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Principles of Programming

(Time Allowed: 75 minutes)

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1) What is the output of the following code?

```
int a = 5;
int b = 10;
int c;

c = a;
a = b;
b = c;

System.out.println(a + " " + b + " " + c);
```

(a) 10 5 10

(b) 10 5 5

(c) 5 10 10

(d) 5 10 5

(e) 10 10 5

2) What output is produced when the following code is executed?

```
int x = 9;
int y = 4;
String s = " + ";

System.out.println(x - y + s + y + y);
```

(a) 5 + 8

(b) 5 + 44

(c) 13

(d) 49

(e) None of the above

3) What output is produced when the following code is executed?

```
int a, b;
double c, d;

a = 5;
b = a + 2;
c = b + 2;
d = c + 2;

c = c / 2 * 2;
b = b / 2 * 2;

System.out.println("a: " + a + " b: " + b + " c: " + c + " d: " + d);
```

(a) a: 5 b: 7 c: 9.0 d: 11.0

(b) a: 5 b: 6 c: 9.0 d: 11

(c) a: 5 b: 6 c: 9 d: 11.0

(d) a: 5 b: 7 c: 9.0 d: 11

(e) None of the above

4) What output is produced when the following code is executed?

```
String phrase = "ORIGIN OF LIFE";

String part1 = phrase.substring(3, 6);
String part2 = phrase.substring(11);

String result = "" + part1 + part2;

System.out.println(result);
```

(a) GINIFE

(b) GIN IFE

(c) IGINFE

(d) IGINLIFE

(e) None of the above

5) What output is produced when the following code is executed?

```
String phrase = "ORIGIN OF LIFE";  
  
char c1 = phrase.charAt(phrase.length() - 1);  
char c2 = phrase.charAt(1);  
  
String result = "" + c1 + c2;  
  
System.out.println(result);
```

(a) FR

(b) ER

(c) FO

(d) EO

(e) None of the above

6) What output is produced when the following code is executed?

```
String phrase = "ORIGIN OF LIFE";  
  
int position1 = phrase.indexOf("I");  
int position2 = phrase.indexOf("Z");  
  
int sum = position1 + position2;  
  
System.out.println(sum);
```

(a) 3

(b) 10

(c) 1

(d) 2

(e) None of the above

7) Consider the following segment of code:

```
boolean a = 5 < 6;      // statement 1
int b = 5 || 6;        // statement 2
```

Given the type definitions of the variables a and b, which of the following statements is true:

- (a) statement 1 will not compile, but statement 2 will compile correctly
- (b) both statements will compile, but there will be an error if the code is executed
- (c) neither statement will compile correctly
- (d) both statements will compile correctly, and the code will execute without error

(e) statement 1 will compile, but statement 2 will not compile correctly

8) Given the following method definition:

```
private boolean myMethod(int a, int b, String c) {
    int d = 20;
    int e = a + b;

    if (e % 2 == 0 && c.length() == 2) {
        return true;
    }

    return false;
}
```

which of the following method calls will compile?

- (a) `int result = myMethod(5, 2, "HI");`
- (b) `boolean result = myMethod(5, "HI", 2);`
- (c) `boolean result = myMethod(5, 2, "HI");`
- (d) `int result = myMethod(5, 2, HI);`
- (e) None of the above

9) Which of the following outputs could not possibly have been produced by the following code?

```
String word = "TINKLE";
String word2 = word;
int position;

while (word2.equals(word)) {
    position = (int)(Math.random() * word2.length());
    word2 = word2.substring(position) + word2.substring(0,
                                                                    position);
}

System.out.println(word2);
```

(a) KLETIN

(b) TINKLE

(c) ETINKL

(d) NKLETI

(e) None of the above

10) Which of the following loops **DOES NOT** run 10 times?

Note: Only the relevant parts of the loop implementation are shown

```
(a) int i=1;
    while (i<10) {
        i = i + 1;
        ...
    }
```

```
(b) for (int i=0; i<10; i++) {
    ...
}
```

```
(c) int i=0; for (; i<10; i++) {
    ...
}
```

```
(d) int i=0;
    while (i<=9) {
        i = i + 1;
        ...
    }
```

```
(e) int i; for (i=0; i<=9; i++) {
    ...
}
```

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11) Which of the following would **NOT** be acceptable as the condition in a `for`-loop?

- (a) `(x != 10) && (y > 5)`
- (b) `x < 10`
- (c) `x > y`
- (d) `x == 10`

(e) `x = x + 1`

12) Consider the following code:

```
int i = 0;

for (i = 100; i >= 0; i--) {
    System.out.println(i);
}

System.out.println(i); // Line X
```

What is printed by the code in **Line X**?

