ECU178 Computer Science: 210CT - Programming, Algorithms and Data Structures Portfolio

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Item 1: Week 3 - Linear Search and Duplicate Finder

1. Pseudocode for linear search

This Simple Algorithm demonstrates how to perform a linear search.
Input: This algorithm takes a populated array A and a value to search for v, as parameters.
Output: The Algorithm is a boolean type and returns either True or False respective of whether the v was found in the list or not.

Algorithm 1 LinearSearch

```
1: procedure BOOL LINEARSEARCH(v, A[ ])
2:     for each element i in A do
3:         if  A[i] = v then
4:             return true
5:         end if
6:     end for
7: return false
8: end procedure
```

2. Pseudocode for finding duplicates in a list

This algorithm demonstrates how to examine if a list has duplicate entries using a linear search.
Input: This algorithm takes a populated array A as a parameter.
Output: This Algorithm is a boolean type and returns true or false respective of whether a duplicate value is found or not.

Algorithm 2 Examining for duplicates

```
1: procedure BOOL EXFORDUPES(A[ ])
2:     for  each element i in A[ ] do
3:         for  each element j in A[ ] do
4:             if  A[i] = A[j] then
5:                 return true
6:             end if
7:         end for
8:     end for
9: end procedure
```

Item 2: Week 4 - Time complexities and Big-O notation

1. Describe the runtime bounds of the linear search algorithm

Algorithm 3 LinearSearch

```
1: procedure BOOL LINEARSEARCH(item, list[ ])
2:
3:     for each element i in list do          (n)
4:         if list[i] = list then t           (n)
5:             return true                    (n)
6:         end if
7:     end for
8: return false                               (1)
9: end procedure
```

Collecting the line-by-line runtime data from the algorithms gives: $n + n + n + 1$ which is equivalent to: $3n + 1$.
Therefore the time complexity of the algorithm is O(n).

2. Describe the runtime bounds of the duplicate finder algorithm

Algorithm 4 Examining for duplicates

```
1: procedure BOOL EXFORDUPES(list[ ])
2:     for each element i in list[ ] do          (n)
3:         for each element j in list[ ] do      (n*n)
4:             if list[i] = list[j] then         (n*n)
5:             return true                       (n*n)
6:             end if
7:         end for
8:     end for
9: return false                                  (1)
10: end procedure
```

Collecting the line-by-line runtime data from the algorithms gives: $n + (n * n) + (n * n) + (n * n) + 1$ which is equivalent to: $3n^2 + n + 1$.
Therefore the time complexity of the algorithm is O(n^2)

Additional work: Critical values of relative runtimes

Write a function that determines the critical value at which the relative runtime of two linear algorithms swap.
For this algorithm, I am assuming that $k1 > k2$ (Expression 1 >Expression 2, when $n = 0$).
The Algorithm is very simple; While the value of Expression 1 is greater than Expression 2, increase the value of n.
When the Runtime of the algorithms swap, the while-loop exit condition is fulfilled and the current value of n is returned.

Algorithm 5 Relative runtime comparison algorithm

```
1: procedure CRITVAL(m1, k1, m2, k2)
2:     while (m1 * n + k1)>(m2 * n + k2) do
3:         n++
4:     end while
5: return n
6:
7: end procedure
```

Item 3: Week 6 - Harmonic Series

1. Harmonic Series (Pseudocode)

Use pseudocode to specify a recursive algorithm to compute the nth value of the harmonic series, for some integer n.

The Harmonic series is as follows: $1 + 1/2 + 1/3 + 1/4 + 1/5 + ..1/n$
Input: This algorithm takes two parameters t and n which are the total sum of the algorithm and the number of repetitions, respectively.
Output: This algorithm outputs the value t which is the total sum of the harmonic series.

This procedure uses a while-loop to control the number recursive iterations.
While the number of iterations left is above 0, add the next value to t, decrease the number of iterations by 1 and recursively call the procedure with the new values of t and n.
When the number of iterations left is no longer above 0, the final value of t is returned and the procedure ends.

