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## Programming I (COM 116), Structural Programming (COM-118)

# Sample Final Examination

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- You have one hour and fifteen minutes to finish the test.
- Circle one or multiple correct answers.
- In questions with multiple correct answers you have to select every single one to get a point.
- You can cross answers selected by a mistake.
- You can use the back of the sheets of paper to make notes or to trace code.
- Note that *public/private* and *static* modifiers in many code samples were removed to save space.
- All questions are from the official guide to the book, but the final questions will be written by us.

1. How should a correct entry point of a Java program look like?
- `public static void main(String[] args)`
  - `public static void Main(string[] args)`
  - `public void main(String[] args)`
  - `public static int main(String[] args)`

2. Which of the following are valid Java comments?
- `// This will compile`
  - `/* This will compile */`
  - `/* /* This will compile */ /*`
  - `/** This /// will compile */`

3. According to Java naming convention, which of the following names can be variables?
- `AbstractFactoryObserver`
  - `Converter`
  - `depth`
  - `PI`
  - `MAX_SCALE`

4. Which of the following is a constant, according to Java naming conventions?
- `MaxTemperature`
  - `PI`
  - `TORQUE`

5. The expression  $2 + 6 * 12 / (5 - 4 * (7 - 3))$  is evaluated to
- 18
  - 18.5
  - 4
  - 4.(54)

6. How many times is the `println` statement executed?

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

- 5
- 10
- 15
- 25

7. Suppose your method does not return any value, which of the following keywords can be used as a return type?

- `void`
- `null`
- `int`
- `double`

8. Arguments to methods always appear within [ ].

- brackets
- quotation marks
- parentheses
- curly braces

9. Each time a method is invoked, the system stores parameters and local variables in an area of memory, known as [ ], which stores elements in last-in first-out fashion.

- a heap
- a stack
- a single-dimensional array
- a multidimensional array

10. Does the method call in the following method cause compile errors?

```
public static void pow(int a, int b) {
    Math.pow(a, b);
}
```

- Yes
- No, and the method is useful
- No, but the method is pointless

11. You should fill in the blank in the following code with [ ].

```
void main(String[] args) {
    System.out.print(
        "The grade is " +
        getGrade(92.5)
    );
    System.out.print(
        "\nThe grade is " +
        getGrade(56.2)
    );
}

[ ] getGrade(double score) {
    if (score >= 90.0) {
        return 'A';
    } else if (score >= 80.0) {
        return 'B';
    } else if (score >= 70.0) {
        return 'C';
    } else if (score >= 60.0) {
        return 'D';
    } else {
        return 'F';
    }
}
```

- `void`
- `boolean`
- `char`
- `int`
- `double`

12. Which of the following should be defined as a `void` method?

- Write a method that checks whether some value is an integer from 1 to 100.
- Write a method that prints integers from 1 to 100.
- Write a method that returns a random integer from 1 to 100.
- Write a method that converts an uppercase letter to lowercase.

13. When you invoke a method with a parameter, the value of the argument is passed to the parameter. This is referred to as [ ].

- pass by value
- pass by reference
- pass by name
- method invocation

14. A variable defined inside a method is referred to as [ ].

- a local variable

b) a global variable

15. Given the following method

```
void print(String m, int n) {
    while (n > 0) {
        System.out.print(m);
        n--;
    }
}
```

What is  $k$  after invoking the method?

```
int k = 2;
print("hi ", k);
```

- a) 4
- b) 3
- c) 2
- d) 1

16. Analyze the following code

```
void main(String[] args) {
    System.out.println(max(1, 2));
}

double max(int a, double b) {
    System.out.println(
        "max(int, double) is invoked"
    );

    if (a > b) {
        return a;
    } else {
        return b;
    }
}

double max(double a, int b) {
    System.out.println(
        "max(double, int) is invoked"
    );

    if (a > b) {
        return a;
    } else {
        return b;
    }
}
```

- a) The program cannot compile because the compiler cannot determine which *max* method should be invoked.
- b) The program runs and prints 2 followed by "max(int, double)" is invoked.
- c) The program cannot compile because you cannot have the *print* statement in a *non-void* method.
- d) The program runs and prints "max(int, double) is invoked" followed by 2.
- e) The program runs and prints 2 followed by "max(double, int)" is invoked.

17. Analyze the following code

```
void main(String[] args) {
    System.out.println(m(2));
}

int m(int a) {
    return a;
}

void m(int b) {
    System.out.println(b);
}
```

- a) The program has a compile error because the second *m* method is defined, but not invoked in the main method.
- b) The program has a compile error because the two methods *m* have the same signature.
- c) The program runs and prints 2 once.
- d) The program runs and prints 2 twice.

