

# **PROGRAMMING III**

# **JAVA LANGUAGE**

**COURSE 9**

# PREVIOUS COURSE CONTENT

- ❑ **IO package**

- ❑ File management

- ❑ **NIO package**

- ❑ File system management

# COURSE CONTENT

## Graphical User Interfaces

## Abstract Windows Toolkit

- Components
- Containers
- Layout Managers
- Action Management
- Drawing Components

# GRAFICAL USER INTERFACE

- ❑ What are Graphical User Interfaces (GUI)?
  - ❑ Is a type of user interface that allows **users to interact** with electronic devices through
    - ❑ **graphical** icons and visual indicators such as secondary notation,
    - ❑ **instead** of **text-based** user interfaces, **typed command** labels or **text navigation**

# JAVA GUI IMPLEMENTATIONS

- ❑ **Graphical User Interfaces**
  - ❑ Abstract Windows Toolkit (AWT)
  - ❑ Swing
  - ❑ Java FX

# IMPLEMENTING GUI IN JAVA

- ❑ **The Java Foundation Classes (JFC) are a set of packages encompassing the following APIs**
  - ❑ Abstract Window Toolkit (AWT)
    - ❑ Native GUI components
  - ❑ Swing
    - ❑ Lightweight GUI components
  - ❑ 2D
    - ❑ Rendering two-dimensional shapes, text, and images
  - ❑ Accessibility
    - ❑ Allowing compatibility with, for example, screen readers and screen magnifiers

# AWT

- ❑ **First Java API used for GUI applications building**
- ❑ **Provides basic UI components**
  - ❑ Buttons, lists, menus, textfields, etc
  - ❑ Event handling mechanism
  - ❑ Clipboard and data transfer
  - ❑ Image manipulation
  - ❑ Font manipulation
  - ❑ Graphics
- ❑ **Platform independence is achieved through peers, or native GUI components**

# AWT

- ❑ **Creation of a graphical application includes**
  - ❑ **Design** definition
    - ❑ Creation of a **displaying surface** (e.g. window) on which the **components** (buttons, text fields/area, lists, ..) used for communication with user will **lay**
    - ❑ **Creation** and **positioning** the graphical **components** on the created surface
  - ❑ Adding **functionality**
    - ❑ Defining of some **actions** that have to be executed when the user interacts with application graphical components
    - ❑ Adding **listeners** to components in order to link the user actions with the desired behavior for that components



