AP COMPUTER SCIENCE A

Scoring Guidelines

Question 1: Methods and Control Structures

This question involves the use of *check digits,* which can be used to help detect if an error has occurred when a number is entered or transmitted electronically. An algorithm for computing a check digit, based on the digits of a number, is provided in part (a).

The `CheckDigit` class is shown below. You will write two methods of the `CheckDigit` class.

```
public class CheckDigit
{
    /** Returns the check digit for num, as described in part (a).
     *  Precondition: The number of digits in num is between one and
     *  six, inclusive.
     *            num >= 0
     */
     public static int getCheck(int num)
     {
         /* to be implemented in part (a) */
     }

    /** Returns true if numWithCheckDigit is valid, or false
     *  otherwise, as described in part (b).
     *  Precondition: The number of digits in numWithCheckDigit
     *  is between two and seven, inclusive.
     *              numWithCheckDigit >= 0
     */
    public static boolean isValid(int numWithCheckDigit)
    {
      /* to be implemented in part (b) */
    }

    /** Returns the number of digits in num. */
    public static int getNumberOfDigits(int num)
    {
      /* implementation not shown */
    }

    /** Returns the nthdigit of num.
     *  Precondition: n >= 1 and n <= the number of digits in num
     */
    public static int getDigit(int num, int n)
    {
      /* implementation not shown */
    }

    // There may be instance variables, constructors, and methods not shown.
}
```

(a) Complete the `getCheck` method, which computes the check digit for a number according to the following rules.

- Multiply the first digit by 7, the second digit (if one exists) by 6, the third digit (if one exists) by 5, and so on. The length of the method's `int` parameter is at most six; therefore, the last digit of a six-digit number will be multiplied by 2.
- Add the products calculated in the previous step.
- Extract the check digit, which is the rightmost digit of the sum calculated in the previous step.

The following are examples of the check-digit calculation.

Example 1, where num has the value 283415

- The sum to calculate is $(2 \times 7) + (8 \times 6) + (3 \times 5) + (4 \times 4) + (1 \times 3) + (5 \times 2) = 14 + 48 + 15 + 16 + 3 + 10 = 106$.
- The check digit is the rightmost digit of 106, or 6, and `getCheck` returns the integer value `6`.

Example 2, where num has the value 2183

- The sum to calculate is $(2 \times 7) + (1 \times 6) + (8 \times 5) + (3 \times 4) = 14 + 6 + 40 + 12 = 72$.
- The check digit is the rightmost digit of 72, or 2, and `getCheck` returns the integer value `2`.

Two helper methods, `getNumberOfDigits` and `getDigit`, have been provided.

- `getNumberOfDigits` returns the number of digits in its `int` parameter.
- `getDigit` returns the nth digit of its `int` parameter.

The following are examples of the use of `getNumberOfDigits` and `getDigit`.

Method Call	Return Value	Explanation
`getNumberOfDigits(283415)`	6	The number `283415` has 6 digits.
`getDigit(283415, 1)`	2	The first digit of `283415` is `2`.
`getDigit(283415, 5)`	1	The fifth digit of `283415` is `1`.

Complete the `getCheck` method below. You must use `getNumberOfDigits` and `getDigit` appropriately to receive full credit.

```
/** Returns the check digit for num, as described in part (a).
 *  Precondition: The number of digits in num is between one and six,
 *  inclusive.
 *              num >= 0
 */
public static int getCheck(int num)
```

(b) Write the `isValid` method. The method returns `true` if its parameter `numWithCheckDigit`, which represents a number containing a check digit, is valid, and `false` otherwise. The check digit is always the rightmost digit of `numWithCheckDigit`.

The following table shows some examples of the use of `isValid`.

Method Call	Return Value	Explanation
`getCheck(159)`	`2`	The check digit for `159` is `2`.
`isValid(1592)`	`true`	The number `1592` is a valid combination of a number (`159`) and its check digit (`2`).
`isValid(1593)`	`false`	The number `1593` is not a valid combination of a number (`159`) and its check digit (`3`) because `2` is the check digit for `159`.

Complete method `isValid` below. Assume that `getCheck` works as specified, regardless of what you wrote in part (a). You must use `getCheck` appropriately to receive full credit.

```
/** Returns true if numWithCheckDigit is valid, or false
 *  otherwise, as described in part (b).
 *  Precondition: The number of digits in numWithCheckDigit is
 *  between two and seven, inclusive.
 *                  numWithCheckDigit >= 0
 */
public static boolean isValid(int numWithCheckDigit)
```

Applying the Scoring Criteria

Apply the question scoring criteria first, which always takes precedence. Penalty points can only be deducted in a part of the question that has earned credit via the question rubric. No part of a question (a, b, c) may have a negative point total. A given penalty can be assessed only once for a question, even if it occurs multiple times or in multiple parts of that question. A maximum of 3 penalty points may be assessed per question.

