

SYSC 2100 Algorithms and Data Structures  
Winter 2019  
Assignment 3: Recursion and Stacks  
Due: March 8th, 2019

**Name your classes and methods strictly as specified (case sensitive).**

1. Design a class named `LanguageRecognizerG` to implement a language recognizer. The `LanguageRecognizerG` class **must** accept strings from the user, and determine recursively (method **`recursiveRecogG`**) whether the string is a word of the *G* language.

The *G* language has the following grammar:

$\langle G \rangle = \text{empty string} \mid \langle E \rangle \mid \langle V \rangle \langle E \rangle \mid \langle E \rangle \langle G \rangle \langle V \rangle$

$\langle E \rangle = \& \mid \#$

$\langle V \rangle = W \mid A$

The client program (exterior to your class) will read the word from the keyboard as follows:

**Enter the G-language word to check:**

Suppose that the user enters the word:

**###**

The client program will then proceed to create an object of your class with the user-entered word and check with one simple call of a method. The client program **should not** implement any result printing at all. That is the responsibility of your class via its methods. **A client program is provided on Page 4. Feel free to use it for your tests!**

The output should appear as follows:

**Recursion: Word “###” is NOT a word of the G language**

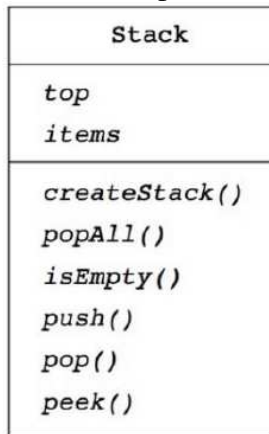
If the entered word is **#A** instead, the output would be:

**Recursion: Word “#A” IS a word of the G language**

**CAUTION:** If you take care of the printing inside **`recursiveRecogG`** you will run into a *multiple printing* problem. To eliminate this, have a second method **`recursivePrintG`** that takes care of the printing for recursion. That is the only method that the client program will call for the language check. It then becomes the job of **`recursivePrintG`** to make use of **`recursiveRecogG`**.

**Bonus Question (no marks):** Try solving the same problem as above non-recursively using the Java Collections Framework class *Stack* (method **`stackRecogG`**).

2. Implement your own ADT-list-based stack class named **StackListBased**. Use the ADT *LinkedList* of the Java Collections Framework. Your Stack implementation should be capable of performing the operations shown in the following UML diagram.



Design another class named **InfixCalculator** to implement an infix calculator using your previously implemented class **StackListBased**. The **InfixCalculator** class **must** accept infix expressions from the user and evaluate them with method **evaluateInfix**. This method will first convert the infix expression to postfix expression (method **convertPostfix**), and then evaluate the resulting postfix expression (method **getPostfix**). Use only the operators +, -, \*, and /. You can assume that the infix expression is syntactically correct and that the unary operators are illegal. However, the infix expression should

- allow for any type of spacing between operands, operators, and parentheses
- allow for multi-digit integer operands

The client program (exterior to your class) will read the infix expression to evaluate from the keyboard as follows:

**Enter the infix expression to evaluate:**

Suppose that the user enters the expression:

**(10 + 3 \* 4 / 6)**

The client program will then proceed to create an object of your class with the user-entered expression and evaluate it the method `evaluateInfix()`.

The output for some example infix operations should appear as follows:

```
infix: (10 + 3 * 4 / 6)
postfix: 10 3 4 * 6 / +
result: 12
```

```
infix: 12*3 - 4 + (18 / 6)
postfix: 12 3 * 4 - 18 6 / +
result: 35
```

```
infix: 35 - 42* 17 /2 + 10
postfix: 35 42 17 * 2 / - 10 +
result: -312
```

```
infix: 3 * (4 + 5)
postfix: 3 4 5 + *
result: 27
```

```
infix: 3 * ( 17 - (5+2))/(2+3)
postfix: 3 17 5 2 + - * 2 3 + /
result: 6
```

**Submission Requirements:** Submit your assignment (3 source files: **LanguageRecognizerG.java**, **StackListBased.java**, and **InfixCalculator.java**) using **cuLearn**. Your program should compile and run as is in the default lab environment, and the code should be well documented. Submit all the files individually **without using any archive or compression**.

Marks will be based on:

- Completeness of your submission
- Correct solution to the problem
- Following good coding style
- Sufficient and high-quality in-line comments
- Adhering to the submission requirements (in particular the naming convention and the submission of uncompressed source files only)

The due date is based on the time of the **cuLearn** server and will be strictly enforced. If you are concerned about missing the deadline, here is a tip: multiple submissions are allowed. So you can always submit a (partial) solution early, and resubmit an improved solution later. This way, you will reduce the risk of running late, for whatever reason (slow computers/networks, unsynchronized clocks, failure of the Internet connection at home, etc.).

In **cuLearn**, you can manage the submission until the deadline, taking it back, deleting/adding files, etc, and resubmitting it. The system also provides online feedback whether you submitted something for an assignment. It may take a while to learn the submission process, so I would encourage you to experiment with it early and contact the TA(s) in case you have problems, as only assignments properly and timely submitted using **cuLearn** will be marked and will earn you assignment credits.

## The Client Program:

```
package assignment3;
import java.io.*;

public class Assignment3 {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        BufferedReader keyboardReader = new BufferedReader(new InputStreamReader
(System.in));
        String input = new String();
        // read in substring pattern, catching any exceptions
        try {
            while (true) {
                System.out.print("Enter the G-language word to check: ");
                input = keyboardReader.readLine();
                break;
            }
        } catch (IOException e) {
            System.out.println(e);
        }
        LanguageRecognizerG w1 = new LanguageRecognizerG(input);
        w1.recursivePrintG();

        // read in infix expression, catching any exceptions
        try {
            while (true) {
                System.out.print("Enter the infix expression to evaluate: ");
                input = keyboardReader.readLine();
                break;
            }
        } catch (IOException e) {
            System.out.println(e);
        }

        InfixCalculator w2 = new InfixCalculator(input);
        w2.evaluateInfix();
    }
}
```