APS101 lab5 - week 7

This document contains the instructions for the week 7 APS101 lab.

1 Objectives

- 1. Practive using StringTokenizer.
- 2. Practice using JavaDoc.
- 3. Practice writing while loops.
- 4. Practice writing for loops.

2 Starting up

Sit down with your partner. The rest of these instructions call you two s1 and s2. Pick which one is which. s1 should log in and start up DrJava, and be the first driver.

3 StringTokenizer

Download Sentence.java from lab webpage.

Complete the method reverseWords. Use a StringTokenizer and a while loop to create a new String with the words of the given sentence in the reverse order. Return the new sentence (as a String).

For example, if the user types

"This is a great lab."

then following should be returned

"lab. great a is This"

There should not be a space after the last word! Compile it, test it, and fix any errors.

Demonstrate to your TA that it works.

4 JavaDoc!

Switch roles: s2 drives and s1 navigates.

In this section, you'll see JavaDoc in action. Download Lab5. java from the lab webpage.

Run JavaDoc on Lab5.java: open Lab5.java in DrJava, select the Tools menu and choose Preview Javadoc for Current Document. This will generate a web page and should open up your browser.

Scroll down to the bottom of the HTML page. Notice that, for example, mostSpaces lists both Parameters: and Returns:.

Look at the JavaDoc comments to find out how the **Parameters:** and **Returns:** sections are made. What are the two comment tags that produce them?

5 Loops!

Complete as many of the methods in Lab5.java as you can, alternating driver and navigator for each one. Warning: you may not get more than two or three of them done. **Don't rush:** make sure you understand what you do get done. Don't hurry your partner through these!

You can practice them over the weekend, or before the final exam, of course.

For each method, use exactly one while statement. You may not use do-while, for, break or continue statements. (Why? Because we will have you write while loops on the final and we want to get you to practice them.)

Also, you may use only one return statement in any method.

In any code that you write, you may use only these String methods: equals, substring and length. You must not use any other methods from String.

6 Loops: again!

If time permits, rewrite the methods in Lab5. java, using for loops instead of while loops.