1-Point Penalty

v) Array/collection access confusion `([] get)`

w) Extraneous code that causes side-effect (e.g., printing to output, incorrect precondition check)

x) Local variables used but none declared

y) Destruction of persistent data (e.g., changing value referenced by parameter)

z) Void method or constructor that returns a value

No Penalty

- Extraneous code with no side-effect (e.g., valid precondition check, no-op)
- Spelling/case discrepancies where there is no ambiguity*
- Local variable not declared provided other variables are declared in some part
- `private` or `public` qualifier on a local variable
- Missing `public` qualifier on class or constructor header
- Keyword used as an identifier
- Common mathematical symbols used for operators (× • ÷ < > <> ≠)
- `[]` vs. `()` vs. `<>`
- = instead of == and vice versa
- `length/size` confusion for array, String, List, or ArrayList; with or without ()
- Extraneous `[]` when referencing entire array
- `[i,j]` instead of `[i][j]`
- Extraneous size in array declaration, e.g., `int[size] nums = new int[size];`
- Missing ; where structure clearly conveys intent
- Missing `{ }` where indentation clearly conveys intent
- Missing `( )` on parameter-less method or constructor invocations
- Missing `( )` around `if` or `while` conditions

Spelling and case discrepancies for identifiers fall under the "No Penalty" category only if the correction can be* **unambiguously *inferred from context, for example, "ArayList" instead of "ArrayList". As a counterexample, note that if the code declares "`int G = 99, g = 0;`", then uses "`while (G < 10)`" instead of "`while (g < 10)`", the context does* **not** *allow for the reader to assume the use of the lower case variable.*

Question 3: Array/ArrayList

The Gizmo class represents gadgets that people purchase. Some Gizmo objects are electronic and others are not. A partial definition of the Gizmo class is shown below.

```
public class Gizmo
{
   /** Returns the name of the manufacturer of this Gizmo. */
   public String getMaker()
   {
      /* implementation not shown */
   }

   /** Returns true if this Gizmo is electronic, and false
    *  otherwise.
    */
   public boolean isElectronic()
   {
      /* implementation not shown */
   }

   /** Returns true if this Gizmo is equivalent to the Gizmo
    *  object represented by the
    *  parameter, and false otherwise.
    */
   public boolean equals(Object other)
   {
      /* implementation not shown */
   }

   // There may be instance variables, constructors, and methods not shown.
}
```

The OnlinePurchaseManager class manages a sequence of Gizmo objects that an individual has purchased from an online vendor. You will write two methods of the OnlinePurchaseManager class. A partial definition of the OnlinePurchaseManager class is shown below.

```
public class OnlinePurchaseManager
{
   /** An ArrayList of purchased Gizmo objects,
    *  instantiated in the constructor.
    */
   private ArrayList<Gizmo> purchases;

   /** Returns the number of purchased Gizmo objects that are electronic
    *  whose manufacturer is maker, as described in part (a).
    */
   public int countElectronicsByMaker(String maker)
   {
      /* to be implemented in part (a) */
   }
```

```
    /** Returns true if any pair of adjacent purchased Gizmo objects are
     *  equivalent, and false otherwise, as described in part (b).
     */
    public boolean hasAdjacentEqualPair()
    {
        /* to be implemented in part (b) */
    }

    // There may be instance variables, constructors, and methods not shown.
}
```

(a) Write the `countElectronicsByMaker` method. The method examines the `ArrayList` instance variable `purchases` to determine how many `Gizmo` objects purchased are electronic and are manufactured by `maker`.

Assume that the `OnlinePurchaseManager` object `opm` has been declared and initialized so that the `ArrayList purchases` contains `Gizmo` objects as represented in the following table.

Index in purchases	0	1	2	3	4	5
Value returned by method call `isElectronic()`	`true`	`false`	`true`	`false`	`true`	`false`
Value returned by method call `getMaker()`	`"ABC"`	`"ABC"`	`"XYZ"`	`"lmnop"`	`"ABC"`	`"ABC"`

The following table shows the value returned by some calls to `countElectronicsByMaker`.

Method Call	Return Value
`opm.countElectronicsByMaker("ABC")`	2
`opm.countElectronicsByMaker("lmnop")`	0
`opm.countElectronicsByMaker("XYZ")`	1
`opm.countElectronicsByMaker("QRP")`	0

Complete method `countElectronicsByMaker` below.

```
/** Returns the number of purchased Gizmo objects that are electronic and
 *  whose manufacturer is maker, as described in part (a).
 */
public int countElectronicsByMaker(String maker)
```

(b) When purchasing items online, users occasionally purchase two identical items in rapid succession without intending to do so (e.g., by clicking a purchase button twice). A vendor may want to check a user's purchase history to detect such occurrences and request confirmation.

Write the `hasAdjacentEqualPair` method. The method detects whether two adjacent `Gizmo` objects in `purchases` are equivalent, using the `equals` method of the `Gizmo` class. If an adjacent equivalent pair is found, the `hasAdjacentEqualPair` method returns `true`. If no such pair is found, or if `purchases` has fewer than two elements, the method returns `false`.

Complete method `hasAdjacentEqualPair` below.

```
/** Returns true if any pair of adjacent purchased Gizmo objects are
 *  equivalent, and false otherwise, as described in part (b).
 */
public boolean hasAdjacentEqualPair()
```