

# CALCULATOR: The Champernowne Constant (C10)

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# Chapter 1

## Introduction

This project is based in the development of a calculator that computes the value of the Champernowne Constant ( $C_{10}$ ) and perform several operations that reflect its different uses. It is an irrational number with especial characteristics and applications.

The purpose of the project is to engage with all the different concepts involved in the Requirement Specification Process. It will lead to the development of a calculator that follows the user interests and expected functionalities.

In this project the first problem will explain the attributes of previously mentioned number. The second problem is the realization of interviews that will lead to the elaboration of persona template. The fourth and fifth problem are related to the use of The Unified Modeling Language (UML) to describe the requirements, use cases and interactions in the system.

# Chapter 2

## PROBLEMS

### 2.1 PROBLEM 1: The Champernowne Constant (C10)

#### 2.1.1 Description

The Champernowne Constant was formulated in 1993 and it is named after its creator Gawen Champernowne, an English mathematician and economist who built a chess computer with Alan Turing (a friend from his undergrad in King's College, Cambridge), found mistakes in John Maynard Keynes's "General Theory of Employment, Interest and Money", worked as a programme director in the Ministry of Aircraft Production and was professor in multiple universities [1].

It is a number that can be created by concatenating the positive integers and interpreting them as decimal digits to the right of a decimal point. i.e., 0.123456789101112..., it does not end. For any  $r$ , the base  $r$  Champernowne number is normal in the base  $r$  (a number is said to be normal in base  $b$  if its digits in base  $b$  follow a uniform distribution) [2]. However, the question of its normality in any other base (not a power of  $r$ ) is open. For example, it is not known whether the base 10 Champernowne number is normal in the base 2. Kurt Mahler also proved that the number is also transcendental (number that is not the root of any integer polynomial, meaning that it is not an algebraic number of any degree) [3].

Champernowne's constants can also be constructed in other bases. The base-2 and base-3 Champernowne's constants are known as the binary and ternary Champernowne's constants respectively. An example of its construction is  $C_2=0.1101110010111011...$  (base-2 Champernowne constant). A nested sum for the  $b$ -ary Champernowne constant is given by [4]:

$$C_m = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n}{m(n + \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \lfloor \log_m(k+1) \rfloor)} \quad (2.1)$$

#### 2.1.2 Characteristics and Applications

The Champernowne's constant has two important characteristics. First, any pattern of digits, no matter the content or length, will eventually appear in  $C_{10}$  [5]. An example of this is the number 456789 that occurs at position 2629624. In fact, the location of the pattern may be calculated [6][7]. Second, the nature of the Continued Fraction Expansion coefficients (CFE) of  $C_{10}$ . The CFE consists mostly of coefficients with a reasonably small number of digits, interspersed with coefficients with a very large number of digits [8].

Some of the applications of the Champernowne's constant include the use of its characteristics like the possibility to find every possible phrase (translated in binary string). For example, you can combine a normal number with some kind of instructions to find and extract that exactly matches the first Harry Potter novel (this is a copyright violation, but it is an interesting application). Additionally, it is also used by the comparison of the behavior of its digits with other numbers or elements. For example, if we compare a walk on the digits of Champernowne's

number with a walk on the nucleotides of a chromosome, such as the the X chromosome produces a similarly patterned image to the walk on the digits of Champernowne's number [8].

## 2.2 PROBLEM 2: Interview

### 2.2.1 Description

The purpose of the interviews was to gather information about the potential uses for a calculator of the Champernowne Constant(C10), evaluate the possible requirements of different users and identify the type of users for this type of software and their necessities. The results for the interview of Daniel Morales are the exact answers since the interview was made in a written form.

### 2.2.2 Methodology

One of the interviews was conducted in a proximal manner which was important for understanding body language and building trust since we met for first time for the interview. The other interview was conducted in a non-proximal way since the interview was in another country. The model for the interviews was "Funnel". The funnel model "begins with general questions and moves towards more specific questions during the course of the interview" [1]. Following this model, the interviews initiated with general questions about his background and area of expertise, after the interview continue with specific questions about the interviewee's interest in the system to be developed, past experiences with similar systems and expectations about the functionalities of that system.

It was a semi-structured interview since the questions were planned, but some of them where change based on the answers of the interviewee. Furthermore, the questions were not asked in the same order as they are listed. This was useful for improvisation and exploration of the different characteristics of the number.

The types of questions include contingent questions like his experience with the use of the Champernowne Constant, since if they didn't have experience with the variable it would not make sense asking them about their work with it (would not be relevant). The majority of the questions are open-ended since they give an unbounded range of responses. Only the first question is close-ended to establish their area of expertise.

For the selection of the interviewee several options where considered from different fields of Mathematics and Statistics. The professors considered included professor Jose Garrido specialist Risk Theory, Insurance Statistics; professor Galia Dafni specialist Harmonic Analysis, Partial Differential Equations; and professor Robert Raphael specialist in Ring theory, Commutative Algebra. However, these professors didn't hear before about the number and they recommended a specialist in Number Theory the professor Hershy Kisilevsky. Additionally, Daniel Morales was recommended for his experience in the area of Number Theory. Even though, one of the interviewee never used it before in his work he knows about it and its relationship with other numbers.

### 2.2.3 Questions Template

Dear Mr or Ms,

My name is Nellybett Irahola. I am doing a Master in Software Engineering at Concordia University in Montreal. As part of a research project, I need to conduct a study to get insights into the applications, uses, importance and relevant characteristics of the Champernowne Constant. The objective of the project is to gather information to develop a calculator that facilitates the applications and uses of this number,

The collected data will remain strictly confidential within the legal limits. The data will be only use as part of the course "Software System Requirements Specification" (SOEN 6481) at Concordia University. I would really appreciate your help. Thank you in advance for your support. The interview should take approximately 40 minutes to complete.

