Aviel Resnick

4.3 Focus On

AP Comp Sci A

Exercise 3.4:

1. Describe the difference between an end-of-line comment and a multiline comment.

An end of line comment uses the // syntax, and only occupies one line. On the other hand, multi line comments use the /\* and \*/ syntax (making everything between the opening and closing a comment), and can span for multiple lines.

2. State two rules of thumb for writing appropriate comments in a program.

1. Begin your code with a comment explaining the purpose of the program.
2. Use comments to explain complicated parts of your code.