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Creating a Document Through DOM

- Let's create a new document *school.xml*:

```
<?xml version="1.0"?>
<?xml-stylesheet type="text/css" href="school.css"?>
<school id="0994">
  <name>Johns Hopkins University</name>
  <phone>800-548-3647</phone>
  <phone>410-516-8728</phone>
  <phone>443-778-6231</phone>
</school>
```

Imports

```
import java.io.*;

// DOM imports
import org.w3c.dom.Attr;
import org.w3c.dom.Comment;
import org.w3c.dom.Document;
import org.w3c.dom.DOMImplementation;
import org.w3c.dom.Element;
import org.w3c.dom.NamedNodeMap;
import org.w3c.dom.Node;
import org.w3c.dom.ProcessingInstruction;
import org.w3c.dom.Text;

// Parser import
import org.apache.xerces.dom.DOMImplementationImpl;
import org.apache.xerces.parsers.DOMParser;
```

Create File

```
public class MakeFile {
    private static final String FILE_DIR = "";
    private FileWriter file;
    private BufferedWriter fOut;
    private boolean fCanonical;

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        if (args.length != 1) {
            System.out.println("Usage: java MakeFile [filename]");
            System.exit(0);
        }
        System.out.println("Making new file: " + args[0] + "\n");
        new MakeFile(args[0]);
    }
}
```

Create Document and PI

```
public MakeFile(String filename) {
    try {
        // Create new DOM tree
        // This is Apache XERCES specific
        DOMImplementation domImpl = new DOMImplementationImpl();
        // Create root element
        Document doc = domImpl.createDocument(null /*namespace*/,
                                              "school" /*root*/, null /*doctype*/);

        // Create PI
        ProcessingInstruction pi =
            doc.createProcessingInstruction("xml-stylesheet",
                                          "type=\"text/css\" href=\"school.css\"");
        doc.appendChild(pi); // appends child to top of document
    }
}
```


Create the Document Root

```
// Get the root - in this case, the root is "school"  
Element root = doc.getDocumentElement();  
  
// Set the root attribute  
root.setAttribute("id", "0994");  
  
// Create child elements  
Element schoolName = doc.createElement("name");  
Text schoolText =  
    doc.createTextNode("Johns Hopkins University");  
root.appendChild(schoolName);  
schoolName.appendChild(schoolText);
```

Create Children

```
// Create child elements
Element phoneName = doc.createElement("phone");
Text phoneText =
    doc.createTextNode("800-548-3647");
root.appendChild(phoneName);
phoneName.appendChild(phoneText);

phoneName = doc.createElement("phone");
phoneText =
    doc.createTextNode("410-516-8728");
root.appendChild(phoneName);
phoneName.appendChild(phoneText);
```

Write Document

```
phoneName = doc.createElement("phone");
phoneText = doc.createTextNode("443-778-6231");
root.appendChild(phoneName);
phoneName.appendChild(phoneText);

// Write out the file.
// Assume a routine that writes out the file (as in the last lecture)
file = new FileWriter(FILE_DIR + filename + ".xml");
fOut = new BufferedWriter(file);
write(doc);
}
catch (IOException ioe) {
    System.out.println(ioe.getMessage());
}
}
```

Document Writer

/*

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* yada yada yada */

Write Document Node

```
/** Writes the specified node, recursively. */
public void write(Node node) throws IOException {
    // is there anything to do?
    if (node == null)
        return;
    short type = node.getNodeType();
    switch (type) {
    case Node.DOCUMENT_NODE: {
        if (!fCanonical) {
            fOut.write("<?xml version=\"1.0\" encoding=\"UTF-8\"?>");
            fOut.flush();
        }
        Document document = (Document)node;
        write(document.getDocumentElement());
        break;
    }
    }
}
```

Write Element Node

```
case Node.ELEMENT_NODE: {
    fOut.write('<');
    fOut.write(node.getNodeName());
    Attr attrs[] = sortAttributes(node.getAttributes());
    for (int i = 0; i < attrs.length; i++) {
        Attr attr = attrs[i];
        fOut.write(' ');
        fOut.write(attr.getNodeName());
        fOut.write("=\");
        normalizeAndPrint(attr.getNodeValue());
        fOut.write("");
    }
    fOut.write('>');
    fOut.flush();
    Node child = node.getFirstChild();
    while (child != null) {
        write(child);
        child = child.getNextSibling();
    }
    break;
}
```

