

CS 143 Computer Science II (Java)

Final Exam Study Guide

Final will be a “paper and pencil”, “closed book” test. You will be not allowed to use books. **You can bring only notes that fit on ONE 3x5 inch index card, written on both sides.**

Midterm will cover topics from the following chapters of the text book

- Chapter 6 First Look at Classes
- Chapter 8 A Second Look at Classes and Objects
- Chapter 10 Inheritance
- Chapter 11 Exceptions and File I/O
- Chapter 16 Recursion
- Chapter 17 Sorting, Searching, and Algorithm Analysis
- Chapter 18 Generics
- Chapter 20 Linked Lists
- Chapter 21 Stacks and Queues

The test will consist of **three parts**: multiple choice, short answer, and problem solving (writing the code of the problem solution).

To get ready for the multiple choice part of the test please make sure to work on the review questions and exercises at the end of each chapter. Answering “Checkpoint” questions is a very good test-prep activity too.

In order to feel more comfortable when writing code on paper, please consider solving “Algorithm Workbench” problems at the end of each chapter of the text book using just paper and pencil. Following are sample questions you may expect to see in the problem-solving part of the test.

Sample Problems for the Problem-Solving Part of the Test

Practice solving problems from the Code-Writing Quizzes we had throughout the quarter.

Quiz #4 Topics

- Sorting array – Bubble sort , selection sort and quicksort
- Searching in arrays – linear search and binary search
- Generics – converting a method into a generic method
- Generics – writing a generic class, constraining a type parameter in generic class
- Linked lists
- Recursion with linked lists

- Stack data structure and its implementation with linked list
- Queue data structure and its implementation with linked list

Sample Problems

1. Implement bubble sort
2. Implement selection sort
3. Implement binary search on array of integers
4. Implement linear search for an array of objects of any type that implements Comparable interface
5. Write a generic method named findMin() that finds the smallest element in array. The variable type is limited to all types implementing Comparable interface. Write a piece of code that calls the method in main().
6. Write a generic method linearSearch() that searches for an element in an array of elements of generic type that is restricted to types implementing Comparable interface.
7. Write the class Node that describes the structure of a node in a linked list with an integer data field.
8. Given a linked list class that stores integers. Implement method toString() for that class.
9. Find and remove an element from a linked list.
10. Implement copy constructor for linked list class.
11. Implement recursive method int getSize() that calculates and returns size of the linked list.
12. Write method void doubleList() that traverses the list, doubling value stored in each node.
13. Rewrite doubleList() to make it a recursive method
14. Write a recursive method printBackwards() that prints the a linked list backwards.
15. Write the fields and heading of all the methods that must belong to linked list implementation of
 - a. Stack() class
 - b. Queue() class
16. Implement pop() method of Stack class written with linked list as an underlying data structure.
17. Implement push() method of Stack class written with linked list as an underlying data structure.
18. Implement pop() method of Stack class written with linked list as an underlying data structure.
19. Implement push() method of Queue class written with linked list as an underlying data structure.

Quiz #3 Topics

- Recursion – replacing simple loop with recursive method calls
- Recursion – using recursive function in implementing recursive method (power, factorial, etc.)

- Recursion – reading recursive code and converting it into iterative
- Reading from binary file
- Writing to binary file

Sample Problems

20. Write recursive method `int sum(int k)` that calculates the sum of a series: $1+2+3+...+k$. Make the method throw an `IllegalArgumentException` when $k < 0$.
21. Write a recursive method that calculates `factorial(int k)`.
22. Write a recursive method that calculates a power: `double pow(int base, int exp)`
23. Write a recursive method that prints out a numeric sequence.
`printSequence(4)` prints 1 2 3 4 3 2 1
`printSequence(5)` prints 1 2 3 4 5 4 3 2 1
24. Write a recursive method `writeChars` that accepts an integer parameter `n` and that prints out `n` characters as follows. The middle character of the output should always be an asterisk ("*"). If you are asked to write out an even number of characters, then there will be two asterisks in the middle ("**"). Before the asterisk(s) you should write out less-than characters ("<"). After the asterisk(s) you should write out greater-than characters (">"). For example, the following calls produce the following output:

Call	Output
<code>writeChars(1);</code>	*
<code>writeChars(2);</code>	**
<code>writeChars(3);</code>	<*>
<code>writeChars(4);</code>	<**>
<code>writeChars(5);</code>	<<*>>
<code>writeChars(6);</code>	<<**>>
<code>writeChars(7);</code>	<<<*>>>
<code>writeChars(8);</code>	<<<**>>>

25. Write a recursive method `isReverse` that accepts two strings as a parameter and returns `true` if the two strings contain the same sequence of characters as each other but in the opposite order (ignoring capitalization), and `false` otherwise. For example, the string "hello" backwards is "olleh", so a call of `isReverse("hello", "olleh")` would return `true`. Since the method is case-insensitive, you would also get a `true` result from a call of `isReverse("Hello", "oLLEh")`. The empty string, as well as any one-letter string, is considered to be its own reverse. The string could contain characters other than letters, such as numbers, spaces, or other

punctuation; you should treat these like any other character. The key aspect is that the first string has the same sequence of characters as the second string, but in the opposite order, ignoring case. The table below shows more examples:

Call	Value Returned
isReverse("CSE143", "341esc")	true
isReverse("Madam", "MaDAm")	true
isReverse("Q", "Q")	true
isReverse("", "")	true
isReverse("e via n", "N aIv E")	true
isReverse("Go! Go", "OG !OG")	true
isReverse("Obama", "McCain")	false
isReverse("banana", "nanaba")	false
isReverse("hello!!", "olleh")	false
isReverse("", "x")	false
isReverse("madam I", "i m adam")	false
isReverse("ok", "oko")	false

You may assume that the strings passed are not null. You are not allowed to construct any structured objects other than Strings (no array, List, Scanner, etc.) and you may not use any loops to solve this problem; you must use recursion. If you like, you may declare other methods to help you solve this problem, subject to the previous rules.

26. Given a recursive method. Write an iterative method with the same functionality.

```
void writeVertical(int n)
{
    if (n < 10)
        System.out.println(n);
    else
    {
        writeVertical(n/10);
        System.out.println(n%10);
    }
}
```

27. Given a class definition:

```
public class Rectangle {
```

```

private double length;

private double width;

public Rectangle(double len , double wid) { /*implemented*/}

public Rectangle() { /*implemented*/}

/* other methods implemented*/

}

```

1. What statements/methods must be added to the class in order to make it possible to write objects of that class into a file in binary mode
2. Create an array of 100 objects of type Rectangle. Generate 100 rectangles with random widths in range [2, 20] and random lengths in range [3, 30]. Open a file named "data.dat" for writing in binary mode and write all objects into the file. If the file does not exist it must be created. All IOExceptions must be handled properly.
3. Assume you have a file called "data01.dat" filled with objects of type Rectangle stored there in binary mode. Open the file for reading, read all the objects from there and store them in ArrayList. Assume we don't know how many objects are stored in file. All IOExceptions must be handled properly.

Quiz 2 Topics

- Inheritance – how to make a class that inherits from another class.
- Protected class fields
- Writing a constructor for derived class (calling constructor of a base class first)
- Writing clone() method using the "black magic spells" of Java we discussed in class
- Writing @Override public boolean equals(Object obj) for any class.
- Writing an abstract class and abstract method(s)
- Writing an interface
- Implementing an interface

Sample Problems

Given a class described below:

```

public class Rectangle implements Cloneable{

    private double length;

    private double width;

    public Rectangle(double len , double wid) { /*implemented*/}

```

```

public Rectangle() { /*implemented*/}

public Rectangle clone() { /*for you to implement*/}

@Override boolean equals(Object obj) { /*for you to implement*/}

public String toString() { /*implemented*/}

/* assume accessor and mutator methods implemented*/
}

```

4. Implement clone() method for Rectangle class
5. Implement equals() method for Rectangle class
6. Write a definition of a class MyRectangle that inherits from Rectangle and has a field of type int[] myArray. Class must also implement Cloneable and Relatable interfaces.
7. Write constructor *public MyRectangle(int len, int wid, int[] array)* that sets all the fields of the class. Make sure to
 - a. call the constructor of the base class first
 - b. make a deep copy of an array given to you.
8. Implement clone() for MyRectangle. Make sure to do it according to the “black magic recipe” we discussed in class.
9. Implement **@Override boolean equals(Object obj)** for MyRectangle
10. Implement *toString()* method for MyRectangle class
11. Use Rectangel and MyRectangle classes to illustrate the concept of polymorphism in OOP.
12. Write a definition of MyAbstract class that has a field of type int and an abstract public method *int doStuff()*
13. Write a definition of a MidTermable interface that has the following methods: *boolean readTextBook(); boolean practiceCodeWriting();*
14. Add a field to the interface int N. Make sure the field is defined as a CONSTANT

Quiz 01 Topics

- Writing class constructors – no-argument constructors and constructors that take parameter
- Writing class definitions for classes with fields of non-primitive type
- Accessor and mutator methods
- Accessor method for reference field (not of primitive type)
- Mutator methods that throw exceptions
- Writing copy constructor that creates deep copy of non-primitive fields
- Writing equals() method
- Writing toString() method
- STATIC methods (make sure to know the limitations here!)
- STATIC fields

Sample Problems

Given a class described below:

```
public class Rectangle {  
    private double length;  
    private double width;  
    public Rectangle(double len , double wid) { /*implemented*/}  
    public Rectangle() { /*implemented*/}  
    public clone() { /*implemented*/}  
    @Override boolean equals(Rectangle) { /*implemented*/}  
    public String toString() { /*implemented*/}  
    /* accessor and mutator methods implemented*/  
}
```

Write a class MyClass that has 2 fields: Rectangle r and int aField. Implement the following methods / fields to the new class:

1. Accessor for field r. Make a deep copy of the field when returning it.
2. Constructor MyClass(int a, Rectangle b) that sets both fields. Make a deep copy of object b when copying it!
3. No-argument constructor that sets aField to 0, and r field to a rectangle object with length and width set to 1.
4. Mutator for aField. The value stored in that field must not be negative. Throw IllegalArgumentException when the negative value is detected.
5. copy constructor for MyClass
6. toString() method for MyClass
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