#### University Interscholastic League

#### Computer Science Competition

Number 105 (Regional - 2007)

General Directions (Please read carefully!):

- 1) DO NOT OPEN EXAM UNTIL TOLD TO DO SO.
- 2) NO CALCULATORS OF ANY KIND MAY BE USED.
- 3) There are 40 questions on this contest exam. You have 45 minutes to complete this contest. If you are in the process of actually writing an answer when the signal to stop is given, you may finish writing that answer.
- 4) Papers may not be turned in until 45 minutes have elapsed. If you finish the test before the end of the allotted time, remain at your seat and retain your paper until told to do otherwise. You may use this time to check your answers.
- 5) All answers must be written on the answer sheet/Scantron card provided. Indicate your answers in the appropriate blanks provided on the answer sheet or on the Scantron card. Clean erasures are necessary for accurate Scantron grading.
- 6) You may place as many notations as you desire anywhere on the test paper, but not on the answer sheet or Scantron card which are reserved for answers only.
- 7) You may use additional scratch paper provided by the contest director.
- 8) All questions have ONE and only ONE correct (BEST) answer. There is a penalty for all incorrect answers. All provided code segments are intended to be syntactically correct, unless otherwise stated. Ignore any typographical errors and assume any undefined variables are defined as used.
- 9) A reference to commonly used Java classes is provided at the end of the test, and you may use this reference sheet during the contest. You may detach the reference sheets from the test booklet, but DO NOT DO SO UNTIL THE CONTEST BEGINS.
- 10) Assume that any necessary import statements for standard Java 2 packages and classes (e.g. .util, System, Math, Double, etc.) are included in any programs or code segments that refer to methods from these classes and packages.

#### Scoring:

 All questions will receive 6 points if answered correctly; no points will be given or subtracted if unanswered; 2 points will be deducted for an incorrect answer.

```
QUESTION 1
   What is the sum of BC_{16} and 15_{16}?
       110100012
                                          C. 11010010<sub>2</sub> D. 11000010<sub>2</sub> E. 11010000<sub>2</sub>
                      B.
                            111100012
QUESTION 2
   What is output by the code to the right?
                                                    int x = 10;
                                                    int y = 3;
       3
                   B.
                      13
                                   C.
   A.
                                        6
                                                    int z = x % 13 + x / y;
                                                    System.out.print( z );
   D.
      3.33333
                 Ē.
                       16
QUESTION 3
                                                    int n = 20;
   What is output by the code to the right?
                                                    int total = 0;
                                                    for (int i = 1; i \le n; i++)
                                                        for(int j = 1; j \le i; j++)
                   B.
                        600
                                   C.
                                        420
       1200
   Α
                                                             for (int k = 0; k < 3; k++)
                                                                 total++;
   D.
       630
                   E.
                       10886400
                                                    System.out.print( total );
QUESTION 4
   What is output by the code to the right?
                                                    int x = 3;
                                                    int y = 13;
      10isa6
                       B. kisa6
   Α.
                                                    String s1 = "isa";
                                                    String s2 = y - x + s1 + x + x;
       10isa33
                       D. kisaf
                                                    System.out.println( s2 );
   E.
       There is no output due to a syntax error in the code.
QUESTION 5
                                                    int size = 6;
   What is output by the code to the right?
                                                    int[] st1 = {9, 16, 0, 1, 25, 4};
                                                    int[] st2 = new int[size];
       012345
   Α
                                                    for(int i = 0; i < size; i++)</pre>
                                                        st2[i] = (int)Math.sqrt(st1[i]);
   B.
       542342
                                                    int[] st3 = new int[size];
       542241
   C.
                                                    for (int i = 0; i < size; i++) {
                                                        st3[ st2[i] ]++;
   D.
      142245
                                                        st3[ st1[i] % size ]++;
   E.
       542151
                                                        st3[ st1[i] / size ]++;
                                                    for(int i : st3 )
                                                        System.out.print(i);
```

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. larskimejakeashe
- B. sralemikekajehsa
- C. lkjaaiasrmkhseee
- D. ehsaekajemiksral
- E. seeermkhaiaslkja

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#### QUESTION 7

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 29
- **B**. 32
- C. 27
- D. There is no output due to a syntax error.
- E. There is no output due to a runtime error.

```
int[] vs = {-3,-2,4,5,7,-2,-1,3,-5,-4,2};
int tot = 0;
int i = 0;
while( i < vs.length ) {
  if( (vs[i] < -1) || (vs[i] * vs[i]++ < 20))
    tot += Math.abs( vs[i] );
  else
    tot += 2;
  i++;
}
System.out.print( tot );</pre>
```

#### QUESTION 8

Assume x, y, and z are int variables. Which answer is logically equivalent to this Boolean expression?