Algorithm 6 Computing nth value of harmonic series

```
1: procedure HARM(float t, float n)
2:     while n > 0 do
3:         t ← t + (1/n)
4:         n − −
5:         HARM(t, n)
6:     end while
7: return t
8: end procedure
```

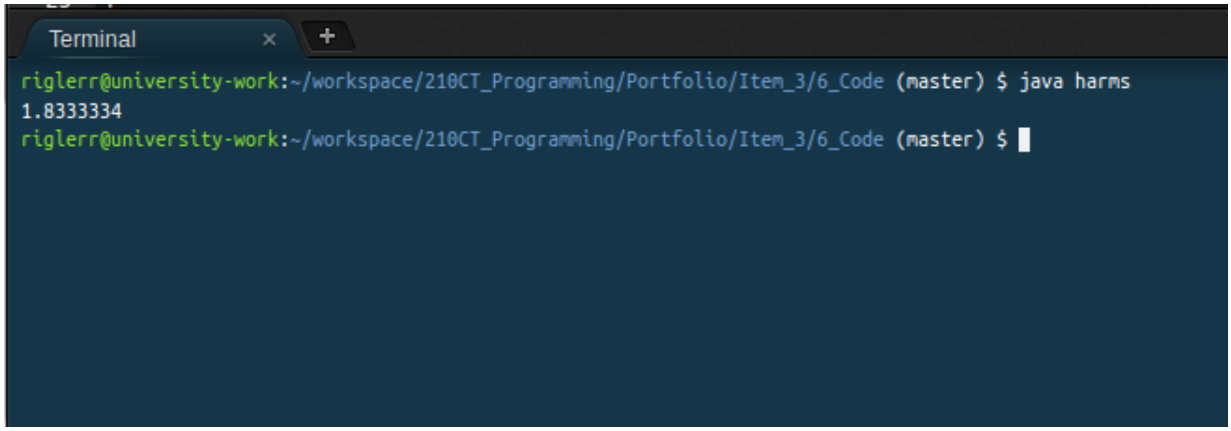
2. Harmonic Series (JAVA Implementation)

The Harmonic Series computation algorithm implemented in Java

Listing 1: harms java class file

```
1  public class harms{
2
3      public static void main(String[] args){
4          /**/
5          System.out.println(f(0,3));
6      }
7
8      public static float f(float t, float n){
9          /*
10         t always has a value of 0 on the initial method call.
11         n is the nth term, which decreases by 1 each recursive call.
12
13         When n = 0, stop recursive calling and return the value t.
14         */
15         while (n>0)
16         {
17             t+= (1/n);
18             f(t,--n);
19         }
20         return t;
21     }
22
23
24 }
```

Evidence of the Harmonic Series computation java implementation.
The nth value passed to the method was 3.



Item 4: Week 7 - RPN Calculator

1. Reverse Polish Notation Calculator

To implement this calculator I created three distinct classes:

- **InputString**: Which handles the string operations.
- **RPN**: This class evaluates the input string and returns an answer.
- **MyStack**: This is the stack class that is capable of Pushing, Poping and Displaying values on the stack.
- **MathOps**: This class handles the mathematical operations.

Below is the code that I wrote in Java:

Listing 2: InputString Class

```
1  package com.uni;
2  import com.sun.javafx.fxml.expression.Expression;
3  import java.util.Scanner;
4
5  public class InputString {
6
7      String in_Prompt = " Enter an Input String: ";
8      String in_String;
9
10     public InputString(){
11      //Class Constructor
12         in_String = new String() ;
13     }
14
15     public String getIn_String(){
16         /**
17          * getIn_String Method, gets the USer input from the
18          * console and returns it to the caller.
19          * Returns null if the Method fails.
20          */
21         String str_Temp = new String();
22         System.out.print(in_Prompt);
23         try{
24             Scanner in = new Scanner(System.in);
25            str_Temp = in.nextLine();
26         }
27        catch (Exception e){
```

```
28          System.out.println("getIn_String Method exception: " + e);
29            return null;
30        }
31
32         return  str_Temp;
33     }
34
35
36
37     public boolean setIn_String(String str_Val){
38
39         /**
40          * Assigns the in_String value from the passed parameter.
41          */
42         if (str_Val.isEmpty()){
43             System.out.println("
44      Method: setIn_String: String parameter is empty.");
45             return false;
46         }
47         else in_String = str_Val;
48 return true;
49     }
50
51
52
53     public boolean checkIn_String(){
54         char chr_Temp;
55
56    //Checks Each position in the string contains valid characters
57         for(int i = 0; i< in_String.length();i++){
58
59              chr_Temp = in_String.charAt(i);
60              if(Character.isDigit(chr_Temp) || chr_Temp=='+'
61                ||chr_Temp=='-'||chr_Temp=='/' ||chr_Temp=='*'
62                ||chr_Temp==' '){
63
64                 continue;
65
66             }
67             else return false;
68         }
69         return true;
70     }
```

```
71
72
73
74      public String[] Split_String() {
75          //Uses the String.split() method to
76       //Convert the Input String to an Array
77          String Tokens[];
78          Tokens = in_String.trim().split(" ");
79        return Tokens;
80      }
81
82  }
```

