

# Department of Computer Science and Information Technology La Trobe University

## CSE4OOF Semester 1, 2019 Assignment Part B

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This is an individual Assignment. You are not permitted to work as a Pair Programming partnership or any other group when writing this assignment.

### Due Date

Due: **Tuesday 30th of April 2019 at 10.00 a.m.**

Execution test: **Week 8**

Delays caused by computer downtime cannot be accepted as a valid reason for a late submission without penalty. Students must plan their work to allow for both scheduled and unscheduled downtime. **There are no days late or extensions on this assignment as execution test marking will begin on in your normal lab - Week 8.** After the submit server has closed, NO assignments can be accepted. Non-attendance at the **Week 8** lab you have signed up for on the LMS page will also result in your assignment being awarded 0, except as detailed below.

### Copying, Plagiarism

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### Assessment Objectives

- To practise using the **String** class. (Lecture/Workshop 2)
- To practice using switch and/or multiway selection branches
- To practise reading from and writing to the console and reading from a text file. (Lecture 4, Lab 3)
- To practise using loops (repetition)

### Submission Details and marking

Full instructions on how to submit electronic copies of your source code files from your **latcs8** account are given on **page 2**. All assignments in CSE4OOF are marked, face to face, in the lab, in an execution test. This means that we mark running code. Your code must compile and display a result to the screen. Regrettably, we don't have the time or resources to look at code. The smallest amount of code that produces and displays a correct result will gain more marks than lots of code that doesn't compile, run or display something to the screen. If you cannot attend the lab you have signed up for on the LMS page, please email me (O.Mahdi@latrobe.edu.au) to arrange another time.

### Marking summary

This assignment is worth **3%** of your final mark in this subject.

**Implementation (Execution of code) 80%, explanation of code 20%**

Instant zeros or heavily reduced marks	Not submitting code Using arrays Not attending marking session Not able to explain code that has not been taught yet Does not run on latcs8 Uses System.exit()
ChemicalReactionBalance.java	100% (80% Execution and 20% Explanation)

## Using code not taught in OOF

Please also note carefully that whilst we encourage innovation and exploring java beyond what has been presented in the subject to date, **above all, we encourage understanding.**

All of the Tasks that follow can be solved using techniques that have been presented in lectures, lecture / workshops and labs so far.

These are the techniques and knowledge that we will later be examining in the Real Time Test (20 marks) and the exam (50 marks).

Code and techniques that are outside the material presented will not be examined, of course.

### For this task you cannot use arrays

Other than this, you are free to solve the tasks below in any other way, with one exception and one condition.

Any assignment that uses code that is outside what has been presented to this point **must be fully explained at the marking execution test**. Not being able to **fully** explain code outside what has been presented in the subject so far will **result in the assignment being awarded a mark of 0**, regardless of the correctness of the program.

Submitting an assignment with code outside what has been presented so far and not attending the marking execution test will result in an automatic mark of 0, regardless of the correctness of the submission.

An example would be the `split( )` method in the `String` class. The reason being that this method returns an array and we haven't studied arrays yet. So using the `split( )` method would require you to be prepared to explain to the marker how arrays worked in Java.

## Electronic Submission of the Source Code

- Submit all the Java files that you have developed in the tasks above.
- The code has to run under Unix on the latcs8 machine.
- You submit your files from your latcs8 account. Make sure you are in the same directory as the files you are submitting. Submit each file separately using the `submit` command.

### submit MOF ChemicalReactionBalance.java

After submitting the files, you can run the following command that lists the files submitted from your account:

#### verify

You can submit the same filename as many times as you like before the assignment deadline; the previously submitted copy will be replaced by the latest one.

Please make sure that you have read page 1 about the submission close off date and time and the compulsory requirement to attend the execution test in **Week 8**

Failure to do both of these things will result in your assignment be awarded a mark of 0, regardless of the correctness of the program.

Execution test marks are provisional and subject to final plagiarism checks and checks on the compliance of your code to this assignment document.

As such, final assignment marks may be lower or withdrawn completely.

