware discussion; the data hierarchy; a table of mobile and Internet app platforms; a new section on social networking; an introduction to Android; a table of popular web services; a table of business and technology publications and websites that will help you stay up to date with the latest technology news and trends; and updated exercises.

The book is appropriate for introductory course sequences based on the ACM/IEEE curriculum recommendations and for AP Computer Science exam preparation.

We focus on software engineering best practices. At the heart of the book is the Deitel signature “live-code approach”—concepts are presented in the context of complete working programs, rather than in code snippets. Each complete code example is accompanied by live sample executions. All the source code is available at www.deitel.com/books/jhttp9/ and at the book’s Companion Website www.pearsonhighered.com/deitel/.

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New and Updated Features

Here are the updates we’ve made for *Java How to Program, 9/e*:

Java Standard Edition (SE) 7

- **Easy to use as a Java SE 6 or Java SE 7 book.** There are a few Java Standard Edition (SE) 7 features that affect CS 1 and CS 2 courses. We cover those features in optional modular sections that are easy to include or omit. Here’s some of the new functionality: Strings in switch statements, the try-with-resources statement for managing AutoCloseable objects, multi-catch for defining a single exception handler to replace multiple exception handlers that perform the same task, the NIO filesystem APIs and inferring the types of generic objects from the variable they’re assigned to by using the <> notation. We also overview the new concurrency API features.

- *Java SE 7 filesystem APIs.* We provide an *alternate* online version of Chapter 17, Files, Streams and Object Serialization, that’s reimplemented with the new filesystem APIs from Java SE 7.
- *Java SE 7’s AutoClosable versions of Connection, Statement and ResultSet.* With the source code for Chapter 28, Accessing Databases with JDBC, we provide a version of the chapter’s first example that’s implemented using Java SE 7’s AutoClosable versions of Connection, Statement and ResultSet. AutoClosable objects reduce the likelihood of resource leaks when you use them with Java SE 7’s try-with-resources statement, which automatically closes the AutoClosable objects allocated in the parentheses following the try keyword.

Pedagogic Features

- *Enhanced Making a Difference exercises set.* We encourage you to use computers and the Internet to research and solve significant social problems. These exercises are meant to increase awareness and discussion of important issues the world is facing. We hope you’ll approach them with your own values, politics and beliefs. Check out our new Making a Difference Resource Center at www.deitel.com/MakingADifference for additional ideas you may want to investigate further.
- *Page numbers for key terms in chapter summaries.* For key terms that appear in the chapter summaries, we include the page number of the key term’s defining occurrence.
- *VideoNotes.* The Companion Website includes extensive VideoNotes in which co-author Paul Deitel explains in detail most of the programs in the core chapters. Instructors have told us that their students find the VideoNotes valuable.

Object Technology

- *Object-oriented programming and design.* We introduce the basic concepts and terminology of object technology in Chapter 1. Students develop their first customized classes and objects in Chapter 3. Presenting objects and classes early gets students “thinking about objects” immediately and mastering these concepts more thoroughly. [For courses that require a late-objects approach, consider *Java How to Program, Late Objects Version, 8/e*, which begins with six chapters on programming fundamentals (including two on control statements) and continues with seven chapters that gradually introduce object-oriented programming concepts.]
- *Exception handling.* We integrate basic exception handling earlier in the book and instructors can easily pull more material forward from Chapter 11, Exception Handling: A Deeper Look.
- *Class Arrays and ArrayList.* Chapter 7 covers class Arrays—which contains methods for performing common array manipulations—and class ArrayList—which implements a dynamically resizable array-like data structure. This follows our philosophy of getting lots of practice *using existing classes while learning how to define your own classes.*
- *OO case studies.* The early classes and objects presentation features Time, Employee and GradeBook class case studies that weave their way through multiple sections and chapters, gradually introducing deeper OO concepts.