- !(x + y < z && x \* y >= z)
- A. !(x + y < z) && !(x \* y >= z)
- B.  $x + y < z \mid \mid x * y >= z$
- C. x + y >= z | | !(x \* y >= z)
- D.  $!(x + y \ge z) | | !(x * y < z)$
- E. More than one of these.

#### QUESTION 9

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 0.77 100
- B. 77\_100
- C. 0 23
- D. 0\_100
- E. There is no output due to a syntax error.
- int x2 = 100; int y2 = 77; int z2 = y2 / x2; System.out.print( z2 + "\_" + x2 );

#### QUESTION 10

What is output by the method call ht(17, 31)?

- A. 31 17
- **B**. 0 0
- C. 17 31
- D. x y
- E. The output cannot be predicted due to overflow of the variables.

```
public static void ht(int x, int y) {
    x = x ^ y;
    y = y ^ x;
    x = y ^ x;
    System.out.print( x + "_" + y );
}
```

Which of the following statements will not cause a syntax error?

- I. Vehicle v = new Vehicle();
- II. Bike b1 = new Vehicle();
- III. Bike b2 = new MountainBike(14);
- A. I only
- B. II only
- C. III only

- D. I and III
- E. II and III

#### QUESTION 12

What is output by the following code?

MountainBike m1 = new MountainBike(10);
int w = m1.wheels();
System.out.print( m1.grs() + " " + w );

- A. myGears 2
- B. 2 10
- C. myGears\_w
- D. 2 0
- E. 10 2

#### QUESTION 13

What is output by the following code?

MountainBike m2 = new MountainBike(10);
m2.show();

- A. mountain B.
  - **B**. m2
- C. engine:

- D. 10
- E. vehicle

#### QUESTION 14

What is output by the following code?

Vehicle v1 = new MountainBike(10);
System.out.print( v1 );
int val = ((MountainBike)v1).grs();
System.out.print( val );

- A. engine:false10
- B. engine:
- C. engine:10
- D. There is no output due to a syntax error.
- E. There is no output due to a runtime error.

```
public interface Bike{
  public int wheels();
  public String toString();
public abstract class Vehicle{
  public abstract boolean humanPower();
  public void show(){
    System.out.print( type() );
  private String type(){
   return "vehicle";
  public String toString() {
    return "engine:" + !humanPower();
  }
}
public class MountainBike extends Vehicle
                            implements Bike{
  private int myGears;
  public MountainBike(int gears) {
    myGears = gears;
  public boolean humanPower() {
    return true;
  public int wheels() {
    return 2;
  public String type(){
    return "mountain";
  public int grs() {
    return myGears;
  }
}
```

What is output by the code to the right?

- **A**. 4.5
- B. 5.0
- C. 5
- D. 5.75
- E. 5.25

```
int div = 2;
double a = 5 / div + 1.5 + 7 / (div * 2);
System.out.println( a );
```

#### QUESTION 16

What is output by the method call change (11) ?

- A. 11
- B. 100
- C. 1

- D. 102
- E. 201

#### QUESTION 17

Which of the following best describes what will occur if the precondition of method change is not met?

- An IllegalArgumentException will be thrown.
- B. The method call will result in an infinite loop.
- C. A stack overflow will eventually occur.
- D. A syntax error will occur.
- E. The value of the parameter n will be printed out.

#### QUESTION 18

Which of the following best describes what method change does if the precondition is met?

- A. It prints out the value of n in base 3.
- B. It prints out the value of n in base 3, but with the digits reversed.
- C. It prints out n 1's if n is prime.
- D. It prints out all the factors of n.
- E. It prints out the first 3 multiples of n.

## QUESTION 19

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 1315, 6, 6, 7000,
- B. 1315, 6, 6, 2731, 7000,
- C. 1315, 6, 6, 7, 3,
- D. 1315, 6, 6, 2731, 7, 3,
- E. 1315,,6,,6,,7000,

```
//pre: n >= 0
public static void change(int n) {
  if( n <= 2 )
    System.out.print( n );
  else{
    change( n / 3 );
    System.out.print( n % 3 );
  }
}</pre>
```

```
String input = "1315..6..6.aab.7e3";
String[] res = input.split("\\D+");
for(String s : res)
   System.out.print( s + "," );
```

What sorting algorithm is implemented by the static methods to the right?

