

Chapter 9:

Creating User Interfaces

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What is a JavaBean?

All Swing components are JavaBeans.
JavaBeans are very useful either in
GUI Java application or internet Web
applications.



What is a JavaBean?

A JavaBean component is just a Java class that meets the following requirements.

Minimum requirements

1. Bean must be public
2. Must have either a public default constructor with the signature, or no constructor if its superclass has a default constructor
3. Must implement `java.io.Serializable` or `java.io.Externalizable` interface
4. Usually has properties with correctly constructed public accessor methods
5. With public registration methods

Optional requirements

Why JavaBeans?

Three common methods:

getPropertyName()

isPropertyName()

setPropertyNmae()



Why JavaBeans?

The JavaBeans technology was developed to enable the programmers to rapidly build applications by assembling objects and test them during design time, thus making reuse of the software more productive.



JComponent Properties

- ☞ **toolTipText**
- ☞ **font**
- ☞ **background**
- ☞ **foreground**
- ☞ **doubleBuffered**
- ☞ **border**
- ☞ **preferredSize**
- ☞ **minimumSize**
- ☞ **maximumSize**



JButton

A *button* is a component that triggers an action event when clicked. The following are JButton non-default constructors:

```
JButton(String text)
```

```
JButton(String text, Icon icon)
```

```
JButton(Icon icon)
```

```
Icon icon=new ImageIcon("photo.gif");
```

```
Icon icon=new ImageIcon("photo.jpg");
```

Example 9.1: Using Buttons

Fixed-size picture



JButton

JButton is a subclass of Jcomponent. Therefore all the properties in JComponent can be used in JButton.

- ☞ Text (Lable on the button)
- ☞ Icon (image icon on the button)
- ☞ Mnemonic (ALT and mnemonic key, as short key)
- ☞ horizontalAlignment method(SwingConstants.LEFT, SwingConstants.RIGHT, SwingConstants.CENTER)



JButton Properties

- ☞ verticalAlignment (method)
(SwingConstants.TOP,
SwingConstants.BUTTON,
SwingConstants.CENTER)
- ☞ horizontalTextPosition
(method) (SwingConstants.LEFT,
SwingConstants.RIGHT,
SwingConstants.CENTER)
- ☞ verticalTextPosition
(method) (SwingConstants.TOP,
SwingConstants.BUTTON,
SwingConstants.CENTER)



Responding to JButton Events

```
public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e)
{
    // Get the button label
    String actionCommand = e.getActionCommand();

    // Make sure the event source is a button
    if (e.getSource() instanceof JButton)
        // Make sure it is the right button
        if ("My Button".equals(actionCommand))
            System.out.println ("Button pressed!");
}
```



```
// ButtonDemo.java: Use buttons to move message in a panel
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.ActionListener;
import java.awt.event.ActionEvent;
import javax.swing.*;

public class ButtonDemo extends JFrame
    implements ActionListener
{
    // Declare a panel for displaying message
    private MessagePanel messagePanel;

    // Declare two buttons to move the message left and right
    private JButton jbtLeft, jbtRight;
```



```
// Main method
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    ButtonDemo frame = new ButtonDemo();
    // frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
    frame.pack();
    frame.setVisible(true);
}

public ButtonDemo()
{
    setTitle("Button Demo");

    // Create a MessagePanel instance and set colors
    messagePanel = new MessagePanel("Welcome to Java");
    messagePanel.setBackground(Color.yellow);
```



```
// Create Panel jpButtons to hold two Buttons "<=" and "right =>"  
JPanel jpButtons = new JPanel();  
jpButtons.setLayout(new FlowLayout());  
jpButtons.add(jbtLeft = new JButton());  
jpButtons.add(jbtRight = new JButton());  
  
// Set button text  
jbtLeft.setText("<=");  
jbtRight.setText("=>");  
  
// Set keyboard mnemonics  
jbtLeft.setMnemonic('L');  
jbtRight.setMnemonic('R');
```

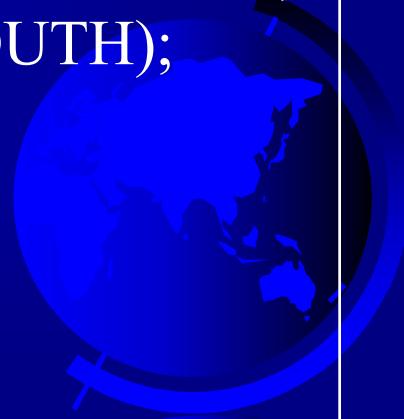


```
// Set icons
//jbtLeft.setIcon(new ImageIcon("images/left.gif"));
//jbtRight.setIcon(new ImageIcon("images/right.gif"));

// Set toolTipText on the "<=" and ">=" buttons
jbtLeft.setToolTipText("Move message to left");
jbtRight.setToolTipText("Move message to right");

// Place panels in the frame
getContentPane().setLayout(new BorderLayout());
getContentPane().add(messagePanel, BorderLayout.CENTER);
getContentPane().add(jpButtons, BorderLayout.SOUTH);

// Register listeners with the buttons
jbtLeft.addActionListener(this);
jbtRight.addActionListener(this);
}
```



```
// Handle button events  
public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e)  
{  
    if (e.getSource() == jbtLeft)  
    {  
        left();  
    }  
    else if (e.getSource() == jbtRight)  
    {  
        right();  
    }  
}
```



```
// Move the message in the panel left  
private void left()  
{  
    int x = messagePanel.getXCoordinate();  
    if (x > 10)  
    {  
        // Shift the message to the left  
        messagePanel.setXCoordinate(x-10);  
        messagePanel.repaint();  
    }  
}
```



```
// Move the message in the panel right
private void right()
{
    int x = messagePanel.getXCoordinate();
    if (x < getSize().width - 20)
    {
        // Shift the message to the right
        messagePanel.setXCoordinate(x+10);
        messagePanel.repaint();
    }
}
```





Button Demo



Welcome to Java

<=

=>



JLabel

A *label* is a display area for a short text, an image, or both. The non-default constructors for labels are as follows:

```
JLabel(String text, int horizontalAlignment)
```

```
JLabel(String text)
```

```
JLabel(Icon icon)
```

```
JLabel(Icon icon, int horizontalAlignment)
```

Example:

```
JLabel myLabel = new JLabel("Calculate");
```

```
Jlabel myLabel =
```

```
new Jlabel(new ImageIcon(images/map.gif"));
```



JLabel Properties

- ☞ text
- ☞ icon
- ☞ horizontalAlignment method
- ☞ verticalAlignment method

Example 9.2: Using Labels





Label Demo



Learning Java



JTextField

A *text field* is an input area where the user can type in **characters**. Text fields are useful in that they enable the user to enter in variable data (such as a name or a description).

After you input characters, you have to convert the characters to data, using Numerical Wrap classes.

Example 9.3: Using Text Fields



JTextField Constructors

- `JTextField(int columns)`

Creates an empty text field with the specified number of columns.

- `JTextField(String text)`

Creates a text field initialized with the specified text.

- `JTextField(String text, int columns)`

Creates a text field initialized with the specified text and the column size.



JTextField Properties

- ☞ text
- ☞ horizontalAlignment
- ☞ editable
- ☞ columns



JTextField Methods

- ☞ `getText ()`

Returns the string from the text field.

- ☞ `setText (String text)`

Puts the given string in the text field.

- ☞ `setEditable (boolean editable)`

Enables or disables the text field to be edited. By default, `editable` is true.

- ☞ `setColumns (int)`

Sets the number of columns in this text field.
The length of the text field is changeable.



```
// TextFieldDemo.java: Add two numbers in the text fields
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.*;
import javax.swing.*;

public class TextFieldDemo extends JFrame implements ActionListener
{
    // Declare three text fields
    private JTextField jtfNum1, jtfNum2, jtfResult;
    private JButton jbtAdd; // Declare "Add" button
    private JButton jbtSub;

    // Main method
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        TextFieldDemo frame = new TextFieldDemo();
        frame.pack();
```



```
// frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
frame.setVisible(true);
}

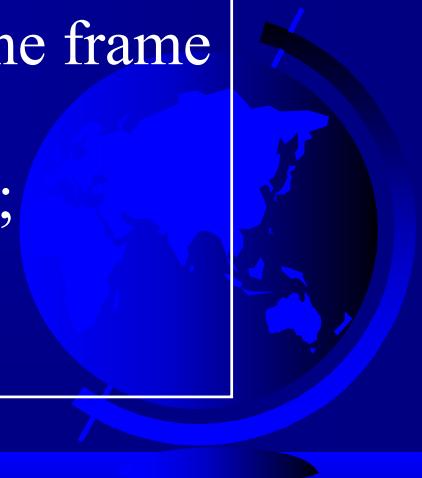
// Constructor
public TextFieldDemo()
{
    setTitle("TextFieldDemo");
    setBackground(Color.yellow);
    setForeground(Color.black);

    // Use panel p1 to group text fields
    JPanel p1 = new JPanel();
    p1.setLayout(new FlowLayout());
    p1.add(new Label("Number 1"));
    p1.add(jtfNum1 = new JTextField(3));
    p1.add(new Label("Number 2"));
```



```
p1.add(jtfNum2 = new JTextField(3));  
p1.add(new Label("Result"));  
p1.add(jtfResult = new JTextField(4));  
jtfResult.setEditable(false); // Set jtfResult noneditable
```

```
// Use panel p2 for the button  
JPanel p2 = new JPanel();  
p2.setLayout(new FlowLayout());  
p2.add(jbtAdd = new JButton("Add"));  
p2.add(jbtSub = new JButton("Sub"));  
  
// Set FlowLayout for the frame and add panels to the frame  
getContentPane().setLayout(new BorderLayout());  
getContentPane().add(p1, BorderLayout.CENTER);  
getContentPane().add(p2, BorderLayout.SOUTH);
```



```
// Register listener
jbtAdd.addActionListener(this);
jbtSub.addActionListener(this);
}

// Handle the add operation
public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e)
{
if (e.getSource() == jbtAdd)
{
    // Get int values from text fields and use trim() to
    // trim extraneous space in the text field
    int num1 = (Integer.parseInt(jtfNum1.getText().trim()));
    int num2 = (Integer.parseInt(jtfNum2.getText().trim()));
    int result = num1 + num2;
}
```



```
// Set result in TextField jtfResult
    jtfResult.setText(String.valueOf(result));
}

if (e.getSource() == jbtSub)
{
    // Get int values from text fields and use trim() to
    // trim extraneous space in the text field
    int num1 = (Integer.parseInt(jtfNum1.getText().trim()));
    int num2 = (Integer.parseInt(jtfNum2.getText().trim()));
    int result = num1 - num2;

    // Set result in TextField jtfResult
    jtfResult.setText(String.valueOf(result));
}
```



 **TextFieldDemo**

Number 1 Number 2 Result



JTextArea

If you want to let the user enter **multiple lines** of text, you cannot use text fields unless you create several of them. The solution is to use `JTextArea`, which enables the user to enter multiple lines of text.



JTextArea Constructors

- ☞ `JTextArea(int rows, int columns)`
Creates a text area with the specified number of rows and columns.
- ☞ `JTextArea(String s, int rows, int columns)`
Creates a text area with the initial text and the number of rows and columns specified.



