

Praktische Softwaretechnologie

Lecture 9.

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The Map Interface

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- A Map is an object that maps keys to values.
- A Map cannot contain duplicate keys.
- Each key can map to at most one value.
- It models the mathematical *function* abstraction.

The Map Interface

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```
public interface Map<K,V> {
    // Basic operations
    V put(K key, V value);
    V get(Object key);
    V remove(Object key);
    boolean containsKey(Object key);
    boolean containsValue(Object value);
    int size();
    boolean isEmpty();

    // Bulk operations
    void putAll(Map<? extends K, ? extends V>
m);
    void clear();

    // Collection Views
    public Set<K> keySet();
    public Collection<V> values();
    public Set<Map.Entry<K,V>> entrySet();
}

// Interface for entrySet elements
public interface Entry<K, V> {
    K getKey();
    V getValue();
    V setValue(V value); }
}
```

Map Implementation

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- The Java platform contains three general-purpose Map implementations: **HashMap**, **TreeMap**, and **LinkedHashMap**. Their behavior and performance are precisely analogous to HashSet, TreeSet, and LinkedHashSet (see before).
- **HashTable** is in the language only because of historical reason and backward compatibility. It is a generic data type, too.
- Each implementation has no argument (**HashMap()**, **TreeMap()**, **LinkedHashMap()**) constructor:

```
Map <Type1, Type2> l = new TreeMap<Type1, Type2>();
```

- **No conversion constructors(!):**

Examples for Collection Views

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```
for (KeyType key : m.keySet())  
    System.out.println(key);
```

with an iterator:

```
// Filter a map based on some property of its keys.  
for (Iterator<Type> it = m.keySet().iterator(); it.hasNext(); )  
    if (condition(it.next()))  
        it.remove();
```

Iterating over key-value pairs (with the help of the interface `Map.Entry<K,V>`):

```
for (Map.Entry<KeyType,ValType> e : m.entrySet())  
    System.out.println(e.getKey() + ": " + e.getValue());
```

Example: Frequency Table of Words

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```
import java.util.*;
public class Freq {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Map<String, Integer> m = new HashMap<String, Integer>();
        // Initialize frequency table from command line
        for (String a : args) {
            Integer freq = m.get(a); m.put(a, (freq == null) ? 1 : freq + 1);
        }
        System.out.println(m.size() + " distinct words:");
        System.out.println(m);
    }
}
```

The program generates a frequency table of the words found in its argument list. The frequency table maps each word to the number of its occurrence in the argument list.

Map Example Output

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Assume running this program with the following command:

```
java Freq if it is to be it is up to me to delegate
```

The program yields the following output:

```
8 distinct words: {to=3, delegate=1, be=1, it=2, up=1, if=1, me=1, is=2}
```

Preferably the program should print out frequency table in alphabetical order
→ Change the implementation type of the Map from **HashMap** to **TreeMap**.

This time the program yields the following output:

```
8 distinct words: {be=1, delegate=1, if=1, is=2, it=2, me=1, to=3, up=1}
```

Similarly, if you prefer that the program prints the frequency table in the order the words given in the command line → Change the implementation type of the Map to **LinkedHashMap** Map:

```
8 distinct words: {if=1, it=2, is=2, to=3, be=1, up=1, me=1, delegate=1}
```

Example: Map Iterations

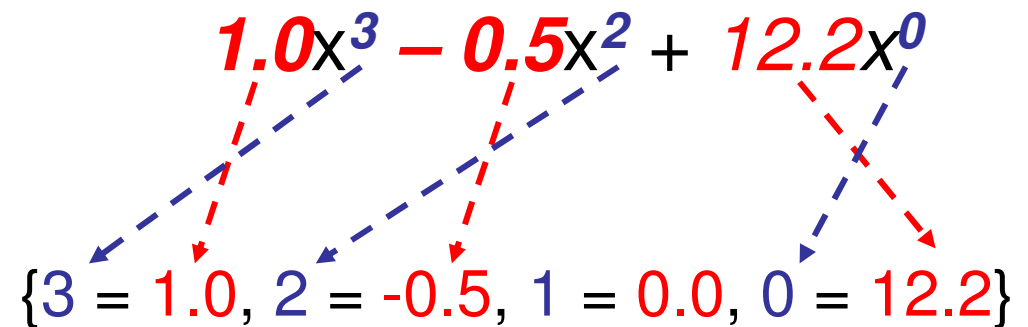
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```
public static void dumpMap(Map mp) {  
    Iterator it = mp.entrySet().iterator();  
    while (it.hasNext()) {  
        Map.Entry pairs = (Map.Entry)it.next();  
        System.out.println(pairs.getKey() + " = " + pairs.getValue());  
    }  
}
```


