

Solutions for Section #1

Based on a handout by Eric Roberts

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/*
 * File: VoteCountingKarel.java
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 * The VoteCountingKarel subclass cleans out the chad from
 * a ballot as described in the section handout.
 */

import stanford.karel.*;

public class VoteCountingKarel extends SuperKarel {

    public void run() {
        while (frontIsClear()) {
            move();
            if (noBeepersPresent()) {
                removeChad();
            }
            move();
        }
    }

    /**
     * Removes any chad from a ballot, which consists of beepers
     * in the squares to right and left of Karel's current position.
     */
    private void removeChad() {
        turnRight();
        checkPunchCorner();
        checkPunchCorner();
        turnLeft();
    }

    /**
     * Removes any chad from the corner in front of Karel. The
     * precondition is that Karel is facing one of the corners
     * that represents a punch hole in a ballot; the postcondition
     * is that Karel is on the same square but facing in the
     * opposite direction since it has just come out of the hole.
     */
    private void checkPunchCorner() {
        move();
        while (beepersPresent()) {
            pickBeeper();
        }
        turnAround();
        move();
    }
}
```