- (a) The string "i"
- (b) The value of the variable `i` before the start of the loop
- (c) 0
- (d) Nothing, because `i` is out of scope

(e) -1

13) Consider the following string declaration and initialization:

```
String s = "long white cloud";
```

Which of the following expressions evaluates to the `String` "long cloud"?

(a) `s.substring(0,5) + s.substring(11)`

(b) `s.substring(0,4) + "cloud"`

(c) `s.substring(0,4) + s.substring(10,15)`

(d) `s.indexOf("long") + s.indexOf("cloud")`

(e) `s.substring("long") + " " + s.substring("cloud")`

14) Which of the following methods would you use to extend an array of integers by one element?

```
(a) private int[] extendArray(int[] shortArray, int newElement) {
    int[] newArray = new int[shortArray.length + 1];
    for (int i = 0; i < shortArray.length; i = i + 1) {
        newArray[i] = shortArray[i];
    }
    newArray[shortArray.length] = newElement;
    return newArray;
}
```

```
(b) private int extendArray(int[] shortArray, int newElement) {
    int[] newArray = new int[shortArray.length + 1];
    newArray = shortArray;
    newArray[shortArray.length + 1] = newElement;
    return newArray;
}
```

```
(c) private int[] extendArray(int[] shortArray, int newElement) {
    int[] newArray = new int[shortArray.length];
    for (int i = 0; i <= shortArray.length; i = i + 1) {
        newArray[i] = shortArray[i];
    }
    newArray[shortArray.length] = newElement;
    return newArray;
}
```

```
(d) private int[] extendArray(int[] shortArray, int newElement) {
    int[] newArray = new int[shortArray.length + 1];
    for (int i = 0; i <= shortArray.length; i = i + 1) {
        newArray[i] = shortArray[i];
    }
    newArray[shortArray.length + 1] = newElement;
    return newArray;
}
```

```
(e) private int[] extendArray(int[] shortArray, int newElement) {
    int[] newArray = new int[shortArray.length];
    for (int i = 0; i < shortArray.length; i = i + 1) {
        newArray[i] = shortArray[i];
    }
    newArray[shortArray.length] = newElement;
    return newArray;
}
```

15) To check whether two arrays contain the same values in the same order, you would

- (a) compare the two array variables using the equals() method
- (b) convert the arrays into strings and compare the strings with the equals() method
- (c) compare the two arrays element by element in a for-loop
- (d) compare the two array variables using the != operator
- (e) compare the two array variables using the == operator

16) What is the output of the following code?

```
int i = 10;

while (i < 20) {
    if (i % 2 == 1) {
        System.out.print("X");
    } else {
        System.out.print("O");
    }
    i = i + 2;
}
```

- (a) XOXOXOXOXO
- (b) XXXXX
- (c) XOXOX
- (d) OOOOO
- (e) OXOXOXOXOX

17) Consider the following code (notice that the values assigned to variables a and b have been removed):

```
boolean a = ???;  
boolean b = ???;  
boolean result = (!a && b) && b;
```

What values should be assigned to variables a and b such that the variable result will store the value true?

- (a) `boolean a = true;`
`boolean b = true;`
- (b) `boolean a = false;`
`boolean b = false;`
- (c) `boolean a = true;`
`boolean b = false;`
- (d) `boolean a = false;`
`boolean b = true;`
- (e) None of the above

18) What output is produced by the following code?

```
int x = 10;  
int y = 5;  
  
if (x < 10) {  
    if (y != 5) {  
        System.out.println("aaa");  
    } else {  
        System.out.println("bbb");  
    }  
} else if (y > 10) {  
    System.out.println("ccc");  
} else {  
    if (y != 5) {  
        System.out.println("ddd");  
    } else {  
        System.out.println("eee");  
    }  
}
```

- (a) ddd

(b) eee

- (c) bbb

- (d) aaa

- (e) ccc

19) What is the output when the start() method is executed?

```
public void start() {
    int result;

    result = conditionals(0, 0);
    System.out.println(result);

    result = conditionals(-2, -5);
    System.out.println(result);

    result = conditionals(4, -1);
    System.out.println(result);
}

private int conditionals(int a, int b) {
    if( a > 0 && b <= 0 ) {
        return 100;
    } else if( a > 0 || b > 0 ) {
        return 200;
    } else {
        return 300;
    }
}
```

(a) 100
200
300

(b) 300
200
100

(c) 100
300
200

(d) 200
100
300

(e) 300
300
100

20) Consider the following code which includes a conditional statement. The values assigned to the variables are missing from the code and have been replaced with **????**:

```
int a, b, c;  
  
a = ???;  
b = ???;  
c = ???;  
  
if (!(a > b || b != c)) {  
    System.out.println("success");  
}
```

Which of the following set of value assignments could be used to replace the **????** above, such that "success" would be printed out?

