
Lecture 3 Practice Problems

Practice – 1

1. List the 6 attributes of a variable.

2. Given the following Java code:

```
int __num__ = 10;  
double num__$ = 20.5;  
int If = 30;
```

- (a) Are the names of variables valid?
- (b) Assume names are valid (or we modify to make them valid), for each of the variables please list its (known) attributes.

3. Assume a Java **Demo** class properly defined,

```
Demo d1 = new Demo("Atlanta"); // what is the type of d1?
```

```
Demo d2 = d1; //what is the relationship of d1 and d2?
```

Practice – 2

How many variables (including anonymous ones) are defined/created by the following code?

```
String s1;  
String s2;  
s2 = new String ("hello");  
s1 = s2;
```

Practice – 3

- Based on lifetime of variables we classify variables into four categories. Please name these four categories.
- Given the following C++ code, for each of the variables please identify which category it belongs to.

```
void incrementAndPrint() {  
    static int counter = 0; // Initialized only once  
    counter++;  
    std::cout << "Counter: " << counter << std::endl;  
}
```

```
int main() {  
    for (int i = 0; i < 5; ++i) { incrementAndPrint(); }  
    return 0;  
}
```

C++: support for allocation/deallocation

```
int main() {  
    int length;  
    cin >> length;  
    int * arr;  
    arr= new int[length];    //lifetime of arr?  
    for (int i = 0; i < length; i++) {  
        arr[i] = (i + 1) * 10;}  
  
    for (int i = 0; i < length; i++) {  
        cout << arr[i] << " " << endl;  
    }  
    delete[] arr;  
    return 0;  
}
```

Java vs. C++: block scope

//C++

```
{  
    int x = 4;  
    {  
        double x = 4.5;  
        cout << x;  
    }  
    cout << x;  
}
```

Q: what will be printed out if any?

//Java

```
{  
    int x = 4;  
    {  
        double x = 4.5;  
        System.out.println(x);  
    }  
    System.out.println(x);  
}
```

Q: what will be printed out if any?

Global and Local Scope

```
//C++
```

```
int x = 10;
```

```
void func() {
```

```
    x = x + 10;    //local x or global x?
```

```
    printf("Value of x is %d\n", x);
```

```
}
```

```
int main() {
```

```
    func();
```

```
    x += 30;
```

```
    printf("Value of x is %d", x);    //value of x?
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

Scope – to be exact

```
//C++
double totalCost (double items[], int count ) {           //line1
    double margin = 20;                                   //line2
    double total = 0;                                     //line3
    for (int ct = 0; ct < count; ct++) {                  //line4
        double temp = items[ct] + margin;                //line5
        total += temp;                                   //line6
    }                                                      //line7
    double taxRate = 0.095;                               //line8
    total = total * (1 + taxRate);                        //line9
    return total;                                         //line10
}                                                         //line11
```

Q: Identify the scope of each variable defined above?

Scope – Java

```
int j;  
for (j=0; j<5; j++) {  
    System.out.println(j);  
}  
System.out.println(j);
```

//What will be printed out?

```
for (int j=0; j<5; j++) {  
    System.out.println(j);  
}  
System.out.println(j);
```

//What will be printed out?

Nested Scope

#Python

```
def outer_function():
```

```
    x = 10
```

```
        def inner_function():
```

```
            x = 20
```

```
                print("x from inner function:", x)
```

```
        inner_function()
```

```
        print("x from outer function:", x)
```

```
outer_function()
```

Nested Scope -- Python

#Python

```
def outer_function():
```

```
    x = 10
```

```
        def inner_function():
```

```
            x = x + 10
```

```
            print("x from inner function:", x)
```

```
        inner_function()
```

```
        print("x from outer function:", x)
```

```
outer_function()
```

Nested Scope – Python's nonlocal

#Python

```
def outer_function():
```

```
    x = 10
```

```
        def inner_function():
```

```
            nonlocal x
```

```
            x = x + 10
```

```
            print("x from inner function:", x)
```

```
        inner_function()
```

```
        print("x from outer function:", x)
```

```
outer_function()
```

Nested Scope – Python's global

```
x=50
```

```
def outer_function():
```

```
    x = 10
```

```
        def middle_function():
```

```
            def inner_function() :
```

```
                global x
```

```
                x += 5
```

```
                    print("x from inner function: ", x)
```

```
            inner_function()
```

```
            print("x from middle function:", x)
```

```
        middle_function()
```

```
        print("x from outer function", x)
```

```
outer_function()
```

```
print("global x", x)
```

Scope Resolution

```
x=50
```

```
def outer_function():
```

```
    x = 10
```

```
        def middle_function():
```

```
            def inner_function():
```

```
                x += 5
```

```
                    print("x from inner function: ", x)
```

```
            inner_function()
```

```
        print("x from middle function:", x)
```

```
    middle_function()
```

```
    print("x from outer function", x)
```

```
outer_function()
```

```
print("global x", x)
```

How can inner function access the x defined in the outer_function()?

Example: Static vs. Dynamic Scoping

```
function big() {  
    var x;  
    function sub1() {  
        var x = 7;  
        sub2();    //sub1 calls sub2  
        //assume call before function definition allowed  
    } //end sub1  
  
    function sub2() {  
        print(x);    //uses x  
    } //end sub2()  
  
    x = 3;  
    sub1();    //big calls sub1  
} //end big
```

big calls sub1
sub1 calls sub2
sub2 uses x

- **Static** scoping
 - Reference to x in sub2 is to big's x
- **Dynamic** scoping
 - Reference to x in sub2 is to sub1's x