Write Entity Reference Node

```
case Node.ENTITY_REFERENCE_NODE: {
    if (fCanonical) {
        Node child = node.getFirstChild();
        while (child != null) {
            write(child);
            child = child.getNextSibling();
        }
    }
    else {
        fOut.write('&');
        fOut.write(node.getNodeName());
        fOut.write(';');
        fOut.flush();
    }
    break;
}
```

Write CDATA and Text Nodes

```
case Node.CDATA_SECTION_NODE: {
    if (fCanonical) {
        normalizeAndPrint(node.getNodeValue());
    }
    else {
        fOut.write("<![CDATA[");
        fOut.write(node.getNodeValue());
        fOut.write("]]>");
    }
    fOut.flush();
    break;
}
```

```
case Node.TEXT_NODE: {
    normalizeAndPrint(node.getNodeValue());
    fOut.flush();
    break;
}
```


Write Processing Instruction Node

```
case Node.PROCESSING_INSTRUCTION_NODE: {
    fOut.write("<?");
    fOut.write(node.getNodeName());
    String data = node.getNodeValue();
    if (data != null && data.length() > 0) {
        fOut.write(' ');
        fOut.write(data);
    }
    fOut.write(">");
    fOut.flush();
    break;
}
}
```

Write Element Node

```
if (type == Node.ELEMENT_NODE) {  
    fOut.write("</");  
    fOut.write(node.getNodeName());  
    fOut.write(">");  
    fOut.flush();  
}  
  
} // write(Node)
```

Sort Attributes

```
/** Returns a sorted list of attributes. */
protected Attr[] sortAttributes(NamedNodeMap attrs) {

    int len = (attrs != null) ? attrs.getLength() : 0;
    Attr array[] = new Attr[len];
    for (int i = 0; i < len; i++) {
        array[i] = (Attr)attrs.item(i);
    }
    for (int i = 0; i < len - 1; i++) {
        String name = array[i].getNodeName();
        int index = i;
        for (int j = i + 1; j < len; j++) {
            String curName = array[j].getNodeName();
            if (curName.compareTo(name) < 0) {
                name = curName;
                index = j;
            }
        }
    }
}
```

Sort Attributes

```
if (index != i) {
    Attr temp = array[i];
    array[i] = array[index];
    array[index] = temp;
}
}

return array;

} // sortAttributes(NamedNodeMap):Attr[]
```

Normalize and Print Text

```
/** Normalizes and prints the given string. */  
protected void normalizeAndPrint(String s)  
    throws IOException {  
  
    int len = (s != null) ? s.length() : 0;  
    for (int i = 0; i < len; i++) {  
        char c = s.charAt(i);  
        normalizeAndPrint(c);  
    }  
  
} // normalizeAndPrint(String)
```

Normalize and Print Text

```
/** Normalizes and print the given character. */
protected void normalizeAndPrint(char c)
    throws IOException {

    switch (c) {
    case '<': {
        fOut.write("&lt;");
        break;
    }
    case '>': {
        fOut.write("&gt;");
        break;
    }
    case '&': {
        fOut.write("&amp;");
        break;
    }
    }
```

Normalize and Print Text

```
case '"': {
    fOut.write("&quot;");
    break;
}
case '\r':
case '\n': {
    if (fCanonical) {
        fOut.write("&#");
        fOut.write(Integer.toString(c));
        fOut.write(';');
        break;
    }
    // else, default print char
}
default: {
    fOut.write(c);
}
} // normalizeAndPrint(char)
}
```

General Document Operations

- **DOMImplementation**

- Attempts to provide a standard interface onto creating DOM documents
- **import org.w3c.dom.DOMImplementation;**
- Creates Documents
- Creates DOCTYPEs

```
public DocumentType createDocumentType(  
    String qualifiedName, String publicId, String systemId);
```

```
public Document createDocument(  
    String NamespaceURI, String qualifiedName, DocumentType docType);
```


Example

- This DOM code:

```
DOMImplementation domImpl = new DOMImplementationImpl();  
DocumentType docType = domImpl.createDocumentType(  
    "student", null /* public id */, "file:///DTDs/student.dtd" /* sys id */);  
Document doc = domImpl.createDocument(null /*uri*/, "student"  
    /*qname*/, docType);
```

- Creates an internal representation of the following XML document:

```
<?xml version="1.0"?>  
<!DOCTYPE student SYSTEM "file:///DTDs/student.dtd">  
<student>  
</student>
```

Document Methods

- General **Document** methods
- **import org.w3c.dom.Document;**
- `public DocumentType getDoctype()`
 - Gets the document type
- `public DOMImplementation getImplementation()`
 - Gets the document implementation
 - Not much that you can do with it except create a `DocumentType` or `Document`
- `public Element getDocumentElement()`
 - Gets the root element of the document
 - This is the starting point for navigating through the document
 - This is also the starting point for creating/modifying the document

