

Note: This is a preliminary version of the worksheet. It is almost complete.

CSM Berkeley 61B, Spring 2015: Week 4 Solutions

1. Bit Manipulation

File: `BitManips.java`

```
public class BitManips {
```

1a. Rotate a 32-bit integer left by k bits. Assume that k is less than 32.

```
    int rotateLeft(int x, int k) {  
  
        return (x << k) | (x >> (32 - k));  
  
    }
```

1b. Check if an integer is a multiple of 4 using only the $\&$ operator and equality checks.

```
    int isMultipleOfFour(int x) {  
  
        // Think: return !(x & 0b11);  
        return !(x & 3);  
  
    }
```

1c. Check if an integer is odd using only bit shifting and equality checks.

Assume that you do not know the number of bits in your number.

```
    int isOdd(int x) {  
  
        return x != ((x >> 1) << 1);  
  
    }
```

1d. Write a one-line expression equivalent to $x * 35$ without using $*$, $/$, or $\%$.

```
    int times35(int x) {  
  
        // 35 = 32 + 2 + 1 =  $2^5 + 2^1 + 2^0$   
        return (x << 5) + (x << 2) + x;  
  
    }  
}
```

1e. What does $n \& (n - 1) == 0$ test? (Fall 2013 Final Exam)

This checks if n is a power of 2.

Why? For anything but a power of 2 minus 1, the most significant bit will stay, and so the result will be nonzero.

2. Lists

2a. SLists

Write a method that, given an SList, an int j, and an int k, return an SList with elements k, k+j, k+2*j, **Do not change the original list.**

File: `Slist.java`

```
public class SList {
    private Node head;
    public SList(Node head) {
        this.head = head;
    }

    public static SList multiples(SList list, int j, int k) {
```

```
        SList newList = new SList(null);
        Node oldNode = list.head;

        // Get the kth element
        for (int i = 0; i < k; i++) {
            if (oldNode == null) return newList;
            oldNode = oldNode.next;
        }
        newList.head = new Node(oldNode.item);
        Node newNode = newList.head;
        oldNode = oldNode.next;

        // Keep going through the list and add every j
        for (int i = 1; oldNode != null; i++) {
            if ((i % j) == 0) {
                newNode.next = new Node(oldNode.item);
                newNode = newNode.next;
            }
            oldNode = oldNode.next;
        }

        return newList;
```

```
    }

    public String toString() {
        String result = "";
        for (Node cur = head; cur != null; cur = cur.next)
            result += cur.item.toString() + " ";
        return result;
    }

    private static Node n(Object item, Node next) {
        return new Node(item, next);
    }
    private static Node n(Object item) {
        return new Node(item);
    }
}
```

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    SList l = new SList(n(0, n(1, n(2, n(3, n(4, n(5, n(6))))))));
    System.out.println(l);
    System.out.println(multiples(l, 2, 0));
    System.out.println(multiples(l, 2, 1));
    System.out.println(multiples(l, 3, 2));
}

class Node {
    Object item; Node next;
    Node(Object item, Node next) {
        this.item = item; this.next = next;
    }
    Node(Object item) {
        this(item, null);
    }
}
```

2b. Arrays

1. [2 points] Assume that a `Point`'s `toString` method returns a string containing that `Point`'s coordinates (so that `System.out.println(x)` prints `"(4, 5)"` if `x` is new `Point(4, 5)` and `"null"` if `x` is null). What is the output of the following (valid) program?