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# AWT. COMPONENTS

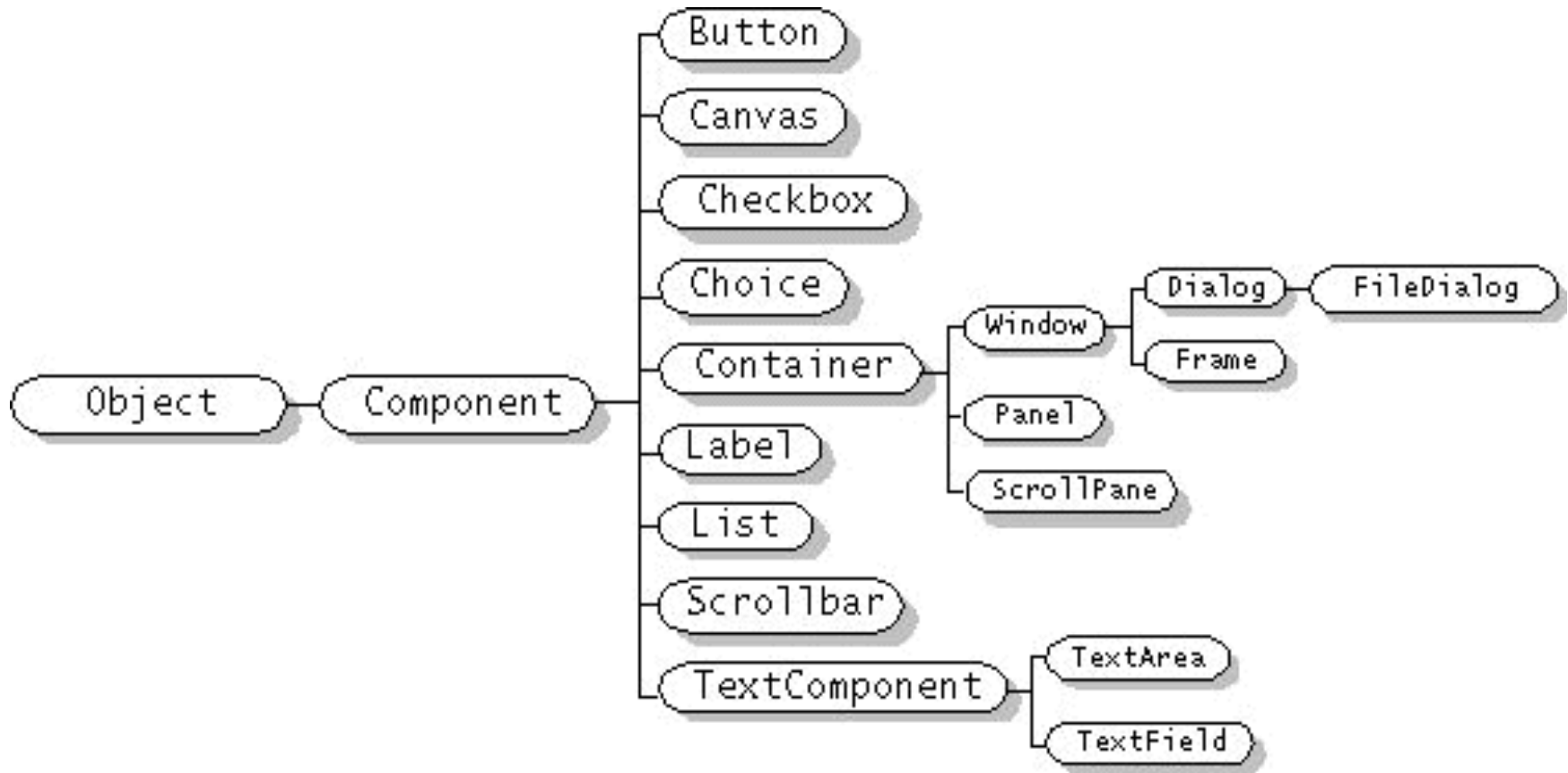
## ❑ Components

- ❑ Graphical elements that allow the **user to interact** with the **program** and **provide** the user with visual **feedback** about the state of the program
- ❑ *Examples:* buttons, scrollbars, text fields, ...
- ❑ `Component` class - superclass of all components
- ❑ Components are grouped into **containers**

## ❑ Containers

- ❑ **Contain** and **control** the **layout** of components
- ❑ Are components, and can thus be **placed inside other** containers

# AWT. COMPONENTS



# AWT. CONTAINERS TYPE

## Window

- A **top-level** display surface (a window).
- An instance of the Window class is not attached to nor embedded within another container.
- An instance of the Window class has no border and no title.

## Frame

- A **top-level** display surface (a window) with a border and title.
- An instance of the Frame class may have a menu bar. It is otherwise very much like an instance of the Window class.

## Dialog

- A **top-level** display surface (a window) with a border and title.
- An instance of the Dialog class cannot exist without an associated instance of the Frame class.

## Panel

- A generic **container** for **holding components**.
- An instance of the Panel class provides a container to which to add components.

# AWT. CONTAINER CREATION

## ❑ BUILDING APPLICATION

- ❑ first create an instance of class Window or class Frame

## ❑ APPLET

- ❑ a frame (the browser window) already exists

```
public class Example1{  
    public static void main(String [] args) {  
        Frame f = new Frame("Example 1");  
        f.show();  
    }  
}
```

//OR

```
public class Example1A extends Panel {  
    public static void main(String [] args) {  
        Frame f = new Frame("Example 1A");  
        Example1A ex = new Example1A();  
        f.add("Center", ex);  
        f.pack(); f.show();  
    }  
}
```

# AWT. ADDING COMPONENTS

- ❑ a user interface must consist of more than just a container
  - ❑ Components are added to containers via a container's `add()` method
    - ❑ There are three basic forms of the `add()` method.
    - ❑ The method to use depends on the container's layout manager

```
public class Example3
    extends java.applet.Applet {
    public void init()    {
        add(new Button("One"));
        add(new Button("Two"));
    }
    public Dimension preferredSize()
    {
        return new Dimension(200, 100);
    }
}
```

```
public static void main(String [] args){
    Frame f = new Frame("Example 3");
    Example3 ex = new Example3();
    ex.init();
    f.add("Center", ex);
    f.pack();
    f.show();
}
}
```

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# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

## ❑ Layout manager

- ❑ Makes all of the component placement decisions

- ❑ Layout manager classes implement the `LayoutManager` interface

## ❑ Types of managers

- ❑ `FlowLayout`

- ❑ `BorderLayout`

- ❑ `CardLayout`

- ❑ `GridLayout`

- ❑ `GridBagLayout`



# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

- ❑ Every **container** has a **default layout** manager, but we can explicitly set the layout manager as well
  - ❑ `JPanel` default - `FlowLayout`
  - ❑ `JFrame` default - `BorderLayout`
- ❑ Each **layout manager** has its own **particular rules** governing how the components will be arranged
- ❑ Some layout managers pay attention to a component's preferred size or alignment, while others do not
- ❑ A layout manager attempts to adjust the layout as components are added and as containers are resized

# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

❑ We can use the `setLayout` method of a container to change its layout manager

❑ General syntax

❑ `container.setLayout(new LayoutMan());`

❑ Examples

```
Panel p1 = new Panel(new BorderLayout());
```

```
Panel p2 = new Panel();
```

```
p2.setLayout(new BorderLayout());
```

Passing layout manager  
to constructor

Setting layout manager  
later

# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

## ❑ Flow Layout

- ❑ Puts as many components as **possible on a row**, then moves to the next row
- ❑ **Rows** are created **as needed** to accommodate all of the components
- ❑ Components are displayed in the **order** they **are added** to the container
- ❑ **Each row** of components is **centered horizontally** in the window by default, but could also be aligned left or right
- ❑ Also, the horizontal and vertical **gaps** between the components **can** be explicitly **set**