- \* Required

1. What is your area of expertise or research?\*
- (a) Actuarial & Financial Mathematics
- (b) Analysis & Geometry
- (c) Dynamical Systems & Applied Mathematics
- (d) Mathematics Education
- (e) Mathematical Physics & Differential Geometry
- (f) Number Theory & Computational Algebra
- (g) Probability & Statistics
- (h) Other:
2. Can you talk a little about your background? What made you choose your area of research or specialization?\*
3. What is your experience with the use of the Champernowne Constant? \*
4. In your opinion, what are the most important characteristics of this number? \*
5. Would you choose it for your research or projects?\*
6. Why do you think the study of this number is important?\*
7. Do you see a relation of behavior of this number with other numbers?\*
8. In your opinion, what are some of the other possible applications that the constant can have?\*
9. Do you think a calculator with the decimals and information of this number could facilitate your work? Why?\*
10. What functionalities would you want in this calculator?\*
11. Do you use calculators for this type of number in your work? What tool you usually use?\*
12. Would you prefer to access the calculator from your computer without requiring internet, from the internet or from an application in your phone? Why?\*

## 2.2.4 Results (Answers)

**Name:** Hershy Kisilevsky

**Position:** Full Professor, Mathematics and Statistics. Concordia University

**Education:** Ph.D. M.I.T., U.S.A.1968

1. **What is your area of expertise or research?\***

Number Theory & Computational Algebra. He is personally interested in Algebraic Number Theory as research topic.

2. **Can you talk a little about your background? What made you choose your area of research or specialization?\***

He has always been interested in mathematics and Number Theory is the purest mathematics that could exist, so he followed through undergraduate and graduate school.

3. **What is your experience with the use of the Champernowne Constant? \***

He said that he has never used before. He questions the uses of the constant; in his opinion it is a made-up number that one expects would be transcendental and have the properties of transcendental numbers, but he doesn't see other uses.

**4. In your opinion, what are the most important characteristics of this number? \***

Numbers can be described by decimal expansion. There are special numbers like the integers which decimal expansion are all 0, the rational numbers (fractions like  $1/3$ ) have the property that their decimal expansion are periodic, another class are algebraic numbers that satisfy polynomial equations with integer coefficients those numbers are harder to identify if you just look the decimal expansion and there is a kind of industry to see how to identify them.

Algebraic numbers have a special property they cannot get too close to rational numbers if you take root of 5 you get a decimal expansion is not periodic it is number but not random enough to stay totally away of the rational. If a number is not algebraic then is transcendental, it is a question how well they can be approximated and the first created were constructed the same way that the Champernowne Constant to be easily approximated.

Simple continuous fraction expansion is another way to writing down a number and it tells you how well-approximable is by rational numbers and the larger more approximable. One special fact about this number is the continuous fraction expansion has extremely large conversion early on which mean it has it have some very close rational approximations.

You can write the constant in base 10 and you can do the same in every base and each of this numbers are normal in its own base, but it is not known that the constant in base 10 is normal in any other base.

**5. Would you choose it for your research or projects?\***

He would never used in any project. He doesn't consider it special for the fact that share properties with any normal numbers. He says that any string would exist someplace there with the appropriate frequency in all the normal numbers. And the theorem says that almost all numbers are normal in the precise sense of probability 1, if you chose a real number at random uniformly with probability 1 is normal (formal statement of probability theory says that the measure of not normal numbers is 0). He would not choose it for his research.

**6. Why do you think the study of this number is important?\***

It was a number constructed to proved determined properties, it is normal and transcendental. As multiple numbers constructed at the time (sequence of prime numbers) it is extremely well-approximable by rational numbers and it has occasional extremely large numbers in this expansion.

**7. Do you see a relation of behavior of this number with other numbers?\***

It is a made-up number in his opinion it is not as special as pi since pi is defined geometrically, and it is decimal expansion can be used to a random generator. Once you start putting order in numbers they are not useful for randomness. He has never seen the Constant appear in a any natural way.

**8. In your opinion, what are some of the other possible applications that the constant can have?\***

The applications he has seen for numbers of this type are to generate random sequences and for randomizing processes, but he doesn't think is useful for randomness since it is constructed, there is a formula to generate the digits. Maybe taking the digits in base 2 and transforming them to another base.

**9. Do you think a calculator with the decimals and information of this number could facilitate your work? Why?\***

He doesn't think a calculator would be useful because it is not a common number and you can find bigger systems that treat multiple numbers and its applications.

**10. What functionalities would you want in this calculator?\***

He would not use a calculator for this number, but he thinks the multiple ways of representing a number are important. Since it is a constructed number it is possible to identify the position of where certain patterns of number occur and that as other constructed numbers it should not be used for randomness.

**11. Do you use calculators for this type of number in your work? What tool you usually use?\***

He doesn't use a calculator for his work, he prefers more robust tools like SageMath and Wolfram that are algebraic computing calculating systems. Actually, he suggests these types of tools to their students because they are easily available.



12. **Would you prefer to access the calculator from your computer without requiring internet, from the internet or from an application in your phone? Why?\***

If he had to use a calculator, he would suggest online tools instead of desktop applications he thinks are more accessible.

**Name:** Daniel Morales

**Position:** Master Student, Mathematics. Universidad Simon Bolivar, Venezuela

**Education:** B.Sc Mathematics

1. **What is your area of expertise or research?\***

Number Theory & Computational Algebra. I am personally interested in Approximation Theory and Probability Theory.

2. **Can you talk a little about your background? What made you choose your area of research or specialization?\***

I has always been interested in mathematics. I am passionate about numbers and integrals.

3. **What is your experience with the use of the Champernowne Constant? \***

I read about it in Numbers Theory books.

4. **In your opinion, what are the most important characteristics of this number? \***

It is an irrational, normal and transcendental number.

5. **Would you choose it for your research or projects?\***

Yes.

6. **Why do you think the study of this number is important?\***

It permits the encoding and encryption of the universe.

7. **Do you see a relation of behavior of this number with other numbers?\***

It shares with these that is transcendental and irrational. They can be used together.

8. **In your opinion, what are some of the other possible applications that the constant can have?\***

It can be use in cryptography for encryption. Encode and Decode any type of message.

9. **Do you think a calculator with the decimals and information of this number could facilitate your work? Why?\***

For sure. I think tools are important to facilitate operations.

10. **What functionalities would you want in this calculator?\***

I would like an open source calculator that could recognize patterns and associate them with its translation, like a dictionary. It would be better if it has information about other similar numbers and bring access to generic operations.

11. **Do you use calculators for this type of number in your work? What tool you usually use?\***

Yes, I use calculators and more complex tools like R, Mathematica, MATLAB and Python.

12. **What are the problems with similar tools (other calculators and systems)?\***

Some other calculators have problems with the approximation of the series to give an approximate result. Since the number is normal all the cases should be tested.

13. **Would you prefer to access the calculator from your computer without requiring internet, from the internet or from an application in your phone? Why?\***

I would prefer a desktop or mobile application since I want to access the app without using the Internet.

## 2.2.5 Results Analysis

The first step before the interview was determine how many of the potential interviewees knew about the number, how many uses it and how many would consider the use of a calculator for this number.

