

# Honor Pledge

On my honor, I have neither given nor received any unauthorized aid on this quiz.

By typing your first and last name in the space provided below you are electronically signing to indicate that:

- (1) You are the person who is taking this quiz.
- (2) You read and understood the Honor Pledge and you agree to be bound by it.

**Question 1.** (6 pts) Assume the following Java subtyping hierarchy: `Integer` is a subtype of `Number`, `PositiveInteger` is a subtype of `Integer`, and `NegativeInteger` is a subtype of `Integer`. `Integer` implements the respective generic `Comparable<Integer>` interface.

```
Number n;  
Integer i;  
Object o;  
PositiveInteger pi;  
NegativeInteger ni;
```

```
PriorityQueue<? extends Integer> pei;  
PriorityQueue<? super Integer> psi;
```

Which of the following lines are legal? Select “Legal” or “Not legal” for each line of code:

```
pei = new PriorityQueue<NegativeInteger>();
```

```
pei.add(ni); // assume pei and ni are not null
```

```
pei.add(i); // assume pei and i are not null
```

```
ni = pei.poll(); // assume pei is not null
```

```
psi = pei;
```

```
psi.add(ni); // assume psi and ni are not null
```

**Question 2.** (2 pts) Can you think of a reason why the designers of Java chose not to implement Integer with interning and factory methods?



**Question 3.** (2 pts) Since `Object` contains `clone()` method, it is sufficient to guarantee that any Java object can be cloned.