## Background - Task

You are tasked with writing **one** Java program related to chemical compounds and elements. In the task, given a set of compounds, two reactants and two products, and you will determine if the reactants and products are balanced.

## Background – Chemical Elements

A chemical element is a type of atom that make up all the ordinary mater in the universe, and is define as an atom that has the same number of protons in its nucleus. Currently there are 118 known elements. These 118 can be represented on the periodic table of chemical elements as shown below:

<div>hydrogen</div> <div>1</div> <div>H</div> <div>1.0079</div>																		<div>helium</div> <div>2</div> <div>He</div> <div>4.0026</div>
<div>lithium</div> <div>3</div> <div>Li</div> <div>6.941</div>	<div>beryllium</div> <div>4</div> <div>Be</div> <div>9.0122</div>																	
<div>sodium</div> <div>11</div> <div>Na</div> <div>22.990</div>	<div>magnesium</div> <div>12</div> <div>Mg</div> <div>24.305</div>																	
<div>potassium</div> <div>19</div> <div>K</div> <div>39.098</div>	<div>calcium</div> <div>20</div> <div>Ca</div> <div>40.078</div>																	
<div>rubidium</div> <div>37</div> <div>Rb</div> <div>85.468</div>	<div>strontium</div> <div>38</div> <div>Sr</div> <div>87.62</div>																	
<div>caesium</div> <div>55</div> <div>Cs</div> <div>132.91</div>	<div>barium</div> <div>56</div> <div>Ba</div> <div>137.33</div>	<div>57-70</div> <div>★</div>	<div>scandium</div> <div>21</div> <div>Sc</div> <div>44.956</div>	<div>titanium</div> <div>22</div> <div>Ti</div> <div>47.867</div>	<div>vanadium</div> <div>23</div> <div>V</div> <div>50.942</div>	<div>chromium</div> <div>24</div> <div>Cr</div> <div>51.996</div>	<div>manganese</div> <div>25</div> <div>Mn</div> <div>54.938</div>	<div>iron</div> <div>26</div> <div>Fe</div> <div>55.845</div>	<div>cobalt</div> <div>27</div> <div>Co</div> <div>58.933</div>	<div>nickel</div> <div>28</div> <div>Ni</div> <div>58.693</div>	<div>copper</div> <div>29</div> <div>Cu</div> <div>63.546</div>	<div>zinc</div> <div>30</div> <div>Zn</div> <div>65.39</div>	<div>gallium</div> <div>31</div> <div>Ga</div> <div>69.723</div>	<div>germanium</div> <div>32</div> <div>Ge</div> <div>72.61</div>	<div>arsenic</div> <div>33</div> <div>As</div> <div>74.922</div>	<div>selenium</div> <div>34</div> <div>Se</div> <div>78.96</div>	<div>bromine</div> <div>35</div> <div>Br</div> <div>79.904</div>	<div>krypton</div> <div>36</div> <div>Kr</div> <div>83.80</div>
<div>francium</div> <div>87</div> <div>Fr</div> <div>[223]</div>	<div>radium</div> <div>88</div> <div>Ra</div> <div>[226]</div>	<div>89-102</div> <div>★ ★</div>	<div>yttrium</div> <div>39</div> <div>Y</div> <div>88.906</div>	<div>zirconium</div> <div>40</div> <div>Zr</div> <div>91.224</div>	<div>niobium</div> <div>41</div> <div>Nb</div> <div>92.906</div>	<div>molybdenum</div> <div>42</div> <div>Mo</div> <div>95.94</div>	<div>technetium</div> <div>43</div> <div>Tc</div> <div>[98]</div>	<div>ruthenium</div> <div>44</div> <div>Ru</div> <div>101.07</div>	<div>rhodium</div> <div>45</div> <div>Rh</div> <div>102.91</div>	<div>palladium</div> <div>46</div> <div>Pd</div> <div>106.42</div>	<div>silver</div> <div>47</div> <div>Ag</div> <div>107.87</div>	<div>cadmium</div> <div>48</div> <div>Cd</div> <div>112.41</div>	<div>indium</div> <div>49</div> <div>In</div> <div>114.82</div>	<div>tin</div> <div>50</div> <div>Sn</div> <div>118.71</div>	<div>antimony</div> <div>51</div> <div>Sb</div> <div>121.76</div>	<div>tellurium</div> <div>52</div> <div>Te</div> <div>127.60</div>	<div>iodine</div> <div>53</div> <div>I</div> <div>126.90</div>	<div>xenon</div> <div>54</div> <div>Xe</div> <div>131.29</div>
			<div>lutetium</div> <div>71</div> <div>Lu</div> <div>174.97</div>	<div>hafnium</div> <div>72</div> <div>Hf</div> <div>178.49</div>	<div>tantalum</div> <div>73</div> <div>Ta</div> <div>180.95</div>	<div>tungsten</div> <div>74</div> <div>W</div> <div>183.84</div>	<div>rhenium</div> <div>75</div> <div>Re</div> <div>186.21</div>	<div>osmium</div> <div>76</div> <div>Os</div> <div>190.23</div>	<div>iridium</div> <div>77</div> <div>Ir</div> <div>192.22</div>	<div>platinum</div> <div>78</div> <div>Pt</div> <div>195.08</div>	<div>gold</div> <div>79</div> <div>Au</div> <div>196.97</div>	<div>mercury</div> <div>80</div> <div>Hg</div> <div>200.59</div>	<div>thallium</div> <div>81</div> <div>Tl</div> <div>204.38</div>	<div>lead</div> <div>82</div> <div>Pb</div> <div>207.2</div>	<div>bismuth</div> <div>83</div> <div>Bi</div> <div>208.98</div>	<div>polonium</div> <div>84</div> <div>Po</div> <div>[209]</div>	<div>astatine</div> <div>85</div> <div>At</div> <div>[210]</div>	<div>radon</div> <div>86</div> <div>Rn</div> <div>[222]</div>
			<div>lawrencium</div> <div>103</div> <div>Lr</div> <div>[262]</div>	<div>rutherfordium</div> <div>104</div> <div>Rf</div> <div>[261]</div>	<div>dubnium</div> <div>105</div> <div>Db</div> <div>[262]</div>	<div>seaborgium</div> <div>106</div> <div>Sg</div> <div>[263]</div>	<div>bohrium</div> <div>107</div> <div>Bh</div> <div>[264]</div>	<div>hassium</div> <div>108</div> <div>Hs</div> <div>[265]</div>	<div>meitnerium</div> <div>109</div> <div>Mt</div> <div>[268]</div>	<div>ununilium</div> <div>110</div> <div>Uun</div> <div>[271]</div>	<div>unununium</div> <div>111</div> <div>Uuu</div> <div>[272]</div>	<div>ununbium</div> <div>112</div> <div>Uub</div> <div>[273]</div>		<div>ununquadium</div> <div>114</div> <div>Uuq</div> <div>[289]</div>				

