

Lecture 6 - Sep. 24

Review of OOP, Exceptions

Static Variables: Common Errors

Caller vs. Callee

Tracing Method Call Chain via Call Stack

Announcements/Reminders

- **Lab1** released
- **Mockup Programming Test** this Fri (5pm or 6pm)
- Guides for **WrittenTest1** and **ProgTest1** to be released
- Reminder of rules for class **attendance checks**

Managing Account IDs: Automatic



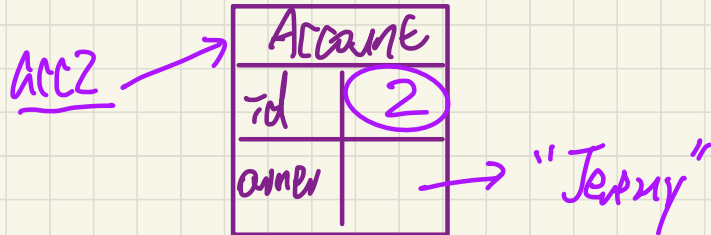
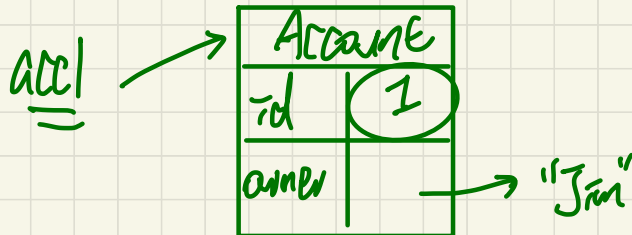
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```
class Account {  
    private static int globalCounter = 1;  
    private int id; String owner;  
    public Account(String owner) {  
        *this.id = globalCounter;  
        globalCounter++;  
        this.owner = owner; } }
```

parameters not including id.

local each obj of type Account has its own copy

```
class AccountTester {  
    Account acc1 = new Account("Jim");  
    Account acc2 = new Account("Jeremy");  
    System.out.println(acc1.getID() != acc2.getID()); }
```



Q. What if "id" is also static?

Alt -

```
class Account {  
    static int gc = 1;  
    static int id;  
    public Account() {  
        id = gc;  
        gc++;  
    }  
}
```

↓
Account a1 = new Account();
↓
Account a2 = new Account();

Account	
gc	1
id	1

Account	
gc	2
id	2

Account	
gc	2
id	2

① a1.id 1

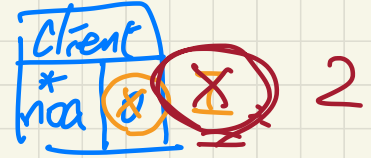
② a2.id 2

a1.id 2
↳ wrong!

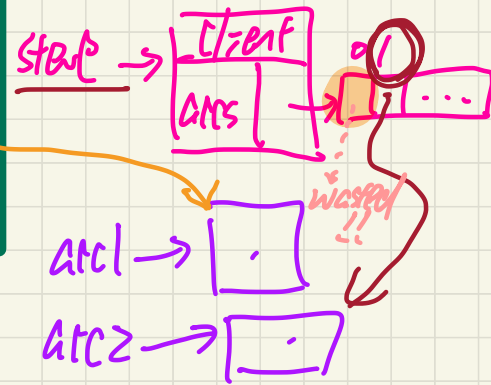
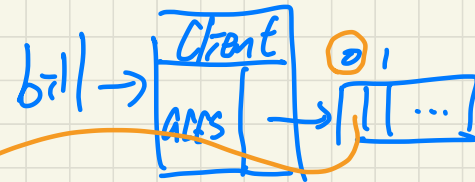
Misuse of Static Variables

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```
public class Client {  
    private Account[] accounts;  
    private static int numberOfAccounts = 0;  
    public void addAccount(Account acc) {  
        accounts[this.numberOfAccounts] = acc;  
        this.numberOfAccounts++;  
    }  
}
```



```
public class ClientTester {  
    Client bill = new Client("Bill");  
    Client steve = new Client("Steve");  
    Account acc1 = new Account();  
    Account acc2 = new Account();  
    bill.addAccount(acc1);  
    /* [redacted] */  
    steve.addAccount(acc2);  
    /* [redacted] */  
}
```



Use of Static Variables: Common Error

Bank c-bc = new Bank();
c-bc.branchName;