18. What is the representation of the third element in an array called *a*?

- a) *a[2]*
- b) *a[3]*
- c) *a[4]*
- d) *a(2)*
- e) *a(3)*
- f) *a(4)*

19. If you declare an array *double[] list = { 4.2, 3.5, 2.1, 8.32 };*, *list[2]* is [ ].

- a) 4.2
- b) 3.5
- c) 2.1
- d) 8.32

20. Which of the following are incorrect?

- a) *int[] a = new int(5);*
- b) *int a() = new int[5];*
- c) *int[] a = new int[5];*
- d) *int a[] = new int[5];*

21. If you declare an array *double[] list = { 5.4, 7.2, 8.54, 2.36, 3.43 };*, the highest index in the array is [ ]?

- a) 5
- b) 4
- c) 3
- d) 2
- e) 1
- f) 0

22. How many elements are in the array *double[] list = new double[7];*?

- a) 8
- b) 7
- c) 6
- d) 1
- e) 0

23. Analyze the following code.

```
int[] x = new int[3];
System.out.println("x[0] is " + x[0]);
```

- a) The program has a compile error because the size of the array wasn't specified when declaring the array.
- b) The program has a runtime error because the array elements are not initialized.
- c) The program has a runtime error because the array element *x[0]* is not defined.
- d) The program runs fine and displays *x[0]* is 0.

24. Which of the following statements are valid?

- a) *int a = new int(30);*
- b) *double b[] = new double[30];*
- c) *char[] c = new char();*
- d) *int[] d = { 3, 4, 3, 2 };*
- e) *char[] e = new char[4] { 'a', 'b', 'c', 'd' };*

25. Assume *int[] d = { 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 }.* What is *d.length*?

- a) 8
- b) 7
- c) 6

- d) 1
- e) 0

26. What is the output of the following code?

```
double[] numbers = {
    1, 5, 5, 5, 5, 1
};

double max = numbers[0];
int indexOfMax = 0;

for (
    int i = 1;
    i < numbers.length;
    i++
) {
    if (numbers[i] > max) {
        max = numbers[i];
        indexOfMax = i;
    }
}

System.out.println(indexOfMax);
```

- a) 4
- b) 3
- c) 2
- d) 1
- e) 0

27. Analyze the following code

```
int[] x = new int[5];

int i;
for (i = 0; i < x.length; i++) {
    x[i] = i;
}

System.out.println(x[i]);
```

- a) The program has a runtime error because the last statement in the main method causes *ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException*.
- b) The program has a compile error because *i* is not defined in the last statement.
- c) The program displays 4
- d) The program displays 0 1 2 3 4.

28. Analyze the following code

```
double[] values = { 1.2, 3.5, 4.23 };

for (double value : values) {
    System.out.print(value + " ");
}
```

- a) The program displays 1.2 3.5 4.23
- b) The program displays 1 3 4
- c) The program displays 1.2, 3.5, 4.23
- d) The program has a syntax error because *value* is undefined.

29. What is the output of the following code?

```
int[] list = { 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 };

for (
    int i = list.length - 2;
    i >= 0;
    i--
) {
    list[i + 1] = list[i];
}

for (int e: list) {
    System.out.print(e + " ");
}
```

- a) 1 2 3 4 5 6
- b) 6 2 3 4 5 1
- c) 6 1 2 3 4 5
- d) 2 3 4 5 6 1
- e) 1 1 2 3 4 5

30. What is the output of the following code

```
int[] x = { 14, 15, 016 };
for (int i = 0; i < x.length; i++) {
    System.out.print(x[i] + " ");
}
```