* Lanthanide series	lanthanum 57 <b>La</b> 138.91	cerium 58 <b>Ce</b> 140.12	praseodymium 59 <b>Pr</b> 140.91	neodymium 60 <b>Nd</b> 144.24	promethium 61 <b>Pm</b> [144.9]	samarium 62 <b>Sm</b> 150.36	euporium 63 <b>Eu</b> 151.96	gadolinium 64 <b>Gd</b> 157.25	terbium 65 <b>Tb</b> 158.93	dysprosium 66 <b>Dy</b> 162.50	holmium 67 <b>Ho</b> 164.93	erbium 68 <b>Er</b> 167.26	thulium 69 <b>Tm</b> 168.93	ytterbium 70 <b>Yb</b> 173.04
** Actinide series	actinium 89 <b>Ac</b> [227]	thorium 90 <b>Th</b> 232.04	protactinium 91 <b>Pa</b> 231.04	uranium 92 <b>U</b> 238.03	neptunium 93 <b>Np</b> [237]	plutonium 94 <b>Pu</b> [244]	americium 95 <b>Am</b> [243]	curium 96 <b>Cm</b> [247]	berkelium 97 <b>Bk</b> [247]	californium 98 <b>Cf</b> [251]	einsteium 99 <b>Es</b> [252]	fermium 100 <b>Fm</b> [257]	mendelevium 101 <b>Md</b> [258]	nobelium 102 <b>No</b> [259]

Periodic Table  
Source: LeVanHan  
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## Background – Atomic Numbers and Element Symbols

The elements are all given names but are often represented as a series of letters (element symbol), starting with an Upper-case letter and following with zero, one or two lower case letters. These can be seen on the periodic table as shown below.