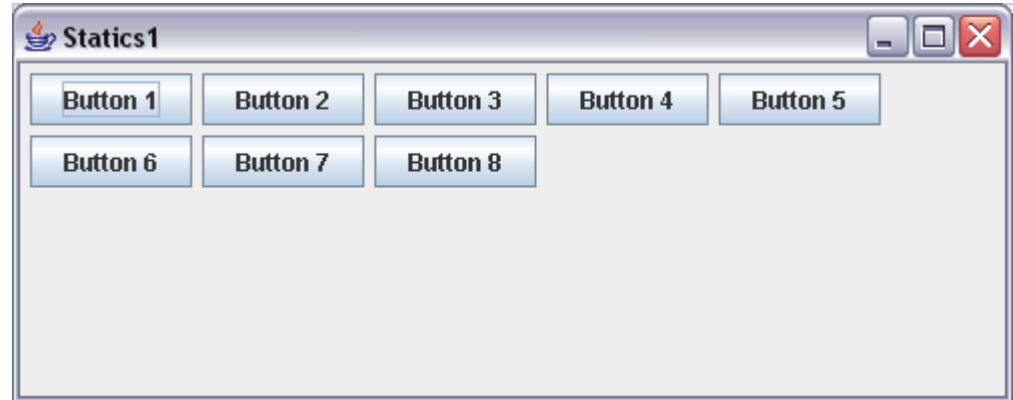
# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

## □ Flow Layout - example

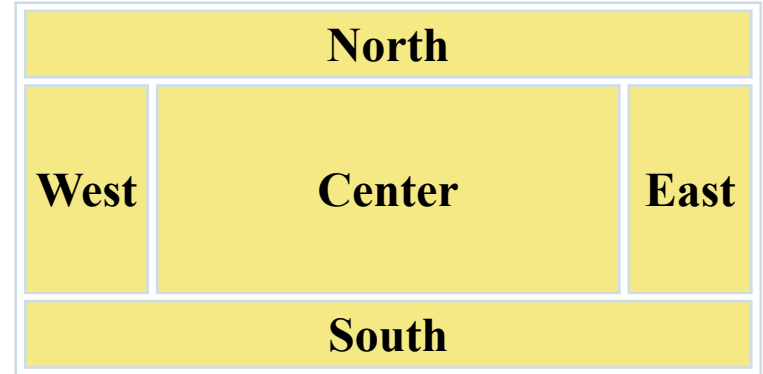
```
import java.awt.*;  
import javax.swing.*;
```

```
public class Statics1 {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        new S1GUI();  
    }  
}
```

```
class S1GUI {  
    private JFrame f;  
  
    public S1GUI() {  
        f = new JFrame("Statics1");  
        f.setSize(500, 200);  
  
        f.setLayout(new FlowLayout(FlowLayout.LEFT));  
  
        for (int b = 1; b < 9; b++)  
            f.add(new JButton("Button " + b));  
        f.setVisible(true);  
    }  
}
```



# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT



## ❑ Border layout

- ❑ A *border layout* defines five **areas** into which **components** can be **added**
- ❑ Each area displays one component (which could be a container such as a `JPanel`)
- ❑ Each of the four outer areas enlarges as needed to accommodate the component added to it
- ❑ If nothing is added to the outer areas, they take up no space and other areas expand to fill the void
- ❑ The center area expands to fill space as needed

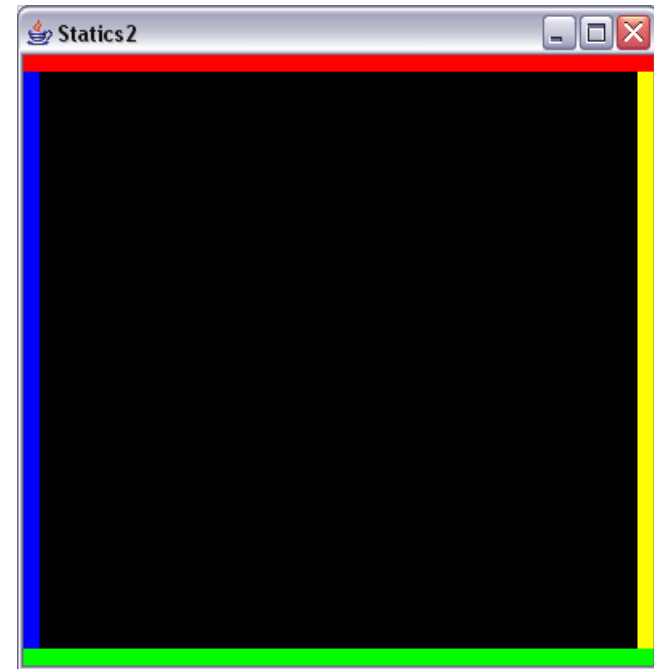
# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