Document Creation Methods

- Creates parts of the document
- Does not place it into the document until told to do so
 - Handled by the Node operations
 - Node.insertBefore(...)
 - Node.replaceChild(...)
 - Node.appendChild(...)
 - Will be covered in the Node operations section
- `public Element createElement(String tagName)`
 - Creates element with „tagName“
 - Throws DOMException

Document Creation Methods

- `public Text createTextNode(String textData)`
 - Creates text node to be attached to an element
- `public Comment createComment(String commentData)`
 - Creates a comment node with the comment data
- `public ProcessingInstruction createProcessingInstruction(String target, String data)`
 - Creates a PI with target and data
 - Data must be a String in the format „attr="val" attr="val" ...“
- `public Attribute createAttribute(String attributeName)`
 - Creates attribute name
 - Append text to it later

Document Nodes - Retrieval

- `public NodeList getElementsByTagName(String tagname)`
 - Very useful
 - Gets a list of nodes that are named „tagname“
 - Each node contains the entire subtree beneath the node
- `public NodeList getElementsByTagNameNS`
`(String namespaceURI, String tagname)`
 - Similar to `getElementsByTagName`
 - Gets a list of nodes that are named „tagname“ in the namespace „namespaceURI“

Example

```
Document doc = domImpl.createDocument(null, "student",  
    docType);
```

```
...
```

```
NodeList nodeList =  
    (NodeList)doc.getElementsByTagName("phone");  
System.out.println("The JHU telephone numbers are:");  
for (int j=0; j<nodeList.getLength(); j++) {  
    Node phoneNode = nodeList.item(j);  
    // process Node  
    String phoneNumber = phoneNode.getNodeValue();  
    System.out.println("    " + phoneNumber + "\n");  
}
```