Example: Representation of Polynomials

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$$x^3 - 0.5x^2 + 12.2$$



• `PolynomMap<Integer, Double>`:

- Keys are the **powers**.
- Values are the **coefficients**.

...

```
List<Map<Integer, Double>> all_polynomials = new  
    LinkedList<Map<Integer, Double>>();
```

```
Map<Integer, Double> pol1 = new TreeMap<Integer, Double>();
```

```
Map<Integer, Double> pol2 = new TreeMap<Integer, Double>();
```

```
pol1.put(2, 1.0); pol1.put(0, -1.0); all_polynomials.add(pol1);
```

```
pol2.put(1, 1.0); pol2.put(0, 1.0); all_polynomials.add(pol2);
```

Example: Converting Polynomial to String 1.

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```
public static String toString(Map<Integer, Double> polynomial) {
    StringBuilder sb =new StringBuilder();
    Iterator<Map.Entry<Integer, Double>> it = polynomial.entrySet().iterator();
    while (it.hasNext()) {
        Map.Entry<Integer, Double> pairs = it.next();
        //sign of the coefficient or constant
        if (pairs.getValue().doubleValue() > 0.0) sb.append("+");
        else sb.append("-");
        //coefficient
        sb.append(pairs.getValue());
        //x with its power
        sb.append("x^"+pairs.getKey()+"\t");
    } //while
    return sb.toString();
} //toString
```

E.g.:

```
pol1.put(2, 1.0); pol(1, -0.0); pol1.put(0, -1.0); System.out.println(toString(pol1));
```

Output:

```
--1.0x^0 --0.0x^1 +1.0x^2
```

Example: Converting Polynomial to String 2.

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```
public static String toString(Map<Integer, Double> polynomial) {
    StringBuilder sb =new StringBuilder();
    Iterator<Map.Entry<Integer, Double>> it = polynomial.entrySet().iterator();
    while (it.hasNext()) {
        Map.Entry<Integer, Double> pairs = it.next();
        //sign of the coefficient or constant
        if (pairs.getValue().doubleValue() > 0.0) sb.append("+");
        else sb.append("-");
        //coefficient
        sb.append(Math.abs(pairs.getValue()));
        //x with its power
        sb.append("x^"+pairs.getKey()+"\t");
    } //while
    return sb.toString();
} //toString
```

E.g.:

```
pol1.put(2, 1.0); pol(1, -0.0); pol1.put(0, -1.0); System.out.println(toString(pol1));
```

Output:

```
-1.0x^0 -0.0x^1 +1.0x^2
```

Example: Converting Polynomial to String 3.