- A. Quick sort
- B. Selection sort
- C. Merge sort
- D. Insertion sort
- E. Heap sort

#### QUESTION 21

A sort is defined to be *stable* if equal elements in the original array maintain their relative positions in the sorted array. For example consider the following array of ints.

A stable sort ensures that in the sorted array, the 7 originally at index 1 will always be before the 7 originally at index 4. When is the sort implemented to the right stable?

- A. Never.
- B. Always.
- C. Only if the data is already sorted in ascending order.
- D. Only if the data is already sorted in descending order.
- E. It is not possible to determine if the sorting algorithm is stable or not.

#### QUESTION 22

It takes method sort 10 seconds to sort an array of 1,000,000 unique elements in random order on a given computer. What is the expected time for method sort to sort an array of 2,000,000 unique elements in random order on the same computer?

- A. 5 seconds B. 21 seconds C. 40 seconds
- D. 60 seconds E. 80 seconds

```
public static void sort(int[] data) {
  int[] temp = new int[data.length];
  sort(data, temp, 0, data.length - 1);
public static void sort(int[] data,
                  int[] temp, int i, int j){
  if(i < j){
    int m = (i + j) / 2;
    sort(data, temp, i, m);
    sort(data, temp, m + 1, j);
    int le = m;
    int tp = i;
    int ne = j - i + 1;
    while ( i <= le && m + 1 <= j) {
      if( data[i] <= data[m + 1] ) {</pre>
        temp[ tp ] = data[ i ];
        i++;
      }
      else{
        temp[tp] = data[m + 1];
        m++;
      tp++;
    }
    while ( i \le le) {
      temp[ tp ] = data[ i ];
      tp++;
      i++;
    while (m + 1 \le j) {
      temp[tp] = data[m + 1];
      tp++;
      m++;
    for (int k = 0; k < ne; k++) {
      data[ j ] = temp[ j ];
      j--;
    }
  }
```

#### QUESTION 23

What is the running time of method max for a LinkedList containing N items? Choose the most restrictive correct answer.

- A. O(1)
- B. O(N)
- C. O(NlogN)

- D.  $O(N^2)$
- E.  $O(N^3)$

```
//pre: data.size() > 0
public int max(LinkedList<Integer> data){
  int result = data.getFirst();
  for(int i = 1; i < data.size(); i++){
    int val = data.get(i);
    if( val > result )
      result = val;
  }
  return result;
}
```

Consider the Node and Structure classes to the right. What is output by the following code?

```
Structure t = new Structure();
String data = "BALLOON";
for(int i = 0; i < data.length(); i++)
   t.add( data.substring(i, i+1) );
t.show();</pre>
```

- A. ANOLB
- B BALON

E.

C. ABLON

- D. ANOOLLB
- ABLLNOO

#### QUESTION 25

What type of data structure does the Structure class implement?

- A. A binary search tree.
- B. A linked list.
- C. A min heap.
- D. A max heap.
- E. A hash table.

#### QUESTION 26

What is output by the following code?

```
Structure s = new Structure();
String data2 = "DELTABIG";
for(int i = 0; i < data2.length(); i++)
   s.add( data2.substring(i, i+1) );
System.out.print( s.ct() );</pre>
```

- **A**. 0
- B. 1
- C. 2

- **D**. 3
- E. 4

#### QUESTION 27

Which of the following best describes what method ct in class Structure returns?

- A. The number of Nodes in the Structure.
- B. The number of left and right references in the Structure that are equal to null.
- C. The number of Nodes in the Structure whose left and right references are both not null.
- D. Method ct always returns 0.
- E. The number of Nodes in the Structure whose left and right references are both null.

```
public class Node{
  public String val;
  public Node ft;
  public Node rt;
public class Structure{
  private Node n;
  public void add(String s){
    n = add(s, n);
  private Node add(String s, Node n) {
    if(n == null){
      n = new Node();
      n.val = s;
    int c = n.val.compareTo( s );
    if(c < 0)
      n.rt = add(s, n.rt);
    else if (c > 0)
      n.ft = add(s, n.ft);
    return n;
  public void show(){
    show(n);
  private void show(Node n) {
    if( n != null ) {
      show(n.ft);
      show(n.rt);
      System.out.print( n.val );
    }
  }
  public int ct() {
    return ct(n);
  private int ct(Node n) {
    int res = 0;
    if( n != null ) {
      if( n.ft == null && n.rt == null )
        res = 1;
      else
        res = ct(n.ft) + ct(n.rt);
    return res;
  }
}
```

