

Introduction to Computer Programming

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Minor Project-1

Problem: Given four *n-digit* positive integers, generate an *n-digit pin*. Then encrypt a message using the generated **pin**.

Description: Given four n-digit integers, i^{th} digit of **pin** generated by finding minimum of i^{th} digit of all 4 integers.

For example: Given four 6-digit integers are as follows:

1 st number:	556283
2 nd number:	698123
3 rd number:	757957
4 th number:	839685

pin: 536123

In the second part of problem, you need to encrypt a given message using the above generated **pin**. The message divided into different **blocks of size n**. In each block the characters (i^{th}) are shifted forward by **pin(i)** positions. Steps for encryption explained with the following example:

Message: **“Very difficult to break”** (Encrypt it by using pin: **536123**)

Step 1: Remove all white space characters and convert into lower-case.

v	e	r	y	d	i	f	f	i	c	u	l	t	t	o	b	r	e	a	k
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Step 2: Divide into blocks of size 6.

v	e	r	y	d	i	f	f	i	c	u	l	t	t	o	b	r	e	a	k
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Step 3: Set shifting value by repeating pin characters.

5	3	6	1	2	3	5	3	6	1	2	3	5	3	6	1	2	3	5	3
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Step 4: Shift each character by pin(i) positions:

A	H	X	Z	F	L	K	I	O	D	W	O	Y	W	U	C	T	H	F	N
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So, encrypted message is: **AHXZFLKIODWOYWUCTHFN**

You can observe that each encrypted character $E(i)$ computed as **$E(i) = M(i) + \text{pin}(i)$** , where $M(i)$ is the i^{th} character of original message. Here the operation performed in cyclic manner.

Note:

- Message should contain only alphabets and white spaces.
- Message should be considered in lower-case.
- White spaces should be removed.
- Blocks should be of size ***n***.
- Forward shifting should be cyclic.
- Encrypted message should be considered in upper-case.

Hints:

You can use the following methods from String class.

int length() :

To find length of string.

char charAt(int i) :

To get the character from index i.

String replaceAll(String sub1, String sub2):

To replace all sub-strings sub1 with sub2. This method can be used to remove all white space in the specific string. For example the following code generates the output "verydifficulttobreak".

```
String msg=" very difficult to break ";  
msg=msg.replaceAll(" ","");  
System.out.println(msg);
```

String toLowerCase():

To convert all characters to lower-case. For example the following code generates the output "very difficult to break".

```
String msg="Very Difficult To Break";  
msg=msg.toLowerCase();  
System.out.println(msg);
```

Points Distribution:

[3 Points] Input n, num1, num2, num3, num4, & message.

[5 Points] To generate **pin**.

[7 Points] To encrypt the message.

(Moreover you need to create a java file with name ***EncryptByPin.java*** and a word file ***Output.txt*** and submit both in a folder named with your registration number.)
