

1. **Choosing fields** For each of the following kinds of values, choose appropriate fields to represent the value (imagine you are trying to implement a class that represents the value). Try to come up with two alternate sets of fields that could represent each kind of value.

(a) weight

Solution: There are many possible solutions; two are given below.

(a) for weights in kilograms:

```
double kilos;
```

(b) for weights in some arbitrary unit:

```
double quantity;
```

```
String units;    // but a Units class would be better than String
```

(b) temperature

Solution: There are many possible solutions; two are given below.

(a) for temperatures in degrees Celcius:

```
double degreesC;
```

(b) for temperature in some arbitrary unit:

```
double degrees;
```

```
String units;    // but a Units class would be better than String
```

(c) time of the day

Solution: There are many possible solutions; two are given below.

(a) for hours and minutes:

```
int hour;
```

```
int minutes;
```

(b) for minutes after midnight:

```
int minutesFromMidnight;
```

(d) day of the year

Solution: There are many possible solutions; two are given below.

(a) for days from January 1:

```
int day;
```

(b) for month and day:

```
int month;    // or String or a Month class
```

```
int dayOfMonth;
```

2. Default constructor

- (a) Suppose that a `Temperature` is represented as a floating point value in degrees Celcius. Implement a default (no argument) constructor.

Solution:

```
public class Temperature {  
    private double degC;  
  
    public Temperature() {  
        this.degC = 0.0;    // 0 degrees Celcius  
    }  
}
```

- (b) Suppose that a `TimeOfDay` is represented as an integer hour and an integer minute. Implement a default (no argument) constructor.

Solution:

```
public class TimeOfDay {  
    private int hour;    // 24-hour clock: 0 <= hour <= 23  
    private int minute; // 24-hour clock: 0 <= minute <= 59  
  
    public TimeOfDay() {  
        this.hour = 0;    // midnight  
        this.minute = 0;  
    }  
}
```

3. Custom constructor

- (a) Suppose that a `Temperature` is represented as a floating point value in degrees Celcius. Implement a custom constructor that initializes the temperature given a value in degrees Celcius.

Solution:

```
public class Temperature {
    private double degC;

    public Temperature(double degC) {
        // physics students: should you validate degC?
        this.degC = degC;
    }
}
```

- (b) Suppose that a `TimeOfDay` is represented as an integer hour and an integer minute. Implement a custom constructor that initializes a time given an hour and a minute.

Solution:

```
public class TimeOfDay {
    private int hour;        // 24-hour clock: 0 <= hour <= 23
    private int minute;     // 24-hour clock: 0 <= minute <= 59

    public static final int MIN_HOUR = 0;
    public static final int MAX_HOUR = 23;
    public static final int MIN_MINUTE = 0;
    public static final int MAX_MINUTE = 59;

    public TimeOfDay(int hour, int minute) {
        if (hour < MIN_HOUR || hour > MAX_HOUR) {
            throw new IllegalArgumentException("bad hour");
        }
        if (minute < MIN_MINUTE || minute > MAX_MINUTE) {
            throw new IllegalArgumentException("bad minute");
        }
        this.hour = hour;
        this.minute = minute;
    }
}
```

4. Copy constructor

- (a) Suppose that a `Temperature` is represented as a floating point value in degrees Celcius. Implement a copy constructor that initializes the temperature given another `Temperature` reference.

Solution:

```
public class Temperature {
```

```
private double degC;

public Temperature(Temperature other) {
    this.degC = other.degC;
}
}
```

- (b) Suppose that a `TimeOfDay` is represented as an integer hour and an integer minute. Implement a copy constructor that initializes a time given another `TimeOfDay` reference.

Solution:

```
public class TimeOfDay {
    private int hour;        // 24-hour clock: 0 <= hour <= 23
    private int minute;      // 24-hour clock: 0 <= minute <= 59

    public static final int MIN_HOUR = 0;
    public static final int MAX_HOUR = 23;
    public static final int MIN_MINUTE = 0;
    public static final int MAX_MINUTE = 59;

    public TimeOfDay(TimeOfDay other) {
        this.hour = other.hour;
        this.minute = other.minute;
    }
}
```

5. Implement a set method

- (a) Suppose that a `Temperature` is represented as a floating point value in degrees Celcius. Implement a `set` method that sets the value of a temperature given a value in degrees Celcius.

Solution:

```
public class Temperature {
    private double degC;

    public void set(double degC) {
        this.degC = degC;
    }
}
```

- (b) Suppose that a `TimeOfDay` is represented as an integer hour and an integer minute. Implement a `set` method that sets the value of a time given an hour and a minute.

Solution:

```
public class TimeOfDay {
    private int hour;        // 24-hour clock: 0 <= hour <= 23
    private int minute;     // 24-hour clock: 0 <= minute <= 59

    public static final int MIN_HOUR = 0;
    public static final int MAX_HOUR = 23;
    public static final int MIN_MINUTE = 0;
    public static final int MAX_MINUTE = 59;

    public void set(int hour, int minute) {
        if (hour < MIN_HOUR || hour > MAX_HOUR) {
            throw new IllegalArgumentException("bad hour");
        }
        if (minute < MIN_MINUTE || minute > MAX_MINUTE) {
            throw new IllegalArgumentException("bad minute");
        }
        this.hour = hour;
        this.minute = minute;
    }
}
```

6. toString

Implement a `toString` method for `Temperature` and `TimeOfDay`.

Solution: The implementation of `toString` will depend on what you decide the string representation of a temperature or time of day should look like. The solutions below illustrate only one possible implementation for each class.

```
public class Temperature {
```

```
private double degC;

@Override
public String toString() {
    return this.degC + " degrees Celcius";
}
}
```

Solution:

```
public class TimeOfDay {
    private int hour;        // 24-hour clock: 0 <= hour <= 23
    private int minute;      // 24-hour clock: 0 <= minute <= 59

    public static final int MIN_HOUR = 0;
    public static final int MAX_HOUR = 23;
    public static final int MIN_MINUTE = 0;
    public static final int MAX_MINUTE = 59;

    @Override
    public String toString() {
        if (this.minute < 10) {
            // add a zero in front of the single digit minute
            return this.hour + ":0" + this.minute;
        }
        return this.hour + ":" + this.minute;
    }
}
```

7. equals

Consider a `Card` class that represents a standard playing card. Every `Card` object has a `Rank` and a `Suit`. Complete the `equals` method for `Card`. You may assume that the `Rank` and `Suit` classes both have an `equals` method.

```
public class Card implements Comparable<Card> {

    private Rank rank;
    private Suit suit;

    /**
     * Compares this playing card to the specified object. The result
     * is true if and only if the argument is a
     * Card with the same rank and suit as this card.
     *
     * @param obj
     *         The object to compare this Card against.
     * @return true if the given object is a
     *         Card equal to this playing card,
     *         false otherwise.
     */
    @Override
    public boolean equals(Object obj) {
        if (this == obj) { // is this Card and obj the same object?
            return true;
        }
        if (obj == null) { // equals(null) is always false
            return false;
        }
        if (getClass() != obj.getClass()) { // is obj a Card?
            return false;
        }
        Card other = (Card) obj; // cast obj to a Card

        // only now can you compare the ranks and suits
        return this.getRank().equals(other.getRank()) &&
            this.getSuit().equals(other.getSuit());
    }
}
```