JTextArea Properties

- ☞ text
- ☞ editable
- ☞ columns
- ☞ lineWrap
- ☞ wrapStyleWord
- ☞ rows
- ☞ lineCount
- ☞ tabSize



JTextArea methods

public void insert(String, int pos)

public void append(String s);

public void replaceRange
(String s, int start, int end)



JTextArea methods

JTextArea does not handle scrolling;

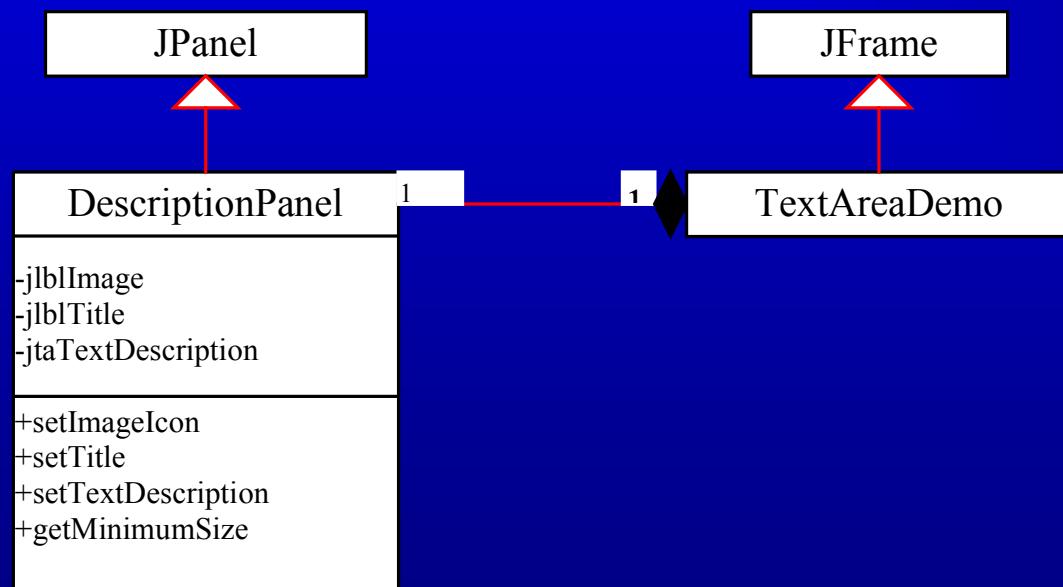
Need JScrollPane object to hold an instant of JTextArea and let JScrollPane handle scrolling for JTextArea.

```
JScrollPane scrollPane=new JScrollPane(jta =new JTextArea());  
getContentPane.add(scrollPane,BorderLayout.CENTER);
```



Example 9.4 Using Text Areas

- ☞ This example gives a program that displays an image in a label, a title in a label, and a text in a text area.



```
// Define a panel for displaying image and text
import javax.swing.*;
import java.awt.*;

public class DescriptionPanel extends JPanel
{
    // Label for displaying an image icon
    private JLabel jlblImage = new JLabel();
    // Label for displaying a title
    private JLabel jlblTitle = new JLabel();
    // Text area for displaying text
    private JTextArea jtaTextDescription = new JTextArea();
```



```
// Default constructor
public DescriptionPanel()
{
    // Group image label and title label in a panel
    JPanel panel = new JPanel();
    panel.setLayout(new BorderLayout());
    panel.add(lblImage, BorderLayout.CENTER);
    panel.add(lblTitle, BorderLayout.SOUTH);

    // Create a scroll pane to hold text area
    JScrollPane scrollPane = new JScrollPane
        (taTextDescription);

    // Center the title on the label
    lblTitle.setHorizontalAlignment(JLabel.CENTER);
```

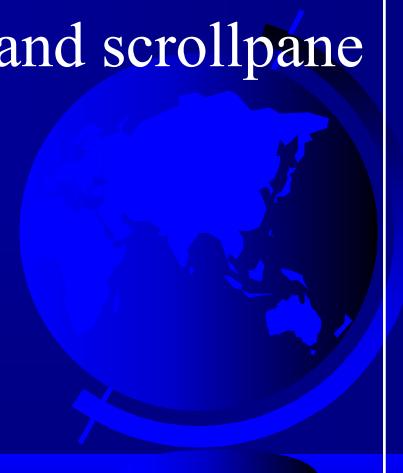


```
// Set the font for the title and text
jlblTitle.setFont(new Font("SansSerif", Font.BOLD, 16));
jtaTextDescription.setFont(new Font("Serif", Font.PLAIN, 14));

// Set lineWrap and wrapStyleWord true for text area
jtaTextDescription.setLineWrap(true);
jtaTextDescription.setWrapStyleWord(true);

// Set preferred size for the scroll pane
scrollPane.setPreferredSize(new Dimension(200, 100));

// Set BorderLayout for the whole panel, add panel and scrollpane
setLayout(new BorderLayout());
add(scrollPane, BorderLayout.CENTER);
add(panel, BorderLayout.WEST);
}
```



```
public void setTitle(String title) // Set the title
{
    jlblTitle.setText(title);
}

public void setImageIcon(ImageIcon icon) // Set the image icon
{
    jlblImage.setIcon(icon);
    Dimension dimension = new Dimension(icon.getIconWidth(),
        icon.getIconHeight());
    jlblImage.setPreferredSize(dimension);
}

// Set the text description
public void setTextDescription(String text)
{
    jtaTextDescription.setText(text);
}
```



```
// TextAreaDemo.java: Display an image in a label, the title for  
// the image in a label, and the discription of the image in a  
// text area  
import java.awt.*;  
import javax.swing.*;  
  
public class TextAreaDemo extends JFrame  
{  
    // Declare and create a description panel  
    private DescriptionPanel descriptionPanel = new DescriptionPanel();  
  
    // Main method  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        TextAreaDemo frame = new TextAreaDemo();  
        frame.pack();
```



```
// frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
frame.setTitle("Text Area Demo");
frame.setVisible(true);
}

// Constructor
public TextAreaDemo()
{
    // Set title, text and image in the description panel
    descriptionPanel.setTitle("Canada");
    String description = "The Maple Leaf flag \n\n" +
        "The Canadian National Flag was adopted by the Canadian " +
        "Parliament on October 22, 1964 and was proclaimed into law " +
        "by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II (the Queen of Canada) on " +
        "February 15, 1965. The Canadian Flag (colloquially known " +
        "as The Maple Leaf Flag) is a red flag of the proportions " +
```

```
"two by length and one by width, containing in its centre a " +  
"white square, with a single red stylized eleven-point " +  
"mapleleaf centred in the white square.";  
descriptionPanel.setTextDescription(description);  
descriptionPanel.setImageIcon(new ImageIcon("images/ca.gif"));  
  
// Add the description panel to the frame  
getContentPane().setLayout(new BorderLayout());  
getContentPane().add(descriptionPanel, BorderLayout.CENTER);  
}  
}
```





Text Area Demo



Canada

The Maple Leaf flag

The Canadian National Flag was adopted by the Canadian Parliament on October 22, 1964 and was proclaimed into law by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II (the Queen of Canada) on February 15, 1965. The Canadian Flag (colloquially known as The Maple Leaf Flag) is a red flag of the proportions two by length and one by width, containing in its



JComboBox

A *combo box* is a **simple list** of items from which the user can choose. It performs basically the same function as a list, but can get only one value. To create a choice, use its default constructor:

```
JComboBox()
```

Or use the following constructor to create a list with a set of string

```
JComboBox(Object[] stringItems)
```

Example 9.5: Using Combo Boxes



JComboBox properties

- selectedIndex: int value indicating the index of the selected item in the combo box
- selectedItem: selected item whose type is Object



JComboBox Methods

To add an item to a JComboBox jcbo, use

```
jcbo.addItem(Object item)
```

To get an item from JComboBox jcbo, use

```
jcbo.getItem()
```

To remove an item from JComboBox jcbo, use

```
jcbo.removeItem()
```

To remove all items from JComboBox jcbo,
use jcbo.removeAllItems()



Using the itemStateChanged Handler

When a choice is checked or unchecked,
itemStateChanged() for ItemEvent is
invoked as well as the actionPerformed()
handler for ActionEvent.

```
public void itemStateChanged(ItemEvent e)  
{  
    // Make sure the source is a combo box  
    if (e.getSource() instanceof JComboBox)  
        String s = (String)e.getItem();  
}
```



```
// ComboBoxDemo.java: Use a combo box to select a country and
// display the selected country's flag information
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.*;
import javax.swing.*;

public class ComboBoxDemo extends JFrame implements ItemListener
{
    // Declare an array of Strings for flag titles
    private String[] flagTitle = {"Canada", "China", "Denmark",
        "France", "Germany", "India", "Norway", "United Kingdom",
        "United States of America"};

    // Declare an ImageIcon array for the national flags of 9 countries
    private ImageIcon[] flagImage = new ImageIcon[9];
```



```
// Declare an array of strings for flag descriptions  
private String[] flagDescription = new String[9];
```

```
// Declare and create a description panel  
private DescriptionPanel descriptionPanel = new DescriptionPanel();
```

```
// The combo list for selecting countries  
private JComboBox jcbo;
```

```
// Main Method  
public static void main(String[] args)
```

```
{  
    ComboBoxDemo frame = new ComboBoxDemo();  
    frame.pack();  
    frame.setTitle("Combo Box Demo");  
    // frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);  
    frame.setVisible(true);  
}
```



```
// Default Constructor  
public ComboBoxDemo()  
{  
    // Load images info flagImage array  
    flagImage[0] = new ImageIcon("images/ca.gif");  
    flagImage[1] = new ImageIcon("images/china.gif");  
    flagImage[2] = new ImageIcon("images/denmark.gif");  
    flagImage[3] = new ImageIcon("images/fr.gif");  
    flagImage[4] = new ImageIcon("images/germany.gif");  
    flagImage[5] = new ImageIcon("images/india.gif");  
    flagImage[6] = new ImageIcon("images/norway.gif");  
    flagImage[7] = new ImageIcon("images/uk.gif");  
    flagImage[8] = new ImageIcon("images/us.gif");
```



// Set text description

flagDescription[0] = "The Maple Leaf flag \n\n" +
"The Canadian National Flag was adopted by the Canadian " +
"Parliament on October 22, 1964 and was proclaimed into law " +
"by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II (the Queen of Canada) on " +
"February 15, 1965. The Canadian Flag (colloquially known " +
"as The Maple Leaf Flag) is a red flag of the proportions " +
"two by length and one by width, containing in its centre a " +
"white square, with a single red stylized eleven-point " +
"mapleleaf centred in the white square.";

flagDescription[1] = "Description for China ... ";

flagDescription[2] = "Description for Denmark ... ";

flagDescription[3] = "Description for France ... ";

flagDescription[4] = "Description for Germany ... ";

flagDescription[5] = "Description for India ... ";

flagDescription[6] = "Description for Norway ... ";

flagDescription[7] = "Description for UK ... ";

flagDescription[8] = "Description for US ... ";



```
// Create items into the combo box
jcbo = new JComboBox(flagTitle);

// Set the first country (Canada) for display
setDisplay(8);

// Add combo box and description panel to the list
getContentPane().add(new JScrollPane(jcbo),
                     BorderLayout.NORTH);
getContentPane().add(descriptionPanel, BorderLayout.CENTER);

// Register listener
jcbo.addItemListener(this);
}
```



```
// Handle item selection
public void itemStateChanged(ItemEvent e)
{
    setDisplay(jcbo.getSelectedIndex());
}

// Set display information on the description panel
public void setDisplay(int index)
{
    descriptionPanel.setTitle(flagTitle[index]);
    descriptionPanel.setImageIcon(flagImage[index]);
    descriptionPanel.setTextDescription(flagDescription[index]);
}
```

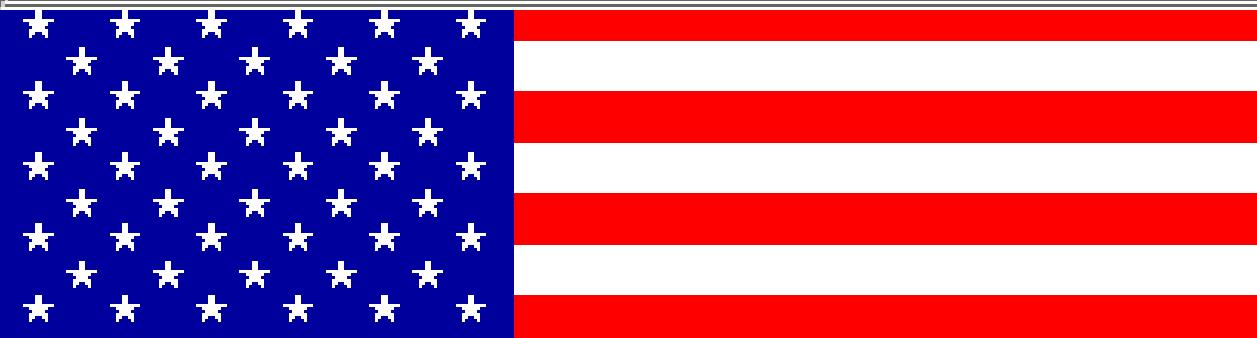




Combo Box Demo



United States of America



Description for US ...

United States of America



JList

A *list* is a component that performs basically the same function as a combo box, but it enables the user to choose a single value or multiple values.

Example 9.6: Using Lists



JList Constructors

- ☞ `JList()`

Creates an empty list.

- ☞ `JList(Object[] stringItems)`

Creates a new list initialized with items.



