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Problem Set #5

**Local classes and Lambda Expressions**

1. For each of the questions 1a and 1b below, suppose the following is invoked:

```
B b = new B();  
b.f();
```

Sketch the content of the stack, heap and metaspace *immediately after* the line

```
A a = new A();
```

is executed. Label the values and variables/fields clearly. You can assume **b** is already on the heap and you can ignore all other content of the stack and the heap before **b.f()** is called.

<pre>(a) class B {     static int x = 0;      void f() {         A a = new A();     }      static class A {         int y = 0;          A() {             y = x + 1;         }     } }</pre>	<pre>(b) class B {     void f() {         int x = 0;          class A {             int y = 0;             A() {                 y = x + 1;             }         }          A a = new A();     } }</pre>	<pre>(c) class A {     int x = 1;      void f() {         int y = 2;          class B {             void g() {                 x = y;             }         }          B b = new B();         b.g();     } }</pre>
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2. Java implements lambda expressions as anonymous classes. Suppose we have the following lambda expression `Function<String,Integer>`:

```
Function<String,Integer> findFirstSpace = str -> str.indexOf(' ');
```

Write the equivalent anonymous class for the expression above.

3. Suppose we have a class A that implements the following methods:

```
class A {
    int x;
    boolean isPositive;

    static A of(int x) {
        A a = new A();
        a.x = x;
        a.isPositive = (x >= 0);
        return a;
    }

    A foo(Function<Integer, A> map) {
        return map.apply(this.x);
    }

    A bar(Function<Integer, A> map) {
        if (this.isPositive) {
            return map.apply(this.x);
        } else {
            return A.of(this.x);
        }
    }
}
```

Which of the following conditions hold for A for all values of x? f and g are both variables of type Function<Integer,A>; a is an object of type A.

- (a) A.of(x).foo(f) always returns f.apply(x)
- (b) a.foo(f).bar(g) equals to a.foo(x -> f.apply(x).bar(g))
- (c) a.bar(f).bar(g) equals to a.bar(x -> f.apply(x).bar(g))

4. Write your own `Optional` class with the following skeleton:

```
class Optional<T> {
    private final T value;

    public static <T> Optional<T> of(T v) {
        :
    }

    public static <T> Optional<T> ofNullable(T v) {
        :
    }

    public static <T> Optional<T> empty(T v) {
        :
    }

    public void ifPresent(Consumer<? super T> consumer) {
        :
    }

    public Optional<T> filter(Predicate<? super T> predicate) {
        :
    }

    public <U> Optional<U> map(Function<? super T, ? extends U> mapper) {
        :
    }

    public<U> Optional<U> flatMap(Function<? super T, Optional<U>> mapper) {
        :
    }

    public T orElseGet(Supplier<? extends T> other) {
        :
    }
}
```