- **Optional Case Study: Using the UML to Develop an Object-Oriented Design and Java Implementation of an ATM.** The UML™ (Unified Modeling Language™) is the industry-standard graphical language for modeling object-oriented systems. Chapters 12–13 include an *optional* case study on object-oriented design using the UML. We design and implement the software for a simple automated teller machine (ATM). We analyze a typical requirements document that specifies the system to be built. We determine the classes needed to implement that system, the attributes the classes need to have, the behaviors the classes need to exhibit and specify how the classes must interact with one another to meet the system requirements. From the design we produce a *complete* Java implementation. Students often report having a “light-bulb moment”—the case study helps them “tie it all together” and really understand object orientation.
- **Reordered data structures presentation.** We begin with generic class `ArrayList` in Chapter 7. Because *students will understand basic generics concepts early in the book*, our later data structures discussions provide a deeper treatment of generic collections—showing how to use the built-in collections of the Java API. We then show how to implement generic methods and classes. Finally, we show how to build custom generic data structures.

Database and Web Development

- **JDBC 4.** Chapter 28, Accessing Databases with JDBC, covers JDBC 4 and uses the Java DB/Apache Derby and MySQL database management systems. The chapter features an OO case study on developing a database-driven address book that demonstrates prepared statements and JDBC 4’s automatic driver discovery.
- **Java Server Faces (JSF) 2.0.** Chapters 29–30 have been updated to introduce JavaServer Faces (JSF) 2.0 technology, which greatly simplifies building JSF web applications. Chapter 29 includes examples on building web application GUIs, validating forms and session tracking. Chapter 30 discusses data-driven and Ajax-enabled JSF applications. The chapter features a database-driven multitier web address book that allows users to add and search for contacts. This Ajax-enabled application gives the reader a nice sense of Web 2.0 software development.
- **Web services.** Chapter 31, Web Services, demonstrates creating and consuming SOAP- and REST-based web services. Case studies include developing blackjack and airline reservation web services.
- **Java Web Start and the Java Network Launch Protocol (JNLP).** We introduce Java Web Start and JNLP, which enable applets *and* applications to be launched via a web browser. Users can install locally for later execution. Programs can also request the user’s permission to access local system resources such as files—enabling you to develop more robust applets and applications that execute safely using Java’s sandbox security model, which applies to downloaded code.

Multithreading

- **Multithreading.** We completely reworked Chapter 26, Multithreading [special thanks to the guidance of Brian Goetz and Joseph Bowbeer—two of the co-authors of *Java Concurrency in Practice*, Addison-Wesley, 2006].
- **SwingWorker class.** We use class `SwingWorker` to create *multithreaded user interfaces*.

GUI and Graphics

- **Scalable GUI and graphics presentation.** Instructors teaching introductory courses have a broad choice of the amount of GUI and graphics to cover—from none, to an optional 10-brief-sections introductory sequence woven in with the early chapters, to a deep treatment in Chapters 14, 15 and 25, and Appendix I.
- **GroupLayout layout manager.** We discuss the GroupLayout layout manager in the context of the GUI design tool in the NetBeans IDE.
- **JTable sorting and filtering capabilities.** Chapter 28 uses these capabilities to re-sort the data in a JTable and filter it by regular expressions.

Other Features

- **Android.** Because of the tremendous interest in Android-based smartphones and tablets, we've included a three-chapter introduction to Android app development on the Companion Website. These chapters are from our new Deitel Developer Series book *Android for Programmers: An App-Driven Approach*. After you learn Java, you'll find it straightforward to develop and run Android apps on the free Android emulator that you can download from developer.android.com.
- **Software engineering community concepts.** We discuss agile software development, refactoring, design patterns, LAMP, SaaS (Software as a Service), PaaS (Platform as a Service), cloud computing, open-source software and more.

Dependency Chart

The chart on the next page shows the dependencies among the chapters to help instructors plan their syllabi. *Java How to Program, 9/e*, is appropriate for a variety of programming courses at various levels, most notably CS 1 and CS 2 courses and introductory course sequences in related disciplines. The book has a clearly delineated, modular organization. Chapters 1–11 and 14–17 form an accessible elementary programming sequence with a solid introduction to object-oriented programming. *Optional* Chapters 12–13 form an accessible introduction to object-oriented design with the UML. The GUI and Graphics Track and Chapters 14, 15, 23, 24 and 25 form a substantial GUI, graphics and multimedia sequence. Chapters 18–22 form a nice data-structures sequence. Chapters 26–27 form a solid introduction to multithreading and Internet networking. Chapters 28–31 form a rich database-intensive web application development sequence.

Teaching Approach

Java How to Program, 9/e, contains hundreds of complete working examples. We stress program clarity and concentrate on building well-engineered software.