JList Properties

- ☞ selectedIndex
- ☞ selectedIndices
- ☞ selectedValue
- ☞ selectedValues
- ☞ selectionMode
- ☞ visibleRowCount



```
// ListDemo.java: Use list to select a country and display the
// selected country's flag
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.*;
import javax.swing.*;
import javax.swing.event.*;
public class ListDemo extends JFrame
    implements ListSelectionListener
{
    // Declare an ImageIcon array for the national flags of 9 countries
    private ImageIcon[] imageIcon = new ImageIcon[9];
    // Arrays of labels for displaying images
    private JLabel[] lblImageViewer = new JLabel[9];
    // The list for selecting countries
    JList jlst;
```



```
// Main Method
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    ListDemo frame = new ListDemo();
    frame.setSize(650, 500);
    frame.setTitle("List Demo");
    // frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
    frame.setVisible(true);
}

// Default Constructor
public ListDemo()
{
    // Load images into imageIcon array
    imageIcon[0] = new ImageIcon("images/us.gif");
```



```
imageIcon[1] = new ImageIcon("images/ca.gif");
imageIcon[2] = new ImageIcon("images/uk.gif");
imageIcon[3] = new ImageIcon("images/germany.gif");
imageIcon[4] = new ImageIcon("images/fr.gif");
imageIcon[5] = new ImageIcon("images/denmark.gif");
imageIcon[6] = new ImageIcon("images/norway.gif");
imageIcon[7] = new ImageIcon("images/china.gif");
imageIcon[8] = new ImageIcon("images/india.gif");
```

// Create a string of country names

```
String[] countries = {"United States of America", "Canada",
"United Kingdom", "Germany", "France", "Denmark", "Norway",
"China", "India"};
```

// Create a list with the country names

```
jlst = new JList(countries);
```



```
// Create a panel to hold nine labels
JPanel p = new JPanel();
p.setLayout(new GridLayout(3, 3));

for (int i=0; i<9; i++)
{
    p.add(jlblImageViewer[i] = new JLabel());
    jlblImageViewer[i].setHorizontalAlignment
        (SwingConstants.CENTER);
}

// Add p and the list to the frame
getContentPane().add(p, BorderLayout.CENTER);
getContentPane().add(new JScrollPane(jlst), BorderLayout.WEST);
// Register listeners
jlst.addListSelectionListener(this);
}
```



```
// Handle list selection
public void valueChanged(ListSelectionEvent e)
{
    int[] indices = jlst.getSelectedIndices(); // Get selected indices
    int i;
    // Set icons in the labels
    for (i=0; i<indices.length; i++)
    {
        jlblImageViewer[i].setIcon(imageIcon[indices[i]]);
    }
    // Remove icons from the rest of the labels
    for (; i<9; i++)
    {
        jlblImageViewer[i].setIcon(null);
    }
}
```



 **List Demo**

- United States of America
- Canada
- United Kingdom
- Germany
- France
- Denmark
- Norway
- China
- India



JCheckBox

A *check box* is a component that enables the user to toggle a choice on or off, like a light switch.

Example 9.7: Using Check Boxes



JCheckBox Constructors

- ☞ JCheckBox ()
- ☞ JCheckBox (String text)
- ☞ JCheckBox (String text, boolean selected)
- ☞ JCheckBox (Icon icon)
- ☞ JCheckBox (String text, Icon icon)
- ☞ JCheckBox (String text, Icon icon, boolean selected)



JCheckBox Properties

JCheckBox has all the properties in JButton.
Additionally, JButton has the following
property:

selected

JCheckBox has has a method called

isSelected() to verify the checking



```
// CheckBoxDemo.java: Use check boxes to select one or more choices
import java.awt.BorderLayout;
import java.awt.FlowLayout;
import java.awt.Color;
import java.awt.Font;
import java.awt.event.*;
import javax.swing.*;

public class CheckBoxDemo extends JFrame implements ItemListener
{
    // Declare check boxes
    private JCheckBox jchkCentered, jchkBold, jchkItalic;

    // Declare a panel for displaying message
    private MessagePanel messagePanel;
```



```
// Main method
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    CheckBoxDemo frame = new CheckBoxDemo();
    // frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
    frame.pack();
    frame.setVisible(true);
}

// Constructor
public CheckBoxDemo()
{
    setTitle("Check Box Demo");

    // Create the message panel
    messagePanel = new MessagePanel();
    messagePanel.setMessage("Welcome to Java!");
    messagePanel.setBackground(Color.yellow);
```



```
// Put three check boxes in panel p
JPanel p = new JPanel();
p.setLayout(new FlowLayout());
p.add(jchkCentered = new JCheckBox("Centered"));
p.add(jchkBold = new JCheckBox("Bold"));
p.add(jchkItalic = new JCheckBox("Italic"));
```

```
// Set keyboard mnemonics
jchkCentered.setMnemonic('C');
jchkBold.setMnemonic('B');
jchkItalic.setMnemonic('I');
```

```
// Place messagePanel and p in the frame
getContentPane().setLayout(new BorderLayout());
getContentPane().add(messagePanel, BorderLayout.CENTER);
getContentPane().add(p, BorderLayout.SOUTH);
```

```
// Register listeners on jchkCentered, jchkBold, and jchkItalic
jchkCentered.addItemListener(this);
jchkBold.addItemListener(this);
jchkItalic.addItemListener(this);
}
```

```
// Handle check box selection
public void itemStateChanged(ItemEvent e)
{
    if (e.getSource() instanceof JCheckBox)
    {
        // Determine a font style
        int selectedStyle = 0;
        if (jchkBold.isSelected())
            selectedStyle = selectedStyle+Font.BOLD;
        if (jchkItalic.isSelected())
            selectedStyle = selectedStyle+Font.ITALIC;
```



```
// Set font for the message  
messagePanel.setFont(new Font("Serif", selectedStyle, 20));  
if (jchkCentered.isSelected())  
    messagePanel.setCentered(true);  
else  
    messagePanel.setCentered(false);
```

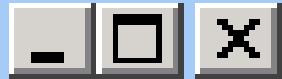
```
// Make sure the message is repainted  
messagePanel.repaint();
```

```
}
```





Check Box Demo



Welcome to Java!

Centered

Bold

Italic



JRadioButton

Radio buttons are variations of check boxes.
They are often used in the group, where only
one button is checked at a time.

Example 9.8: Using Radio Buttons



JRadioButton Constructors

- ☞ JRadioButton ()
- ☞ JRadioButton (String text)
- ☞ JRadioButton (String text, boolean selected)
- ☞ JRadioButton (Icon icon)
- ☞ JRadioButton (String text, Icon icon)
- ☞ JRadioButton (String text, Icon icon, boolean selected)



JRadioButton Properties

JRadioButton has all the properties in JButton. Additionally, JButton has the following property:

selected



Grouping Radio Buttons

```
ButtonGroup btg = new ButtonGroup();  
btg.add(jrb1);  
btg.add(jrb2);
```



```
// RadioButtonDemo.java: Use radio buttons to select a choice
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.*;
import javax.swing.*;

public class RadioButtonDemo extends JFrame implements ItemListener
{
    // Declare radio buttons
    private JRadioButton jrbRed, jrbYellow, jrbGreen;

    // Declare a radio button group
    private ButtonGroup btg = new ButtonGroup();

    // Declare a traffic light display panel
    private Light light;
```



```
// Main method
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    RadioButtonDemo frame = new RadioButtonDemo();
    // frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
    frame.setSize(250, 170);
    frame.setVisible(true);
}

// Constructor
public RadioButtonDemo()
{
    setTitle("RadioButton Demo");
```



```
// Add traffic light panel to panel p1
JPanel p1 = new JPanel();
p1.setSize(200, 200);
p1.setLayout(new FlowLayout(FlowLayout.CENTER));
light = new Light();
light.setSize(40, 90);
p1.add(light);
```

```
// Put the radio button in Panel p2
JPanel p2 = new JPanel();
p2.setLayout(new FlowLayout());
p2.add(jrbRed = new JRadioButton("Red", false));
p2.add(jrbYellow = new JRadioButton("Yellow", true));
p2.add(jrbGreen = new JRadioButton("Green", false));
```



```
// Set keyboard mnemonics
jrbRed.setMnemonic('R');
jrbYellow.setMnemonic('Y');
jrbGreen.setMnemonic('G');

// Group radio buttons
btg.add(jrbRed);
btg.add(jrbYellow);
btg.add(jrbGreen);

// Place p1 and p2 in the frame
getContentPane().setLayout(new BorderLayout());
getContentPane().add(p1, BorderLayout.CENTER);
getContentPane().add(p2, BorderLayout.SOUTH);
```



```
// Register listeners for check boxes
jrbRed.addItemListener(this);
jrbYellow.addItemListener(this);
jrbGreen.addItemListener(this);
}

// Handle checkbox events
public void itemStateChanged(ItemEvent e)
{
    if (jrbRed.isSelected())
        light.turnOnRed(); // Set red light
    if (jrbYellow.isSelected())
        light.turnOnYellow(); // Set yellow light
    if (jrbGreen.isSelected())
        light.turnOnGreen(); // Set green light
}
```



```
//Three traffic lights shown in a panel
class Light extends JPanel
{
    private boolean red;
    private boolean yellow;
    private boolean green;

    public Light()
    {
        red = false;
        yellow = true;
        green = false;
    }
}
```



```
// Set red light on
public void turnOnRed()
{
    red = true;
    yellow = false;
    green = false;
    repaint();
}

// Set yellow light on
public void turnOnYellow()
{
    red = false;
    yellow = true;
    green = false;
    repaint();
}
```



```
// Set green light on  
public void turnOnGreen()  
{  
    red = false;  
    yellow = false;  
    green = true;  
    repaint();  
}
```

```
// Display lights  
public void paintComponent(Graphics g)  
{  
    super.paintComponent(g);
```



```
if (red)
{
    g.setColor(Color.red);
    g.fillOval(10, 10, 20, 20);
    g.setColor(Color.black);
    g.drawOval(10, 35, 20, 20);
    g.drawOval(10, 60, 20, 20);
    g.drawRect(5, 5, 30, 80);
}
else if (yellow)
{
    g.setColor(Color.yellow);
    g.fillOval(10, 35, 20, 20);
    g.setColor(Color.black);
    g.drawRect(5, 5, 30, 80);
```



```
g.drawOval(10, 10, 20, 20);
g.drawOval(10, 60, 20, 20);
}
else if (green)
{
    g.setColor(Color.green);
    g.fillOval(10, 60, 20, 20);
    g.setColor(Color.black);
    g.drawRect(5, 5, 30, 80);
    g.drawOval(10, 10, 20, 20);
    g.drawOval(10, 35, 20, 20);
}
else
{
    g.setColor(Color.black);
    g.drawRect(5, 5, 30, 80);
```



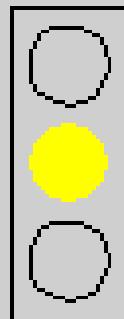
```
g.drawOval(10, 10, 20, 20);
g.drawOval(10, 35, 20, 20);
g.drawOval(10, 60, 20, 20);
}
}

// Set preferred size
public Dimension getPreferredSize()
{
    return new Dimension(40, 90);
}
```





RadioButton Demo



Red Yellow Green



Borders

You can set a border on any object of the `JComponent` class, but often it is useful to set a titled border on a `JPanel` that groups a set of related user interface components.

It can be used to set title for a group of desired components.