## ❑ Border layout - example

```
public class Statics2 {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        new S2GUI(); }
}

class ColoredJPanel extends Panel {
    Color color;
    ColoredJPanel(Color color) {
        this.color = color;
    }
    public void paint(Graphics g) {
        g.setColor(color);
        g.fillRect(0, 0, 400, 400);
    }
}

class S2GUI extends Frame {
    public S2GUI() {
        setTitle("Statics2");
        addWindowListener(new WindowAdapter() {
            @Override
            public void windowClosing(WindowEvent we) {
                System.exit(0);
            }
        });
        setSize(400, 400);
        add(new ColoredJPanel(Color.RED), BorderLayout.NORTH);
        add(new ColoredJPanel(Color.GREEN), BorderLayout.SOUTH);
        add(new ColoredJPanel(Color.BLUE), BorderLayout.WEST);
        add(new ColoredJPanel(Color.YELLOW), BorderLayout.EAST);
        add(new ColoredJPanel(Color.BLACK), BorderLayout.CENTER);
        setVisible(true);
    }
}
```

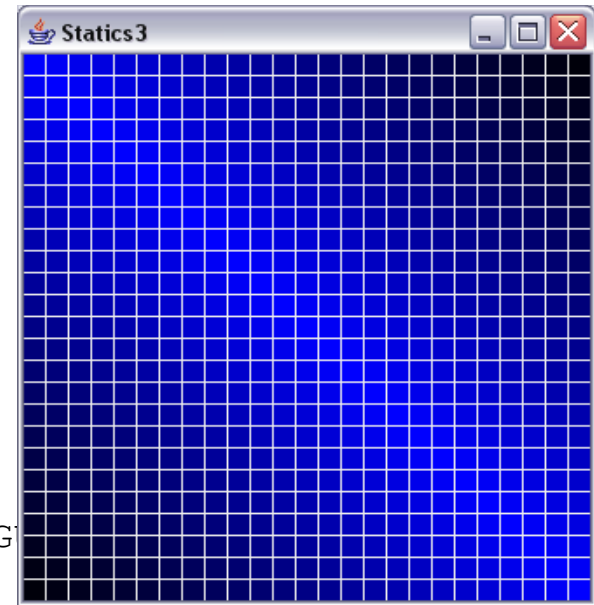


# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

## ❑ GridLayout

- ❑ A *grid layout* presents a container's components in a **rectangular grid** of rows and columns
- ❑ **One component** is placed in **each cell** of the grid, and **all cells** have the **same size**
- ❑ As components are added to the container, they **fill** the grid from **left-to-right** and **top-to-bottom** (by default)
- ❑ The **size** of each **cell** is determined by the **overall size** of the **container**

# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT



## GridLayout - example

```
import javax.swing.*;
import java.awt.*;

public class Statics3 {
    public static void main(String[] args) { new S3GUI(); }
}

class S3GUI extends Frame {
    static final int DIM = 25;
    static final int SIZE = 12;
    static final int GAP = 1;

    public S3GUI() {
        setTitle("Statics3");
        addWindowListener(new WindowAdapter() {
            @Override
            public void windowClosing(WindowEvent we) {
                System.exit(0);
            }
        });
        setLayout(new GridLayout(DIM, DIM, GAP, GAP));
        for (int i = 0; i < DIM * DIM; i++) add(new MyPanel());
        pack();
        setVisible(true);
    }
}

class MyPanel extends Panel {
    MyPanel() { setPreferredSize(new Dimension(SIZE, SIZE)); }
    public void paint(Graphics g) {
        float gradient =
            1f - ((float) Math.abs(getX() - getY())) / ((float) ((SIZE + GAP) * DIM));
        g.setColor(new Color(0f, 0f, gradient));
        g.fillRect(0, 0, getWidth(), getHeight());
    }
}
```



# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT



## ❑ GridBagLayout

- ❑ Divides the window into **grids**, **without** requiring the **components** to be the **same size**
- ❑ More **flexible** than the other standard layout managers, but harder to use
- ❑ Each component managed by a grid bag layout is associated with an instance of *GridBagConstraints*
- ❑ The *GridBagConstraints* specifies:
  - ❑ How the component is laid out in the display area
  - ❑ In which cell the component starts and ends
  - ❑ How the component stretches when extra room is available
  - ❑ Alignment in cells

# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

## ❑ GridBagLayout - steps to use

- ❑ Set the layout, saving a reference to it

```
GridBagLayout layout = new GridBagLayout();  
setLayout(layout);
```

- ❑ Allocate a GridBagConstraints object

```
GridBagConstraints constraints =  
    new GridBagConstraints();
```

- ❑ Set up the GridBagConstraints for component 1

```
constraints.gridx = x1;  
constraints.gridy = y1;  
constraints.gridwidth = width1;  
constraints.gridheight = height1;
```

- ❑ Add component 1 to the window, including constraints

```
add(component1, constraints);
```

- ❑ Repeat the last two steps for each remaining component

# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

## ❑ GridBagConstraints - Properties

❑ `gridx, gridy`

❑ Specifies the top-left corner of the component

❑ **Upper left** of grid is located at `(gridx, gridy)=(0,0)`

❑ Set to `GridBagConstraints.RELATIVE` to **auto-increment** row/column

```
GridBagConstraints constraints = new GridBagConstraints();
constraints.gridx = GridBagConstraints.RELATIVE;
container.add(new Button("one"), constraints);
container.add(new Button("two"), constraints);
```

# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

## ❑ GridBagConstraints - Properties

❑ `gridwidth, gridheight`

❑ Specifies the number of columns and rows the Component occupies

```
constraints.gridwidth = 3;
```