#### QUESTION 28 public class Animal{ What replaces <\*1> in the code to the right to set the Reptile's object name field to the parameter nm? private String name; super(nm) public Animal() { B. this (nm) name = "unknown"; C. Animal(nm) super.name = nm D. public Animal(String nm) { name = nm;E. More than one of these. Assume **<\*1>** is filled in correctly. public boolean equals(Object other) { QUESTION 29 return other instanceof Animal && name.equals( ((Animal)other).name ); What is output by the following code? } Animal a = new Animal("max"); Reptile r = new Reptile("max", true); \_\_\_\_\_ System.out.print( a.equals(r) ); public class Reptile extends Animal{ System.out.print( r.equals(a) ); private boolean swims; falsefalse A. public Reptile(String nm, boolean sms) { B. falsetrue <**\*1>**; truefalse swims = sms;C. } truetrue D. E. true and then a runtime error occurs. QUESTION 30 ArrayList<Integer> list = new What is output by the code to the right? ArrayList<Integer>(); int inc = 2;for(int j = 5; j >= 0; j--){ A. 11131517 list.add( j + inc ); B. 17151311 inc += 3;C. 1115 Iterator<Integer> it = list.iterator(); while( it.hasNext() ) { 91115 D. if(it.next() > 10)E 1317 System.out.print( it.next() ); QUESTION 31 ArrayList<Integer> kd = new What is output by the code to the right? ArrayList<Integer>(); $int[] data = \{1, 4, 1, 7, 20, 2, 33\};$ for(int el : data){ 141720233 A. if( el < kd.size() )</pre> 3312 B. kd.add(el, el); else if (el < 20)C. 332072411 kd.add(el); else D. 332012147 kd.add(0, el);E. 3317 for(int el : kd)

System.out.print( el );

What is output by the following code?

```
int[] dt = {0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 10};
System.out.print( myst(dt, 1) );
```

**A**. 0

B. 1

C. -1

- D. 10
- E. There is no output due to a runtime error.

#### QUESTION 33

What is output by the following code?

A. -1

**B**. 0

C. 1

- D. 2
- E. There is no output due to a runtime error.

#### QUESTION 34

Which of the following best describes the function of method myst?

- A. Count the number of elements in lt equal to tgt.
- B. Sort the array lt.
- C. Search the array lt for tgt.
- D. Find the maximum value in the array lt.
- E. Find the minimum value in the array lt.

#### QUESTION 35

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 254434
- B. 25443
- C. ABDOR
- D. 34524
- E. There is no output due to a runtime error.

```
/* pre: list != null, list.length > 0,
   list is sorted in ascending order.
public static int myst(int[] lt, int tgt){
  int len = lt.length;
  if( tgt < lt[0] || tgt > lt[len - 1] )
    return -1;
  int pos = tqt - lt[0];
  pos *= len - 1;
  pos /= lt[len - 1] - lt[0];
  int inc = lt[pos] < tgt ? 1 : -1;
  while( pos >= 0 && pos < len &&
                            lt[pos] != tgt) {
      pos += inc;
  }
  pos = (pos == len) ? -1 : pos;
  return pos;
```

What replaces <\*1> in the code to the right so that myCon only stores ArrayLists of Strings?

- A. < ArrayList < String >>
- B. <String>
- C. <ArrayList::String>
- D. <String[]>
- E. <ArrayList>

Assume **<\*1>** is filled in correctly.

#### QUESTION 37

What is output by the following code?

```
Structure2 str = new Structure2(5);
str.add("A", 3);
str.add("B", 1);
str.add("C", 1);
str.add("D", 2);
while(!str.isEmpty())
   System.out.print(str.remove());
```

- A. ABCD
- B. DCBA
- C. BCDA
- D. CBDA
- E. There is no output due to a runtime error.

#### QUESTION 38

What is output by the following code?

```
Structure2 str2 = new Structure2(5);
str2.add("A", 10);
str2.add("B", 1);
while(!str2.isEmpty())
   System.out.print( str2.remove() );
```

- A. AB
- B. BA

C. AA

- D. BB
- E. There is no output due to a runtime error.