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`Border titleBorder=new TitleBorder("A Title");`
Example 9.9: Using Borders

Static Method for Creating Borders

- ☞ createTitledBorder(String title)
- ☞ createLoweredBevelBorder()
- ☞ createRaisedBevelBorder()
- ☞ createLineBorder(Color color)
- ☞ createLineBorder(Color color, int thickness)
- ☞ createEtchedBorder()
- ☞ createEtchedBorder(Color highlight, Color shadow, boolean selected)
- ☞ createEmptyBorder()
- ☞ createMatteBorder(int top, int left, int bottom, int right, Icon tileIcon)
- ☞ createCompoundBorder(Border outsideBorder, Border insideBorder)



```
// BorderDemo.java: Use borders for JComponent components
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.ActionListener;
import java.awt.event.ActionEvent;
import javax.swing.*;
import javax.swing.border.*;

public class BorderDemo extends JFrame implements ActionListener
{
    // Declare a panel for displaying message
    private MessagePanel messagePanel;

    // A check box for selecting a border with or without a title
    private JCheckBox jchkTitled;
```



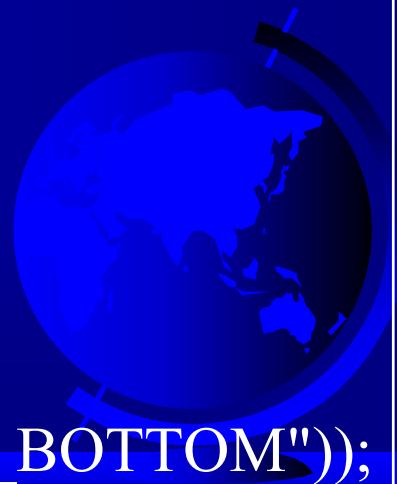
```
// Radio buttons for border styles
private JRadioButton jrbLoweredBevel, jrbRaisedBevel,
    jrbEtched, jrbLine, jrbMatte, jrbEmpty;
// Radio buttons for titled border options
private JRadioButton jrbAboveBottom, jrbBottom,
    jrbBelowBottom, jrbAboveTop, jrbTop, jrbBelowTop,
    jrbLeft, jrbCenter, jrbRight;
// TitledBorder for the message panel
private TitledBorder messagePanelBorder = new TitledBorder("");
// Main method
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    BorderDemo frame = new BorderDemo();
    // frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
    frame.pack();
    frame.setVisible(true);
}
```



```
// Constructor
public BorderDemo()
{
    setTitle("Border Demo");

    // Create a MessagePanel instance and set colors
    messagePanel = new MessagePanel("Display the border type");
    messagePanel.setCentered(true);
    messagePanel.setBackground(Color.yellow);
    messagePanel.setBorder(messagePanelBorder);

    // Place title position radio buttons
    JPanel jpPosition = new JPanel();
    jpPosition.setLayout(new GridLayout(3, 2));
    jpPosition.add(
        jrbAboveBottom = new JRadioButton("ABOVE_BOTTOM"));
    jpPosition.add(
        jrbBelowTop = new JRadioButton("BELOW_TOP"));
    jpPosition.add(
        jrbLeftRight = new JRadioButton("LEFT_RIGHT"));
    jpPosition.add(
        jrbTopBottom = new JRadioButton("TOP_BOTTOM"));
}
```



```
jpPosition.add(jrbAboveTop = new JRadioButton("ABOVE_TOP"));
jpPosition.add(jrbBottom = new JRadioButton("BOTTOM"));
jpPosition.add(jrbTop = new JRadioButton("TOP"));
jpPosition.add(
    jrbBelowBottom = new JRadioButton("BELOW_BOTTOM"));
jpPosition.add(jrbBelowTop = new JRadioButton("BELOW_TOP"))
jpPosition.setBorder(new TitledBorder("Position"));

// Place title justification radio buttons
JPanel jpJustification = new JPanel();
jpJustification.setLayout(new GridLayout(3,1));
jpJustification.add(jrbLeft = new JRadioButton("LEFT"));
jpJustification.add(jrbCenter = new JRadioButton("CENTER"));
jpJustification.add(jrbRight = new JRadioButton("RIGHT"));
jpJustification.setBorder(new TitledBorder("Justification"));
```

```
// Create panel jpTitleOptions to hold jpPosition and jpJustification
JPanel jpTitleOptions = new JPanel();
jpTitleOptions.setLayout(new BorderLayout());
jpTitleOptions.add(jpPosition, BorderLayout.CENTER);
jpTitleOptions.add(jpJustification, BorderLayout.EAST);

// Create Panel jpTitle to hold a check box and title position
// radio buttons, and title justification radio buttons
JPanel jpTitle = new JPanel();
jpTitle.setBorder(new TitledBorder("Border Title"));
jpTitle.setLayout(new BorderLayout());
jpTitle.add(jchkTitled = new JCheckBox("Titled"),
    BorderLayout.NORTH);
jpTitle.add(jpTitleOptions, BorderLayout.CENTER);
```



```
// Group radio buttons for title position  
ButtonGroup btgTitlePosition = new ButtonGroup();  
btgTitlePosition.add(jrbAboveBottom);  
btgTitlePosition.add(jrbBottom);  
btgTitlePosition.add(jrbBelowBottom);  
btgTitlePosition.add(jrbAboveTop);  
btgTitlePosition.add(jrbTop);  
btgTitlePosition.add(jrbBelowTop);
```

```
// Group radio buttons for title justification  
ButtonGroup btgTitleJustification = new ButtonGroup();  
btgTitleJustification.add(jrbLeft);  
btgTitleJustification.add(jrbCenter);  
btgTitleJustification.add(jrbRight);
```



```
// Create Panel jpBorderStyle to hold border style radio buttons
JPanel jpBorderStyle = new JPanel();
jpBorderStyle.setBorder(new TitledBorder("Border Style"));
jpBorderStyle.setLayout(new GridLayout(6, 1));
jpBorderStyle.add(jrbLoweredBevel =
    new JRadioButton("Lowered Bevel"));
jpBorderStyle.add(jrbRaisedBevel =
    new JRadioButton("Raised Bevel"));
jpBorderStyle.add(jrbEtched = new JRadioButton("Etched"));
jpBorderStyle.add(jrbLine = new JRadioButton("Line"));
jpBorderStyle.add(jrbMatte = new JRadioButton("Matte"));
jpBorderStyle.add(jrbEmpty = new JRadioButton("Empty"));
```

```
// Group radio buttons for border styles
ButtonGroup btgBorderStyle = new ButtonGroup();
btgBorderStyle.add(jrbLoweredBevel);
btgBorderStyle.add(jrbRaisedBevel);
```

```
btgBorderStyle.add(jrbEtched);
btgBorderStyle.add(jrbLine);
btgBorderStyle.add(jrbMatte);
btgBorderStyle.add(jrbEmpty);
```

```
// Create Panel jpAllChoices to place jpTitle and jpBorderStyle
JPanel jpAllChoices = new JPanel();
jpAllChoices.setLayout(new BorderLayout());
jpAllChoices.add(jpTitle, BorderLayout.CENTER);
jpAllChoices.add(jpBorderStyle, BorderLayout.EAST);
```

```
// Place panels in the frame
getContentPane().setLayout(new BorderLayout());
getContentPane().add(messagePanel, BorderLayout.CENTER);
getContentPane().add(jpAllChoices, BorderLayout.SOUTH);
```

```
// Register listeners  
jchkTitled.addActionListener(this);  
jrbAboveBottom.addActionListener(this);  
jrbBottom.addActionListener(this);  
jrbBelowBottom.addActionListener(this);  
jrbAboveTop.addActionListener(this);  
jrbTop.addActionListener(this);  
jrbBelowTop.addActionListener(this);  
jrbLeft.addActionListener(this);  
jrbCenter.addActionListener(this);  
jrbRight.addActionListener(this);  
jrbLoweredBevel.addActionListener(this);  
jrbRaisedBevel.addActionListener(this);  
jrbLine.addActionListener(this);  
jrbEtched.addActionListener(this);  
jrbMatte.addActionListener(this);  
jrbEmpty.addActionListener(this);  
}
```



```
// Handle ActionEvents on check box and radio buttons
public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e)
{
    // Get border style
    Border border = new EmptyBorder(2, 2, 2, 2);

    if (jrbLoweredBevel.isSelected())
    {
        border = new BevelBorder(BevelBorder.LOWERED);
        messagePanel.setMessage("Lowered Bevel Style");
    }
    else if (jrbRaisedBevel.isSelected())
    {
        border = new BevelBorder(BevelBorder.RAISED);
        messagePanel.setMessage("Raised Bevel Style");
    }
}
```



```
else if (jrbEtched.isSelected())
{
    border = new EtchedBorder();
    messagePanel.setMessage("Etched Style");
}
else if (jrbLine.isSelected())
{
    border = new LineBorder(Color.black, 5);
    messagePanel.setMessage("Line Style");
}
else if (jrbMatte.isSelected())
{
    border = new MatteBorder(20, 20, 20, 20,
        new ImageIcon("images/swirl.gif"));
    messagePanel.setMessage("Matte Style");
}
```



```
else if (jrbEmpty.isSelected())
{
    border = new EmptyBorder(2, 2, 2, 2);
    messagePanel.setMessage("Empty Style");
}

if (jchkTitled.isSelected())
{
    // Get the title position and justification
    int titlePosition = TitledBorder.DEFAULT_POSITION;
    int titleJustification = TitledBorder.DEFAULT_JUSTIFICATION;

    if (jrbAboveBottom.isSelected())
        titlePosition = TitledBorder.ABOVE_BOTTOM;
    else if (jrbBottom.isSelected())
        titlePosition = TitledBorder.BOTTOM;
    else if (jrbBelowBottom.isSelected())
        titlePosition = TitledBorder.BELOW_BOTTOM;
}
```



```
titlePosition = TitledBorder.BELOW_BOTTOM;  
else if (jrbAboveTop.isSelected())  
    titlePosition = TitledBorder.ABOVE_TOP;  
else if (jrbTop.isSelected())  
    titlePosition = TitledBorder.TOP;  
else if (jrbBelowTop.isSelected())  
    titlePosition = TitledBorder.BELOW_TOP;  
  
if (jrbLeft.isSelected())  
    titleJustification = TitledBorder.LEFT;  
else if (jrbCenter.isSelected())  
    titleJustification = TitledBorder.CENTER;  
else if (jrbRight.isSelected())  
    titleJustification = TitledBorder.RIGHT;
```



```
messagePanelBorder = new TitledBorder("A Title");
    messagePanelBorder.setBorder(border);
    messagePanelBorder.setTitlePosition(titlePosition);
    messagePanelBorder.setTitleJustification(titleJustification);
    messagePanelBorder.setTitle("A Title");
    messagePanel.setBorder(messagePanelBorder);
}
else
{
    messagePanel.setBorder(border);
}
}
```



jpTitle

messagePanel

jpAllChoices

Border Demo

Raised Bevel Style

-A Title

Border Title

Titled

Position

ABOVE_BOTTOM

ABOVE_TOP

BOTTOM

TOP

BELOW_BOTTOM

BELOW_TOP

Justification

LEFT

CENTER

RIGHT

Border Style

Lowered Bevel

Raised Bevel

Etched

Line

Matte

Empty

jpPosition

jpTitleOption

jpJustification

jpBorderStyle

Message Dialogs

- ☞ A *dialog* is normally used as a temporary window to receive additional information from the user, or to provide notification that some event has occurred.



Creating Message Dialogs

Use static method in `JOptionPane` class.

```
showMessageDialog(Component  
parentComponent, Object message,  
String title, int messageType)
```

```
showMessageDialog(Component  
parentComponent, Object message,  
String title, int messageType, Icon  
icon)
```

Creating Message Dialogs

Use static method in JOptionPane class.

messageType:

