

Summary of Last Class

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Static Variables

```
1  class Record{
2      public static int count;
3      Record(){
4          count++; //same as Record.count++;
5      }
6  }
```

Static Final Variables

```
1  class myMath{  
2      public static final double PI=3.1416;  
3  }
```

Static Methods

```
1  class myMath{
2      public static final double PI=3.1416;
3
4      public static double sum(double a, double b){
5          return (a + b);
6      }
7  }
8  class Demo{
9      public static void sub1 () { /* ... */ }
10     public static void sub2 () { /* ... */ }
11     public static void sub3 () { /* ... */ }
12
13     public static void main (String [] argv) {
14         Demo.sub1 ();
15         Demo.sub2 ();
16         sub3 (); //same as Demo.sub3() in Demo
17     }
18 }
```

Object Lifecycle

```
1  class Record{
2      int score;
3      Record(int init_score){ score = init_score; }
4      protected void finalize()
5          throws Throwable{ ModlitwaDziewicy.play(); }
6  }
7  public class RecordDemo{
8      public static void main(String[] arg){
9          Record r; //reference declared
10         Record r2;//reference declared
11         r = new Record(60); //memory allocated (RHS)
12                                 //and constructor called
13                                 //reference assigned (LHS)
14         r2 = r; //reference copied
15         r.score = 3; //instance content accessed
16         r.show_score(); //instance action performed
17         r2 = null; r = null; //memory slot orphaned
18         // ....
19                                 //finalizer called
20                                 //or JVM terminated
21     }
22 }
```

Arrays

```
1  class Demo{
2      public static void main(String [] argv){
3          int[] iarr = new int[3];
4          Record[] rarr = new Record[3];
5          rarr[0] = new Record("HTLin", 80);
6          rarr[1] = null;
7          int[][] iarrarr = {null, {1, 2}, {5, 7, 9}};
8          System.out.println(iarrarr[1].length);
9      }
10 }
```

A Big Crowded Picture of Java Basics

- **strongly typed**: every variable must have a type
- primitive types: the “value” in the small box directly stores the info
—everything related is done by **primitive value copying and manipulation**
- reference (extended) types: the “value” in the small box stores the reference (to a typed instance), including
 - `java.lang.String`
 - **self-defined types** like `class Record`
 - **arrays**
—everything related is done by **reference value copying (and limited manipulation)**
- JVM memory
 - a stack that holds local variables (method call frames)
 - a **heap** that holds instances
 - a constant pool that holds constant instances (like constant Strings)
 - somewhere that holds the class (codes and static variables)
—HEAP: 2nd one, or the last three (automatic GC on **heap**)