

COSC 24L3: Lab Assignment #4
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Credit Card Validator

Credit card numbers follow the following patterns. Take 5387821309382461 as an example

1. A credit card number must have between 13 and 16 digits. It must start with:
 - 4 for Visa cards
 - 5 for Master cards
 - 37 for American Express cards
 - 6 for Discover cards
2. Double the digit in the even places from right to left. If doubling of a digit results in a two-digit number, add up the two digits to get a single-digit number.
 - $6 * 2 = 12$ ($1 + 2 = 3$)
 - $2 * 2 = 4$
 - $3 * 2 = 6$
 - $0 * 2 = 0$
 - $1 * 2 = 2$
 - $8 * 2 = 16$ ($1 + 6 = 7$)
 - $8 * 2 = 16$ ($1 + 6 = 7$)
 - $5 * 2 = 10$ ($1 + 0 = 1$)
3. Now add all single-digit numbers from Step 1.
 $3 + 4 + 6 + 0 + 2 + 7 + 7 + 1 = 30$
4. Add all digits in the odd places from right to left in the card number.
 $1 + 4 + 8 + 9 + 3 + 2 + 7 + 3 = 37$
5. Sum the results from Step 2 and Step 3.
 $30 + 37 = 67$
6. If the result from Step 5 is divisible by 10, the card number is valid; otherwise, it is invalid. For example, the number 5387821309382461 is invalid, but the number 5387821309362060 is valid.

Write a program that asks the user to enter a credit card number as a long integer and checks if it is a valid credit card number.

Define the following static methods and use these methods for the program:

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boolean isValid(long number)
int sumDoubleDigitEvenPlaces(long number)
int sumDigitsOddPlaces(long number)
int numberOfDigits(long number)
int startingWith(long number)
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Here are sample runs of the program:

Sample 1:

Enter a credit card number as a long integer: 5387821309382461
5387821309382461 is invalid

Sample 2:

Enter a credit card number as a long integer: 5387821309362060
5387821309362060 is valid