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```
public static String toString(Map<Integer, Double> polynomial) {
    StringBuilder sb =new StringBuilder();
    Iterator<Map.Entry<Integer, Double>> it = polynomial.entrySet().iterator();
    while (it.hasNext()) {
        Map.Entry<Integer, Double> pairs = it.next();
        //sign of the coefficient or constant
        if (pairs.getValue().doubleValue() > 0.0) sb.append("+");
        else sb.append("-");
        //constant
        if (pairs.getKey().intValue() == 0) sb.append(Math.abs(pairs.getValue())+"t");
        else {
            //coefficient
            sb.append(Math.abs(pairs.getValue()));
            //x with its power
            sb.append("x^"+pairs.getKey()+"t");
        } //else
    } //while
    return sb.toString();
} //toString
```

Output:

-1.0 -0.0x¹ +1.0x²

Example: Converting Polynomial to String 4.

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```
public static String toString(Map<Integer, Double> polynomial) {
    StringBuilder sb =new StringBuilder();
    Iterator<Map.Entry<Integer, Double>> it = polynomial.entrySet().iterator();
    while (it.hasNext()) {
        Map.Entry<Integer, Double> pairs = it.next();
        //sign of the coefficient or constant
        if (pairs.getValue().doubleValue() > 0.0) sb.append("+");
        else sb.append("-");
        //constant
        if (pairs.getKey().intValue() == 0) sb.append(Math.abs(pairs.getValue())+"\t");
        else {
            //coefficient
            sb.append(Math.abs(pairs.getValue()));
            //x with its power
            if (pairs.getKey().intValue() == 1) sb.append("x"+"");
            else sb.append("x^"+pairs.getKey()+"");
        } //else
    } //while
    return sb.toString();
} //toString
```

Output:

-1.0 -0.0x +1.0x^2

Example: Converting Polynomial to String 5.

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```
public static String toString(Map<Integer, Double> polynomial) {
    StringBuilder sb =new StringBuilder();
    Iterator<Map.Entry<Integer, Double>> it = polynomial.entrySet().iterator();
    while (it.hasNext()) {
        Map.Entry<Integer, Double> pairs = it.next();
        //sign of the coefficient or constant
        if (pairs.getValue().doubleValue() > 0.0) sb.append("+");
        else sb.append("-");
        //constant
        if (pairs.getKey().intValue() == 0) sb.append(Math.abs(pairs.getValue())+"\t");
        else {
            //coefficient
            if (Math.abs(pairs.getValue().doubleValue()) != 1.0)
                sb.append(Math.abs(pairs.getValue()));
            //x with its power
            if (pairs.getKey().intValue() == 1) sb.append("x"+"");
            else sb.append("x^"+pairs.getKey()+"");
        } //else
    } //while
    return sb.toString();
} //toString
```

Output:

-1.0 -0.0x +x^2

Example: Converting Polynomial to String 6.

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```
public static String toString(Map<Integer, Double> polynomial) {
    StringBuilder sb =new StringBuilder();
    Iterator<Map.Entry<Integer, Double>> it = polynomial.entrySet().iterator();
    while (it.hasNext()) {
        Map.Entry<Integer, Double> pairs = it.next();
        if (pairs.getValue().doubleValue()== 0.0) continue;
        //sign of the coefficient or constant
        if (pairs.getValue().doubleValue() > 0.0) sb.append("+");
        else sb.append("-");
        //constant
        if (pairs.getKey().intValue() == 0) sb.append(Math.abs(pairs.getValue())+"\t");
        else {
            //coefficient
            if (Math.abs(pairs.getValue().doubleValue()) != 1.0)
                sb.append(Math.abs(pairs.getValue()));
            //x with its power
            if (pairs.getKey().intValue() == 1) sb.append("x"+"");
            else sb.append("x^"+pairs.getKey()+"");
        } //else
    } //while
    return sb.toString();
} //toString
```

Output:

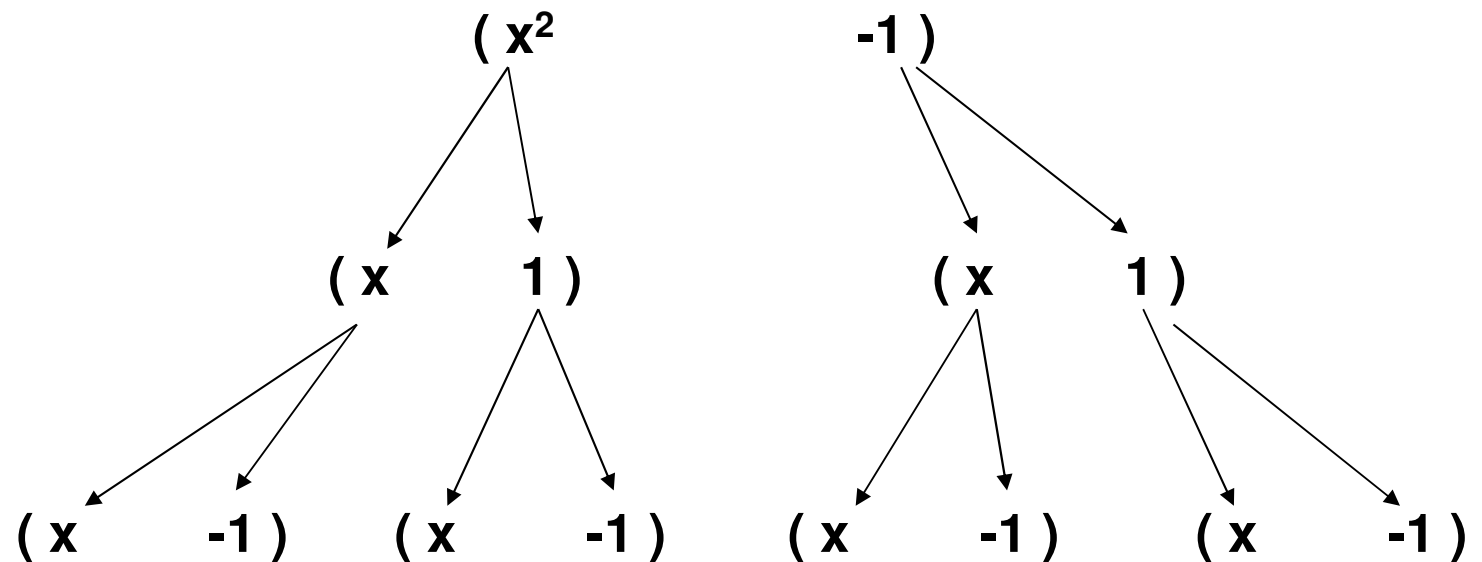
-1.0

+x^2

Example: Polynomial Multiplication 1.

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$$(x^2-1)(x+1)(x-1)$$



- Good Candidate for a Recursive Algorithm
- Outcome: $x^4 - 2x^2 + 1$

Example: Polynomial Multiplication 1.

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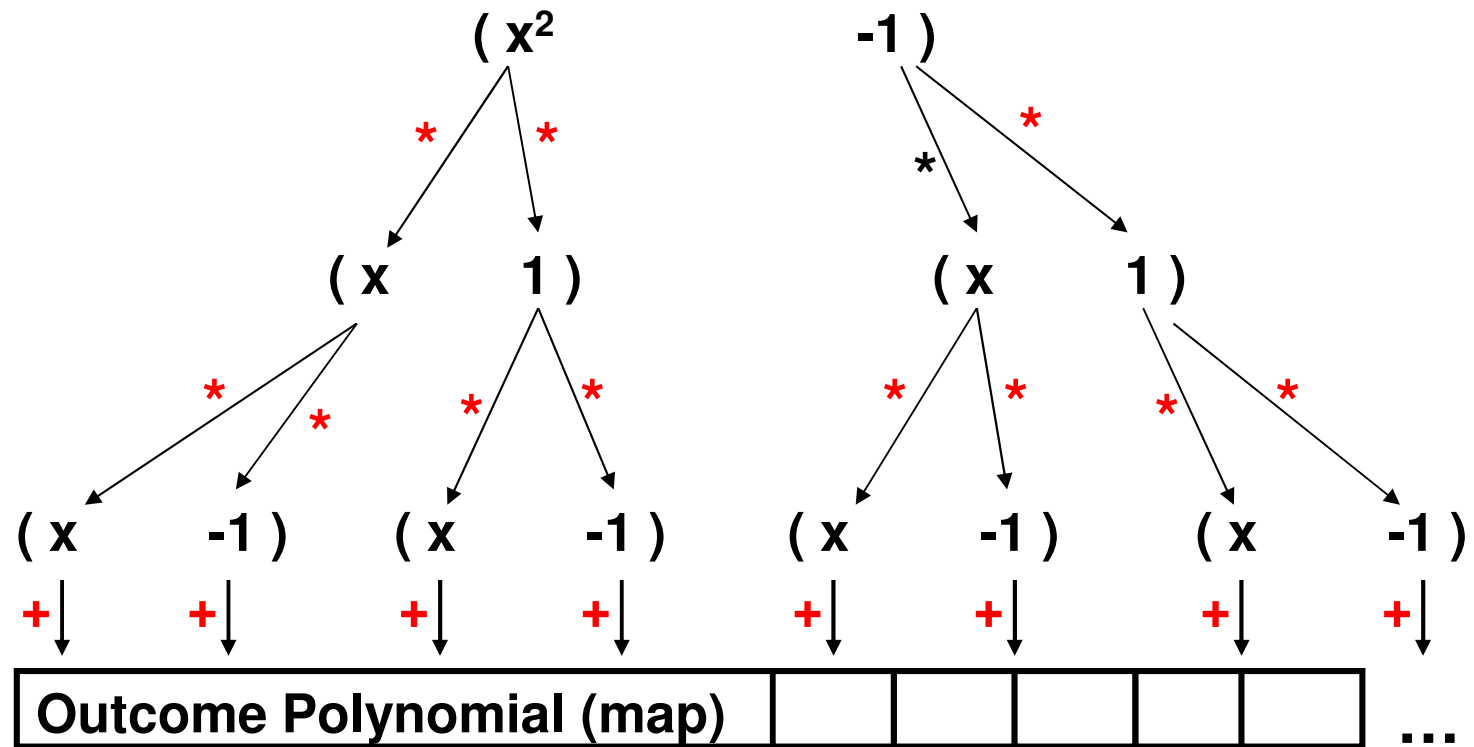
$$(x^2-1)(x+1)(x-1)$$