#### QUESTION 39

What type of data structure does the Structure2 class implement?

- A. A list.
- B. A priority queue.
- C. A stack.
- D. A hash table.
- E. A binary search tree.

```
public class Structure2{
 private ArrayList<*1> myCon;
 //pre: h > 0
 public Structure2(int h) {
   myCon = new ArrayList<*1>();
    for(int i = 0; i \le h; i++)
      myCon.add( new ArrayList<String>() );
  //pre: 0 <= val <= high()
 public void add(String s, int val){
   myCon.get(val).add(s);
 public boolean isEmpty(){
   boolean e = true;
    int i = 0;
   while ( e && i <= high() ) {
     e = myCon.get(i).size() == 0;
   return e;
  }
  // pre: !isEmpty()
 public String remove(){
    return helper(0);
  // pre: !isEmpty()
 public String get() {
    return helper(1);
 private String helper(int op){
   int i = 0;
   boolean done = false;
   String result = "";
    while( !done && i <= high() ){
      if( myCon.get(i).size() != 0 ){
        done = true;
        if(op == 0)
          result = myCon.get(i).remove(0);
        else
          result = myCon.get(i).get(0);
      }
      else
        i++;
     return result;
  }
 public int high(){
    return myCon.size() - 1;
```

## What is output by the following code?

```
Sale s1 = new Sale(5);
Sale s2;
Sale s3 = new Sale();
Sale s4 = new Sale(5, "book");
s2 = s4;
s4 = new Sale(1, "food");
System.out.println( Sale.getCount() );

A. 0
B. 4
C. 7
D. 10
E. 11
```

```
public class Sale{
 private static int count = 0;
 private int amount;
 private String item;
 public Sale() {
   this (0);
    count++;
 public Sale(int amt) {
   this (amt, "unknown");
    count++;
  }
 public Sale(int amt, String it){
   amount = amt;
   item = it;
   count++;
 public static int getCount(){
   return count;
}
```

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## Standard Classes and Interfaces — Supplemental Reference

#### class java.lang.Object

- o boolean equals(Object other)
- o String toString()
- o int hashCode()

#### interface java.lang.Comparable

o int compareTo(T other)
// return value < 0 if this is less than other
// return value = 0 if this is equal to other
// return value > 0 if this is greater than other

# class java.lang.Integer implements java.lang.Comparable

- O Integer(int value)
  // constructor
- o int intValue()
- o boolean equals(Object other)
- o String toString()
- o int compareTo(Integer anotherInteger)
  // specified by java.lang.Comparable
- o static int parseInt(String s)
  // Parses the string argument as a signed decimal integer.

# class java.lang.Double implements java.lang.Comparable

- O Double (double value)
  - // constructor
- o double doubleValue()
- o boolean equals(Object other)
- o String toString()
- o int compareTo(Double anotherDouble)
  // specified by java.lang.Comparable

# class java.lang.String implements java.lang.Comparable

- o int compareTo(String anotherString)
  // specified by java.lang.Comparable
- o boolean equals (Object other)
- o int length()
- O String substring(int from, int to)
  // returns the substring beginning at from
  // and ending at to-1
- O String substring(int from)
  //returns substring(from, length())
- o int indexOf(String s)
  // returns the index of the first occurrence of s;
- // returns -1 if not found
  o int indexOf(String str, int fromindex)
  - // Returns the index within this string of the first occurrence // of the specified substring, starting the // search at the specified index.char
- o charAt(int index)
  - // Returns the character at the specified index.

- o int indexOf(int ch)
  - // Returns the index within this string of the first occurrence // of the specified character.
- o int indexOf(int ch, int fromindex)
  - // Returns the index within this string of the first occurrence // of the specified character, starting the
  - // search at the specified index.
- O String toLowerCase()
  - // Converts all of the characters in this String to lower // case using the rules of the default locale.
- o String toUpperCase()
  - // Converts all of the characters in this String to upper // case using the rules of the default locale.
- O String[] split(String regex)
  // Splits this string around matches of the given regular
  // expression.