Listing 3: RPN Class

```
1  package com.uni;
2
3  public class RPN {
4
5      public static void evalRPN() {
6
7          //Creating the various objects and
8       // variable needed for the evaluation/
9          InputString Is = new InputString();
10         MyStack MS = new MyStack();
11         String[] In_arr;
12         String Operators = "+-/*";
13
14         //Gets the Users Input.
15         //Method only continues if the string is successfully set.
16         //And if it only contains valid characters.
17
18         if (Is.setIn_String(Is.getIn_String())) {
19             if (Is.checkIn_String()) {
20
21                 //Splits the input string into an array.
22                 In_arr = Is.Split_String();
23
24            //for Each element in the string array,
25            //Check if that element is an operator.
26            //if Operator: Pop values, do operation and push answer.
27
28                 for (String t : In_arr) {
29                     if (Operators.contains(t)) {
30                         int a = MS.Pop();
31                         int b = MS.Pop();
32
33                         switch (t.charAt(0)) {
34
35                             case '+':
36                                 MS.Push(MathOps.add(a, b));
37                                 break;
38                             case '-':
39                                 MS.Push(MathOps.sub(b, a));
40                                 break;
41
42
```

```
43                                  case '*':
44                                      MS.Push(MathOps.mul(a, b));
45                                      break;
46                                  case '/':
47                                      MS.Push(MathOps.div(b, a));
48                                      break;
49
50
51                              }
52      //Else the element must be pushed to stack.
53      //String Must be converted to Integer before pushing to stack.
54                          } else MS.Push(Integer.parseInt(t));
55                  }
56
57              } else System.out.println("String not correct");
58
59          } else System.out.println("String not set");
60
61          //When checked every element in array.
62          //Last Push should be the final Answer.
63          System.out.println(MS.Pop());
64
65      }
66  }
```

Listing 4: MyStack Class

```
1  package com.uni;
2  /**
3   * Created by Rob on 05/01/2015.
4   */
5  public class MyStack {
6
7    /**
8     * This Class represents a stack.
9     * An Object of this type will be able to Push()
10    * and Pop() values and display the current contents of the stack
11    */
12
13     int[] _list ;
14     int front;
15
16
17     public MyStack(){
18
19         _list = new int[10];
20         int front = 0;
21     }
22
23
24     public int Push(int val){
25
26
27   //Increment the front pointer, and store the value in the list.
28         try {
29
30             _list[front++] = val;
31         }
32         //If failure, return error message and 0 to caller
33         catch (Exception e){
34             System.out.println("Push Method exception: " + e);
35             return 0;
36         }
37         //returns 1 if successful.
38         return 1;
39     }
40
41
42
```

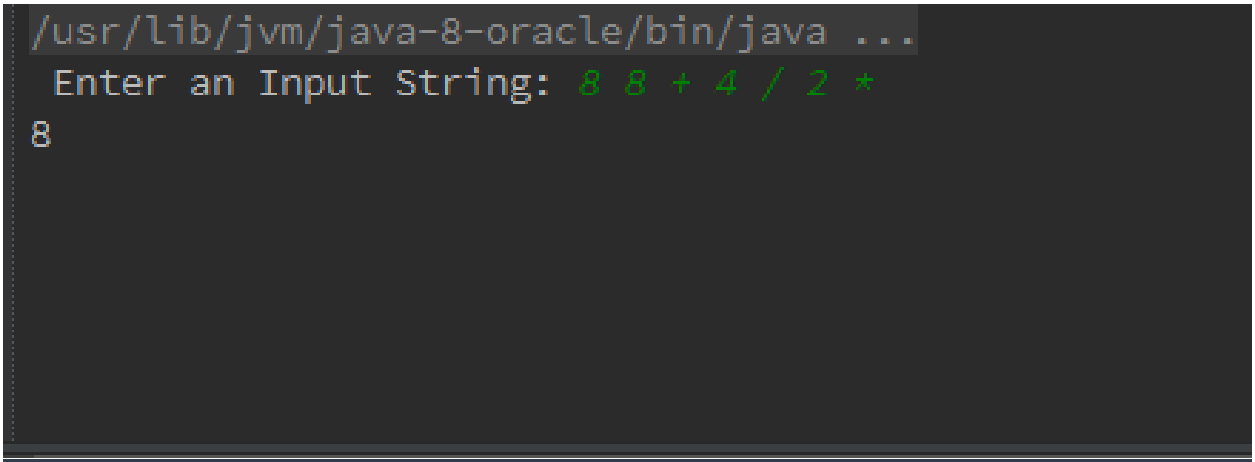
```
43      public int Pop(){
44
45
46          int t;
47
48       //Get the value at the front Pointer
49       //Decrement the front pointer
50       //Change its previous location to empty (0).
51       //Return value.
52          try {
53              t = _list[--front];
54              _list[front] = 0
55              return t;
56          }
57          catch (Exception e){
58              System.out.println("Pop Method exception; " + e);
59              return  0;
60          }
61
62      }
63
64      public void Display(){
65
66          /**
67           * Display Method prints the contents of the stack in order
68        *from front to back.
69           */
70          for (int i = front-1; i >=0; i--){
71              System.out.println(_list[i]);
72          }
73          System.out.println();
74      }
75  }
```