❑ `GridBagConstraints.REMAINDER` lets the component take up the remainder of the row/column

❑ `weightx, weighty`

❑ Specifies how much the cell will stretch in the x or y direction if space is left over

```
constraints.weightx = 3;
```

❑ Constraint affects the cell, not the component (use fill)

❑ Use a value of `0.0` for no expansion in a direction

❑ Values are relative, not absolute

# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

## ❑ GridBagConstraints - Properties

### ❑ fill

- ❑ Specifies what to do to an element that is smaller than the cell size  
`constraints.fill = GridBagConstraints.VERTICAL;`
- ❑ The size of row/column is determined by the widest/tallest element in it
- ❑ Can be `NONE`, `HORIZONTAL`, `VERTICAL`, or `BOTH`

### ❑ anchor

- ❑ If the fill is set to `GridBagConstraints.NONE`, then the anchor field determines where the component is placed  
`constraints.anchor = GridBagConstraints.NORTHEAST;`
- ❑ Can be `NORTH`, `EAST`, `SOUTH`, `WEST`, `NORTHEAST`, `NORTHWEST`, `SOUTHEAST`, or `SOUTHWEST`

# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

## □ GridBagLayout - example

```
public class Statics4 {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        new S4GUI();  
    }  
}  
  
class S4GUI extends JFrame {  
    public S4GUI() {  
        setTitle("Statics4");  
        setDefaultCloseOperation(EXIT_ON_CLOSE);  
  
        JButton button;  
        Container contentPane = getContentPane();  
        GridBagLayout gridbag = new GridBagLayout();  
        GridBagConstraints c =  
            new GridBagConstraints();  
        contentPane.setLayout(gridbag);  
        c.fill = GridBagConstraints.HORIZONTAL;
```



```
button = new JButton("Button 1");  
c.weightx = 0.5;  
c.gridx = 0;  
c.gridy = 0;  
gridbag.setConstraints(button, c);  
contentPane.add(button);
```

```
button = new JButton("2");  
c.gridx = 1;  
c.gridy = 0;  
gridbag.setConstraints(button, c);  
contentPane.add(button);
```

# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

## □ GridBagLayout - example

```
button = new JButton("Button 3");
c.gridx = 2;
c.gridy = 0;
gridbag.setConstraints(button, c);
contentPane.add(button);

button = new JButton("Long-Named Button 4");
c.ipady = 40; //make this component tall
c.weightx = 0.0;
c.gridwidth = 3;
c.gridx = 0;
c.gridy = 1;
gridbag.setConstraints(button, c);
contentPane.add(button);
}
```

```
button = new JButton("Button 5");
c.ipady = 0; //reset to default
c.weighty = 1.0; //request any extra vertical space
c.anchor = GridBagConstraints.SOUTH; //bottom of space
c.insets = new Insets(10,0,0,0); //top padding
c.gridx = 1; //aligned with button 2
c.gridwidth = 2; //2 columns wide
c.gridy = 2; //third row
gridbag.setConstraints(button, c);
contentPane.add(button);

pack();
setVisible(true);
```



# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

## CARD LAYOUT

- ❑ Stacks components on top of each other, displaying the top one
- ❑ Associates a name with each component in window

```
Panel cardPanel;  
CardLayout layout = new  
CardLayout();  
Panel.setLayout(layout);  
...  
cardPanel.add("Card 1",  
component1);  
cardPanel.add("Card 2",  
component2);  
...  
layout.show(cardPanel, "Card 1");  
layout.first(cardPanel);  
layout.next(cardPanel);
```

## NULL LAYOUT

- ❑ Manually sets relative position of the components

```
setLayout(null);  
Button b1 = new Button("Button  
1");  
Button b2 = new Button("Button  
2");  
...  
b1.setBounds(0, 0, 150, 50);  
b2.setBounds(150, 0, 75, 50);  
...  
add(b1);  
add(b2);  
...
```



# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

- Use nested containers**
  - Rather than struggling to fit your design in a single layout, try dividing the design into sections
  - Let each section be a panel with its own layout manager
- Turn off the layout manager for some containers**
- Adjust the empty space around components**
  - Change the space allocated by the layout manager
  - Override insets in the Container
  - Use a Canvas or a Box as an invisible spacer

