



EXAMS

EXAM PRACTICE QUESTIONS – PART 1

THIS REVIEW PAGE DOES NOT IMPLY THAT THE ACTUAL MIDTERM QUESTIONS WILL BE OF THE SAME FORMAT.

1.
 - (a) $n + (1+2+\dots+n) = n + n(n+1)/2$
 - (b) $O(n^2)$
2.
 - (a) $10 * 16N/N = 160 \text{ min}$
 - (b) $10 * (16N)^2/N^2 = 2560 \text{ min}$
 - (c) $10 * (16N \log 16N)/N \log N = 160 * \log 16N / \log N \text{ min}$
(depends on what N initially was)
3.
 - (a) head
 - (b) head == null || head.getLink() == null
 - (c) head.getData()
 - (d) nodePtr.getLink() != null
 - (e) nodePtr.getLink().getData()
 - (f) nodePtr.getLink()
 - (g) temp
4.
 - (a) nodePtr == null (or maxPtr == null)
 - (b) throw new EmptyListException("error message")
 - (c) nodePtr.getLink() != head
 - (d) nodePtr.getLink()
 - (e) nodePtr.getData() > maxPtr.getData()
 - (f) head.getData()
 - (g) maxPtr.getData()
 - (h) temp
5. (not counting the "head" variable in this case)

(a) List: $180 * 8 = 1440 \text{ bytes}$	Array: 800 bytes	Array is better
(b) List: $20 * 8 = 160 \text{ bytes}$	Array: 800 bytes	List is better
(c) $n * 8 = 800$, so $n=100$		
6.
 - (a) 7 5 3 1
 - (b) 7 4 1 2 5

7.

OPERATOR STACK	POSTFIX EXPRESSION
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8.

- (a) OK, since the type `Location` is widened to `Object`, its parent class, automatically in Java
- (b) NO, the data type returned will be of type `Object`, which must be narrowed to `Location` before it is stored in "a". This can be done using typecasting.

9.

(a)

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public boolean remove(int item) {
    IntNode cursor;
    if (head == null) return (false);
    else if (head == tail) { // 1 node list
        if (head.getData() == item) {
            head = null;
            tail = null;
            return (true);
        }
        else return (false);
    }
    else { // 2 or more nodes in list
        if (head.getData() == item) {
            head = head.getLink();
            return (true);
        }
        cursor = head;
        while (cursor.getLink() != null) {
            if (cursor.getLink().getData() == item) {
                cursor.setLink(cursor.getLink().getLink());
                if (cursor.getLink() == null)
                    tail = cursor;
                return (true);
            }
            else if (cursor.getLink().getData() < item)
                return (false); // can't be there
            else
                cursor = cursor.getLink();
        }
        return (false); // not found in entire list
    }
}

public int maximum() throws Exception {
    if (head == null) throw new Exception("list is empty");
    else return (head.getData());
}

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10.

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public int evaluate(String postfix) throws DivisionByZeroException {

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int length = postfix.length();
char ch;
int index, value;
int operand1, operand2;
IntStack S = new IntStack();

for (index = 0; index < length; index++) {
    ch = postfix.charAt(index);
    if (Character.isDigit(ch)) {
        value = (int) ch - (int) '0';
        S.push(value);
    }
    else {
        operand2 = S.pop();
        operand1 = S.pop();
        if (ch == '+')
            S.push(operand1 + operand2);
        else if (ch == '-')
            S.push(operand1 - operand2);
        else if (ch == '*')
            S.push(operand1 * operand2);
        else if (ch == '/') {
            if (operand2 == 0) throw new
                DivisionByZeroException("err msg");
            S.push(operand1 / operand2);
        }
    }
}
return S.pop();
}
```