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Class SimpleTurtle

[java.lang.Object](#)
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[Turtle](#)

```
public class SimpleTurtle
extends Object
```

Class that represents a Logo-style turtle. The turtle starts off facing north. A turtle can have a name, has a starting x and y position, has a heading, has a width, has a height, has a visible flag, has a body color, can have a shell color, and has a pen. The turtle will not go beyond the model display or picture boundaries. You can display this turtle in either a picture or in a class that implements ModelDisplay. Copyright Georgia Institute of Technology 2004

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Constructor Summary	
SimpleTurtle (int x, int y)	Constructor that takes the x and y position for the turtle
SimpleTurtle (int x, int y, ModelDisplay display)	Constructor that takes the x and y position and the model displayer
SimpleTurtle (int x, int y, Picture picture)	Constructor that takes the x and y position and the picture to draw on
SimpleTurtle (ModelDisplay display)	Constructor that takes a model display and adds a turtle in the middle of it
SimpleTurtle (Picture picture)	Constructor that takes the picture to draw on and will appear in the middle

Method Summary	
void	backward () Method to go backward by 100 pixels
void	backward (int pixels) Method to go backward a given number of pixels
void	clearPath () Method to clear the path (history of where the turtle has been)

void	<u>drawInfoString</u> (<u>Graphics</u> g) Method to draw the information string
void	<u>drop</u> (<u>Picture</u> dropPicture) Method to draw a passed picture at the current turtle location and rotation in a picture or model display
void	<u>forward</u> () Method to move the turtle forward 100 pixels
void	<u>forward</u> (int pixels) Method to move the turtle forward the given number of pixels
<u>Color</u>	<u>getBodyColor</u> () Method to get the body color
double	<u>getDistance</u> (int x, int y) Get the distance from the passed x and y location
double	<u>getHeading</u> () Method to get the current heading
int	<u>getHeight</u> () Method to return the height of this object
<u>Color</u>	<u>getInfoColor</u> () Method to get the information color
<u>ModelDisplay</u>	<u>getModelDisplay</u> () Method to get the model display for this simple turtle
<u>String</u>	<u>getName</u> () Method to get the name of the turtle
<u>Pen</u>	<u>getPen</u> () Method to get the pen
<u>Color</u>	<u>getPenColor</u> () Method to get the pen color
int	<u>getPenWidth</u> () Method to get the pen width
<u>Picture</u>	<u>getPicture</u> () Method to get the picture for this simple turtle
<u>Color</u>	<u>getShellColor</u> () Method to get the shell color
boolean	<u>getShowInfo</u> () Method to get value of show info
int	<u>getWidth</u> () Method to return the width of this object
int	<u>getXPos</u> () Method to get the current x position
int	<u>getYPos</u> () Method to get the current y position
void	<u>hide</u> () Method to hide the turtle (stop showing it) This doesn't affect the pen status

boolean	<u>isPenDown</u> () Method to check if the pen is down
boolean	<u>isVisible</u> () Method to get the value of the visible flag
void	<u>moveTo</u> (int x, int y) Method to move to turtle to the given x and y location
void	<u>paintComponent</u> (<u>Graphics</u> g) Method to paint the turtle
void	<u>penDown</u> () Method to set the pen down
void	<u>penUp</u> () Method to lift the pen up
void	<u>setBodyColor</u> (<u>Color</u> color) Method to set the body color which will also set the pen color
void	<u>setColor</u> (<u>Color</u> color) Method to set the color of the turtle.
void	<u>setHeading</u> (double heading) Method to set the heading
void	<u>setHeight</u> (int theHeight) Method to set the height of this object
void	<u>setInfoColor</u> (<u>Color</u> color) Method to set the information color
void	<u>setModelDisplay</u> (<u>ModelDisplay</u> theModelDisplay) Method to set the model display for this simple turtle
void	<u>setName</u> (<u>String</u> theName) Method to set the name of the turtle
void	<u>setPen</u> (<u>Pen</u> thePen) Method to set the pen
void	<u>setPenColor</u> (<u>Color</u> color) Method to set the pen color
void	<u>setPenDown</u> (boolean value) Method to set the pen down boolean variable
void	<u>setPenWidth</u> (int width) Method to set the pen width
void	<u>setPicture</u> (<u>Picture</u> pict) Method to set the picture for this simple turtle
void	<u>setShellColor</u> (<u>Color</u> color) Method to set the shell color
void	<u>setShowInfo</u> (boolean value) Method to show the turtle information string
void	<u>setVisible</u> (boolean value) Method to set the visible flag