0. level:

1. level:

2. level:

3. level:



• Good Candidate for a Recursive Algorithm

• Outcome: $x^4 - 2x^2 + 1$

Example: Polynomial Multiplication 2.

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```
private static Map<Integer, Double> outcome;
```

```
public static Map<Integer, Double> multiplication(List<Map<Integer, Double>> polynomials) {  
    outcome = new TreeMap<Integer, Double>();  
    recursivePolMult(polynomials, 0, 1, 0);  
    return outcome;  
}
```

```
private static void recursivePolMult(  
    List<Map<Integer, Double>> polynomials,  
    int indexOfNextPolynomial,  
    double curr_coeff,  
    int curr_power) {  
    ...  
}
```

Example: Polynomial Multiplication 3.

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```
private static void recursivePolMult(List<Map<Integer, Double>> polynomials,
int indexOfNextPolynomial, double curr_coeff, int curr_power) {
    Iterator<Map<Integer, Double>> polynomial_it = polynomials.listIterator(indexOfNextPolynomial);
    if (!polynomial_it.hasNext()) {
        Double current_value = outcome.get(curr_power);
        outcome.put(curr_power, (current_value == null) ? curr_coeff : current_value + curr_coeff);
        return;
    }
    else {
        Map<Integer, Double> polynomial = polynomial_it.next();
        Iterator<Map.Entry<Integer, Double>> coeff_it = polynomial.entrySet().iterator();
        while (coeff_it.hasNext()) {
            double tmp_coeff = curr_coeff;
            int tmp_power = curr_power;
            Map.Entry<Integer, Double> pairs = coeff_it.next();
            tmp_coeff *= pairs.getValue().doubleValue();
            tmp_power += pairs.getKey().intValue();
            recursivePolMult(polynomials, indexOfNextPolynomial+1, tmp_coeff, tmp_power);
        } //while}
    } //else
}
```

Exercise 11: Polynomial Addition

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- Download **polynomial.java** from the course web page.
- Your task is to implement the following method of the class ***Polynomial***:

```
public static Map<Integer, Double> addition(List<Map<Integer, Double>> polynomials) {...}
```

- The method expects a list of polynomial and returns the sum of the given polynomial in the list.
- A skeleton of the solution:
 - Create a new Map (let's call ***sum***) for the outcome,
 - Go through all the polynomials in the given list one by one,
 - Go through all the power products in the current polynomial,
 - Add the value of the coefficient of the current power product to the corresponding element of the ***sum*** (whose key is equal to the key/power of the current power product),
- Return ***sum***.