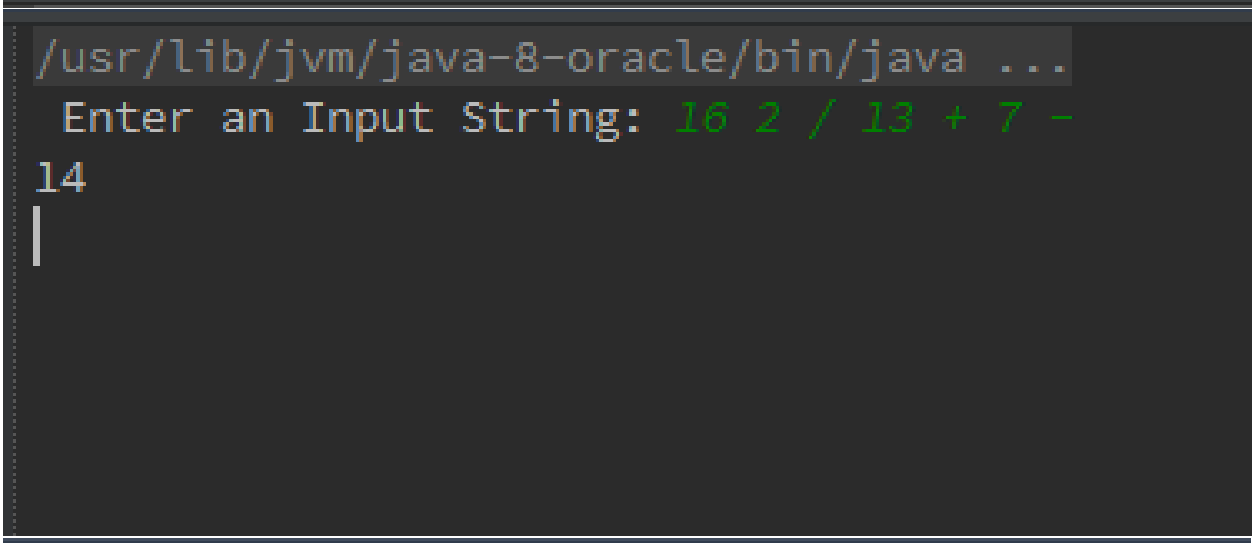
Listing 5: MathOps Class

```
1  package com.uni;
2
3  /**
4   * Created by rob on 06/01/15.
5   */
6  public class MathOps {
7
8      public static int add(int val1, int val2){
9          return val1+val2;
10     }
11     public static int sub(int val1, int val2){
12         return val1- val2;
13     }
14     public static int div(int val1, int val2){
15         return val1/ val2;
16     }
17     public static int mul(int val1, int val2){
18         return val1*val2;
19     }
20 }
```

Here are the evidence screenshot of the working calculator with these Input Strings:

1. $((8+8)/4)*2$ in RPN: 8 8 + 4 / 2 which equals: 8
2. $16/2+13-7$ in RPN: 16 2 / 13 + 7 - which equals: 14
3. $(((6*4)/(6*2))*2)/4$ in RPN: 4 6 4 * 6 2 * / 2 * / which equals: 1





Item 5: Week 8 - Linked List

1. Linked List Implementation

Below are the Linked List and Node classes that I have created as well as a Test class. This is a fully functional doubly Linked List capable of Inserting, Prepending, Deleting and Displaying items in the List. Please see the Evidence Screenshot below:

Listing 6: List Class Implementation: Java

```
1  package com.company;
2  public class List {
3        //Nodes to hold the head and tail of the list respectively
4      Node head;
5      Node tail;
6      //-------------------------------------------------------------
7      //----------List Constructor to init values to null----------
8      //-------------------------------------------------------------
9      public List(){
10         head = null;
11         tail = null;
12     }
13     //-------------------------------------------------------------
14     //----Insert an Element After the specied element (N)---------
15     //-------------------------------------------------------------
16     public void Insert(Node n, Node x){
17         //If previous node exists
18         if(n != null){
19             //sWAP NODE POINTERS
20             x.next = n.next;
21             n.next = x;
22             x.prev =n;
23
24             // If new node isn't end of list
25             if(x.next != null)
26                 x.next.prev =x;
27         }
28         //Prepend to existing list
29         if (head != null & n == null) {
30             n = head;
31             n.prev = x;
32             x.next = n;
33             x.prev = null;
34             head = x;
35         }
```

```
36
37
38
39          // If new list (First item to be placed)
40         else  if(n == null & head == null)
41          {
42       //make new node equal to both head and tail
43              head = tail =x;
44              x.prev =x.next = null; // make head pointers null
45          } //If all else exp
46          else if(tail == n)
47              tail =x;
48      }
49      //-------------------------------------------------------
50      //--------------DELETE A NODE FROM THE LIST--------------
51      //-------------------------------------------------------
52      public void Delete(Node n){
53          //create temporary node
54          Node i = head;
55
56          while (i != null){ // Loop until null (tail.next)
57
58              if (i.value == n.value){
59
60                  if(i == head){ //If node to remove is head node
61                      head = i.next;
62                      i.prev = null;
63                      break;
64                  }
65
66            //if node to remove is tail node
67                  else if (i == tail){
68                      tail = i.prev;
69                      i.prev.next = null;
70                  }
71                  else { // If node to remove is not Head/Tail
72                  i.prev.next = i.next;
73                  i.next.prev = i.prev;
74                  break;}
75              }
76              i=i.next; // Increment
77          }
78      }
```

```
79
80
81
82      //-------------------------------------------------------
83      //-----------DISPLAY ALL NODES IN LIST------------------
84      //-------------------------------------------------------
85      public void display(){
86          Node i = head;
87
88          while(i != null) {
89              System.out.print(i.value + ", ");
90              i = i.next;
91          }
92      }
93
94
95  }
```

Listing 7: Node Class Implementation: Java

```
1   package com.company;
2
3   /**
4    * Created by rob on 20/12/14.
5    */
6
7   public class Node {
8       int value;
9       Node prev;
10      Node next;
11
12      public Node(int val){
13
14              //Node Constructor
15          value = val;
16          next =null;
17          prev =null;
18
19      }
20
21
22  }
```

Listing 8: Test class

```
package com.company;

public class Main {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        List obj1 = new List();



        obj1.Insert(null, new Node(42));
        obj1.Insert(obj1.head, new Node(32));
        obj1.Insert(obj1.head.next, new Node(102));

        //-----------------------------------------------------
        //----------------Test Inserting Tail-----------------
        //-----------------------------------------------------
        System.out.println("Insert 3 items:");
        obj1.display();
        System.out.println();

        // -----------------------------------------------------
        //-----------------Test Insert Between-----------------
        //-----------------------------------------------------
        //Insert 12 between the head node and the head.next
        System.out.println("Insert 12 after head node: ");
        obj1.Insert(obj1.head, new Node(12));
        obj1.display();
        System.out.println();

        //-----------------------------------------------------
        //--------------------Test Prepend---------------------
        //-----------------------------------------------------
        //Insert 13 at start of pre-existing list
        System.out.println("Prepend 13: ");
           obj1.Insert(null,new Node(13));
           obj1.display();
          System.out.println();
```

```
43          //-------------------------------------------------------
44          //------------------Test Delete Head-------------------
45          //-------------------------------------------------------
46          //Delete the head node '13' from the list
47          System.out.println("Delete Head: ");
48          obj1.Delete(new Node(13));
49          obj1.display();
50          System.out.println();
51
52          //-------------------------------------------------------
53          //------------------Test Delete Norm--------------------
54          //-------------------------------------------------------
55          //Delete a middle node (32) from list an display
56          System.out.println("Delete a Middle Node (32)");
57          obj1.Delete(new Node(32));
58          obj1.display();
59          System.out.println();
60
61          //-------------------------------------------------------
62          //----------------Test Delete Tail-------------------
63          //-------------------------------------------------------
64          //Delete the tail node '42' from list an display
65          System.out.println("Delete tail: ");
66          obj1.Delete(new Node(102));
67          obj1.display();
68          System.out.println();
69
70
71      }}
```

Evidence of working linked list using the Test class shown above:

```
/usr/lib/jvm/java-8-oracle/bin/java ...
Insert 3 items:
42, 32, 102,
Insert 12 after head node:
42, 12, 32, 102,
Prepend 13:
13, 42, 12, 32, 102,
Delete Head:
42, 12, 32, 102,
Delete a Middle Node (32)
42, 12, 102,
Delete tail:
42, 12,
```