

Object -Oriented Programming

Lab 5 : On Chapter Operator Overloading

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Exercise 1

A Rational number can be represented using two fields : **numerator** and **denominator**. Create a class **RationalNumber** (fraction) with the following capabilities :

- a) Create a Rational number with specified numerator and denominator or create a default Rational number with numerator 0 and denominator 1, the constructor prevents a 0 denominator in a fraction, reduces or simplifies fractions that are not in reduced form and avoids negative denominators.
- b) Overload the addition, subtraction, multiplication and division operators for this class.
- c) Overload the unary operator(-) , the += operator , the preincrement and postincrement (++) operators.
- d) Overload the relational and equality operators for this class.
- e) Overload the insertion operator (<<) .
- f) Convert a rational number into an integer, floating-point value, or string.

Exercise 2

A Polynomial is represented with terms , each term contains a coefficient and an exponent. The term $2x^4$ has the coefficient 2 and the exponent 4.

The internal representation of a polynomial is an array of coefficients and an array of exponents. According to the template given below develop a complete class **Polynomial**. This class should provide the following overloaded operators capabilities :

- a) Overload the addition operator (+) to add two **Polynomials**
- b) Overload the subtraction operator (-) to subtract two **Polynomials**
- c) Overload the assignment operator (=) to assign one **Polynomial** to another.
- d) Overload the multiplication operator (*) to multiply two **Polynomials** .
- e) Overload the addition assignment operator (+=), the addition subtraction assignment operator (-=) and the multiplication assignment operator (*=) .

Class **Polynomial**

```
{  
public :  
    Polynomial () ;  
    Polynomial operator+ (const Polynomial &) ;  
    Polynomial operator- (const Polynomial &) ;  
    Polynomial operator* (const Polynomial &) ;  
    const Polynomial operator= (const Polynomial &) ;  
    Polynomial& operator+= (const Polynomial &) ;  
    Polynomial& operator-= (const Polynomial &) ;  
    Polynomial& operator*= (const Polynomial &) ;  
    void enterTerms(void) ; //input terms of polynomial  
    void printPolynomial (void) ;  
  
private :  
    int exponents[100] ;  
    int coefficients [100] ;  
    void polynomial Combine(Polynomial &) //combine common terms  
};
```