Syntax Coloring. For readability, we syntax color all the Java code, similar to the way most Java integrated-development environments and code editors syntax color code. Our syntax-coloring conventions are as follows:

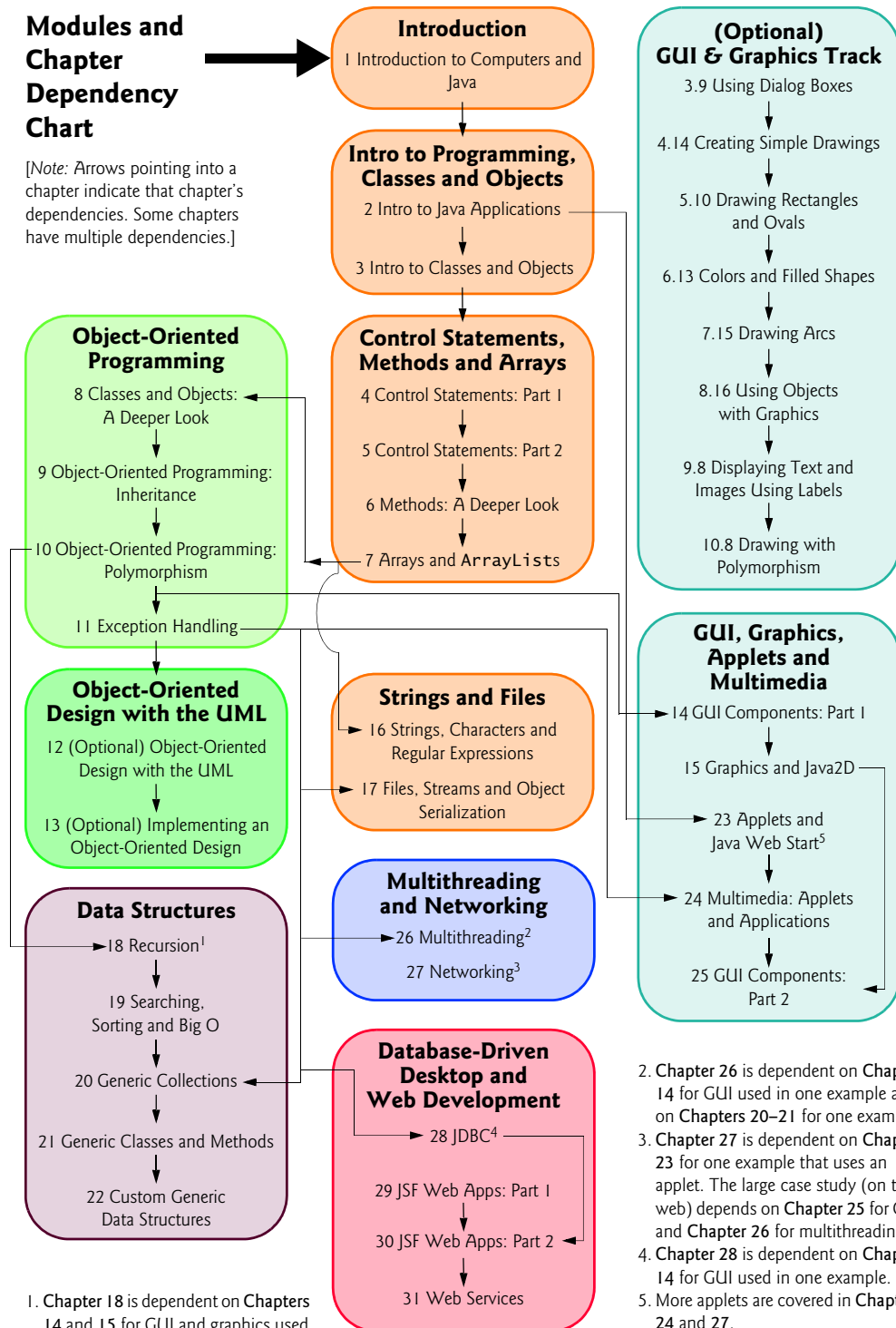
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comments appear in green
keywords appear in dark blue
errors appear in red
constants and literal values appear in light blue
all other code appears in black

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Modules and Chapter Dependency Chart

[Note: Arrows pointing into a chapter indicate that chapter's dependencies. Some chapters have multiple dependencies.]



