

LEC 11

CSE 121

User Input (Scanner)

Questions during Class?

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BEFORE WE START

Talk to your neighbors:

*What's your favorite sunny-
weather activity?*

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Announcements, Reminders

- P2 released; due Tuesday, August 5th
- R4 released; due Tuesday, August 5th
 - Eligible: C1, P1, C2
 - Note: C1 is cycling out of eligibility for resubmission
- Quiz 1 was yesterday
 - I hope it went well!
 - Grades will be released before Quiz 2 (exact date TBD)



PCM: Scanner

An **object** that we can use to *read in input*
In the `java.util` “package”!

`Scanner` `console` = `new Scanner(System.in);`
type name Scanner construction code

Methods	Description
<code>nextInt()</code>	Reads the next token from the user as an <code>int</code> and returns it.
<code>nextDouble()</code>	Reads the next token from the user as a <code>double</code> and returns it.
<code>next()</code>	Reads the next token from the user as a <code>String</code> and returns it.
<code>nextLine()</code>	Reads an <i>entire line</i> from the user as a <code>String</code> and returns it.



PCM: Tokens

A unit of user input, as read by the Scanner

Tokens are separated by *whitespace* (spaces, tabs, new lines)

```
23    John Smith  
      42.0      "Hello world"  $2.50  "  19
```



PCM: InputMismatchException

Exceptions are errors that occur *while a program is running* that stops the program from running.

There are different types of exceptions that can occur, and the **name of the exception** can help you understand what caused the error!

An **InputMismatchException** occurs when the Scanner tries to read input in as a specific type, but the input cannot be interpreted as that type.

(e.g., trying to read in "hello" as an `int`)





Practice: Think

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    String secondName = console.next();  
    double price = console.nextDouble();  
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- C. 2 The Hunger Games 21.98
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- E. 2 Grammy Awards 90095





Practice: Pair

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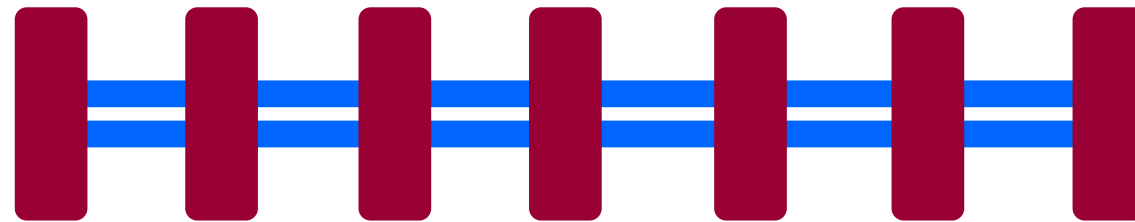
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Reminder (again): Fencepost Pattern

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L - a - u - f - e - y - !



Fencepost Pattern ... for User Input?

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