For that three questions where made to the potential interviews:

1. Do you know about the Champernowne Constant?
2. Do you use this number at your work?
3. Are you interested in a calculator for this number?

	1	2	3
Robert Raphael	NO	NO	NO
Jose Garrido	NO	NO	NR
Galia Dafni	NO	NO	NR
Hershy Kisilevsky	YES	NO	NO
Daniel Morales	YES	YES	YES

Figure 2.1: Interviewee Answers. Personal Creation

A pie chart was generated to facilitate the analysis of the questions.

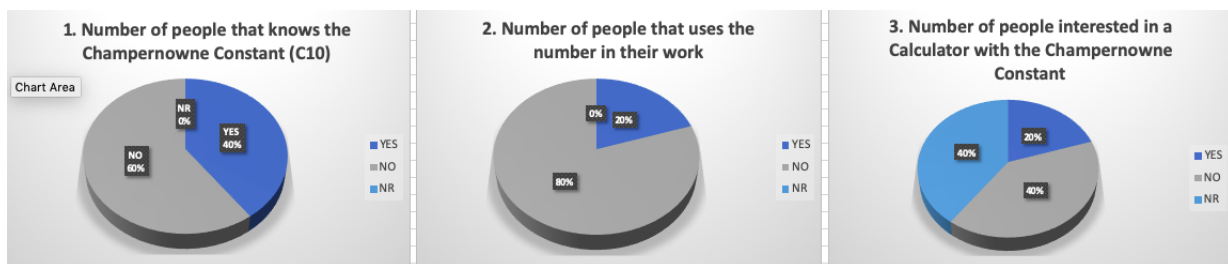


Figure 2.2: Interviewee Answers Pie Graph. Personal Creation

The Image and Table show that only two of the people know about the number. This is due to the fact that both of them were recommended as an expert by the other potential interviewees. Even though two interviewees knew about the number, one of them does not uses for his work or is interested in a calculator with this number.

From this step is evident that this number is not of common knowledge even for specialist in the Math area, which makes harder to find potential users interested in a calculator.

Additionally, from the interview it is important to mention that even though one of the interviewees would not use a calculator for this number, both of them established important characteristics of the number:

1. The classification of the number and its relation to other numbers.
2. The multiple ways of representing the number.
3. The combination of uses between the multiple bases of the number.
4. The fact that it is a constructed number which makes it possible to identify the position of where certain patterns of number occur.
5. The fact that it is a normal and transcendental.

As part of the applications:

1. One of the interviewee would not be interested in its use for randomness.

2. It is used in cryptography (encoding and decoding messages).
3. It generates infinite possible patterns.
4. Its behaviour it is important for different fields.

In relation to the expectations for the calculator, one of the interviews mentioned that he would like if the calculator could recognize patterns and associate them with its translation, like a dictionary.

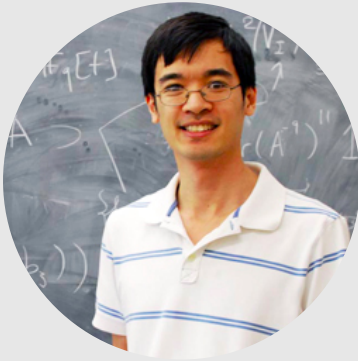
Finally, one of the interviews said that he would prefer a calculator that can be accessed online without the need of a computer and the other a calculator that doesn't require internet to work from a Desktop or mobile application.

## **2.3 PROBLEM 3: Persona**

A persona is an archetypical user of a system. It is based on research into real users of a system. It is a concrete model and it places a human face for the developers.

In this project two personas were created because of the differences between the users. Both of them have experience in Numbers Theory but they have different levels of education and different views of the expected functionalities of the calculator.

The first persona is based on the interview of Daniel Morales and the second persona is based in the interview of professor Hershy Kisilevsky.



# David Wilson

## Math Student



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## About Me

David Wilson is a Venezuelan student. He is studying for a Master degree in Mathematics at Universidad Simon Bolivar. He has always been interested in mathematics and passionate about numbers and integrals. He is also interested in technology and uses several systems to do his work.

## Business Goal

He expects to finish his studies and become a professor. He would like to do research in one of his passions (numbers, integrals). He thinks a calculator can contribute to that goal and become an important tool for his current and future work.

## Experience & Skills

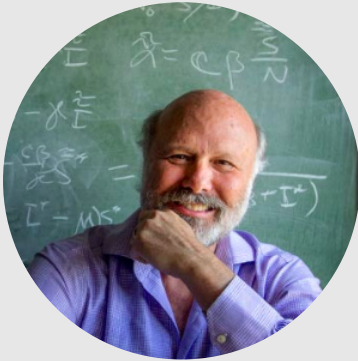
He is an expert in Number Theory & Computational Algebra. However, he is personally interested in Approximation Theory and Probability Theory as research topics. He has skills with several programming languages such as R, Python, and others. He also uses different systems for his work and projects.

## User Requirements

1. Open source calculator.
2. Calculator that can be accessed without using the Internet.
3. The calculator should recognize patterns and associate them with its translation, like a dictionary.
4. The calculator should decrypt and encrypt messages.
5. The calculator should provide information about other numbers.
6. The calculator should provide generic operations.

## Other Information

For him the main applications of the Champernowne Constant is related with cryptography specifically encryption, this number in conjunction with other numbers can be used to encode and decode any type of message.



# James Brown

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## About Me

James Brown is a professor of Mathematics at Concordia University. He has always been interested in mathematics and he thinks Number Theory is the purest mathematics that could exist, so he followed through undergraduate and graduate school.

## Business Goal

He wants to continue as a professor in Concordia University. He thinks a calculator can not contribute to his current work since there are better software and languages that he can recommend to his students and use for his research.

## Experience & Skills

He is an expert in Number Theory & Computational Algebra. He is personally interested in Algebraic Number Theory as research topic. He has skills with several programming languages and tools. He uses different systems for his work and projects such as SageMath and Wolfram and recommend its use to his students.

## User Requirements

1. Open source calculator.
2. The calculator should provide information of the different ways of classifying a number and operations with them.
3. The calculator should be available online.
4. The calculator should provide information about the multiples ways of representing the number.
5. The calculator should identify the position of where certain patterns of number occur.

## Other Information

He said that he has never used the number before. He questions the uses of the constant; in his opinion it is a made-up number that one expects would be transcendental and have the properties of transcendental numbers, but he doesn't see other uses. He also said that he would not use a calculator with this number since there are many other tools.

