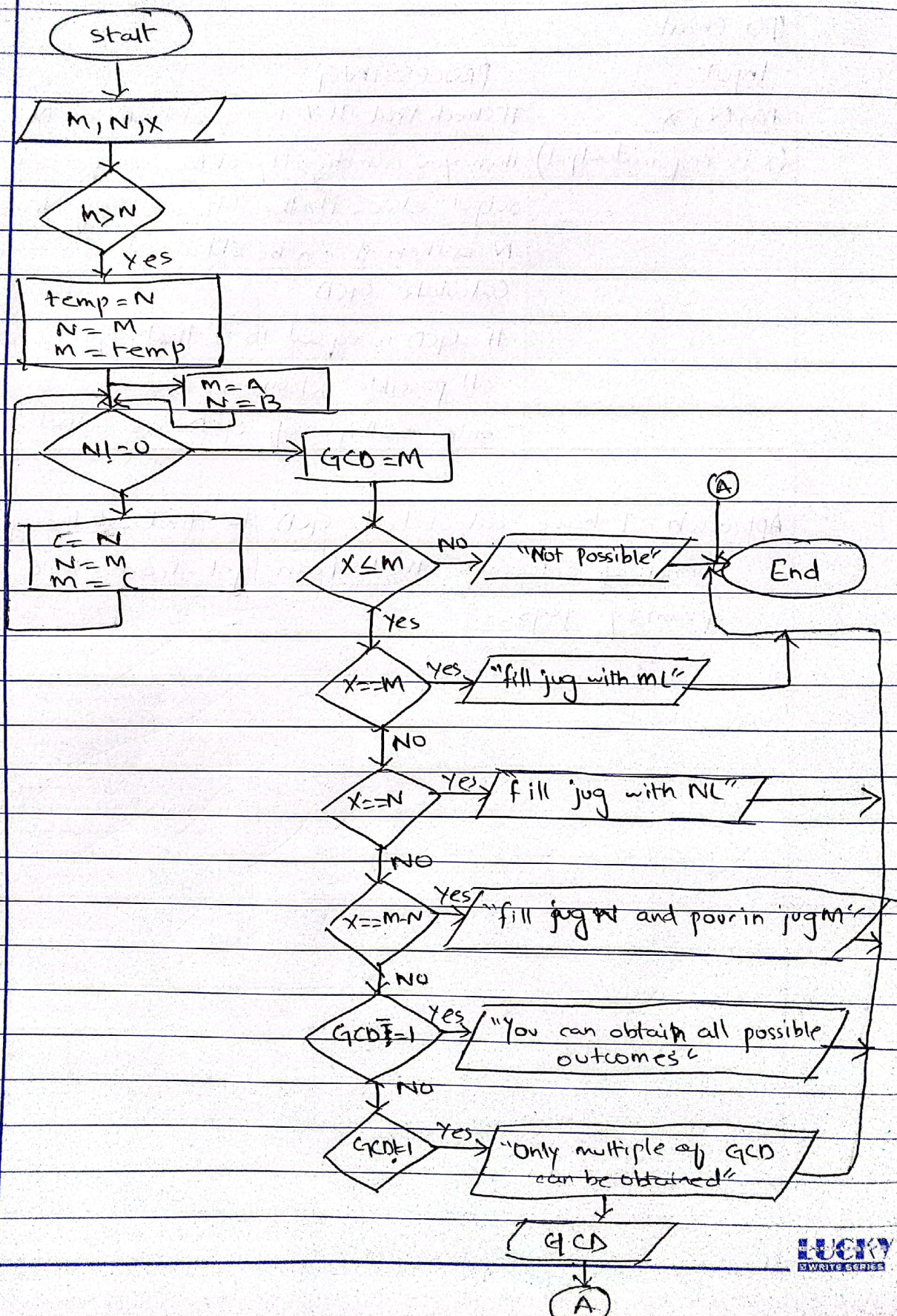


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M-NL Jug General Solution

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START

INPUT M, N, X // X is the required output

IF $M > N$ then

{ temp = N // N is larger jug

N = M // M is smaller quantity jug

M = temp }

END IF

WHILE $N \neq 0$

{ C = N

N = M % C

M = C

} \rightarrow GCD = M

END WHILE

IF $X \leq M$ then

IF $X == M$

{ Result = M

ELSE IF { Print "fill", M, "litre jug"

ENDIF $X == N$

{ Result = N

Print "fill", N "litre jug" }

ELSE IF $X == M - N$ then

{ Result = N - M

Print "fill" M "litre jug the pour it to" N "litre jug"

ELSE IF $GCD == 1$ then

Print "You can obtain all outcomes less than", N "jug"

ELSE $GCD \neq 1$ then

Print "You can only extract the multiple of", GCD

Endif

ELSE

Print "Not Possible"

ENDIF

END

IPO Chart:

Input	PROCESSING	OUTPUT
M, N, X (X is required output)	<p>#Check that if X is equal to M or N then you can directly obtain required output else, if X is the difference of M and N then it can be obtained</p> <p>Calculate GCD</p> <p>If GCD is equal to 1 then you can have all possible outcomes else you can have only multiple of GCD as output</p>	X

Approach: I have calculated GCD to find out the possible number of outcomes that I can get from two different quantity jugs.