

CSET 3600 Course Project. Spring 2020

Total Points: 25

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Project Description

Build a simple “English Language” calculator that does the following:

- ✓ takes three inputs from the keyboard, two of them single digits (0 to 9)
- ✓ takes a char from the keyboard, representing one of five operations from the keyboard: +(addition), -(subtraction), *(multiplication), /(division), and ^(exponentiation)
- ✓ outputs the description of the operation in plain English, as well as the numeric result

For instance, if the two numbers are 5 and 3, and the operation is *, then the output should be *five multiplied by three is 15*

If the two numbers are 2 and 9, and the operation is -, then the output should be

two minus nine is -7

If the two numbers are 5 and 2, and the operation is ^, then the output should be

five to the power two is 25

Hint: to perform the exponentiation, use the pow method of the Math class.

If the two numbers are 5 and 0, and the operation is /, then the output should be

Division by zero is not allowed

Here the operation will not be performed.

If the two numbers are 25 and 3, and the operation is +, then the output should be

Invalid number

because 25 has two digits.

As for the operators, they should be translated into English as follows:

+ plus

- minus

* multiplied by

/ divided by

^ to the power

You should use the *switch case* selection to translate the input values into words.

You need to consider these special situations:

- ✓ For division, there is a special constraint: you cannot divide by 0, and you should therefore test whether the second number is 0. If it is 0, then you should output a message saying you are not allowed to divide by 0.
- ✓ The “operator” is not one of the preceding five operators; in that case, output a message saying that the operator is not a valid one.
- ✓ One or two of the numbers is not a valid digit; again, you should output a message to that effect.
- ✓ Hint: You can deal with these special situations in the *default* statement of the *switch* block and possibly use some *boolean* variables to keep track of this information, as you may need it later in your program.

Deliverables

- 1) Clearly written and well-documented java code. The code must provide a description of what the code accomplishes. Comments must be provided in the code as needed. The code must be saved with .java extension. (15 points).
- 2) A Use Case Diagram showing different actors in the program. (5 points).
- 3) A class diagram showing the relationship of all class(s), variables, and methods. (5 points)

The deliverables must all be contained in a zipped file named as follows: lastname_cset3600_project_spring20.

Grading Criteria

- 1) Does the code achieve the stated objective accurately and without any error?
- 2) Does the code have well-written comments to guide the reader?
- 3) Does the code flow logically from one point to the next
- 4) Is the code lean, clean, and elegant?
- 5) Does the code avoid redundancy?
- 6) Are the variables well defined?
- 7) Does the code follow the java naming convention?

Due Date: Monday, May 4, 2020 by 5:00 PM.