ERROR

INFORMATION_MESSAGE

PLAIN_MESSAGE

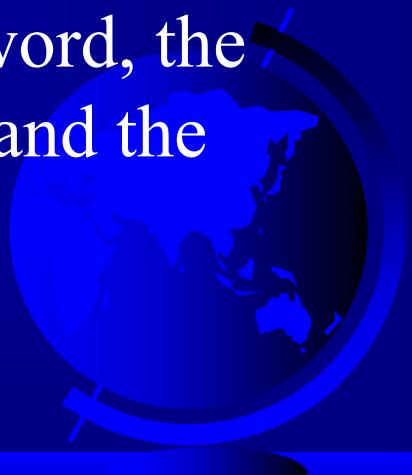
WARNING_MESSAGE

QUESTION_MESSAGE



Example 9.10: Using Message Dialogs

- ☞ Objective: Display student exam scores. The program prompts the user to enter the user's last name and the password in a dialog box. Upon receiving the correct user name and password, the program displays the student's full name and the exam score.



```
// DialogDemo.java: Use message dialog box to select information
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.*;
import javax.swing.*;

public class DialogDemo extends JFrame implements ActionListener
{
    // Create sample student information in arrays
    // with name, SSN, password, and grade
    private String[][] student =
    {
        {"John Willow", "111223333", "a450", "A"},
        {"Jim Brown", "111223334", "b344", "B"},
        {"Bill Beng", "111223335", "33342csa", "C"},
        {"George Wall", "111223336", "343rea2", "D"},
        {"Jill Jones", "111223337", "34g", "E"}
    };
}
```



```
// Declare text fields for last name, password, full name and score  
private JTextField jtfSSN;  
private JPasswordField jpfPassword;  
private JTextField jtfName;  
private JTextField jtfGrade;  
private JButton jbtFind;  
  
// Main method  
public static void main(String[] args)  
{  
    DialogDemo frame = new DialogDemo();  
    // frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);  
    frame.pack();  
    frame.setVisible(true);  
}
```



```
public DialogDemo()
{
    setTitle("Find The Score");

    // Panel jpLabels to hold labels
    JPanel jpLabels = new JPanel();
    jpLabels.setLayout(new GridLayout(4, 1));
    jpLabels.add(new JLabel("Enter SSN"));
    jpLabels.add(new JLabel("Enter Password"));
    jpLabels.add(new JLabel("Name"));
    jpLabels.add(new JLabel("Score"));

    // Panel jpTextFields to hold text fields and password
    JPanel jpTextFields = new JPanel();
    jpTextFields.setLayout(new GridLayout(4, 1));
    jpTextFields.add(jtfSSN = new JTextField(10));
```



```
jpTextFields.add(jpfPassword = new JPasswordField(10));
jpTextFields.add(jtfName = new JTextField(10));
jpTextFields.add(jtfGrade = new JTextField(10));
jtfName.setEditable(false);
jtfGrade.setEditable(false);
```

```
// Panel p1 for holding jpLabels and jpTextFields
JPanel p1 = new JPanel();
p1.setLayout(new BorderLayout());
p1.add(jpLabels, BorderLayout.WEST);
p1.add(jpTextFields, BorderLayout.CENTER);
```

```
// Panel p2 for holding the Find button
JPanel p2 = new JPanel();
p2.setLayout(new FlowLayout(FlowLayout.RIGHT));
p2.add(jbtFind = new JButton("Find Score"));
```



```
// Place panels into the frame  
getContentPane().setLayout(new BorderLayout());  
getContentPane().add(p1, BorderLayout.CENTER);  
getContentPane().add(p2, BorderLayout.SOUTH);  
  
// Register listener for jbtFind  
jbtFind.addActionListener(this);  
}
```



```
public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e)
{
    // Find the student in the database
    int index = find(jtfSSN.getText().trim(),
        new String(jpfPassword.getPassword()));
    if (index == -1)
    {
        JOptionPane.showMessageDialog(this, "SSN not found",
            "For Your Information",
            JOptionPane.INFORMATION_MESSAGE);
    }
    else if (index == -2)
    {
        JOptionPane.showMessageDialog(this,
            "Password does not match SSN",
            "For Your Information",
            JOptionPane.INFORMATION_MESSAGE);
    }
}
```



```
else
{
    // Display name and score
    jtfName.setText(student[index][0]);
    jtfGrade.setText(student[index][3]);
}
}
```

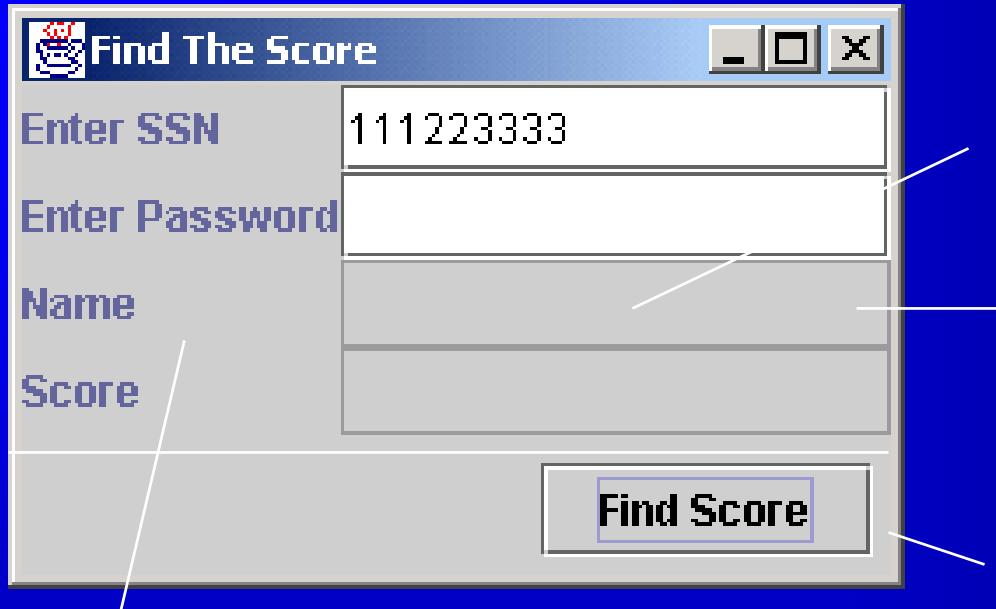
```
// Find the student who matched user name and password
// return the index if found; return -1 if SSN is not in
// the database, and return -2 if password does not match SSN
public int find(String SSN, String pw)
{
    // Find a student who matches SSN and pw
    for (int i=0; i<student.length; i++)
        if (student[i][1].equals(SSN) && student[i][2].equals(pw))
            return i;
```



```
// Determine if the SSN is in the database
for (int i=0; i<student.length; i++)
    if (student[i][1].equals(SSN))
        return -2;

// Return -1 since the SSN and pw do not match
return -1;
}
```



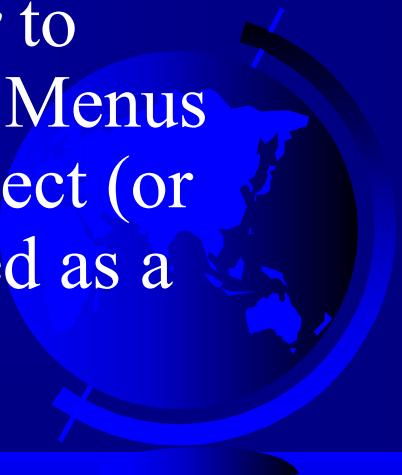


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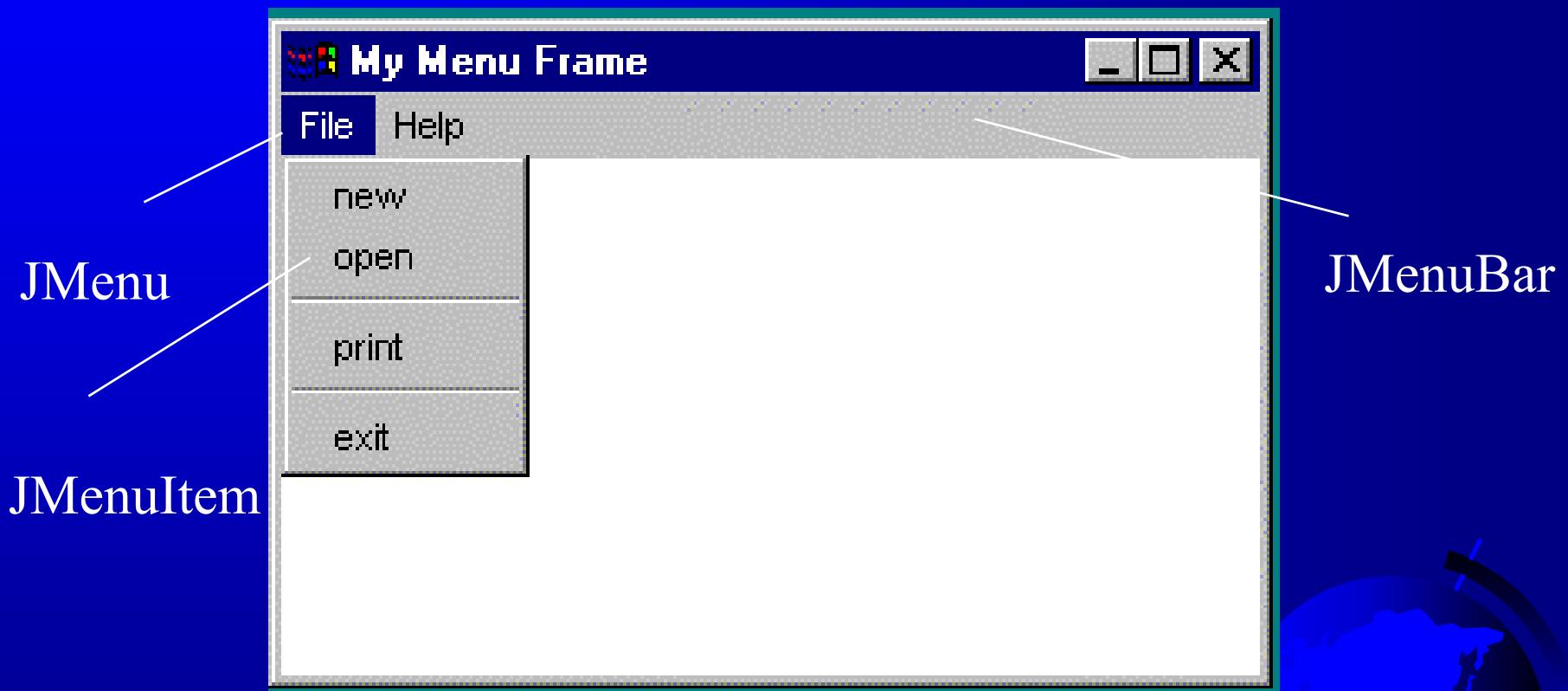


Menus

- ☞ Menus make selection easier, and widely used in window applications.
- ☞ Java provides several classes—JMenuBar, JMenu, JMenuItem, JCheckBoxMenuItem, and JRadioButtonMenuItem —to implement menus in a frame.
- ☞ A JFrame or JApplet can hold a *menu bar* to which the *pull-down menus* are attached. Menus consist of *menu items* that the user can select (or toggle on or off). Menu bars can be viewed as a structure to support menus.



Menu Demo



The JMenuBar Class

A menu bar holds menus; the menu bar can only be added to a frame. Following are the steps to create and add a JMenuBar to a frame:

```
JFrame f = new JFrame();  
f.setSize(300, 200);  
f.setVisible(true);  
JMenuBar mb = new JMenuBar();  
f.setJMenuBar(mb);
```



The Menu Class

You attach menus onto a JMenuBar. The following code creates **two menus**, File and Help, and adds them to the JMenuBar mb:

```
JMenu fileMenu = new JMenu("File", false);  
JMenu helpMenu = new JMenu("Help", true);  
mb.add(fileMenu);  
mb.add(helpMenu);
```



The JMenuItem Class

You add menu items on a menu. The following code adds menu items and item separators in **menu fileMenu**:

```
fileMenu.add(new JMenuItem("new")) ;  
fileMenu.add(new JMenuItem("open")) ;  
fileMenu.add(new JMenuItem("-")) ;  
fileMenu.add(new JMenuItem("print")) ;  
fileMenu.add(new JMenuItem("exit")) ;  
fileMenu.add(new JMenuItem("-")) ;
```