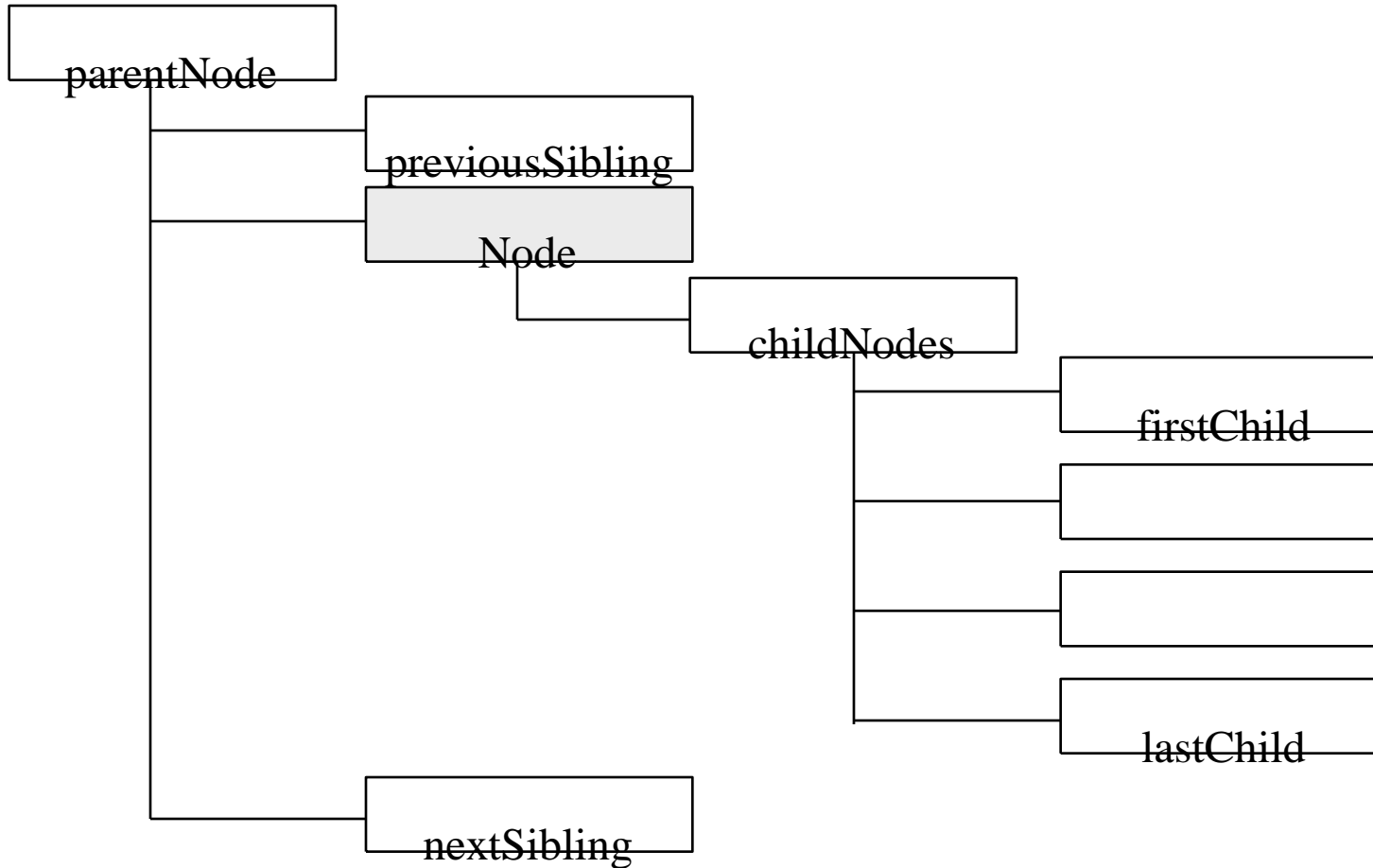
Node Operations

- Provides general operations on **Nodes**
- **import org.w3c.dom.Node;**
- **public String getNodeName();**
 - Retrieves node name
- **public String getNodeValue() throws DOMException;**
 - Retrieves the value of the node
 - Usually text, comment, etc.
- **public void setNodeValue(String nodeValue) throws DOMException;**
 - Sets the value of the node
 - Replaces value if it already exists

Node Operations (2)

- public short getNodeTypes()
 - Determines type of node for specific processing
 - ELEMENT_NODE
 - ATTRIBUTE_NODE
 - TEXT_NODE
 - CDATA_SECTION_NODE
 - ENTITY_REFERENCE_NODE
 - ENTITY_NODE
 - PROCESSING_INSTRUCTION_NODE
 - COMMENT_NODE
 - DOCUMENT_NODE
 - DOCUMENT_TYPE_NODE

Navigating a DOM Tree



Navigating a DOM Tree (2)

- These are very difficult to do in SAX
- `public Node getParentNode();`
 - Retrieves the parent node
- `public NodeList getChildNodes();`
 - Retrieves the child node
- `public Node getFirstChild();`
 - Retrieves the first child node
- `public Node getLastChild();`
 - Retrieves the last child node
- `public Node getPreviousSibling();`
 - Retrieves the previous node at the same level

Node Operations (3)

- `public Node getNextSibling();`
 - Retrieves the next node at the same level
- `public NamedNodeMap getAttributes();`
 - Retrieves a map of attributes

```
NamedNodeMap attrList = (NamedNodeMap)node.getAttributes();
for (int j=0; j<attrList.getLength(); j++) {
    Node attribute = attrList.item(j);
    // process attribute
}
```

Node Operations (4)

- `public Document getOwnerDocument();`
 - Gets the owner document for processing
 - (It is unlikely that you do not already have this.)
- `public Node insertBefore (Node newChild, Node refChild)`
`throws DOMException;`
 - Places a new node before the referenced node
 - New node becomes the „previousSibling“ of the referenced node
- `public Node replaceChild(Node newChild, Node oldChild)`
`throws DOMException;`
 - Removes the old child
 - Puts in its place the new Child

Node Operations (5)

- `public Node removeChild(Node oldChild)` throws `DOMException`;
 - Removed the child from the node
 - `parentNode.removeChild(someChildNode);`
- `public Node appendChild (Node newChild)` throws `DOMException`;
 - Appends the new child to the end of the child node list of the parent node
 - `parentNode.appendChild(someChildNode);`

Node Operations (6)

- `public Node cloneNode(boolean deep)`
 - Clones the current node
 - Either makes a deep or shallow copy
- `public String getNamespaceURI();`
 - Retrieves the URI of the namespace of the current node
- `public String getPrefix();`
 - Retrieves the prefix of the node name if it is a Namespace prefix
 - Otherwise, a zero-length string is returned
- `public String setPrefix()` throws `DOMException`
 - Sets the prefix of a node name

Example Node Operations

```
// Assume that „doc“ is the current Document
Document doc = domImpl.createDocument(null, "student", docType);
// Create document
...
// Process document
Element root = doc.getDocumentElement();
Node node = root.getFirstChild();
System.out.println("The JHU telephone numbers are:");
while (node != null) {
    if (node.getNodeName().equalsIgnoreCase("phone")) {
        System.out.println("    " + node.getNodeValue() + "\n");
    }
    node = node.getNextSibling();
}
```