(a) a = 10;
b = 20;
c = 30;

(b) a = 10; b = 10; c = 10;

(c) a = 20;
b = 10;
c = 30;

(d) a = 20;
b = 10;
c = 10;

(e) a = 30;
b = 30;
c = 20;

SECTION B

Answer all questions in this section in the space provided. If you run out of space then please use the Overflow Sheet and indicate in the allotted space that you have used the Overflow Sheet. (An appendix with a simplified API is included on the last page. You may detach this appendix.)

Question 21

[13 marks]

a) Bug hunting time! The following method will not compile.

```
private int charactersLeftInStringAfter(String needle, String haystack) {
    // Compute the number of characters in haystack after
    // the end of the string given by the needle parameter:

    int needlePosition = haystack.indexOf(needle);

    if (needlePosition > -1) {
        // needle found in haystack
        return haystack.length() - needlePosition - needle.length();
    } else {
        System.out.println(needle + "not found in " + haystack);
    }
}
```

Describe why this code will not compile and clearly state what should be done to fix it.

There is no return statement in the "else" branch. However the method must return an int value.

To fix this, a return statement should be added in the "else" branch. The value -1 could be returned.

(6 marks)

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b) Complete the `addWordIfNotAlreadyInString()` method which is passed two `String` parameters. The first `String` parameter is a list of words separated by a space and the second parameter is a single word. The method returns a `String` containing all the words of the first parameter with the single word followed by a blank space added to the end of the `String`. This addition only happens if the word is not already present in the `String`.

Note: The parameter, `wordsSoFar`, always starts and ends with a blank space.

For example, the following code:

```
String words = " dog catfish hen pig ";

words = addWordIfNotAlreadyInString(words, "bird");
System.out.println("1. " + words);

words = addWordIfNotAlreadyInString(words, "cat");
System.out.println("2. " + words);

words = addWordIfNotAlreadyInString(words, "bee");
System.out.println("3. " + words);

words = addWordIfNotAlreadyInString(words, "pig");
System.out.println("4. " + words);
```

would print:

1. dog catfish hen pig bird
2. dog catfish hen pig bird cat
3. dog catfish hen pig bird cat bee
4. dog catfish hen pig bird cat bee

```
private String addWordIfNotAlreadyInString(String wordsSoFar, String word){
```

```
    int pos = wordsSoFar.indexOf(" " + word.trim() + " ");
    if (pos == -1) {
        return wordsSoFar + word.trim() + " ";
    }
    return wordsSoFar;
}
```

(7 marks)

Question 22

[16 marks]

Consider the following method named `maxOfThree()`. However, notice that the `return` statements are incomplete in this method definition.

```
private int maxOfThree(int a, int b, int c) {  
    if (a < b) {  
        if (b < c) {  
            return ??? 1 ???  
        } else {  
            return ??? 2 ???  
        }  
    } else if (a < c) {  
        return ??? 3 ???  
    } else {  
        return ??? 4 ???  
    }  
}
```

This method accepts three input values (`a`, `b` and `c`) and it should return the largest of the 3 values.

a) In the space provided below, indicate what the correct return statements should be so that this method would correctly return the largest of the input values.

```
private int maxOfThree(int a, int b, int c) {  
    if (a < b) {  
        if (b < c) {  
            return 

|   |
|---|
| c |
|---|

 ;  
        } else {  
            return 

|   |
|---|
| b |
|---|

 ;  
        }  
    } else if (a < c) {  
        return 

|   |
|---|
| c |
|---|

 ;  
    } else {  
        return 

|   |
|---|
| a |
|---|

 ;  
    }  
}
```

(6 marks)

c) Consider the following two method definitions:

```
private void changeX(int x) {  
    x = x + 1;  
}  
  
private int changeY(int y) {  
    y = y + 1;  
    return y;  
}
```

What would be produced as output when the following start() method is executed?

```
public void start() {  
  
    int a, b, x, y;  
  
    a = 1;  
    b = 2;  
    x = 3;  
    y = 4;  
  
    changeX(a);  
    changeX(x);  
  
    System.out.println("a: " + a);  
    System.out.println("x: " + x);  
  
    b = changeY(b);  
    y = changeY(y);  
  
    System.out.println("b: " + b);  
    System.out.println("y: " + y);  
  
}
```

a:	1
x:	3
b:	3
y:	5

(5 marks)