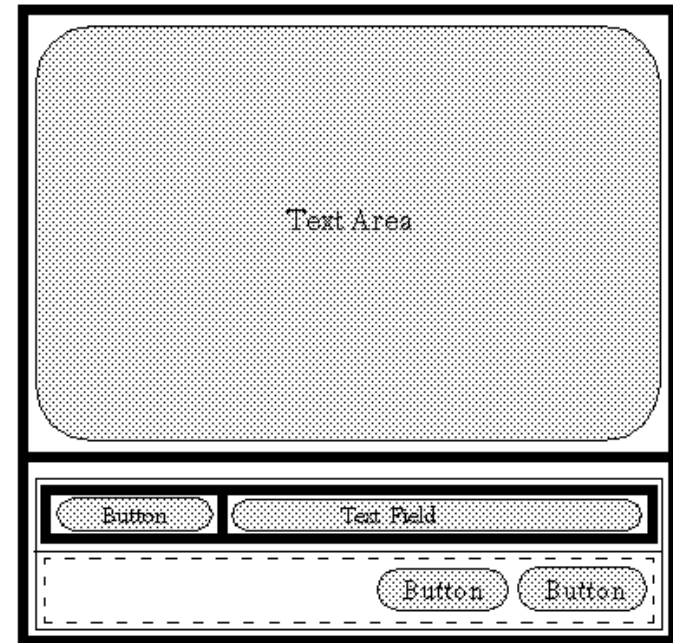
# AWT. COMPONENT LAYOUT

```
JPanel subPanel1 = new JPanel();
JPanel subPanel2 = new JPanel();
subPanel1.setLayout(new BorderLayout());
subPanel2.setLayout(new
    BorderLayout (FlowLayout.RIGHT, 2, 2))

subPanel1.add(bSaveAs, BorderLayout.WEST);
subPanel1.add(fileField, BorderLayout.CENTER);
subPanel2.add(bOk);
subPanel2.add(bExit);

bottomPanel.add(subPanel1);
bottomPanel.add(subPanel2);

add(bottomPanel, BorderLayout.SOUTH);
```



— BorderLayout  
- - - - FlowLayout  
— GridLayout

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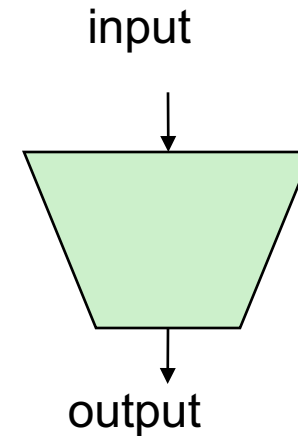
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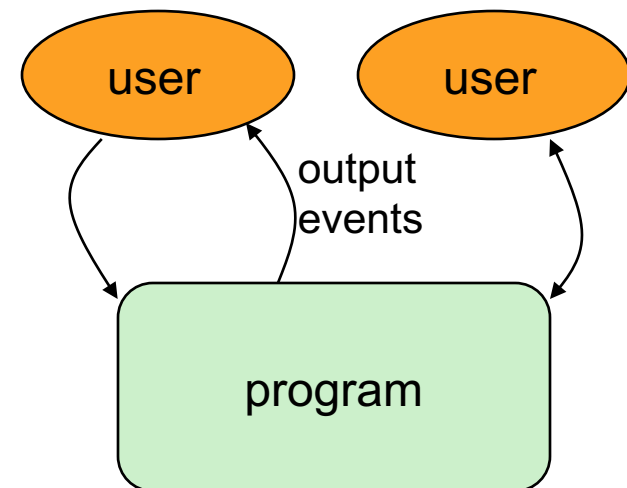
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# INTERACTIVE PROGRAMS

- ❑ “Classic” view of computer programs: Transform inputs to outputs, stop



- ❑ **Event-driven programs:** interactive, long-running
  - ❑ Servers interact with clients
  - ❑ Applications interact with user(s)



# EVENT-DRIVEN PROGRAMMING

- ❑ **Reactive**
- ❑ Program's execution is indeterminate
- ❑ On-screen components cause *events* to occur when they are clicked / interacted with
- ❑ Events can be handled, causing the program to respond, *driving* the execution thru events (an "event-driven" program)
- ❑ Typically uses a GUI (**Graphical User Interface**)

# JAVA EVENT HIERARCHY

```
java.lang.Object
```

```
  +--java.util.EventObject
```

```
    +--java.awt.AWTEvent
```

```
      +--java.awt.event.ActionEvent
```

```
      +--java.awt.event.TextEvent
```

```
      +--java.awt.event.ComponentEvent
```

```
        +--java.awt.event.FocusEvent
```

```
        +--java.awt.event.WindowEvent
```

```
        +--java.awt.event.InputEvent
```

```
          +--java.awt.event.KeyEvent
```

```
          +--java.awt.event.MouseEvent
```

```
import java.awt.event.*;
```

# EVENT HANDLING STRATEGY

## ❑ Determine what type of listener is of interest

### ❑ 11 standard AWT listener types.

- ❑ ActionListener, AdjustmentListener, ComponentListener, ContainerListener, FocusListener, ItemListener, KeyListener, MouseListener, MouseMotionListener, TextListener, WindowListener

## ❑ Define a class of that type

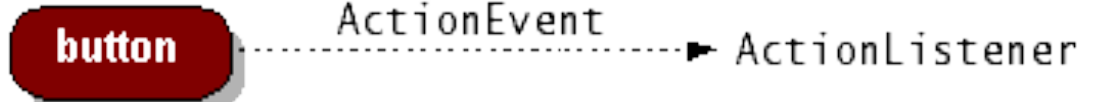
- ❑ Implement interface (KeyListener, MouseListener, etc.)
- ❑ Extend class (KeyAdapter, MouseAdapter, etc.)

