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## Worksheet 14

Practice Writing Classes from Scratch

Worksheet 13 had you create a class representing a single playing card, Card. This week, we are going to build on that by creating a class to represent a *deck* of playing cards, Deck. A standard card deck consists of: four suits (Hearts, Clubs, Diamonds, and Spades) of 13 cards each (1(Ace), 2-10, 11(Jack), 12(Queen), and 13(King)). We will omit the jokers.

This week: Develop a class for a deck of 52 playing cards.

- Data member: accessible only to the class, should be an ArrayList() of Card objects
- Member methods should include:
  - Constructors:
    - 1. a constructor to initialize the deck to as many card decks as the integer parameter signals. If it's zero, it creates an empty list. If it's 4, it creates an ArrayList of four standard decks with 208 cards.
    - 2. a default constructor (no parameters) which should initialize the list of cards to a standard deck (52 cards total)
  - isEmpty() indicates whether there are cards left in the deck or not
  - shuffle(seed) invokes the shuffle with the integer seed as: Collections.shuffle(deck, new Random(seed));
  - dealTop(), dealBottom() returns the "top" (at position size-1) or "bottom" (at position 0) card, if it exists, and deletes it from the deck
  - getCard(i) returns the  $i^{th}$  card from the deck, but doesn't remove it
  - add(c) to add a card to the end of the deck
  - remove(i) deletes the  $i^{th}$  card from the top of the deck
  - swap(p1, p2) exchanges the cards at positions p1 and p2 in the deck
  - size() number of cards remaining in the deck
  - toString() used to display the cards in the deck. This should utilize the quickString() method of the Card class so the resulting string won't be too long.

public class Deck{