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/** Units Converter ****
Lucy has trouble remembering things like: 1 km = 0.6 miles
She wants to make a program that pops-up conversion factors.
She wants to be able to type in a unit, like "km", and see
a list of conversions, e.g.:
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1 km = 1000 m = 0.6 miles

This requires the ability to have a pop-up box that inputs data.

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public class UnitConverter
{
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    public static void main(String[] args)
    { new UnitConverter(); }
```

void main runs first.

Then it creates new program Object.

Then the constructor runs.

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    public UnitConverter()
    {
```

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        String unit = input("Type a unit");
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Input a unit like:  
mi or km

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        if(unit.equals("km"))
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        { System.out.println("1 km = 1000 m = 0.6 miles"); }
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The if.. commands choose between 4 different units:

km

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        if(unit.equals("mi"))
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mi

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        { System.out.println("1 mi = 5280 ft = 1.6 km"); }
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ft

```
        if(unit.equals("ft"))
```

liter

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        { System.out.println("1 ft = 12 in = 30.5 cm"); }
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```
        if(unit.equals("liter"))
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        { System.out.println("1 liter = 1000 ml = 1/3 gallon"); }
```

Then it prints a different answer for each unit.  
The resulting .println commands is enclosed in { curly braces } .

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}
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    public String input(String prompt)
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    { return javax.swing.JOptionPane.showInputDialog(null,prompt); }
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}
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Standard Swing library  
dialog to input a String.