- a) 14 15 14  
b) 14 15 16  
c) 14 15 20  
d) 016 is a compile error. It should be written as 16.
31. What is the output of the following code?
- ```
int list[] = { 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 };

for (int i = 1; i < list.length; i++) {
    list[i] = list[i - 1];
}

for (int i = 0; i < list.length; i++) {
    System.out.print(list[i] + " ");
}
```
- a) 1 1 1 1 1 1  
b) 1 2 3 4 5 6  
c) 2 3 4 5 6 6  
d) 2 3 4 5 6 1
32. When you pass an array to a method, the method actually receives [ ].
- a) a copy of the array  
b) a copy of the first element  
c) the length of the array  
d) the reference of the array
33. When you return an array from a method, the method actually returns [ ].
- a) a copy of the array  
b) a copy of the first element  
c) the length of the array  
d) the reference of the array
34. What will be displayed by the following code?
- ```
void main(String[] args) {
    int[] list = { 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 };

    reverse(list);

    for (
        int i = 0;
        i < list.length;
        i++
    ) {
        System.out.print(
            list[i] + " "
        );
    }
}

void reverse(int[] list) {
    int[] newList =
        new int[list.length];

    for (
        int i = 0;
        i < list.length;
        i++
    ) {
        newList[i] =
            list[list.length - 1 - i];
    }

    list = newList;
}
```
- a) The program displays 5 4 3 2 1.  
b) The program displays 5 4 3 2 1 and then raises an *ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException*.  
c) The program displays 1 2 3 4 5.  
d) The program displays 1 2 3 4 5 and then raises an *ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException*.
35. The JVM stores the array in an area of memory, called [ ], which is used for dynamic memory allocation where blocks of memory are allocated and freed in an arbitrary order.
- a) registers
- b) stack  
c) heap  
d) cache
36. What will be displayed by the following code?
- ```
int[] list1 = { 1, 2, 3 };
int[] list2 = { 1, 2, 3 };

list2 = list1;
list1[0] = 0;
list1[1] = 1;
list2[2] = 2;

for (
    int i = 0;
    i < list1.length;
    i++
) {
    System.out.print(
        list1[i] + " "
    );
}
```
- a) 0 1 2  
b) 0 1 3  
c) 1 2 3  
d) 1 1 1
37. Analyze the following code
- ```
int[] a = new int[4];

a[1] = 1;
a = new int[2];

System.out.println(
    "a[1] is " + a[1]
);
```
- a) The program displays *a[1]* is 1.  
b) The program displays *a[1]* is 0.  
c) The program has a compile error because *new int[2]* is assigned to *a*.  
d) The program has a runtime error because *a[1]* is not initialized.
38. Suppose a method *p* has the following heading: *public static int[] p()*. What return statement may be used in *p()*?
- a) *return int[] { 1, 2, 3 };*  
b) *return new int[] { 1, 2, 3 };*  
c) *return { 1, 2, 3 };*  
d) *return 0;*
39. Which of the following statements is correct?
- a) *char[][] characters = { 'a', 'b' };*  
b) *char[2][2] characters = { { 'a', 'b' }, { 'c', 'd' } };*  
c) *char[2][] characters = { { 'a', 'b' }, { 'c', 'd' } };*  
d) *char[][] characters = { { 'a', 'b' }, { 'c', 'd' } };*
40. Assume *double[][] x = new double[4][5]*, what are *x.length* and *x[2].length*?
- a) 5 and 4  
b) 5 and 5  
c) 4 and 4  
d) 4 and 5
41. What is the indexed variable for the element at the first row and first column in some array *a*?
- a) *a[0][1]*  
b) *a[1][0]*  
c) *a[0][0]*  
d) *a[1][1]*
42. When you create an array using the following statement, the element values are automatically initialized to 0.
- ```
int[][] matrix = new int[5][5];
```
- a) True  
b) False
43. How many elements are there in array *matrix*?
- ```
int[][] matrix = new int[5][5]
```
- a) 16  
b) 25  
c) 30  
d) 36
44. Analyze the following code
- ```
boolean[][] x = new boolean[3][];
x[0] = new boolean[1];
x[1] = new boolean[2];
x[2] = new boolean[3];

System.out.println(
    "x[2][2] is " + x[2][2]
);
```
- a) The program has a compile error because *new boolean[3][]* is wrong.  
b) The program has a runtime error because *x[2][2]* is *null*.  
c) The program runs and displays *x[2][2]* is *null*.  
d) The program runs and displays *x[2][2]* is *false*.  
e) The program runs and displays *x[2][2]* is *true*.
45. What will be displayed by the following program?
- ```
int[][] values = {
    { 1, 7, 9, 15 },
    { 3, 5, 11, 13 }
};

int m = values[0][0];
for (
    int i = 0;
    i < values.length;
    i++
) {
    for (
        int j = 0;
        j < values[i].length;
        j++
    ) {
        if (m < values[i][j]) {
            m = values[i][j];
        }
    }
}

System.out.print(m);
```
- a) 15  
b) 3  
c) 13  
d) 1
46. What will be displayed by the following program?
- ```
int[][] values = {
    { 1, 7, 9, 15 },
    { 3, 5, 11, 13 }
};

int m = values[0][0];
for (int[] list : values) {
    for (int element : list) {
        if (m > element) {
            m = element;
        }
    }
}

System.out.print(m);
```
- a) 15  
b) 3  
c) 13  
d) 1