The diagram shows a single element box from the periodic table for Beryllium. The box contains the following information: the element name "beryllium" at the top, the atomic number "4" below it, the element symbol "Be" in a large font in the center, and the atomic weight "9.0122" at the bottom. Two black arrows point from the right towards the box. The first arrow points to the element name "beryllium" and is labeled "Element Name". The second arrow points to the element symbol "Be" and is labeled "Element Symbol".

Beryllium  
Source: LeVanHan  
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## Background – “element\_list.csv”

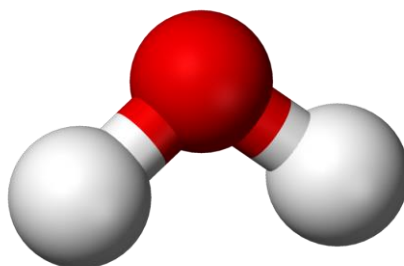
A list of all known elements has been put into a file for you named “**element\_list.csv**” and is guaranteed to be without errors and 118 lines long. **(Note: The elements are not in Alphabetical order)**  
**You will not need this for this task, but is included for your interest.**

This file can be copied from the csilib area

```
cp /home/student/csilib/cse4oofbu/assignBu19/assignB/element_list.txt .
```

## Background – Chemical compounds

A chemical compound or molecule is collection of atoms of more than one chemical element held together by chemical bonds. A common example of this is pure water, which is made up of two Hydrogen atoms and one Oxygen atom that are chemically bound.



Model of a Pure Water Molecule  
Public Domain

## Background – Chemical formula (molecular formula)

A chemical formula lists the elements and the proportion of atoms per element using element symbols. More specifically the chemical formula written as a molecular formula includes the exact number of atoms per element using element symbols. This is done by listing the symbols and a subscript to indicate the number of atoms for a particular atom (with no subscript indicating one).

Example:



Looking at our periodic table we can see the symbol H stands for Hydrogen, and O for oxygen. The subscript 2, indicates that there are two Hydrogen atoms and one Oxygen atom.

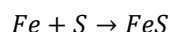
## Background – Chemical Reaction

A chemical reaction is a process where one or more compounds/elements known as the reactants are converted into one or more different compounds/elements known as the products. The reactants and products will have an equal amount of atoms of the same elements.

Example

When iron and sulphur combine they form iron sulphide

This can be represented using the following form (chemical equation)

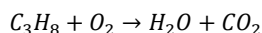


The compounds on the left-hand side of the arrow are the reactants and the products on the right. A + on the left-hand side can be thought of as “plus”, where as a + on the right-hand side can be thought of as “and”.

**For our program we will accept two reactants and two products.**

## Background – Balanced Chemical Equation

Given the following chemical equation



On the left hand side we can see there are

3 carbon (C) atoms  
8 hydrogen (H) atoms  
2 oxygen (O) atoms

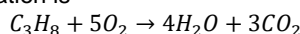
On the right hand side we can see there are

1 carbon (C) atom  
2 hydrogen (H) atoms  
3 Oxygen (O) atoms

As these are not equal the chemical equation is NOT balanced.

To balance these we apply coefficients to the compounds. These coefficients multiply the number of atoms in the compounds.

Hence a balanced version of the above equation is



On the left hand side we can see there are

3 carbon (C) atoms  
8 hydrogen (H) atoms  
10 oxygen (O) atoms (5x2 = 10)

On the right hand side we can see there are

3 carbon (C) atom  
8 hydrogen (H) atoms (4x2 = 8)  
10 Oxygen (O) atoms (4x1 + 3x2 = 10)

## Background – Input

As we cannot use subscript, the number of atoms, will be always to the right of the element symbol.