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```
1 public class Bank {  
2     private string branchName;  
3     public String getBrachName() { return this.branchName; }  
4     private static int nextAccountNumber = 0;  
5     public static String getInfo() {  
6         nextAccountNumber++;  
7         return this.branchName + nextAccountNumber;  
8     }  
9 }
```

✓
Bank.getInfo()
class name static method

Compilation error! To call this static method:

Bank.getInfo()
should be a C.O.
Bank.branchName() / non-static

Fix 1:

```
1 public class Bank {
2     private string branchName;
3     public String getBrachName() { return this.branchName; }
4     private static int nextAccountNumber = 0;
5     public static String getInfo() {
6         nextAccountNumber++;
7         return this.branchName + nextAccountNumber;
8     }
9 }
```

Fix 2:

```
1 public class Bank {
2     private static string branchName;
3     public String getBrachName() { return this.branchName; }
4     private static int nextAccountNumber = 0;
5     public static String getInfo() {
6         nextAccountNumber++;
7         return this.branchName + nextAccountNumber;
8     }
9 }
```

Is that a shared branch name by all Banks? No!!

```
public class MyClass {  
    public static void main ( ... ) {
```

3

3

every point
of execution

(MyClass.main())

↓
when EXPR.

no starts;
object creation
is necessary

Caller vs. Callee

- **caller** is the **client** using the service provided by another method.
- **callee** is the **supplier** providing the service to another method.

```
class C1 {  
    void m1() {  
        C2 o = new C2();  
        o.m2(); /* static type of o is C2 */  
    }  
}  
class C2 {  
    void m2() {  
        this.m1();  
    }  
}
```

the caller C1.m1 is using the service provided by C2.m2

C1.m1 caller

C2.m2 callee

decl. of type C2

C1.m1 callee

Q: Can a method be a **caller** and a **callee** simultaneously?

YES!

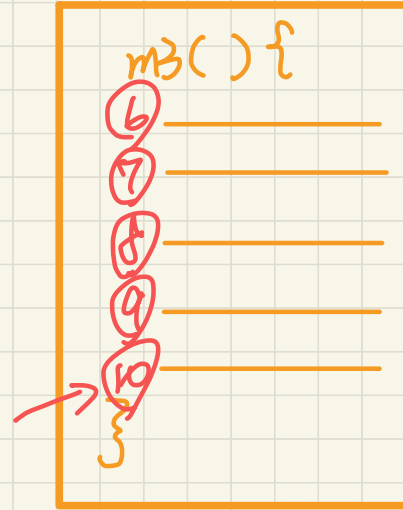
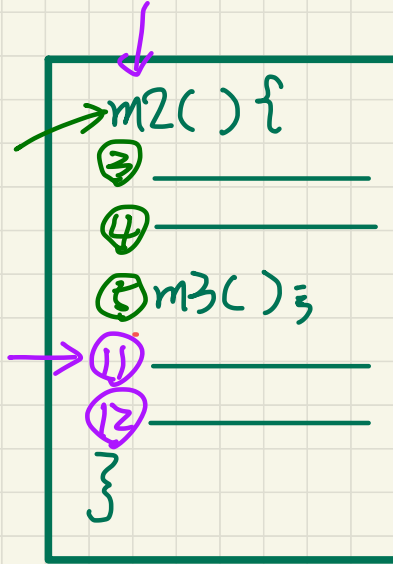
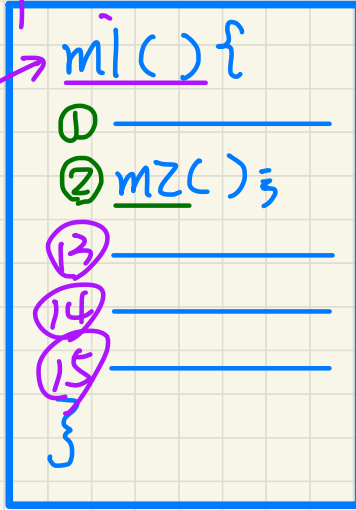
- (1) Make C1.m1 a callee as well
- (2) Exercise. Make C2.m2 a caller.

```
class C3 {  
    void m3() {  
        C1 o = new C1(); o.m1();  
    }  
}
```

C1.m1 is now a callee.

Visualizing a Call Chain using a Stack

entry point of execution



push / add
pop / remove

call stack