## 2.4 PROBLEM 4: Domain Model

### 2.4.1 Description

The domain model is vocabulary, with respect to some goal, of a domain [11]. For this project all the important concepts are represented in the domain. Even though the mathematical expression in this calculator is going to be represented only by one number, its existence is necessary so it is not represented as an abstract element. Additionally, details are provided for all the components of an expression since they are relevant for some of the methods to calculate the number (the series for different bases).

### 2.4.2 Concepts

1. Calculator: it is an electronic device used for doing mathematical processes such as adding, subtracting, dividing, and multiplying numbers[12]. In this project the calculator will be a system that provides numeric and graphical operations.
2. Mathematical Expression: it is a finite combination of symbols formed according to rules that depend on the context. Mathematical symbols can be numbers (constants), variables, operations, functions, brackets, punctuation, and grouping to help determine order of operations, and other aspects of logical syntax [13]. In the calculator the purpose is that the mathematical expression to be calculated is formed only by the value of the number.
3. Operand: An operand is an object of a mathematical or other operation. These are commonly expressed in computer programming as constants or variables [14]. A constant in this project is represented by a number.
4. Operator: it is any symbol that indicates an operation to be performed. Examples are addition "+" and subtraction "-". An operator may be regarded as a function, transformation, or map, in the sense that it associates or "maps" elements from one set to elements from another set [15]. Operators are different to functions since they receive a determined number of parameters (they usually are unary or binary).
5. Number: a sign or symbol representing a unit that forms part of the system of counting and calculating[16]. It is considered a constant because its value doesn't change.
6. Irrational Algebraic Number: an algebraic number is any real or complex number that is a solution of an algebraic equation [17]. Algebraic numbers can be rational or irrational.
7. Transcendental Number: is a real number or complex number that is not an algebraic number, not a root of a nonzero polynomial equation with integer coefficients [18].
8. Rational Number: it is any number that can be expressed as the quotient or fraction  $p/q$  of two integers, a numerator  $p$  and a non-zero denominator  $q$  [19].
9. Irrational Number: it is any real number that is not rational, and its decimal expression is not exact or periodic [20].
10. Variable: A variable is a symbol on whose value a function, polynomial, etc., depends [21]. It is represented by a letter.

11. Function: is a relation that uniquely associates members of one set with members of another set [22]. They are relevant as part of the expression but are not going to be used as part of the calculator.
12. Special Operation: in this project represents an operation that was suggested as an application of the number by one of the users.
13. Find Numeric Pattern: this is one of the specific applications of the number. Since any normal number contains in their decimal expression any possible pattern the user will provided the pattern and the calculator will give the position of its occurrence.
14. Message Encryption: it is known that the decimal expansion of any transcendental number is non-terminating. The mountain of the number are its decimals. The mountain is used in the encryption of messages by using the the position of a decimal place of the number as key and replacing all the elements in the message by the values in the result of the position mod 26 [23].
15. Message Decryption: for decryption it is necessary indicate the number that in the case of our calculator is the Champernowne Constant, and indicate the position of the decimal expansion, where the encryption process has begun [23].
16. User: is a person who interacts with the software system [24].
17. Cryptography: it is the practice of creating and understanding codes that keep information secret [25].

### 2.4.3 Relationships

1. Mathematical Expression Aggregations: a mathematical expression is composed by multiple elements, but when it is deleted its components are still relevant and they are used for special operations.
2. Operand Generalization: There are two types of operands and the decomposition of number is shown until its last elements to demonstrate the existence of transcendental numbers since the Champernowne Constant is transcendental.
3. Message Encryption Aggregation: this is shown as an aggregation since message encryption existed even before the term cryptography was created.
4. Special Operation Generalization: it specifies the two possible applications of the number described by the interviewees.
5. Is-Calculated Association: is an association between the calculator and the mathematical expression. The mathematical expression is the number for this calculator and its value must be determined.
6. Introduces Association: it is an association between the user and the mathematical expression. The user have to provide the expression to be calculated.
7. Executes Association: it is a relation between the user and the special operations, this exists since the user can applied this operations to the number.
8. Perform Association: it is a relation between the calculator and the special operations that are performed by it.

9. Used-To-Find-Repetition Association: this association describes the role of the number, the find pattern operation search for a repeated pattern in its decimals.
10. Use-For-Ciphering Association: a substitution cipher is a method of encrypting by which letters are replaced with ciphertext following an specific system. The number would provide the necessary elements to determine this system and perform the encryption.
11. Use-For-Deciphering Association: this association reverse indicates the reverse of the Ciphering process, the number and a key are used by the user to obtain the original message.

