

Title: Java Language with Data Structures Course Syllabus

Introduction: Welcome to the Java Language with Data Structures course. This syllabus is designed to provide students with a comprehensive understanding of the Java programming language along with the implementation of fundamental data structures. Throughout this course, students will learn the syntax, semantics, and best practices of Java programming, as well as gain proficiency in implementing and utilizing various data structures for efficient problem-solving.

Course Objectives:

1. To introduce students to the fundamentals of the Java programming language.
2. To familiarize students with the concepts and implementation of essential data structures.
3. To enable students to analyze problems and design algorithms using data structures.
4. To provide practical experience in coding and debugging Java programs with data structures.
5. To enhance problem-solving skills through hands-on programming exercises and projects.

Course Outline:

1. Introduction to Java Programming
 - Overview of Java language features and benefits
 - History and significance of Java
 - Setting up Java Development Environment
 - Basic structure of a Java program
 - Variables, data types, and operators
2. Object-Oriented Programming (OOP) Concepts
 - Principles of object-oriented programming
 - Classes and objects
 - Encapsulation, inheritance, and polymorphism
 - Constructors and destructors
 - Abstract classes and interfaces
3. Control Structures and Methods
 - Decision making with if-else and switch statements
 - Looping constructs: while, do-while, and for loops
 - Method declaration and invocation
 - Passing arguments to methods
 - Method overloading and overriding
4. Arrays, Strings, and Collections Framework

- Arrays and array manipulation
- Introduction to string manipulation in Java
- Overview of Java Collections Framework (JCF)
- ArrayList, LinkedList, HashMap, and HashSet
- Iterators and enhanced for loop

5. Exception Handling and File I/O

- Handling runtime errors with exception handling
- try, catch, and finally blocks
- Custom exceptions and exception chaining
- Reading from and writing to files using File I/O in Java

6. Generics and Type-Safe Collections

- Introduction to generics in Java
- Generic classes and methods
- Type inference and wildcard types
- Benefits of type-safe collections in Java

7. Introduction to Data Structures

- Overview of data structures and their importance
- Classification of data structures: linear vs. non-linear
- Abstract data types and their implementations

8. Basic Data Structures

- Arrays, linked lists, stacks, and queues
- Implementation and operations of basic data structures
- Applications and use cases of each data structure

9. Advanced Data Structures (Optional)

- Trees, graphs, hash tables, and heaps
- Introduction to advanced data structures
- Implementation and applications of advanced data structures

Assessment:

- Regular assignments and quizzes to assess understanding of Java programming concepts and data structures
- Programming projects to implement and demonstrate proficiency in coding and utilizing data structures
- Mid-term and final examinations covering theoretical concepts and practical applications

Note: This syllabus is subject to modification based on the discretion of the course instructor or institution.

Conclusion: By the end of this course, students will have a solid foundation in Java programming language and proficiency in implementing and utilizing various data structures. They will be equipped with the skills necessary to analyze problems,

design algorithms, and develop efficient software solutions using Java and data structures. We look forward to guiding you through this learning journey and helping you achieve your programming goals.

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