Some Java Details

Syntax

Control

etc.

```
public class lect4 {
   //***************
   // Lect 4 demo program
   //*****************************
   public static void main(String[] args) {
       int x,y,pre,post;
       x = 7;
       y = 7;
       pre = ++x;
       post = y++;
       System.out.println("pre contains: " + pre +
              " and x ends up with " + x);
       System.out.println("post contains: " + post +
              " and y ends up with " + y);
   }
```

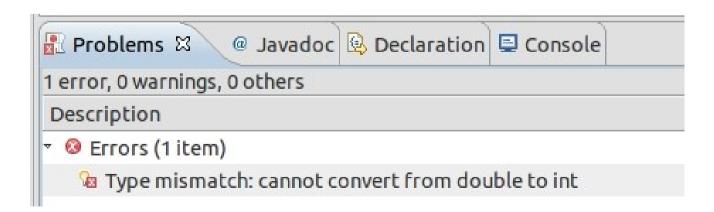
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   }
```

pre contains: 8 and x ends up with 8 post contains: 7 and y ends up with 8

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public class lect4 {
       Lect 4 demo program
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int x, y, pre, post;
        x = 7;
        y = 7;
        pre = --x;
        post = y--;
        System.out.println("pre contains: " + pre +
                " and x ends up with " + x);
        System.out.println("post contains: " + post +
                " and y ends up with " + y);
```

pre contains: 6 and x ends up with 6
post contains: 7 and y ends up with 6

Exception in thread "main" java.lang.ArithmeticException: / by zero
 at lect4.main(lect4.java:12)



Scope and lifetime of Variables

- Scope is a block denoted by { and }
- Variables can be declared within any block
- Scope determines object visibility to other parts of a program and also lifetime
- In general, variables declared inside a scope are not visible outside that scope (more details later)
- Scopes can be nested variables declared in outer nest are visible to inner variables declared in inner nest not visible to outer
- Variables are created when a scope is entered and destroyed when the scope is left.

Operation of Program Control Statements

```
if (expression) {
else {
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                --> work the same as C/C++
```

Program Control Statement Operation

```
switch(expression) {
  case constant1:
      statement sequence
                              NOTE: Break needed
      break;
  case constant2:
      statement sequence
      break;
  default:
      statement sequence
      Allowed data types for the expression:
         byte, short, int, char, enumeration (java 1.7+, string)
```

Program Control Statement Operation - continued

```
for loop
             ---> essentially the same as C/C++
              loop executes only if the loop condition is true
              there is a new for loop called enhanced for
                 it will be discussed later
   Consider this for statement:
       for (int i=0; I < 10; i++) {
          ... loop body
   What is the scope of variable i?
      (i.e what is the value of i after the loop completes?)
   How many times is the loop body executed?
   (The conditional expression is evaluated at the top of the loop)
```

<u>Program Control Statement Operation – continued</u>

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   Consider this for statement:
       for (int k=0; k < 10; ++k) {
          ... loop body
   What is the scope of variable k?
      (i.e what is the value of k after the loop completes?)
```

How many times is the loop body executed?

Program Control Statements - continued

while(expression) ---> same as C/C++ loop only executes if expression is true

do-while(expression) ---> same as C/C++ loop executes once for sure

Program Control Statements - continued

break; ---> similar to C/C++
break out of current loop level

break *label*; ---> break out of one or more blocks of code

could be a loop

can be any block of code

but

the block has to be labeled at its start

(is this a goto?)

Read a character from the keyboard

```
class demo {
   public static void main(String args∏)
       throws java.io.IOException {
       char ch;
       ch = (char) System.in.read(); // get a character
       do {
                                          // clear buffer
          ignore=(char) System.in.read();
       } while(ignore != '\n');
```