## 2.4.4 Domain Model

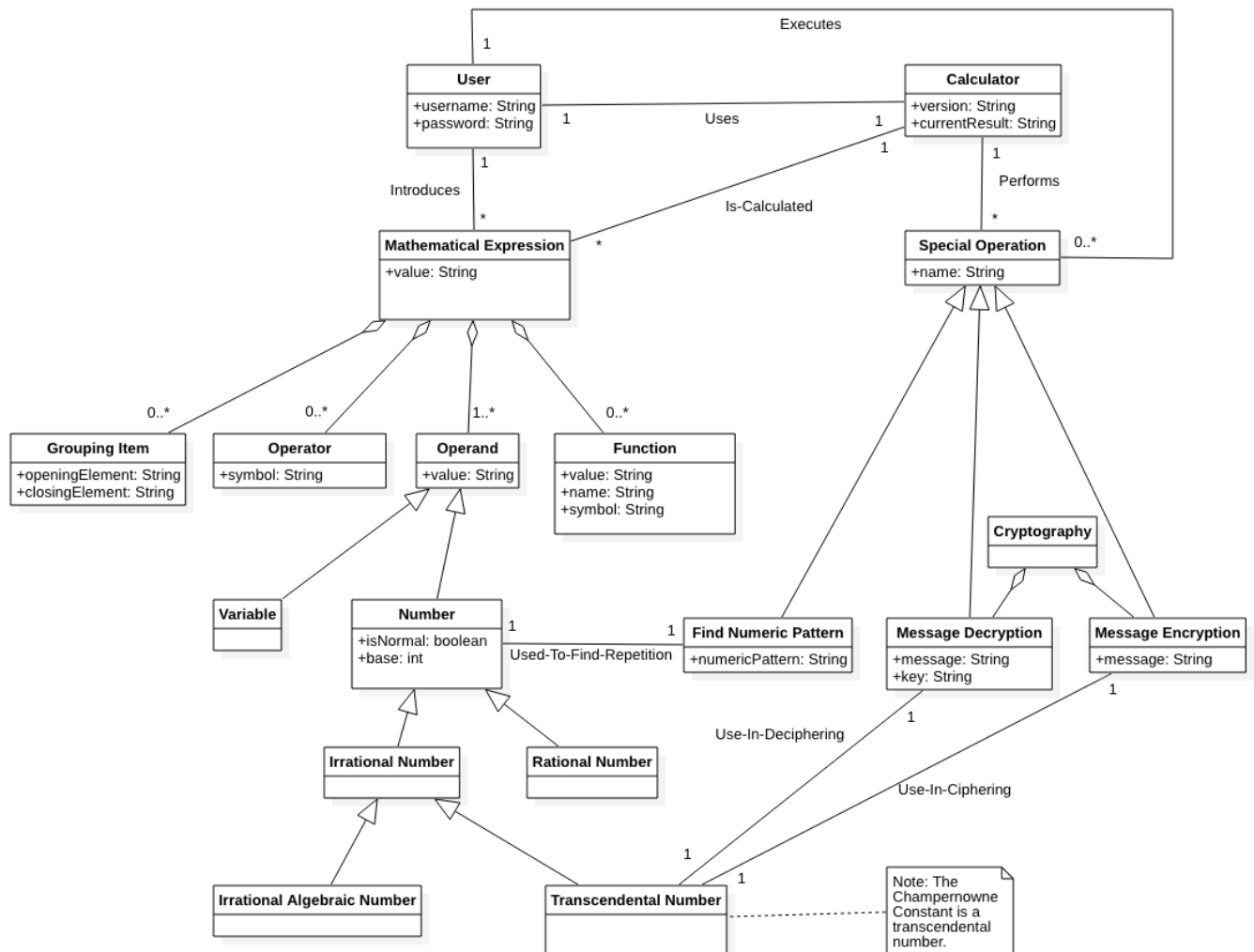


Figure 2.3: Domain Model. Personal Creation



## 2.5 PROBLEM 5: Use Case Model

### 2.5.1 Use Case Model Diagram

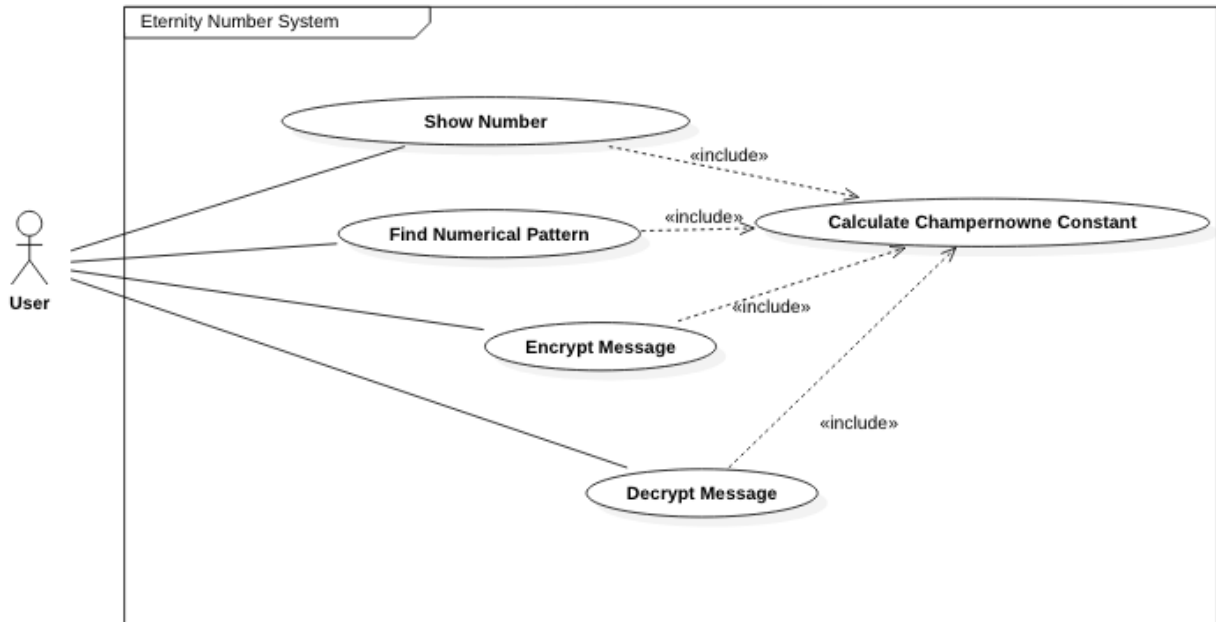


Figure 2.4: Use Case Diagram. Personal Creation

## 2.5.2 Activity Diagram

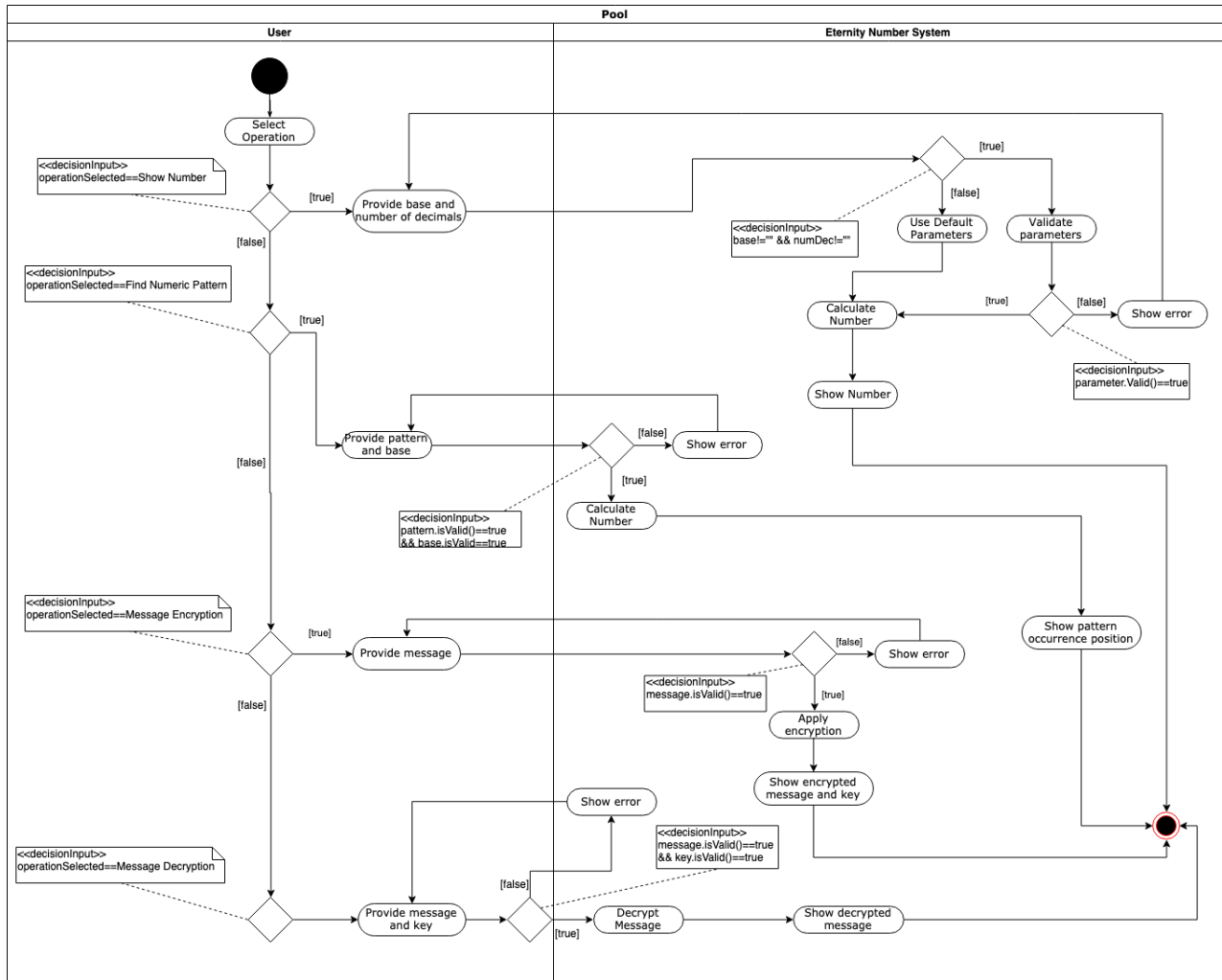


Figure 2.5: Activity Diagram. Personal Creation

## 2.5.3 Use Cases - Normal Scenario

Even though the calculation of the Champernowne Constant is important for all the use cases, it is only performed by the system and it doesn't require user interaction.

### UC-1 Show Number

ID: UC-1

Description: The user requires to display the number to the user.