Example: Method main

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```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    List<Map<Integer, Double>> all_polynomials = new
                                                LinkedList<Map<Integer,Double>>();

    //key: power of x, value: coefficient
    Map<Integer, Double> pol1 = new TreeMap<Integer, Double>();
    Map<Integer, Double> pol2 = new TreeMap<Integer, Double>();
    Map<Integer, Double> pol3 = new TreeMap<Integer, Double>();
    //first polynomial
    pol1.put(2, 1.0); pol1.put(0, -1.0); all_polynomials.add(pol1);
    System.out.println(toString(pol1));
    //second polynomial
    pol2.put(1, 1.0); pol2.put(0, 1.0); all_polynomials.add(pol2);
    System.out.println(toString(pol2));
    //third polynomial
    pol3.put(1, 1.0); pol3.put(0, -1.0); all_polynomials.add(pol3);
    System.out.println(toString(pol3));

    System.out.println("=====");
    System.out.println("Multip.: \t" + toString(multiplication(all_polynomials)));
    System.out.println("sum: \t" + toString(addition(all_polynomials)));
}
```


Formatting Float and Double Numbers

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The ***DecimalFormat*** class can be used to format decimal numbers into locale-specific strings.

```
Double value = ...;
```

```
DecimalFormat myFormatter = new DecimalFormat(pattern);
```

```
String output = myFormatter.format(value);
```

```
System.out.println(value + " " + pattern + " " + output);
```

Patterns:

value	Pattern	Output
123456.789	###,###.###	123,456.789
123456.789	###.##	123456.79
123.78	000000.000	000123.780
12345.67	\$###,###.##	\$12,345.67
12345.67	\u00A5###,###.###	¥12,345.67

Recommended to Read

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Reading and completing the course material from the online Java Tutorial:

<http://java.sun.com/docs/books/tutorial/java/index.html>

- Learning the Java Language: Numbers and Strings
- Collections

The Java Archive (JAR) file format

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- The Java Archive (JAR) file format enables you to bundle multiple files into a single archive file.
- Typically a JAR file contains the class files and auxiliary resources.
- Advantages of the JAR file format (among others):
 - **Security:** You can digitally sign the contents of a JAR file.
 - **Compression:** The JAR format allows you to compress your files for efficient storage (lossless ZIP file format).
 - **Decreased download time:** If your applet is bundled in a JAR file, the applet's class files and associated resources can be downloaded to a browser in a single HTTP transaction.
 - **Package Versioning:** A JAR file can hold data about the files it contains, such as vendor and version information.
 - ...

Creating a JAR File

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- To perform basic tasks with JAR files, you use the **Java Archive Tool** provided as part of the JDK (executable: **jar**).
- The basic format of the command for creating a JAR file is:

jar cvf *jar-file input-file(s)*

- The options and arguments used in this command are:
 - The *c* option indicates that you want to *create* a JAR file.
 - The *f* option indicates that you want the output to go to a *file* rather than to stdout.
 - The *v* option produces *verbose* output on stdout while the JAR file is being built.
 - *jar-file* is the name of JAR file.
 - The *input-file(s)* argument is a space-separated list of one or more files.

Default Manifest File

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- The manifest is a special file that can contain meta information about the files packaged in a JAR file.
- Via manifest the JAR file able to support a wide range of functionality (e.g.: electronic signing, version control, etc.).
- There can be only one manifest file in an archive, and it always has the pathname:

META-INF/MANIFEST.MF

- When you create a JAR file, a default manifest is created automatically with the following content:

Manifest-Version: 1.0

Created-By: 1.6.0 (Sun Microsystems Inc.)

Specifying the JAR File's Classpath

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- You may need to refer classes located in other JAR files from some classes within a JAR file.
- You can specify classpath in the Class-Path header field in the manifest file.

Class-Path: *jar1-file directory-name/*.class ...*

Setting Package Version Information

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- You may need to include other meta information (e.g.:package version) in a JAR file's manifest.

Headers	Description
Name	The name of the specification.
Specification-Title	The title of the specification.
Specification-Version	The version of the specification.
Specification-Vendor	The vendor of the specification.
Implementation-Title	The title of the implementation.
Implementation-Version	The build number of the implementation.
Implementation-Vendor	The vendor of the implementation.

Example for Package Version Information

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META-INF/MANIFEST.MF:

Manifest-Version: 1.0

Created-By: 1.6.0 (Sun Microsystems Inc.)

Name: java/util/

Specification-Title: Java Utility Classes

Specification-Version: 1.2

Specification-Vendor: Sun Microsystems, Inc.

Implementation-Title: java.util

Implementation-Version: build57

Implementation-Vendor: Sun Microsystems, Inc.

Modifying a (Default) Manifest File

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- You use the **m command-line option** to add custom information to the manifest **during creation of a JAR file.**
- To modify the manifest, you must first prepare a text file containing the information you wish to add to the manifest, e.g.:

```
Class-Path: jar1-file directory-name/*.class ...  
<empty_line>
```

- Then use the Jar tool's m option to add the information in your file to the manifest:

```
jar cfm jar-file manifest-addition.txt input-file(s)
```

- **Warning:** The text file from which you are creating the manifest must end with a new line or carriage return.

Viewing the Contents of a JAR File

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- The basic format of the command for viewing the contents of a JAR file is:

`jar tf jar-file`

- The options and arguments used in this command are:
 - The `t` option indicates that you want to view the *table* of contents of the JAR file.
 - The `f` option indicates that the JAR file whose contents are to be viewed is specified on the command line.
 - The `jar-file` argument is the path and name of the JAR file whose contents you want to view.

Extracting the Contents of a JAR File

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- The basic command to use for extracting the contents of a JAR file is:

```
jar xf jar-file [archived-file(s)]
```

- The options and arguments used in this command are:
 - The x option indicates that you want to *extract* files from the JAR archive.
 - The f options indicates that the JAR *file* from which files are to be extracted is specified on the command line, rather than through stdin.
 - The jar-file argument is the JAR file from which to extract files.
 - The archived-file(s) is an optional argument consisting of a space-separated list of the files to be extracted from the archive.

Updating a JAR File

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- To update the contents of an existing JAR file by modifying its manifest or by adding files:

jar uf *jar-file input-file(s)*

- In this command:
 - The u option indicates that you want to *update* an existing JAR file.
 - The f option indicates that the JAR file to update is specified on the command line.
 - jar-file is the existing JAR file that's to be updated.
 - input-file(s) is a space-delimited list of one or more files that you want to add to the Jar file.
- Any files already in the archive having the same pathname and name as a file being added will be **overwritten**.

Running JAR-Packaged Application

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- You can run JAR-packaged applications with the Java virtual machine:

java -jar *jar-file*

- The `-jar` flag tells the interpreter that the application is packaged in the JAR file format.
- Before you execute this command make sure the runtime environment has an information of which class within the JAR file is **the application's entry point**.
- You must add a Main-Class header to the JAR file's manifest:

Manifest-Version: 1.0

Created-By: 1.6.0 (Sun Microsystems Inc.)

Main-Class: *packageName.className*

- The *className* is the name of the class that's the application's entry point(that contains a method *main*).

Setting an Entry Point with the JAR Tool

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- The 'e' flag (for 'entrypoint'), introduced in JDK 6, creates or overrides the manifest's Main-Class attribute.
- It can be used while creating or updating a jar file:

```
jar cfe jar-file.jar entry-point input-file(s)
```

- Entry-point is always a class name not a file name (do not use .class file extension).
- If the entrypoint class name is in a package it may use a '.' (dot) character as the delimiter, e.g.:

```
jar cfe jar-file.jar package.entry-point package/*.class
```

Running JAR-Packaged Applet

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- If the applet is bundled as a JAR file, it must be used the *ARCHIVE* parameter to specify the relative path to the JAR file:

```
<applet code=AppletClassName.class  
        archive="dir-path/jar-file.jar"  
        width=120 height=120>  
</applet>
```