1. Chapter 18 is dependent on Chapters 14 and 15 for GUI and graphics used in one example.

2. Chapter 26 is dependent on Chapter 14 for GUI used in one example and on Chapters 20–21 for one example.
 3. Chapter 27 is dependent on Chapter 23 for one example that uses an applet. The large case study (on the web) depends on Chapter 25 for GUI and Chapter 26 for multithreading.
 4. Chapter 28 is dependent on Chapter 14 for GUI used in one example.
 5. More applets are covered in Chapters 24 and 27.

Code Highlighting. We place yellow rectangles around key code segments.

Using Fonts for Emphasis. We place the key terms and the index's page reference for each defining occurrence in **bold maroon** text for easier reference. We emphasize on-screen components in the **bold Helvetica** font (e.g., the **File** menu) and emphasize Java program text in the Lucida font (for example, `int x = 5;`).

Web Access. All of the source-code examples can be downloaded from:

www.deitel.com/books/jhttp9
www.pearsonhighered.com/deitel

Objectives. The opening quotes are followed by a list of chapter objectives.

Illustrations/Figures. Abundant tables, line drawings, UML diagrams, programs and program outputs are included.

Programming Tips. We include programming tips to help you focus on important aspects of program development. These tips and practices represent the best we've gleaned from a combined seven decades of programming and teaching experience.



Good Programming Practices

The Good Programming Practices call attention to techniques that will help you produce programs that are clearer, more understandable and more maintainable.



Common Programming Errors

Pointing out these Common Programming Errors reduces the likelihood that you'll make them.



Error-Prevention Tips

These tips contain suggestions for exposing bugs and removing them from your programs; many describe aspects of Java that prevent bugs from getting into programs in the first place.



Performance Tips

These tips highlight opportunities for making your programs run faster or minimizing the amount of memory that they occupy.



Portability Tips

The Portability Tips help you write code that will run on a variety of platforms.



Software Engineering Observations

The Software Engineering Observations highlight architectural and design issues that affect the construction of software systems, especially large-scale systems.



Look-and-Feel Observations

The Look-and-Feel Observations highlight graphical-user-interface conventions. These observations help you design attractive, user-friendly graphical user interfaces that conform to industry norms.

Summary Bullets. We present a section-by-section bullet-list summary of the chapter. For ease of reference, we include the page number of each key term's defining occurrence in the text.

Self-Review Exercises and Answers. Extensive self-review exercises *and* answers are included for self study. All of the exercises in the optional ATM case study are fully solved.

Exercises. The chapter exercises include:

- simple recall of important terminology and concepts
- What's wrong with this code?
- What does this code do?
- writing individual statements and small portions of methods and classes
- writing complete methods, classes and programs
- major projects
- in many chapters, Making a Difference exercises.

Index. We've included an extensive index. Defining occurrences of key terms are highlighted with a **bold maroon** page number.

Software Used in Java How to Program, 9/e

All the software you'll need for this book is available free for download from the web. See the Before You Begin section that follows this Preface for links to each download.

We wrote most of the examples in *Java How to Program, 9/e*, using the free Java Standard Edition Development Kit (JDK) 6. For the optional Java SE 7 modules, we used the OpenJDK's early access version of JDK 7. In Chapters 29–31, we also used the Netbeans IDE, and in Chapter 28, we used MySQL and MySQL Connector/J. You can find additional resources and software downloads in our Java Resource Centers at:

www.deitel.com/ResourceCenters.html

Java IDE Resource Kit

Your instructor may have ordered through your college bookstore a Value Pack edition of *Java How to Program, 9/e* that comes bundled with the Java IDE Resource Kit. This kit contains CD or DVD versions of Java™ SE Development Kit 6 for Windows®, Eclipse™ IDE for Windows®, NetBeans™ IDE, jGRASP™ IDE, DrJava IDE, BlueJ IDE and the TextPad® Text Editor for Windows®. Free versions of these IDEs also can be downloaded from the web. The Java IDE Resource Kit also includes access to a Companion Website containing step-by-step VideoNotes and written instructions to help you get started with each development environment. If your book did not come with the Java IDE Resource Kit, you can purchase access to the Resource Kit's Companion Website from www.pearsonhighered.com/javaidokit/. You'll still need to download the free software separately.

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We’ll respond promptly. We hope you enjoy working with *Java How to Program, 9/e*. Good luck!

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