Example:

$4H_2O$  will be written as 4H2O  
 $2BB_e_4CaH_2$  will be written as 2BBe4CaH2

Errors:

It is expected that all molecular formulas will be correctly formatted but may not be balanced

## Background - Limitations and Notes

### Error checking – User input

The data entered by the user will be in the correct format of a chemical equation

### Number of compounds – User input

Any of the products or reactants may be an empty String.

### User input

The user input must accept any compound, i.e. **do not** hard code the compounds.

### Compounds and Elements

An element will not appear twice in any single compound but may appear in both products and/or both reactants.

The number of atoms for each element in any single compound will be between 1 and 9, but the total combined for the reactants and/or products may be higher

## Task 1 - Solution length

The code should be around 150-250 lines of code. If your code is significantly larger, you may want to reconsider your approach.

# Task 1 – ChemicalReactionBalance.java

Follow the steps to complete the task using the steps and information above. (Note indentation indicates that the indented parts are contained or related to the previous step. Eg. All steps within an if statement are indented)

**The task is to read in two chemical reactants and two chemical products that make up a chemical equation and then determine if the chemical equation is balanced or not.**

## Task 1 – Stage 1

We are going to set up the main components of the program to start, validate it works, then go back and add more code.

1. The program prints to the screen the student number, student name and the assignment number. This is enclosed by double asterisks. Ensure you follow the below format

```
*** 37777777 John Smith ***
```

 (Replace with your details)

2. The program prints the message shown below as to indicate the programs purpose

```
Chemical Reaction Balance Check
```

3. Prompt the user to enter each of the 4 compounds as Strings and store each individually: reactant 1, reactant 2, product 1 and product 2.
4. Create 4 integer type variables for storing the coefficient of each compound. Initialize each to 1.
5. For each compound check (x4)

- a. If the first character is numeric (2 to 9)
  - i. Set the appropriate coefficient to this value (You will need to convert the char to an appropriate integer) and remove the first character of the original String using the substring method.

6. Set up variables as follows:

An appropriate variable that stores the length of the reactant 1 String  
An appropriate variable that stores the length of the product 1 String  
A String variable that stores reactant 1 and reactant 2 concatenated (reactants)  
A String variable that stores product 1 and product 2 concatenated (products)  
An appropriate variable to indicate that the chemical equation is balanced, initialized to true

An integer variable for storing the number of atoms for the current element in the reactants (We will look at each element one at a time), initialize this to 1  
A String variable for storing the current element

7. Store the first char of the reactants into the current element variable
8. Iterate by 1 from 1 using variable named "i", to the reactants length +1 (exclusive)  
(We start at one as we have already stored the first (0 index) element)
  - a. After completing Stage 1, in this loop complete **balance check** steps as set out below.
9. After iterating through the line
  - a. Print the chemical equation out using '+' between the reactants, a '+' between products and ">" between the reactants and products as shown in the **output example (don't forget the coefficients)**
  - b. If the equation is balanced then print "is balanced" following the chemical equation
  - c. Else if the compound is invalid then print "is NOT balanced" following the chemical equation
10. End the program appropriately.