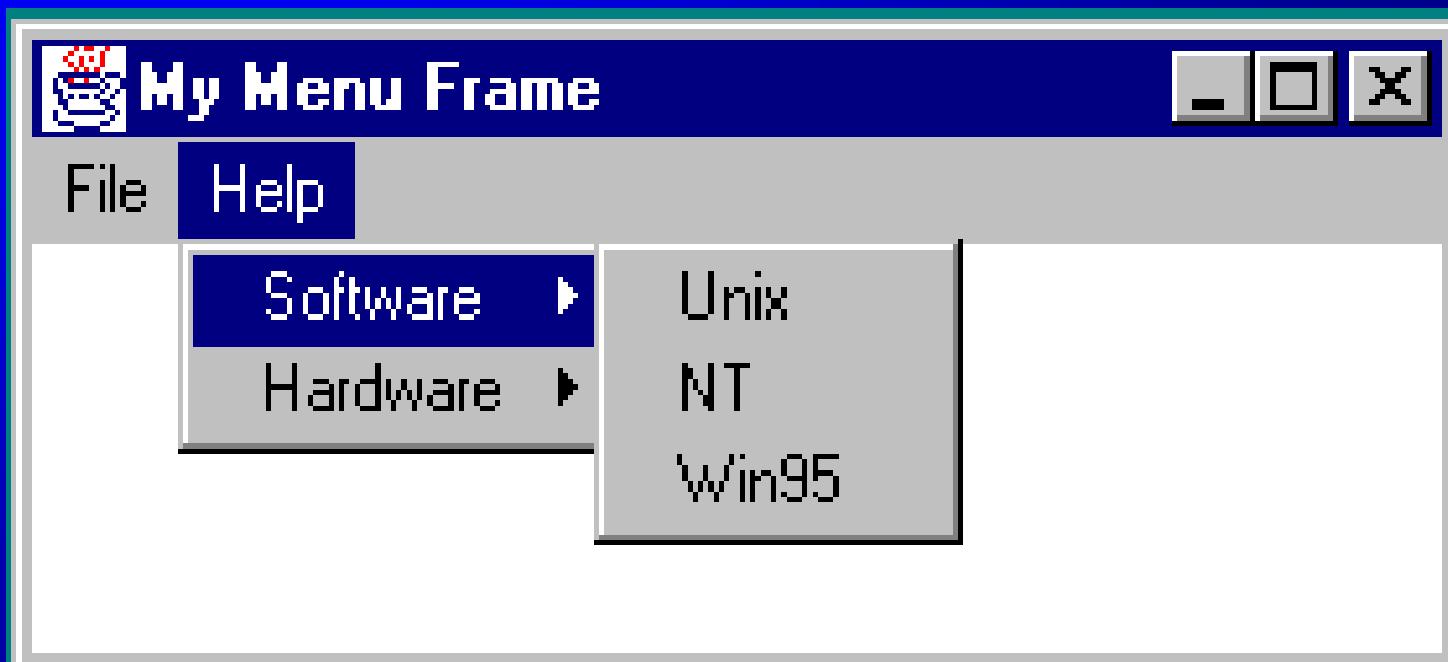


Submenus

You can add submenus into menu items. The following code adds the submenus “Unix,” “NT,” and “Win95” into the menu item “Software.”

```
JMenu softwareHelpSubMenu = new JMenu("Software");  
  
JMenu hardwareHelpSubMenu = new JMenu("Hardware");  
  
helpMenu.add(softwareHelpSubMenu);  
  
helpMenu.add(hardwareHelpSubMenu);  
  
softwareHelpSubMenu.add(new JMenuItem("Unix"));  
softwareHelpSubMenu.add(new JMenuItem("NT"));  
softwareHelpSubMenu.add(new JMenuItem("Win95"));
```

Submenu Demo



Check box and radio button menus

☞ Checkbox menu:

```
helpMenu.add(new JCheckBoxMenuItem("Check it"));
```

☞ Radio button menu items

```
Jmenu colorHelpSubMenu=new Jmenu("Color");
helpMenu.add(colorHelpSubMenu);
colorHelpSubMenu.add(jrbBlue=
    new JRadioButtonMenuItem("Blue"));
colorHelpSubMenu.add(jrbYellow=
    new JRadioButtonMenuItem("Yellow"));
```



Check box and radio button menus

- ☞ Radio button menu items

```
colorHelpSubMenu.add(jrbRed=
    new JRadioButtonMenuItem("Red"));
ButtonGroup btg=new ButtonGroup();
btg.add(jrbmiBlue);
btg.add(jrbmiRed);
btg.add(jrbmiYellow);
```



Example 9.11: Using Menus

- ☞ Objective: Create a user interface that performs arithmetic. The interface contains labels and text fields for Number 1, Number 2, and Result. The Result box displays the result of the arithmetic operation between Number 1 and Number 2.



```
// MenuDemo.java: Use menus to move message in a panel
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.*;
import javax.swing.*;

public class MenuDemo extends JFrame implements ActionListener
{
    // Text fields for Number 1, Number 2, and Result
    private JTextField jtfNum1, jtfNum2, jtfResult;

    // Buttons "Add", "Subtract", "Multiply" and "Divide"
    private JButton jbtAdd, jbtSub, jbtMul, jbtDiv;

    // Menu items "Add", "Subtract", "Multiply", "Divide" and "Close"
    private JMenuItem jmiAdd, jmiSub, jmiMul, jmiDiv, jmiClose;
```

```
// Main Method
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    MenuDemo frame = new MenuDemo();
    // frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
    frame.pack();
    frame.setVisible(true);
}

// Default Constructor
public MenuDemo()
{
    setTitle("Menu Demo");

    // Create menu bar
    JMenuBar jmb = new JMenuBar();
```



```
// Set menu bar to the frame  
setJMenuBar(jmb);  
  
// Add menu "Operation" to menu bar  
JMenu operationMenu = new JMenu("Operation");  
operationMenu.setMnemonic('O');  
jmb.add(operationMenu);  
  
// Add menu "Exit" in menu bar  
JMenu exitMenu = new JMenu("Exit");  
exitMenu.setMnemonic('E');  
jmb.add(exitMenu);  
  
// Add menu items with mnemonics to menu "Operation"  
operationMenu.add(jmiAdd= new JMenuItem("Add", 'H'));  
operationMenu.add(jmiSub = new JMenuItem("Subtract", 'S'));
```

```
operationMenu.add(jmiMul = new JMenuItem("Multiply", 'M'));
operationMenu.add(jmiDiv = new JMenuItem("Divide", 'D'));
exitMenu.add(jmiClose = new JMenuItem("Close", 'C'));
// Set keyboard accelerators
jmiAdd.setAccelerator(
    KeyStroke.getKeyStroke(KeyEvent.VK_H,
        ActionEvent.CTRL_MASK));
jmiSub.setAccelerator(
    KeyStroke.getKeyStroke(KeyEvent.VK_S,
        ActionEvent.CTRL_MASK));
jmiMul.setAccelerator(
    KeyStroke.getKeyStroke(KeyEvent.VK_M,
        ActionEvent.CTRL_MASK));
jmiDiv.setAccelerator(
    KeyStroke.getKeyStroke(KeyEvent.VK_D,
        ActionEvent.CTRL_MASK));
```



```
// Panel p1 to hold text fields and labels
JPanel p1 = new JPanel();
p1.setLayout(new FlowLayout());
p1.add(new JLabel("Number 1"));
p1.add(jtfNum1 = new JTextField(3));
p1.add(new JLabel("Number 2"));
p1.add(jtfNum2 = new JTextField(3));
p1.add(new JLabel("Result"));
p1.add(jtfResult = new JTextField(4));
jtfResult.setEditable(false);
// Panel p2 to hold buttons
JPanel p2 = new JPanel();
p2.setLayout(new FlowLayout());
p2.add(jbtAdd = new JButton("Add"));
p2.add(jbtSub = new JButton("Subtract"));
p2.add(jbtMul = new JButton("Multiply"));
p2.add(jbtDiv = new JButton("Divide"));
```



```
// Add panels to the frame  
getContentPane().setLayout(new BorderLayout());  
getContentPane().add(p1, BorderLayout.CENTER);  
getContentPane().add(p2, BorderLayout.SOUTH);  
  
// Register listeners  
jbtAdd.addActionListener(this);  
jbtSub.addActionListener(this);  
jbtMul.addActionListener(this);  
jbtDiv.addActionListener(this);  
jmiAdd.addActionListener(this);  
jmiSub.addActionListener(this);  
jmiMul.addActionListener(this);  
jmiDiv.addActionListener(this);  
jmiClose.addActionListener(this);  
}
```



```
// Handle ActionEvent from buttons and menu items
public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e)
{
    String actionCommand = e.getActionCommand();

    // Handle button events
    if (e.getSource() instanceof JButton)
    {
        if ("Add".equals(actionCommand))
            calculate('+');
        else if ("Subtract".equals(actionCommand))
            calculate('-');
        else if ("Multiply".equals(actionCommand))
            calculate('*');
        else if ("Divide".equals(actionCommand))
            calculate('/');
    }
}
```



```
else if (e.getSource() instanceof JMenuItem)
{
    // Handle menu item events
    if ("Add".equals(actionCommand))
        calculate('+');
    else if ("Subtract".equals(actionCommand))
        calculate('-');
    else if ("Multiply".equals(actionCommand))
        calculate('*');
    else if ("Divide".equals(actionCommand))
        calculate('/');
    else if ("Close".equals(actionCommand))
        System.exit(0);
}
```



```
// Calculate and show the result in jtfResult
private void calculate(char operator)
{
    // Obtain Number 1 and Number 2
    int num1 = (Integer.parseInt(jtfNum1.getText().trim()));
    int num2 = (Integer.parseInt(jtfNum2.getText().trim()));
    int result = 0;
try
{
    // Perform selected operation
    switch (operator)
    {
        case '+': result = num1 + num2;
                     break;
        case '-': result = num1 - num2;
                     break;
```



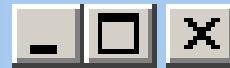
```
case '*': result = num1 * num2;
            break;
    case '/': result = num1 / num2;
}
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    System.out.println(e);
}

// Set result in jtfResult
jtfResult.setText(String.valueOf(result));
}
}
```





Menu Demo



Operation Exit

Number 1

Number 2

Result

Add

Subtract

Multiply

Divide



Creating Multiple Windows

The following slides show step-by-step how to create an additional window from an application or applet.

Main frame and sub-frame



Creating Additional Windows, Step 1

Step 1: Create a subclass of `JFrame` (called a `SubFrame`) that tells the new window what to do. For example, all the GUI application programs extend `JFrame` and are subclasses of `JFrame`.



Creating Additional Windows, Step 2

Step 2: Create an instance of SubFrame in the application or applet.

Example:

```
SubFrame subFrame = new  
SubFrame("SubFrame Title");
```



Creating Additional Windows, Step 3

Step 3: Create a JButton for activating the subFrame.

```
add(new JButton("Activate SubFrame"));
```



Creating Additional Windows, Step 4

Step 4: Override the actionPerformed () method as follows:

```
public actionPerformed(ActionEvent e)
{
    String actionCommand = e.getActionCommand();
    if (e.target instanceof Button)
    {
        if ("Activate SubFrame".equals(actionCommand))
        {
            subFrame.setVisible(true);
        }
    }
}
```



Example 9.12 Creating Multiple Windows

- ☞ This example creates a main window with a text area in the scroll pane, and a button named "Show Histogram." When the user clicks the button, a new window appears that displays a histogram to show the occurrence of the letters in the text area.



```
// Histogram.java: Display a histogram in a panel to show the  
// occurrence of the letters  
  
import javax.swing.*;  
import java.awt.*;  
  
  
public class Histogram extends JPanel  
{  
    // Count the occurrence of 26 letters  
    private int count[];  
  
    // Set the count and display histogram  
    public void showHistogram(int[] count)  
    {  
        this.count = count;  
        repaint();  
    }  
}
```



```
// Paint the histogram
public void paintComponent(Graphics g)
{
    if (count == null) return; // No display if count is null

    super.paintComponent(g);

    // Find the panel size and bar width and interval dynamically
    int width = getSize().width;
    int height = getSize().height;
    int interval = (width-40)/count.length;
    int individualWidth = (int)((width-40)/24)*0.60;

    // Find the maximum count. The maximum count has the highest bar
    int maxCount = 0;
```



```
for (int i=0; i<count.length; i++)
{
    if (maxCount < count[i])
        maxCount = count[i];
}

// x is the start position for the first bar in the histogram
int x = 30;

// Draw a horizontal base line
g.drawLine(10, height-45, width-10, height-45);
for (int i=0; i<count.length; i++)
{
    // Find the bar height
    int barHeight =
        (int)((double)count[i]/(double)maxCount)*(height-55);
```

```
// Display a bar (i.e. rectangle)
g.drawRect(x, height-45-barHeight, individualWidth,
barHeight);

// Display a letter under the base line
g.drawString((char)(65+i)+"", x, height-30);

// Move x for displaying the next character
x += interval;
}

}

public Dimension getPreferredSize()
{
    return new Dimension(300, 300);
}
```