Element Operations

- Represent XML Elements
- **import org.w3c.dom.Element;**
- Elements are types of nodes
 - Element-specific methods mostly deal with the element name, attributes, and namespaces
 - Methods that deal with children are mostly found in Node methods because these are common to all nodes
- **public String getTagName();**
 - Gets the name of the element
- **public String getAttribute(String name)**
 - Gets the attribute value of a specific attribute

Element Operations (2)

- `public void setAttribute(String name, String value)` throws `DOMException`
 - Sets an attribute's value
- `public void removeAttribute (String name)` throws `DOMException`
 - Removes an attribute
- `public Attr getAttributeNode(String name)`
 - Gets the attribute as a node
- `public void setAttributeNode (Attr newAttr)` throws `DOMException`
 - Defines a new attribute for the element
- `public void removeAttribute (Attr oldAttr)`
 - Removes old attribute

Attribute Operations

- **Attributes** are children of Elements
- **import org.w3c.dom.Attr;**
- **public String getName()**
 - Gets the name of the Attribute
- **public String getValue()**
 - Gets the value of the Attribute
- **public void setValue(String value) throws DOMException;**
 - Sets the attribute value
- **public Element getOwnerElement()**
 - Gets the owner element.

Setting Attributes

```
// Give each phone number a unique id
int id = 0;
Element root = doc.getDocumentElement();
Node node = root.getFirstChild();
while (node != null) {
    if (node.getNodeType() == Node.ELEMENT_NODE ) {
        Element elt = (Element)node;
        if (elt.getTagName().equalsIgnoreCase("phone") {
            Attr idAttr = doc.createAttribute("id");
            idAttr.setValue(new String(++id));
            elt.setAttributeNode(idAttr);
        }
    }
    node = node.getNextSibling();
}
```

Result

```
<?xml version="1.0"?>
<?xml-stylesheet type="text/css" href="school.css"?>
<school id="0994">
  <name>Johns Hopkins University</name>
  <phone id="1">800-548-3647</phone>
  <phone id="2">410-516-8728</phone>
  <phone id="3">443-778-6231</phone>
</school>
```

Character Data Methods

- **CharacterData** is a „super“ interface for
 - **import org.w3c.dom.CharacterData;**
 - **import org.w3c.dom.CDATASection;**
 - **import org.w3c.dom.Comment;**
 - **import org.w3c.dom.Text;**
- Methods for accessing and setting data within a character data node
- **public String getData()** throws **DOMException**;
 - Gets the actual data

Character Data Methods (2)

- `public String setData(String data)` throws `DOMException`;
 - Sets the actual data
- `public int getLength()`;
 - Gets the length of the data string
- `public String substringData(int offset, int count)` throws `DOMException`;
 - Gets a subset of the data
- `public String appendData(String data)` throws `DOMException`;
 - Appends data onto the pre-existing text

Character Data Methods (3)

- `public String insertData(int offset, String data)` throws `DOMException`;
 - Inserts the data into the character string
- `public String deleteData(int offset, String data)` throws `DOMException`;
 - Deletes the data from the character string
- `public String replaceData(int offset, int count, String data)` throws `DOMException`;
 - Replaces the data in the character string

Example Character Data

// Remove the area code from the telephone number and place it as an attribute
// in the element tag

```
Element root = doc.getDocumentElement();
```

```
Node node = root.getFirstChild();
```

```
while (node != null) {
```

```
    if (node.getNodeType() == Node.ELEMENT_NODE ) {
```

```
        Element elt = (Element)node;
```

```
        if (elt.getTagName().equalsIgnoreCase("phone") {
```

```
            moveAreaCode(elt);
```

```
        }
```

```
    }
```

```
    node = node.getNextSibling();
```

```
}
```


Example Character Data (2)

```
public void moveAreaCode(Element elt) {
    Document doc = elt.getOwnerDocument();
    Text phoneNumber = (Text)elt.getFirstChild();
    if (phoneNumber.getLength() >= 3) {
        String areaCode = phoneNumber.substringData(0, 3);
        Attr idAttr = doc.createAttribute("areacode");
        idAttr.setValue(areaCode);
        elt.setAttributeNode(idAttr);
        phoneNumber.deleteData(0,4);
    }
}
```

Result

```
<?xml version="1.0"?>
<?xml-stylesheet type="text/css" href="school.css"?>
<school id="0994">
  <name>Johns Hopkins University</name>
  <phone areacode="800">548-3647</phone>
  <phone areacode="410">516-8728</phone>
  <phone areacode="443">778-6231</phone>
</school>
```

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