void	<u>setWidth</u> (int theWidth) Method to set the width of this object
void	<u>show</u> () Method to show the turtle (doesn't affect the pen status)
<u>String</u>	<u>toString</u> () Method to return a string with information about this turtle
void	<u>turn</u> (int degrees) Method to turn the turtle the passed degrees use negative to turn left and pos to turn right
void	<u>turnLeft</u> () Method to turn left
void	<u>turnRight</u> () Method to turn right
void	<u>turnToFace</u> (int x, int y) Method to turn towards the given x and y
void	<u>turnToFace</u> (<u>SimpleTurtle</u> turtle) Method to turn to face another simple turtle
void	<u>updateDisplay</u> () Method to update the display of this turtle and also check that the turtle is in the bounds

Methods inherited from class java.lang.[Object](#)

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Constructor Detail

SimpleTurtle

```
public SimpleTurtle(int x,
                   int y)
```

Constructor that takes the x and y position for the turtle

Parameters:

x - the x pos
y - the y pos

SimpleTurtle

```
public SimpleTurtle(int x,
                   int y,
                   ModelDisplay display)
```

Constructor that takes the x and y position and the model displayer

Parameters:

x - the x pos
y - the y pos
display - the model display

SimpleTurtle

```
public SimpleTurtle(ModelDisplay display)
```

Constructor that takes a model display and adds a turtle in the middle of it

Parameters:

display - the model display

SimpleTurtle

```
public SimpleTurtle(int x,  
                    int y,  
                    Picture picture)
```

Constructor that takes the x and y position and the picture to draw on

Parameters:

x - the x pos
y - the y pos
picture - the picture to draw on

SimpleTurtle

```
public SimpleTurtle(Picture picture)
```

Constructor that takes the picture to draw on and will appear in the middle

Parameters:

picture - the picture to draw on

Method Detail

getDistance

```
public double getDistance(int x,  
                           int y)
```

Get the distance from the passed x and y location

Parameters:

x - the x location
y - the y location

turnToFace

```
public void turnToFace(SimpleTurtle turtle)
```

Method to turn to face another simple turtle

turnToFace

```
public void turnToFace(int x,  
                        int y)
```

Method to turn towards the given x and y

Parameters:

x - the x to turn towards

y - the y to turn towards

getPicture

```
public Picture getPicture()
```

Method to get the picture for this simple turtle

Returns:

the picture for this turtle (may be null)

setPicture

```
public void setPicture(Picture pict)
```

Method to set the picture for this simple turtle

Parameters:

pict - the picture to use

getModelDisplay

```
public ModelDisplay getModelDisplay()
```

Method to get the model display for this simple turtle

Returns:

the model display if there is one else null

setModelDisplay

```
public void setModelDisplay(ModelDisplay theModelDisplay)
```

Method to set the model display for this simple turtle

Parameters:

theModelDisplay - the model display to use

getShowInfo

```
public boolean getShowInfo()
```

Method to get value of show info

Returns:

true if should show info, else false

setShowInfo

```
public void setShowInfo(boolean value)
```

Method to show the turtle information string

Parameters:

value - the value to set showInfo to

getShellColor

```
public Color getShellColor()
```

Method to get the shell color

Returns:

the shell color

setShellColor

```
public void setShellColor(Color color)
```

Method to set the shell color

Parameters:

color - the color to use

getBodyColor

```
public Color getBodyColor()
```

Method to get the body color

Returns:

the body color

setBodyColor

```
public void setBodyColor(Color color)
```

Method to set the body color which will also set the pen color

Parameters:

color - the color to use

setColor

```
public void setColor(Color color)
```

Method to set the color of the turtle. This will set the body color

Parameters:

color - the color to use

getInfoColor

```
public Color getInfoColor()
```

Method to get the information color

Returns:

the color of the information string

setInfoColor

```
public void setInfoColor(Color color)
```

Method to set the information color

Parameters:

