CISC 3115 EWQ6 Exception and the Finally Clause

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Outline

- Discussed
 - Approaches to handle errors (what-if and exceptions)
 - Concept of Exception
 - The Java throwable class hierarchy
 - system errors, runtime exceptions, checked errors, unchecked errors
 - Methods of declaring, throwing, catching, and rethrowing exception
- The finally clause

The finally Clause

• The try...catch... can have a finally clause

```
try {
 statements;
catch(TheException ex) {
 handling ex;
finally {
 finalStatements;
```

Questions?

- When is the finally-block being executed?
- Can we answer this via experiments, and how?