## Task 1 – Stage 2 - Balance Check

1. If the next character (index i character) in the input line is a lower-case letter (And i is not equal to the length of reactants String), then concatenate it to the current element. Eg. if input is "Zn", then before iterating "Z" would be stored in the current element, then character at index 1 is lower case, hence current element would now store "Zn".
2. Else if the next character is a number, (And i is not equal to the length of reactants String) then store the number of atoms of current element. Eg. If the input is "Zn3", then initially "Z" would be stored as the current element and empty as the number of atoms, then on the next iteration "Zn" would be stored as the current element. Then on the next iteration 3 would be stored in the number of atoms (convert to an integer).
3. Else (You have the element symbol and the number of atoms (if blank, number of atoms is 1))
  - a. If the current element is part of the reactant 1 (Remember we stored the length of the first reactant)
    - i. Then check if reactant 2 contains the same element using the indexOf method on the reactants String and store the index if it does.
      1. You will then need to find the number of atoms of this second element (1 or 2 to 9), and store the total number of atoms for the element using the atoms of the element for reactant 1 and reactant 2 and the coefficients of both reactant 1 and reactant 2. (No more information is given here).
      2. Also, remove the second element from the reactants String so that it does not get evaluated twice
    - ii. Else if the same element does not appear in the second element then calculate the total number of atoms for the element using the number of atoms for the element and the coefficient of reactant 1
  - b. Else calculate the total number of atoms for the element using the number of atoms for the element and the coefficient of reactant 2
  - c. Set up variables as follows:
    - i. A string for storing the current product element (**hint: you will need to store a character in this String before entering the loop, like you did for the current reactant element**)
    - ii. An integer for storing the number of atoms for the current product element initialized to 0
    - iii. An integer for storing the total number of atoms for the element we are searching for in the products initialized to 0, referred to as balanceCheck below
  - d. Iterate by 1 from 1 using variable named "j", to the products length +1
    - i. Check each product element against the current reactant element, if it is the same, then add to the balanceCheck the number of atoms for the element in the products (remember to multiply by the coefficient) (There will be a maximum of two matches). (No more information is given here).
  - e. If the balanceCheck does not equals the number of atoms for the element in the reactants, then set the variable to indicate that the chemical equation is balanced to false And print out the element symbol, a tab, then the number of atoms in the reactants, then the String " != " and then the number of atoms in the products. Refer to output examples
  - f. If i is not equal to reactants length
    - i. Then assign number of atoms of current element to 1
    - ii. And assign the current element to the empty string
    - iii. Store the i'th character of the reactants into the current element variable



## Task 1 - Example outputs

```
*** 37777777 John Smith ***
Chemical Reaction Balance Check
Enter reactant1 1: C3H8
Enter reactant1 2: O2
Enter Product 1: H2O
Enter Product 2: CO2

C      3 != 1
H      8 != 2
O      2 != 3

C3H8 + O2 -> H2O + CO2
is NOT balanced
```

```
*** 37777777 John Smith ***
Chemical Reaction Balance Check
Enter reactant1 1: C3H8
Enter reactant1 2: 5O2
Enter Product 1: 4H2O
Enter Product 2: 3CO2

C3H8 + 5O2 -> 4H2O + 3CO2
is balanced
```

```
*** 37777777 John Smith ***
Chemical Reaction Balance Check
Enter reactant1 1: PCl5
Enter reactant1 2: 4H2O
Enter Product 1: H3PO4
Enter Product 2: 5HCl

PCl5 + 4H2O -> H3PO4 + 5HCl
is balanced
```

```
*** 37777777 John Smith ***
Chemical Reaction Balance Check
Enter reactant1 1: 2FeCl3
Enter reactant1 2: MgO
Enter Product 1: Fe2O3
Enter Product 2: MgCl2

Cl      6 != 2
O      1 != 3

2FeCl3 + MgO -> Fe2O3 + MgCl2
is NOT balanced
```



## Transferring files between Windows and Unix

Be very careful transferring files from Windows to Unix. If you do transfer a file from Windows to Unix open the file, in Unix, using vi.

For example, if you transferred a file named `b.txt` from Windows to Unix

open the file in Unix with the command

```
vi -b b.txt
```

you will (might) see a lot of `^M`'s at the end of each line.

These MUST be removed using the command shown below or else your input file will have too many newline characters and will not translate properly. That is, your code will not correctly read the input file for Tasks 1 and 2.

Your code will work on Windows but NOT on Unix.

Still in vi, in command mode (press the Esc key first) do the following

```
:%s/ctrl-v ctrl-m//g
```

`ctrl-v ctrl-m` means hold down the control key and with the control key down press v then press m.

## Final notes

There will be consultation sessions for the assignment, the times will be posted on LMS, if you have problems come to consultation.

Do a little bit every night; before you know it, you will be finished. The assignment is marked with running code, so you are better to have 1 or 2 Tasks completed that actually compile and run, rather than a whole lot of code that doesn't compile.

The execution test is done on **latcs8** so please make sure that your code runs on **latcs8** before you submit.