color - the new color to use

getWidth

```
public int getWidth()
```

Method to return the width of this object

Returns:

the width in pixels

getHeight

```
public int getHeight()
```

Method to return the height of this object

Returns:

the height in pixels

setWidth

```
public void setWidth(int theWidth)
```

Method to set the width of this object

Parameters:

theWidth - in width in pixels

setHeight

```
public void setHeight(int theHeight)
```

Method to set the height of this object

Parameters:

theHeight - the height in pixels

getXPos

```
public int getXPos()
```

Method to get the current x position

Returns:

the x position (in pixels)

getYPos

```
public int getYPos()
```

Method to get the current y position

Returns:

the y position (in pixels)

getPen

```
public Pen getPen()
```

Method to get the pen

Returns:

the pen

setPen

```
public void setPen(Pen thePen)
```

Method to set the pen

Parameters:

thePen - the new pen to use

isPenDown

```
public boolean isPenDown()
```

Method to check if the pen is down

Returns:

true if down else false

setPenDown

```
public void setPenDown(boolean value)
```

Method to set the pen down boolean variable

Parameters:

value - the value to set it to

penUp

```
public void penUp()
```

Method to lift the pen up

penDown

```
public void penDown()
```

Method to set the pen down

getPenColor

```
public Color getPenColor()
```

Method to get the pen color

Returns:

the pen color

setPenColor

```
public void setPenColor(Color color)
```

Method to set the pen color

Parameters:

color - the color for the pen ink

setPenWidth

```
public void setPenWidth(int width)
```

Method to set the pen width

Parameters:

width - the width to use in pixels

getPenWidth

```
public int getPenWidth()
```

Method to get the pen width

Returns:

the width of the pen in pixels

clearPath

```
public void clearPath()
```

Method to clear the path (history of where the turtle has been)

getHeading

```
public double getHeading()
```

Method to get the current heading

Returns:

the heading in degrees

setHeading

```
public void setHeading(double heading)
```

Method to set the heading

Parameters:

heading - the new heading to use

getName

```
public String getName()
```

Method to get the name of the turtle

Returns:

the name of this turtle

setName

```
public void setName(String theName)
```

Method to set the name of the turtle

Parameters:

theName - the new name to use

isVisible

```
public boolean isVisible()
```

Method to get the value of the visible flag

Returns:

true if visible else false

hide

```
public void hide()
```

Method to hide the turtle (stop showing it) This doesn't affect the pen status

show

```
public void show()
```

Method to show the turtle (doesn't affect the pen status)

setVisible

```
public void setVisible(boolean value)
```

Method to set the visible flag

Parameters:

value - the value to set it to

updateDisplay

```
public void updateDisplay()
```

Method to update the display of this turtle and also check that the turtle is in the bounds

forward

```
public void forward()
```

Method to move the turtle forward 100 pixels

forward

```
public void forward(int pixels)
```

Method to move the turtle forward the given number of pixels

Parameters:

pixels - the number of pixels to walk forward in the heading direction

backward

```
public void backward()
```

Method to go backward by 100 pixels

backward

```
public void backward(int pixels)
```

Method to go backward a given number of pixels

Parameters:

pixels - the number of pixels to walk backward

moveTo

```
public void moveTo(int x,  
                   int y)
```

Method to move turtle to the given x and y location

Parameters:

x - the x value to move to

y - the y value to move to

turnLeft

```
public void turnLeft()
```

Method to turn left

turnRight

```
public void turnRight()
```

Method to turn right

turn

```
public void turn(int degrees)
```

Method to turn the turtle the passed degrees use negative to turn left and pos to turn right

Parameters:

degrees - the amount to turn in degrees

drop

```
public void drop(Picture dropPicture)
```

Method to draw a passed picture at the current turtle location and rotation in a picture or model display

Parameters:

dropPicture - the picture to drop

paintComponent

```
public void paintComponent(Graphics g)
```

Method to paint the turtle

Parameters:

g - the graphics context to paint on

drawInfoString

```
public void drawInfoString(Graphics g)
```

Method to draw the information string

Parameters:

g - the graphics context

toString

```
public String toString()
```

Method to return a string with information about this turtle

Overrides:

[toString](#) in class [Object](#)

Returns:

a string with information about this object

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