Pre-Condition: The user download the application Post-Condition: N/A

Trigger: The clients select show number option.

Actors: User, EternityNumberSystem

Normal Scenario:

1. User#1 selects show Champernowne Constant.

2. The System calculates the number.
3. The System shows the number.

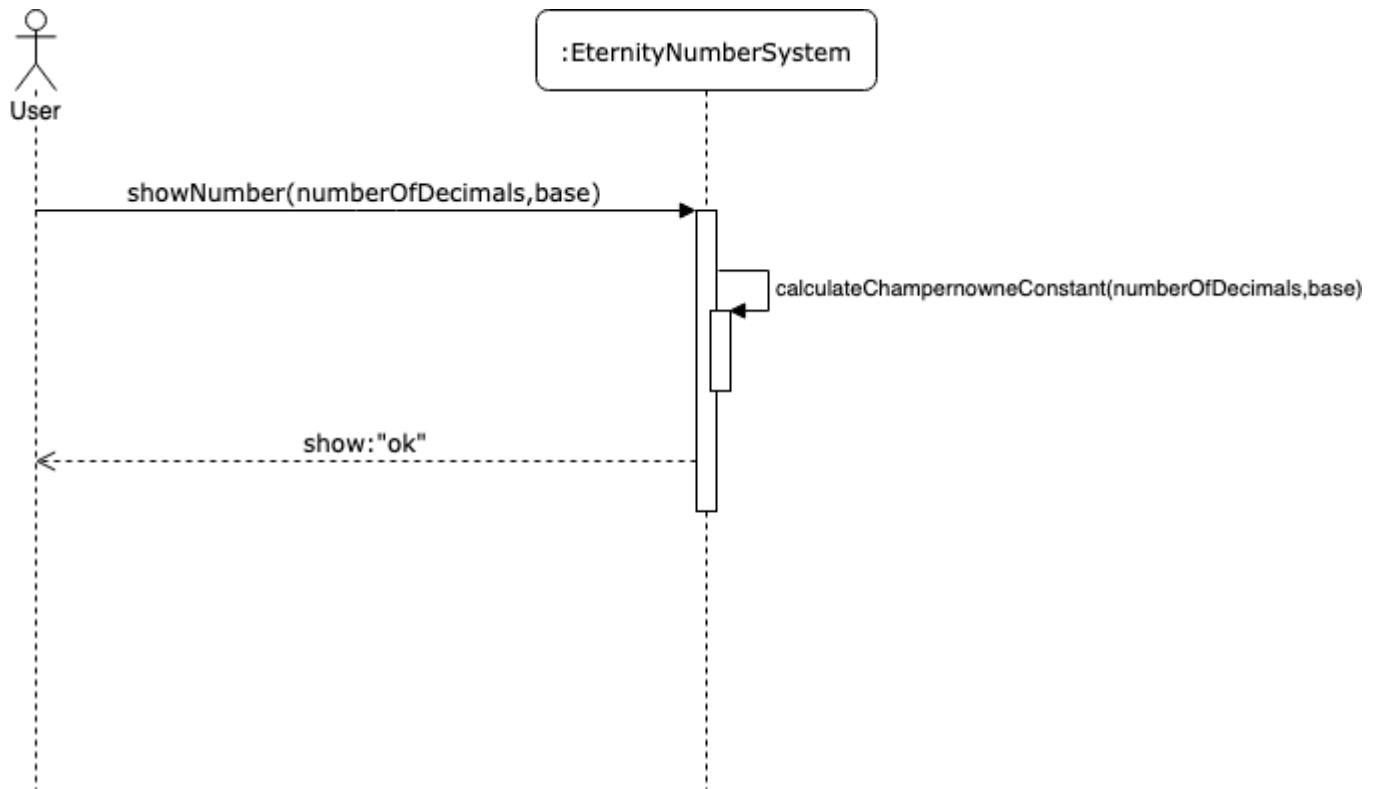


Figure 2.6: UC-1 Show Number. Personal Creation

## UC-2 Find Numeric Pattern

ID: UC-2

Description: the user provides a numeric pattern and the system shows the position of occurrence of this pattern in the decimals of the number.

Pre-Condition: The user download the application Post-Condition: N/A Trigger: The clients select Find Numeric pattern option.