```
import java.awt.Point;
public class Foo {
    public static void bar (Point[] arr, Point p) {
        arr[1] = p;
        arr[2] = arr[1];
        p.x = 1;
        p = new Point(2,2);
        p.y = 3;
        arr[3] = p;
    }
    public static void main(String[] args){
        Point[] points = new Point[4];
        Point p = new Point(0,0);
        bar(points, p);
        System.out.println(p);
        for (int i = 0; i < points.length; i += 1) {
            System.out.println(points[i]);
        }
    }
}
```

3. Static and dynamic types review

```
List l;
if (use_linked_list) {
    l = new LinkedList();
} else {
    l = new ArrayList();
}
```

static types = the **declared** type = checked at **compile time**

We don't need to run the code to know that `l` is a `List`.

dynamic type = the **actual** type = checked at **run time**

When we run the code, depending on the situation, `l` might either be a `LinkedList` or `ArrayList`.

```
// What would Java do?
Collection c;
if (use_set) {
    c = new HashSet();
} else {
    c = new ArrayList();
}
```

```
// Example 1: works!
c.isEmpty(); // works because Collection.isEmpty() exists
c.size();    // works because Collection.size() exists
```

```
// Example 2: compile time error
c.sort();    // compile-time error: Collection.sort() doesn't exist
c.get(0);    // compile-time error: Collection.get(int) doesn't exist
```

Static types are like guarantees or agreements. The declaration `Collection c` means that `c` is guaranteed to have `Collection`'s methods, including `isEmpty()` and `size()`. Even though `ArrayList` has some additional methods like `sort()` and `get(int)`, there was no agreement that `c` would be an `ArrayList`, so you can't use these methods. Java does this to prevent you from calling methods that might not exist at runtime – for example, what if `c` happens to be a `HashSet` and you called `c.sort()`?

Java follows simple rules (think: “Java is dumb”). Even when it's clear to you that `c` here is definitely an `ArrayList`, you still have to declare it as such. That is,

```
Collection c = new ArrayList();
c.sort();
```

will still fail at compile time. This is not necessarily a bad thing! When I declare `c` to be a `Collection` here, it kind of means I'm saying “I just want a `Collection`, it'll be an `ArrayList` here but I don't want to do any `ArrayList`-specific things.”

```
// Example 3: works, but has different results
c.add(1);
c.add(1);
c.size(); // Will this equal 1 or 2?
```

Note that `Collection` has no method implementation of its own. Java knows to look at the methods for `HashSet` or `ArrayList`, depending on what the dynamic type of `c` is.

4. Static and dynamic types questions

4a. Spot the compile time errors. (There are four!)

File: `CompileTimeErrorTest.java`

```
public class CompileTimeErrorTest {
    public string howOld(age) {
//         ~~~~~ needs to be capitalized
//         ~~~~~ missing "int"
        if age <= 18 {
//             ~~~~~ missing parentheses
            return "Not very old";
        } else if (age > 21) {
            return "Really old";
        }
//         ~ missing unconditional or "else" return statement
    }
}
```

4b. Where is the runtime error?

File: `RuntimeErrorTest.java`

```
public class RuntimeErrorTest {
    private Person p;

    public RuntimeErrorTest() {
        String personName = p.getName();
        int nameLength = personName.length();
        System.out.println(nameLength);
    }

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        RuntimeErrorTest t = new RuntimeErrorTest();
    }
}

class Person {
    public String getName() {}
}
```

5. Really hard inheritance question

By the way, this is why you've always been told to never have public fields, only public methods.

File: `SpecialVariable.java`

```
class Variable {
    public int value;
    Variable(int value) {
        this.value = value;
    }
    int getValue() {
        return value;
    }
    void setValue(int value) {
        this.value = value;
    }
}

class SpecialVariable extends Variable {
    public int value;
    SpecialVariable(int value) {
        super(value);
        this.value = value;
    }

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Variable x = new SpecialVariable(1);
        SpecialVariable y = new SpecialVariable(1);

        x.value = 3;
        y.value = 3;
        System.out.println("x.value=: " + x.getValue());
        System.out.println("y.value=: " + y.getValue());

        x.setValue(4);
        y.setValue(4);
        System.out.println("x.setValue: " + x.getValue());
        System.out.println("y.setValue: " + y.getValue());
    }
}
```