## ❑ Register an object of your listener class with the window

- ❑ `w.addXxxListener(new MyListenerClass());`
- ❑ E.g., `addKeyListener()`, `addMouseListener()`

# EVENT HANDLING STRATEGY

## □ Example



### □ Adding actions to a button

#### □ Create an action listener

```
public class MyActionListener
    implements ActionListener {
    public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent event) {
        System.out.println("Event occurred!");
    }
}

public interface ActionListener {
    void actionPerformed(ActionEvent event);
}
```

#### □ Add action listener to the button

```
Button button = new JButton("button 1");
ActionListener listener = new MyActionListener();
button.addActionListener(listener);
```



# ACTION LISTENERS

## ❑ **ActionEvent class**

- ❑ `public Object getSource()`

Returns object that caused this event to occur.

- ❑ `public String getActionCommand()`

Returns a string that represents this event.

(for example, text on button that was clicked)

## ❑ **How to implement action listeners?**

# ACTION LISTENERS

- ❑ **How to implement action listeners?**
  - ❑ Handling events with **separate listeners**
  - ❑ Handling events by **main class**
  - ❑ Handling events with **named inner classes**
  - ❑ Handling events with **anonymous inner classes**

# ACTION LISTENERS

## ❑ How to implement action listeners?

### ❑ Handling events with **separate listeners**

- ❑ Create a separate class to handle the event

```
public class MyActionListener
    implements ActionListener {
    public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent event) {
        System.out.println("Event occurred!");
    }
}
```

- ❑ Add action listener to the button

```
Button button = new Button("button 1");
ActionListener listener = new MyActionListener();
button.addActionListener(listener);
```

- ❑ Handling events by main class
- ❑ Handling events with named inner classes
- ❑ Handling events with anonymous inner classes

# ACTION LISTENERS

## ❑ How to implement action listeners?

- ❑ Handling events with separate listeners

- ❑ Handling events by **main class**

```
public class MyApplication
    extends Frame implements ActionListener {
    void initComponents() {
        Button button = new Button("button 1");
        button.addActionListener(this);
        ...
    }
    ...
    public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent event) {
        System.out.println("Event occurred!");
    }
}
```

- ❑ Handling events with named inner classes

- ❑ Handling events with anonymous inner classes

# ACTION LISTENERS

## ❑ How to implement action listeners?

- ❑ Handling events with separate listeners
- ❑ Handling events by main class
- ❑ Handling events with **named inner classes**

```
public class MyApplication extends Frame {
    void initComponents() {
        Button button = new Button("button 1");
        MyAction action = new MyAction ()
        button.addActionListener(action);
        ...
    }
    ...
    public class MyAction implements ActionListener {
        public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent event) {
            System.out.println("Event occurred!");
        }
    }
} //close MyApplication
```

- ❑ Handling events with anonymous inner classes

# ACTION LISTENERS

## ❑ How to implement action listeners?

- ❑ Handling events with separate listeners
- ❑ Handling events by main class
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- ❑ Handling events with **anonymous inner classes**

```
public class MyApplication extends Frame {
    void initComponents() {
        Button button = new Button("button 1");
        MyAction action = new MyAction ()
        button.addActionListener(new ActionListener() {
            public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent event) {
                System.out.println("Event occurred!");
            }
        });
        ...
    }
}
```

# EVENT HANDLING STRATEGIES: PROS AND CONS

## **Separate Listener**

### Advantages

- Can extend adapter and thus ignore unused methods
- Separate class easier to manage

### Disadvantage

- Need extra step to call methods in main window

## **Main window that implements interface**

### Advantage

- No extra steps needed to call methods in main window

### Disadvantage

- Must implement methods you might not care about

# EVENT HANDLING STRATEGIES: PROS AND CONS

## ❑ Named inner class

### ❑ Advantages

- ❑ Can extend adapter and thus ignore unused methods
- ❑ No extra steps needed to call methods in main window

### ❑ Disadvantage

- ❑ A bit harder to understand

## ❑ Anonymous inner class

### ❑ Advantages

- ❑ Same as named inner classes
- ❑ Even shorter

### ❑ Disadvantage

- ❑ Much harder to understand



# STANDARD AWT EVENT LISTENERS

<b>Listener</b>	<b>Adapter Class (If Any)</b>	<b>Registration Method</b>
<b>ActionListener</b>		<b>addActionListener</b>
<b>AdjustmentListener</b>		<b>addAdjustmentListener</b>
<b>ComponentListener</b>	<b>ComponentAdapter</b>	<b>addComponentListener</b>
<b>ContainerListener</b>	<b>ContainerAdapter</b>	<b>addContainerListener</b>
<b>FocusListener</b>	<b>FocusAdapter</b>	<b>addFocusListener</b>
<b>ItemListener</b>		<b>addItemListener</b>
<b>KeyListener</b>	<b>KeyAdapter</b>	<b>addKeyListener</b>
<b>MouseListener</b>	<b>MouseAdapter</b>	<b>addMouseListener</b>
<b>MouseMotionListener</b>	<b>MouseMotionAdapter</b>	<b>addMouseMotionListener</b>
<b>TextListener</b>		<b>addTextListener</b>
<b>WindowListener</b>	<b>WindowAdapter</b>	<b>addWindowListener</b>

# STANDARD AWT EVENT LISTENERS

## ❑ ActionListener

- ❑ Handles buttons and a few other actions
- ❑ `actionPerformed(ActionEvent event)`