Actors: User, EternityNumberSystem

Normal Scenario:

1. User#1 selects find numeric pattern.
2. The User#1 provides the pattern and the base to use to calculate the Champernowne Constant.
3. The System calculates the number.
4. The System finds the pattern.
5. The System shows the position of occurrence.

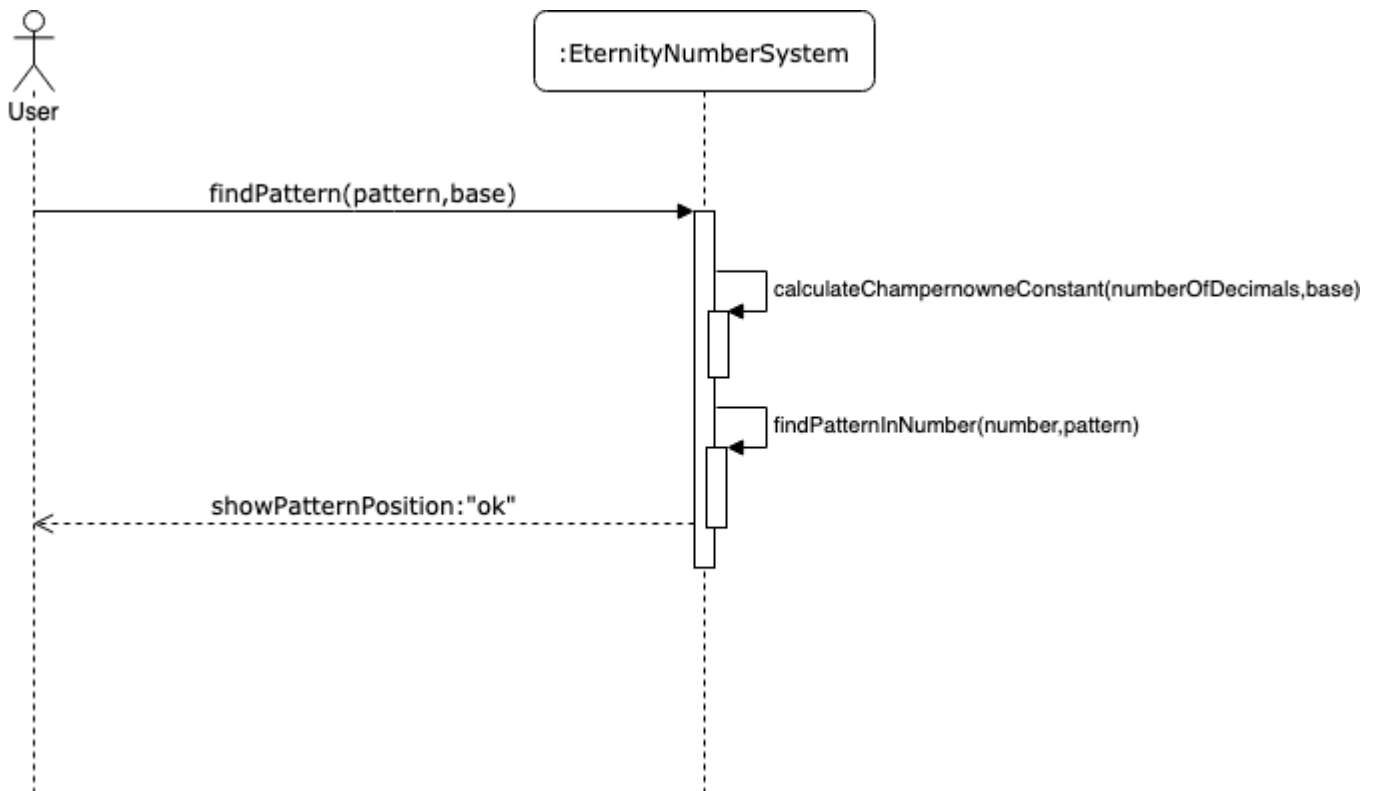


Figure 2.7: UC-2 Find Numeric Pattern. Personal Creation

### UC-3 Encrypt Message

ID: UC-3

Description: The user requires to encrypt a message using the mountain of the Champernowne Constant. The system will take a decimal position and return the encrypted message with a key.

Pre-Condition: The user download the application Post-Condition: N/A

Trigger: The clients select Encrypt Message operation.

Actors: User, EternityNumberSystem

Normal Scenario:

1. User#1 selects Encrypt Message operation.
2. User#1 provides the message to be encrypted.
3. The System calculates the number.
4. The System encrypt the message based on the number.
5. The system shows the encrypted message and the key.