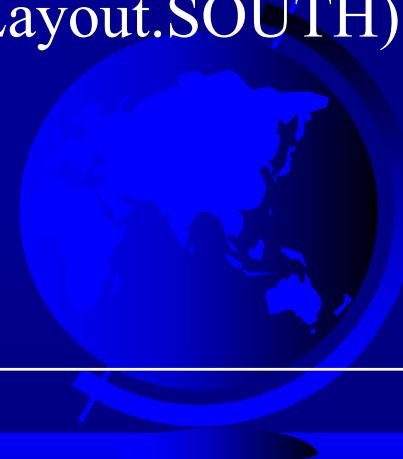
```
// MultipleWindowsDemo.java:  
//     Display histogram in a separate window  
import java.awt.*;  
import java.awt.event.*;  
import javax.swing.*;  
  
public class MultipleWindowsDemo extends JFrame  
    implements ActionListener  
{  
    private JTextArea jta;  
    private JButton jbtShowHistogram =  
        new JButton("Show Histogram");  
    private Histogram histogram = new Histogram();  
  
    // Create a new frame to hold the histogram panel  
    private JFrame histogramFrame = new JFrame();
```



```
// Construct the frame
public MultipleWindowsDemo()
{
    // Store text area in a scroll pane
    JScrollPane scrollPane = new JScrollPane(jta = new JTextArea());
    scrollPane.setPreferredSize(new Dimension(300, 200));
    jta.setWrapStyleWord(true);
    jta.setLineWrap(true);

    // Place scroll pane and button in the frame
    getContentPane().add(scrollPane, BorderLayout.CENTER);
    getContentPane().add(jbtShowHistogram, BorderLayout.SOUTH);

    // Register listener
    jbtShowHistogram.addActionListener(this);
```



```
// Create a new frame to hold the histogram panel
histogramFrame.getContentPane().add(histogram);
histogramFrame.pack();
histogramFrame.setTitle("Histogram");
}

// Handle the button action
public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent e)
{
    // Count the letters in the text area
    int[] count = countLetters();

    // Set the letter count to histogram for display
    histogram.showHistogram(count);

    // Show the frame
    histogramFrame.setVisible(true);
}
```



```
// Count the letters in the text area
private int[] countLetters()
{
    // Count for 26 letters
    int[] count = new int[26];

    // Get contents from the text area
    String text = jta.getText();

    // Count occurrence of each letter (case insensitive)
    for (int i=0; i<text.length(); i++)
    {
        char character = text.charAt(i);
```



```
if ((character >= 'A') && (character <= 'Z'))
{
    count[(int)character-65]++;
    // The ASCII for 'A' is 65
}
else if ((character >= 'a') && (character <= 'z'))
{
    count[(int)character-97]++;
    // The ASCII for 'a' is 97
}
}

return count;
// Return the count array
}
```



```
// Main method
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    MultipleWindowsDemo frame = new MultipleWindowsDemo();
    // frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
    frame.setTitle("Multiple Windows Demo");
    frame.pack();
    frame.setVisible(true);
}
```



 Multiple Windows Demo

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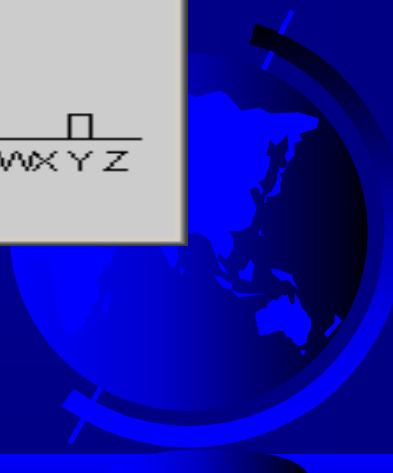
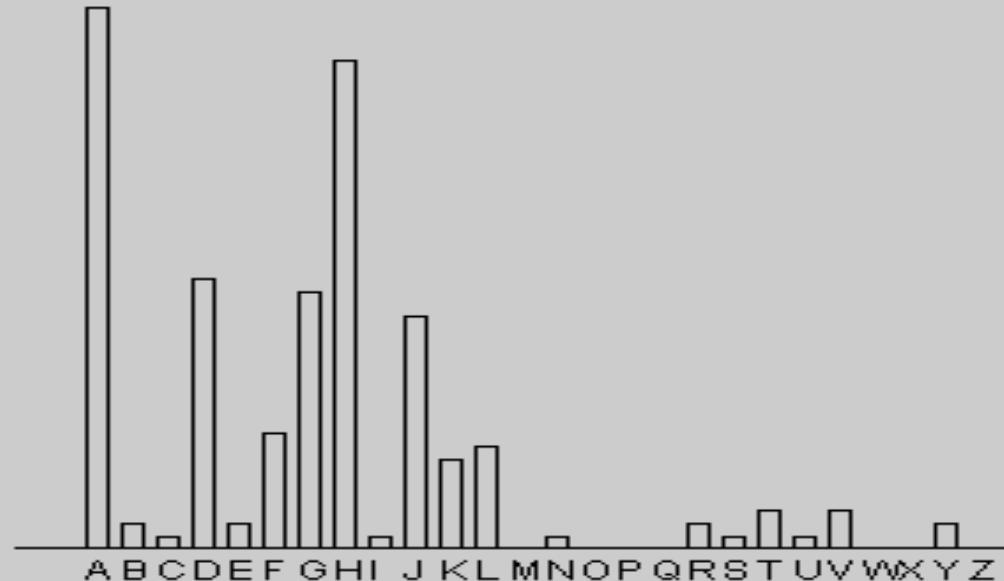
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Show Hi



Histogram



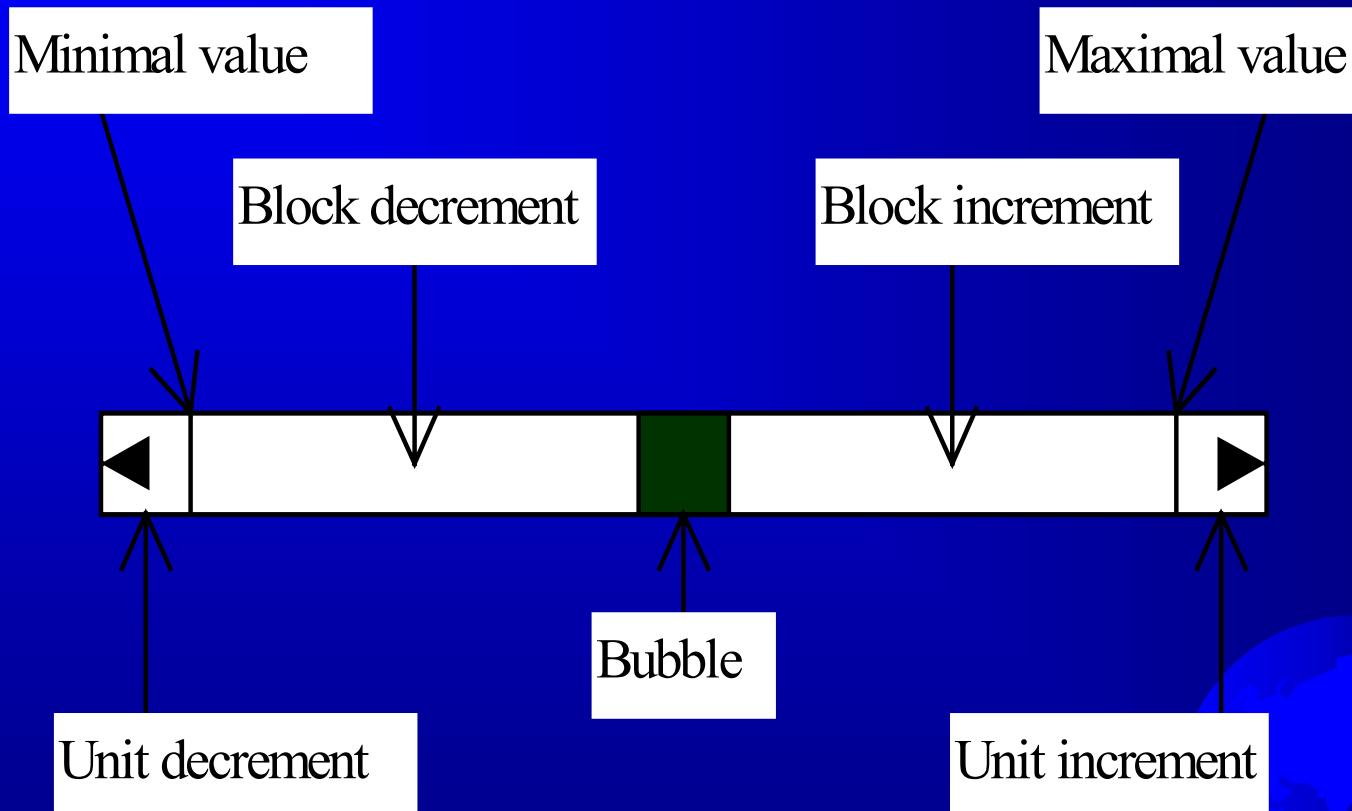
JScrollBar

- ☞ A *scroll bar* is a control that enables the user to select from a range of values. The scrollbar appears in two styles: *horizontal* and *vertical*.

Example 9.13: Using Scrollbars



Scroll Bar Properties



```
// ScrollBarDemo.java: Use scrollbars to move the message
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.*;
import javax.swing.*;

public class ScrollBarDemo extends JFrame
    implements AdjustmentListener
{
    // Declare scrollbars
    JScrollBar jscbHort, jscbVert;

    // Declare a MessagePanel
    MessagePanel messagePanel;
```



```
// Main method
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    ScrollBarDemo frame = new ScrollBarDemo();
    // frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
    frame.pack();
    frame.setVisible(true);
}

// Constructor
public ScrollBarDemo()
{
    setTitle("ScrollBar Demo");

    // Create a vertical scrollbar
    jscbVert = new JScrollBar();
    jscbVert.setOrientation(Adjustable.VERTICAL);
```



```
// Create a horizontal scrollbar  
jscbHort = new JScrollBar();  
jscbHort.setOrientation(Adjustable.HORIZONTAL);  
  
// Add scrollbars and message panel to the frame  
messagePanel = new MessagePanel("Welcome to Java");  
getContentPane().setLayout(new BorderLayout());  
getContentPane().add(messagePanel, BorderLayout.CENTER);  
getContentPane().add(jscbVert, BorderLayout.EAST);  
getContentPane().add(jscbHort, BorderLayout.SOUTH);  
  
// Register listener for the scrollbars  
jscbHort.addAdjustmentListener(this);  
jscbVert.addAdjustmentListener(this);  
}
```



```
// Handle scrollbar adjustment actions
public void adjustmentValueChanged(AdjustmentEvent e)
{
    if (e.getSource() == jscbHort)
    {
        // getValue() and getMaximumValue() return int, but for better
        // precision, use double
        double value = jscbHort.getValue();
        double maximumValue = jscbHort.getMaximum();
        double newX =
            (value*messagePanel.getSize().width/maximumValue);
        messagePanel.setXCoordinate((int)newX);
        messagePanel.repaint();
    }
}
```



```
else if (e.getSource() == jsqbVert)
{
    // getValue() and getMaximumValue() return int, but for better
    // precision, use double
    double value = jsqbVert.getValue();
    double maximumValue = jsqbVert.getMaximum();
    double newY =
        (value*messagePanel.getSize().height/maximumValue);
    messagePanel.setYCoordinate((int)newY);
    messagePanel.repaint();
}
}
```





JScrollPane

- ☞ *A scroll pane* is a component that supports automatically scrolling without coding.