Question 23

[18 marks]

a) Complete the `getRandomLetter()` method which returns a `String`. The method returns either the `String` "A", "B", "C" or "D". Each letter has an equal chance of being returned by the method. You will need to use `Math.random()` in this question.

```
private String getRandomLetter() {
```

```
String letter1 = "A";  
String letter2 = "B";  
String letter3 = "C";  
String letter4 = "D";  
  
int n = (int) (Math.random() * 4);  
  
if (n == 0) {  
    return letter1;  
}  
if (n == 1) {  
    return letter2;  
}  
if (n == 2) {  
    return letter3;  
}  
  
return letter4;
```

```
}
```

(6 marks)

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b) Complete the `printWithBlanks()` method which is passed a `String` parameter, `word`. The method prints the word with a space between each character. For example, the following code:

```
printWithBlanks("WHOOSH");  
printWithBlanks("RATATTAT");  
printWithBlanks("ELEPHANT");
```

would print:

```
W H O O S H  
R A T A T T A T  
E L E P H A N T
```

Note: It is OK if a blank space is printed at the end of the word.

```
private void printWithBlanks(String word){
```

```
    char letter;  
  
    for(int i=0; i<word.length(); i++) {  
        letter = word.charAt(i);  
        System.out.print(letter + " ");  
    }  
  
    System.out.println();
```

```
    System.out.println();
```

```
}
```

(6 marks)

c) Complete the `isTooLong()` method which is passed a `String` parameter, `phrase`, and an `int` parameter, `numberAllowed`. The method returns `true` if the `String` parameter contains more characters than the number allowed (given by the parameter, `numberAllowed`), otherwise the method returns `false`. For example, the following code:

```
boolean result = isTooLong("GARbled", 9);  
System.out.println(result);  
System.out.println(isTooLong("WHOOPEE DO", 9));  
System.out.println(isTooLong("HAPPINESS", 9));
```

would print:

```
false  
true  
false
```

```
private boolean isTooLong(String phrase, int numberAllowed) {
```

```
    if (phrase.length() > numberAllowed) {  
        return true;  
    }  
    return false;
```

```
}
```

(6 marks)

Question 24

[13 marks]

a) Consider the following Java code:

```
String s = "I like loops";

int i = 0;
while (i < s.length()) {
    System.out.println(s.substring(i));
    i++;
}

System.out.println("I looped " + i + " times");
```

Rewrite this code using a for-loop (the first and last lines of code have already been provided for you).

```
String s = "I like loops";

int i = 0; // or just int i; if we initialize i to 0 in the for-loop
for (; i < s.length(); i++) {
    System.out.println(s.substring(i));
}

System.out.println("I looped " + i + " times");
```

(6 marks)

b) Consider the following Java method. It is passed an array `myArray` and returns an array with all the elements of `myArray` and an additional element `newElement` **at the end of the array**:

```
private int[] addElementAtEndOfArray(int[] myArray, int newElement) {  
    int[] biggerArray = new int[myArray.length + 1];  
    for (int i = 0; i < myArray.length; i++) {  
        biggerArray[i] = myArray[i];  
    }  
    biggerArray[myArray.length] = newElement;  
    return biggerArray;  
}
```

Based on the above, write a similar method that adds the new element **at the beginning of the array**, after shifting the index of all other elements by 1. Note: the parameter `myArray` will never be null.

```
private int[] addElementAtStartOfArray(int[] myArray, int newElement) {
```

```
    // Note: this is *one* possible solution:  
    int[] biggerArray = new int[myArray.length + 1];  
    for (int i = 0; i < myArray.length; i++) {  
        biggerArray[i+1] = myArray[i];  
    }  
    biggerArray[0] = newElement;  
    return biggerArray;  
  
    // Note: this is *another* possible solution:  
    int[] biggerArray = new int[myArray.length + 1];  
    biggerArray[0] = newElement;  
    for (int i = 1; i < biggerArray.length; i++) {  
        biggerArray[i] = myArray[i-1];  
    }  
    return biggerArray;
```

```
}
```

(7 marks)

Overflow page – please number answers carefully

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APPENDIX**String**

```
public int indexOf(char c)
public int indexOf(String string)
public char charAt(int index)
public String substring(int beginIndex, int endIndex)
public int length()
public boolean equals(String comparison)
```

Math

```
public static double random()
public static int max(int a, int b)
```

Integer

```
public static int parseInt(String s)
```

Loops

```
for (initialization; loop condition; increment) {
    statement(s)
}
```

```
while (expression) {
    statement(s)
}
```