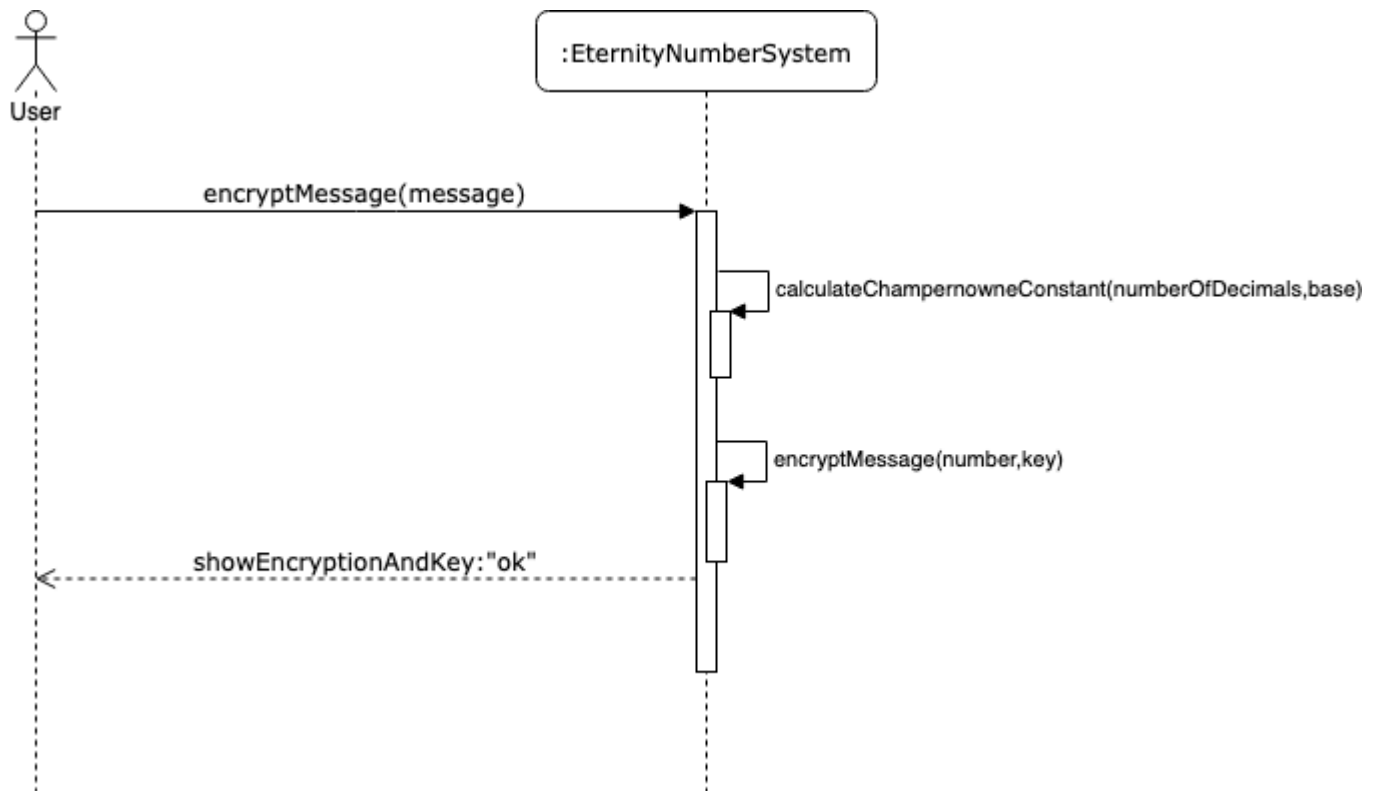


Figure 2.8: UC-3 Message Encryption. Personal Creation

#### UC-4 Decrypt Message

ID: UC-4

Description: The user gives a message and a key to decrypt it using the Champernowne Constant as base.

Pre-Condition: The user download the application Post-Condition: N/A

Trigger: The clients select Decrypt Message operation.

Actors: User, EternityNumberSystem

Normal Scenario:

1. User#1 selects Decrypt Message operation.
2. User#1 provides the message and the key.
3. The System calculates the number
4. The System decrypts the message based on the number.
5. The system shows the decrypted message.

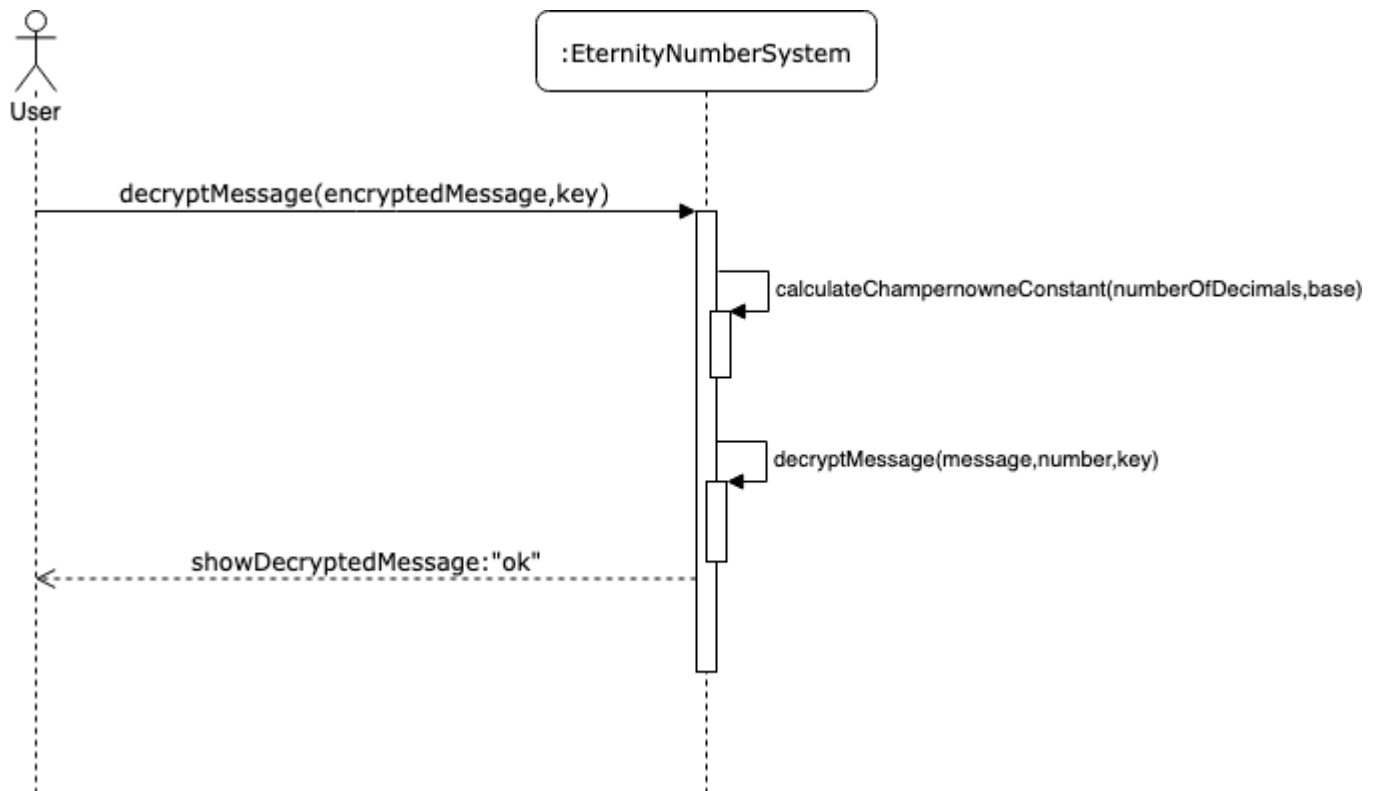


Figure 2.9: UC-4 Message Decryption. Personal Creation

## Chapter 3

# Conclusion

The objectives in each problem were achieved, even though the Champernowne Constant is not known for a lot of people. The problems allowed to gather different requirements for potential users, gain understanding about the applications and characteristics of the Champernowne Constant, and catch a glimpse of the functionalities that the calculator should have.

It is important to mention that the operation of the calculator are specifically related with the characteristics of the number. The find pattern is possible since the Champernowne Constant is a normal number, and the cryptography features are based on the fact that it is a transcendental number.

This report shows an intermediate view of the functionalities of the system; however, more problems are required before the implementation of the calculator. This project only shows an initial state of the development process.

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