#### class java.lang.Character

- o static boolean isDigit(char ch)
- o static boolean isLetter(char ch)
- o static boolean isLetterOrDigit(char ch)
- o static boolean isLowerCase(char ch)
- o static boolean isUpperCase(char ch)
- o static char toUpperCase(char ch)
- o static char toLowerCase(char ch)

#### class java.lang.Math

- o static int abs(int x)
- o static double abs(double x)
- o static double pow(double base,
  - double exponent)
- o static double sqrt(double x)
- o static double ceil(double a)
- o static double floor(double a)
- o static double min(double a, double b)
- o static double max(double a, double b)
- o static int min(int a, in b)
- o static int max(int a, int b)
- o static long round(double a)

#### class java.util.Random

- o int nextInt()
- o double nextDouble()

#### interface java.util.List<E>

- o boolean add(E x)
- o int size()
- o Iterator<E> iterator()
- o ListIterator<E> listIterator()

class java.util.ArrayList<E> implements
java.util.List<E>

interface java.util.Iterator<E>

- O Methods in addition to the List methods:
- O E get(int index)
- O E set(int index, E x)

// replaces the element at index with x

- o void add(int index, E x)
  - // inserts x at position index, sliding elements
  - // at position index and higher to the right
  - // (adds 1 to their indices) and adjusts size
- O E remove(int index)
  - $/\!/\ removes\ element\ from\ position\ \verb"index",\ sliding\ elements$
  - // at position index + 1 and higher to the left
  - // (subtracts 1 from their indices) and adjusts size

## class java.util.LinkedList<E> implements java.util.List<E>

- Methods in addition to the List methods
- o void addFirst(E x)
- o void addLast(E x)
- o E getFirst()
- O E getLast()
- O E removeFirst()
- O E removeLast()

#### interface java.util.Set<E>

- o boolean add(E x)
- o boolean contains(Object x)
- o boolean remove(Object x)
- o int size()
- o Iterator<E> iterator()

# class java.util.HashSet<E> implements java.util.Set<E>

## class java.util.TreeSet<E> implements java.util.Set<E>

#### interface java.util.Map<K,V>

- O Object put(K key, V value)
- O V get(Object key)
- O boolean containsKey(Object key)
- o int size()
- o Set<K> keySet()
- o Set<Map.Entry<K, V>> entrySet()

# class java.util.HashMap<K,V> implements java.util.Map<K,V>

# class java.util.TreeMap<K,V> implements java.util.Map<K,V>

#### interface java.util.Map.Entry<K,V>

- o K getKey()
- O V getValue()
- O V setValue(V value)

- o boolean hasNext()
- o E next()
- o void remove()

# interface java.util.ListIterator<E> extends java.util.Iterator<E>

- Methods in addition to the Iterator methods
- o void add(E x)
- o void set(E x)

#### class java.lang.StringBuffer

- o StringBuffer append(char c)
- o StringBuffer append(String str)
- o StringBuffer append(StringBuffer sb)
- o int capacity()
- o char charAt(int index)
- o StringBuffer delete(int start, int end)
- o StringBuffer deleteCharAt(int index)
- o StringBuffer insert(int offset, char c)
- O StringBuffer insert(int offset, String S)
- o int length()
- o void setCharAt(int index, char ch)
- o String substring(int start)
- o String substring(int start, int end)
- o String toString()

#### class java.lang.Exception

- o Exception()
- o Exception(String message)

#### class java.util.Scanner

- o Scanner(InputStream source)
- o boolean hasNext()
- o boolean hasNextInt()
- o boolean hasNextDouble()
- o String next()
- o int nextInt()
- o double nextDouble()
- o String nextLine()
- o Scanner useDelimiter(String pattern)
  - // Sets this scanner's delimiting pattern to a pattern
    // constructed from the specified
  - // String.

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1.	A	11. C	21. B	31. D
2.	В	12. E	22. B	32. B
3.	D	13. E	23. D	33. A
4.	C	14. A	24. A	34. C
5.	C	15. A	25. A	35. B
6.	Е	16. D	26. D	36. A
7.	В	17. E	27. E	37. C
8.	C	18. A	28. A	38. E
9.	D	19. C	29. D	39. B
10.	A	20. C	30. E	40. C

## **Notes:**

- 13. E. The private method type in the Vehicle class shadows the public method also named type in the MountainBike class.
- 22. B The merge sort is O(NlogN) so when the number of elements being sorted doubles, it will take a little more than double the time to do the sorting.
- 23. D The LinkedList get method is average case O(N). N calls to an O(N) method results in  $O(N^2)$ .

The clause "Choose the most restrictive correct answer." is necessary because per the formal definition of Big O, an algorithm that is  $O(N^2)$  is also  $O(N^3)$ ,  $O(N^4)$ , and so forth.