Example 9.14: Using Scroll Panes



```
// ScrollPaneDemo.java: Use scroll pane to view large maps
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.*;
import javax.swing.*;
import javax.swing.border.*;

public class ScrollPaneDemo extends JFrame implements ItemListener
{
    // Create images in labels
    private JLabel lblIndianaMap =
        new JLabel(new ImageIcon("images/indianaMap.gif"));
    private JLabel lblOhioMap =
        new JLabel(new ImageIcon("images/ohioMap.gif"));

    // Declare a scroll pane to scroll map in the labels
    private JScrollPane jspMap;
```



```
// Main method
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    ScrollPaneDemo frame = new ScrollPaneDemo();
    // frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
    frame.setSize(300, 300);
    frame.setVisible(true);
}

// Default constructor
public ScrollPaneDemo()
{
    setTitle("ScrollPane Demo");

    // Create a scroll pane with northern California map
    jspMap = new JScrollPane(lblIndianaMap);
```



```
// Create a combo box for selecting maps
JComboBox jcboMap = new JComboBox();
jcboMap.addItem("Indiana");
jcboMap.addItem("Ohio");

// Panel p to hold combo box
 JPanel p = new JPanel();
p.setLayout(new BorderLayout());
p.add(jcboMap);
p.setBorder(new TitledBorder("Select a map to display"));

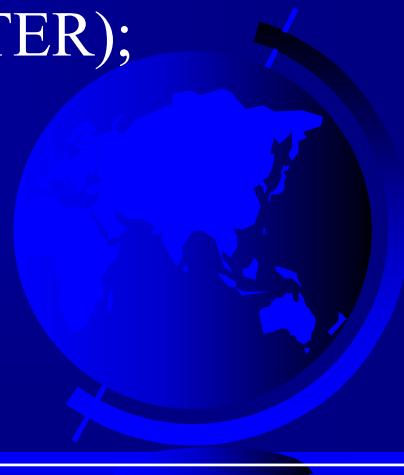
// Set row header, column header and corner header
jspMap.setColumnHeaderView(
    new JLabel(new ImageIcon("images/horizontalRuler.gif")));
jspMap.setRowHeaderView(
```



```
new JLabel(new ImageIcon("images/verticalRuler.gif")));
jspMap.setCorner(JScrollPane.UPPER_LEFT_CORNER,
    new CornerPanel(JScrollPane.UPPER_LEFT_CORNER));
jspMap.setCorner(ScrollPaneConstants.UPPER_RIGHT_CORNER,
    new CornerPanel(JScrollPane.UPPER_RIGHT_CORNER));
jspMap.setCorner(JScrollPane.LOWER_RIGHT_CORNER,
    new CornerPanel(JScrollPane.LOWER_RIGHT_CORNER));
jspMap.setCorner(JScrollPane.LOWER_LEFT_CORNER,
    new CornerPanel(JScrollPane.LOWER_LEFT_CORNER));

// Add the scroll pane and combo box panel to the frame
getContentPane().add(jspMap, BorderLayout.CENTER);
getContentPane().add(p, BorderLayout.NORTH);

// Register listener
jcboMap.addItemListener(this);
}
```



```
public void itemStateChanged(ItemEvent e)
{
    String selectedItem = (String)e.getItem();
    if (selectedItem.equals("Indiana"))
    {
        // Set a new view in the view port
        jspMap.setViewportView(lblIndianaMap);
    }
    else if (selectedItem.equals("Ohio"))
    {
        // Set a new view in the view port
        jspMap.setViewportView(lblOhioMap);
    }
    // Revalidate the scroll pane
    jspMap.revalidate();
}
```



```
// A panel displaying a line used for scroll pane corner  
class CornerPanel extends JPanel implements ScrollPaneConstants  
{  
    // Line location  
    private String location;  
  
    // Constructor  
    public CornerPanel(String location)  
    {  
        this.location = location;  
    }
```



```
// Draw a line depending on the location
public void paintComponent(Graphics g)
{
    super.paintComponents(g);

    if (location == "UPPER_LEFT_CORNER")
        g.drawLine(0, getSize().height, getSize().width, 0);
    else if (location == "UPPER_RIGHT_CORNER")
        g.drawLine(0, 0, getSize().width, getSize().height);
    else if (location == "LOWER_RIGHT_CORNER")
        g.drawLine(0, getSize().height, getSize().width, 0);
    else if (location == "LOWER_LEFT_CORNER")
        g.drawLine(0, 0, getSize().width, getSize().height);
}
```





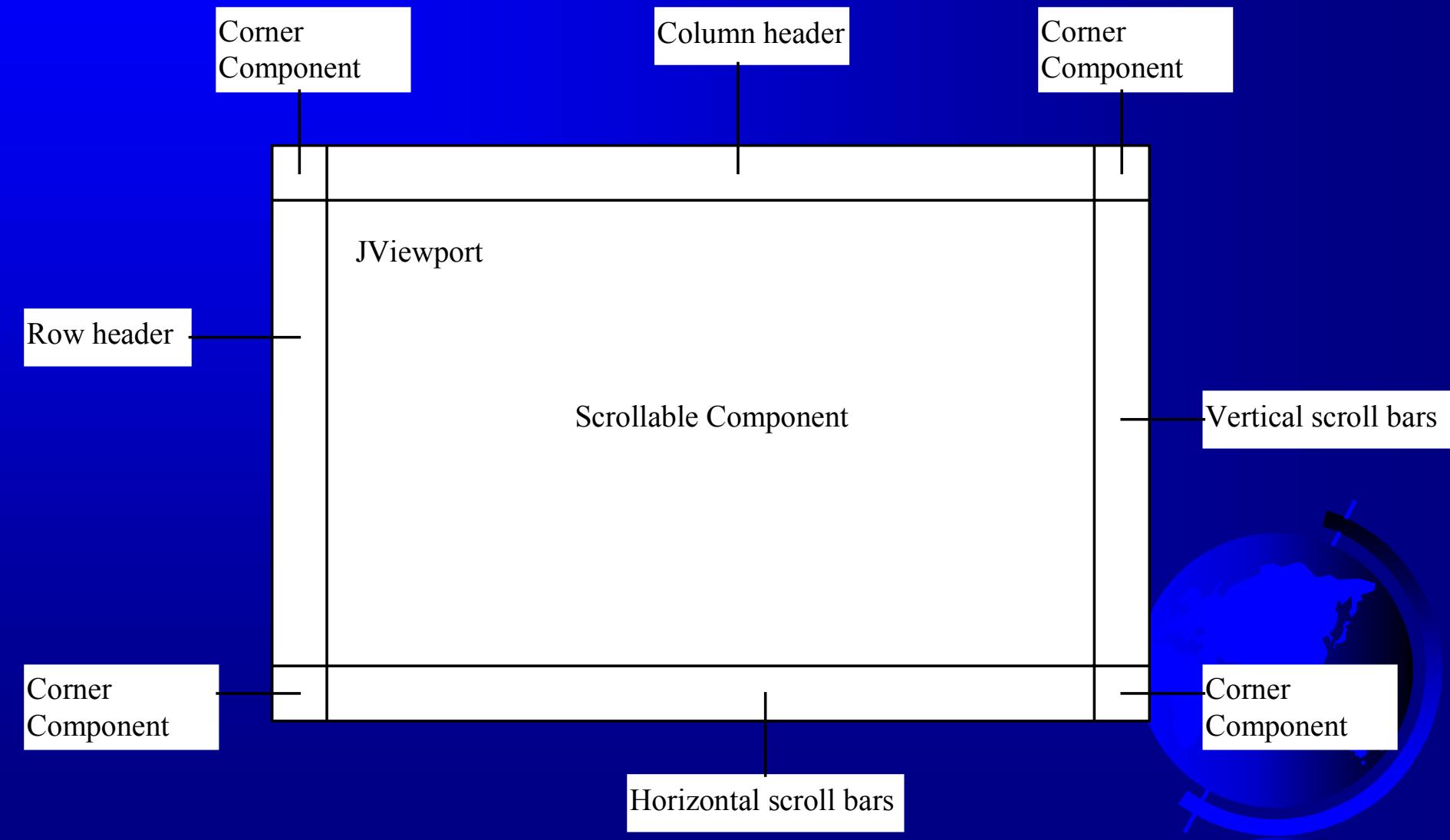
ScrollPane Demo

Select a map to display

Ohio



ScrollPane Structures



JTabbedPane

- ☞ *A tabbed pane* provides a set of mutually exclusive tabs for accessing multiple components.

Example 9.15: Using Tabbed Panes



```
// TabbedPaneDemo.java: Use tabbed pane to select figures
import java.awt.*;
import java.awt.event.*;
import javax.swing.*;
import javax.swing.border.TitledBorder;

public class TabbedPaneDemo extends JFrame
    implements ItemListener
{
    // Create a tabbed pane to hold figure panels
    private JTabbedPane jtpFigures = new JTabbedPane();

    // Radio buttons for specifying where tab is placed
    private JRadioButton jrbTop, jrbLeft, jrbRight, jrbBottom;
```



```
// Main method
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    TabbedPaneDemo frame = new TabbedPaneDemo();
    // frame.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);
    frame.setSize(200, 300);
    frame.setVisible(true);
}

// Constructor
public TabbedPaneDemo()
{
    setTitle("Tabbed Pane Demo");

    jtpFigures.add(new FigurePanel(FigurePanel.SQUARE), "Square");
    jtpFigures.add(

```

```
new FigurePanel(FigurePanel.RECTANGLE), "Rectangle");
jtpFigures.add(new FigurePanel(FigurePanel.CIRCLE), "Circle");
jtpFigures.add(new FigurePanel(FigurePanel.OVAL), "Oval");
```

```
// Panel p to hold radio buttons for specifying tab location
```

```
JPanel p = new JPanel();
```

```
p.add(jrbTop = new JRadioButton("TOP"));
```

```
p.add(jrbLeft = new JRadioButton("LEFT"));
```

```
p.add(jrbRight = new JRadioButton("RIGHT"));
```

```
p.add(jrbBottom = new JRadioButton("BOTTOM"));
```

```
p.setBorder(new TitledBorder("Specify tab location"));
```

```
// Group radio buttons
```

```
ButtonGroup btg = new ButtonGroup();
```

```
btg.add(jrbTop);
```

```
btg.add(jrbLeft);
```



```
btg.add(jrbRight);
btg.add(jrbBottom);

// Place tabbed pane and panel p into the frame
this.getContentPane().add(jtpFigures, BorderLayout.CENTER);
this.getContentPane().add(p, BorderLayout.SOUTH);

// Register listeners
jrbTop.addItemListener(this);
jrbLeft.addItemListener(this);
jrbRight.addItemListener(this);
jrbBottom.addItemListener(this);
}
```



```
// Handle radio button selection
public void itemStateChanged(ItemEvent e)
{
    if (jrbTop.isSelected())
        jtpFigures.setTabPlacement(SwingConstants.TOP);
    else if (jrbLeft.isSelected())
        jtpFigures.setTabPlacement(SwingConstants.LEFT);
    else if (jrbRight.isSelected())
        jtpFigures.setTabPlacement(SwingConstants.RIGHT);
    else if (jrbBottom.isSelected())
        jtpFigures.setTabPlacement(SwingConstants.BOTTOM);
}
```



```
// The panel for displaying a figure
class FigurePanel extends JPanel
{
    final static int SQUARE = 1;
    final static int RECTANGLE = 2;
    final static int CIRCLE = 3;
    final static int OVAL = 4;
    private int figureType = 1;

    // Constructing a figure panel
    public FigurePanel(int figureType)
    {
        this.figureType = figureType;
    }
}
```



```
// Drawing a figure on the panel
public void paintComponent(Graphics g)
{
    super.paintComponent(g);

    // Get the appropriate size for the figure
    int width = getSize().width;
    int height = getSize().height;
    int side = (int)(0.80*Math.min(width, height));

    switch (figureType)
    {
        case 1:
            g.drawRect((width-side)/2, (height-side)/2, side, side);
            break;
    }
}
```



case 2:

```
g.drawRect((int)(0.1*width), (int)(0.1*height),  
          (int)(0.8*width), (int)(0.8*height));
```

```
break;
```

case 3:

```
g.drawOval((width-side)/2, (height-side)/2, side, side);
```

```
break;
```

case 4:

```
g.drawOval((int)(0.1*width), (int)(0.1*height),  
          (int)(0.8*width), (int)(0.8*height));
```

```
break;
```

```
}
```

```
}
```

```
}
```





Tabbed Pane Demo

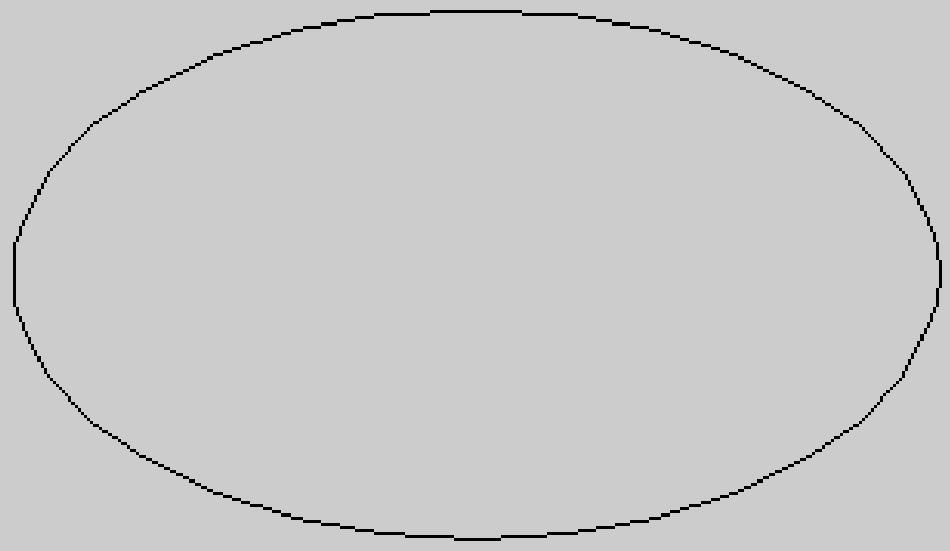


Square

Rectangle

Circle

Oval



Specify tab location

TOP

LEFT

RIGHT

BOTTOM