## ❑ AdjustmentListener

- ❑ Applies to scrolling
- ❑ `adjustmentValueChanged(AdjustmentEvent event)`

## ❑ ComponentListener

- ❑ Handles moving/resizing/hiding GUI objects
- ❑ `componentResized(ComponentEvent event)`
- ❑ `componentMoved (ComponentEvent event)`
- ❑ `componentShown(ComponentEvent event)`
- ❑ `componentHidden(ComponentEvent event)`

# STANDARD AWT EVENT LISTENERS

## ❑ **ContainerListener**

- ❑ Triggered when window adds/removes GUI controls
- ❑ `componentAdded(ContainerEvent event)`
- ❑ `componentRemoved(ContainerEvent event)`

## ❑ **FocusListener**

- ❑ Detects when controls get/lose keyboard focus
- ❑ `focusGained(FocusEvent event)`
- ❑ `focusLost(FocusEvent event)`

# STANDARD AWT EVENT LISTENERS

## ❑ **ItemListener**

- ❑ Handles selections in lists, checkboxes, etc.
- ❑ `itemStateChanged(ItemEvent event)`

## ❑ **KeyListener**

- ❑ Detects keyboard events
- ❑ `keyPressed(KeyEvent event)` -- any key pressed down
- ❑ `keyReleased(KeyEvent event)` -- any key released
- ❑ `keyTyped(KeyEvent event)` -- key for printable char released

# STANDARD AWT EVENT LISTENERS

## ❑ **MouseListener**

- ❑ Applies to basic mouse events
- ❑ `mouseEntered(MouseEvent event)`
- ❑ `mouseExited(MouseEvent event)`
- ❑ `mousePressed(MouseEvent event)`
- ❑ `mouseReleased(MouseEvent event)`
- ❑ `mouseClicked(MouseEvent event)` -- Release without drag
  - ❑ Applies on release if no movement since press

## ❑ **MouseMotionListener**

- ❑ Handles mouse movement
- ❑ `mouseMoved(MouseEvent event)`
- ❑ `mouseDragged(MouseEvent event)`

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# CANVAS

## ❑ Canvas

- ❑ Canvas control represents a rectangular area where application can draw something or can receive inputs created by user.

## ❑ AWT

```
public void paint(Graphics g) {  
    ...  
}
```

- ❑ no default **double buffering**

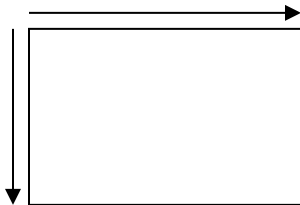
## ❑ Swing

```
public void paintComponent(Graphics g) {  
    super.paintComponent(g);  
    ...  
}
```

- ❑ default **double buffering**

# COORDINATE SYSTEM

- ❑ Each  $(x, y)$  position is a pixel ("picture element").
- ❑  $(0, 0)$  is at the window's **top-left corner**.
  - ❑  $x$  increases rightward and the  $y$  increases downward





# DRAWING METHODS

Method name	Description
<code>g.drawLine (x1, y1, x2, y2) ;</code>	line between points (x1, y1), (x2, y2)
<code>g.drawOval (x, y, width, height) ;</code>	outline largest oval that fits in a box of size <i>width * height</i> with top-left at (x, y)
<code>g.drawRect (x, y, width, height) ;</code>	outline of rectangle of size <i>width * height</i> with top-left at (x, y)
<code>g.drawString (text, x, y) ;</code>	text with bottom-left at (x, y)
<code>g.fillOval (x, y, width, height) ;</code>	fill largest oval that fits in a box of size <i>width * height</i> with top-left at (x, y)
<code>g.fillRect (x, y, width, height) ;</code>	fill rectangle of size <i>width * height</i> with top-left at (x, y)
<code>g.setColor (Color) ;</code>	set <code>Graphics</code> to paint any following shapes in the given color

# COLOR

- ❑ **Create one using Red-Green-Blue (RGB) values from 0-255**

```
Color name = new Color(red, green, blue);
```

- **Example**

```
Color brown = new Color(192, 128, 64);
```

- ❑ **Or use a predefined `Color` class constant (more common)**

```
Color.CONSTANT_NAME
```

where `CONSTANT_NAME` is one of:

- BLACK, BLUE, CYAN, DARK\_GRAY, GRAY,  
GREEN, LIGHT\_GRAY, MAGENTA, ORANGE,  
PINK, RED, WHITE, or YELLOW

# EXAMPLE

```
public class ExPaint {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        JFrame f = new JFrame("Swing Paint Demo");  
        f.setDefaultCloseOperation(JFrame.EXIT_ON_CLOSE);  
        f.add(new MyPanel());  f.pack();  f.setVisible(true);  
    }  
}  
  
class MyPanel extends JPanel {  
    public MyPanel() {  setBorder(BorderFactory.createLineBorder(Color.black));}  
    public Dimension getPreferredSize() { return new Dimension(250, 200);}  
    public void paintComponent(Graphics g) {  
        super.paintComponent(g);  
        g.setColor(Color.red);  
        for (int i = 0; i < 6; i++) { g.drawRect(11 + 20 * i, 150 - 20 * i, 20, 20); }  
    }  
}
```

