Tutorial/Lab 2 - OOP Review 2

Aim

This tutorial/lab aims to review object-oriented programming concepts, such as abstraction, encapsulation, inheritance and polymorphism. ArrayList is also reviewed in this session.

Tips

Create a good set of test cases first, which can cover all kinds of cases of input values. This will be helpful to test your code later after you write your solution, but also in understanding the problem statement before you start solving the problem.

Exercise 2.1 My 2D Point Implementations

- Design a class named MyPoint to represent a point with x- and y-coordinates.
- The class contains:
 - The data fields (instance variables) x and y that represent the coordinates with getter methods.
 - An empty constructor that creates a point (0.0, 0.0).
 - A constructor that constructs a point with specified coordinates.
 - A (instance) method named distance that returns the distance from this point to another point of the MyPoint type.
 - A static method (function) also named distance that returns the distance from two MyPoint objects.
- Write a test program that creates the three points (0.0, 0.0), (10.25, 20.8) and (13.25, 24.8) and displays the distance between them using both distance implementations.
 Notice the difference between invoking an instance method and a static method (functions)!

Exercise 2.2 Big Integers Divisible by 2 or 3

Write a function that prints the first 10 numbers with 50 decimal digits that are divisible by 2 or
 3.

Exercise 2.3 Person, Student, Employee, Faculty, Staff

- Design a class named Person and its two **subclasses** named Student and Employee.
- Make Faculty and Staff **subclasses** of Employee.
- A person has a name, address, phone number, and e-mail address.
- A student has a class status (freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior).
 Define the status as a constant.
- An employee has an office, salary, and date hired.
 Use the LocalDate class to create an object for date hired.
- A faculty member has office hours and a rank.
- A staff member has a title.
- Add a constructor that only takes name to each class (you may add other constructors).
- Override the toString method in each class to display the class name and the person's name.
- What should the access modifier of name in Person be?
- Write a test program that creates a Person, Student, Employee, Faculty, and Staff objects in an array, and invokes their toString() methods using polymorphism.

Exercise 2.4 MyStack using Inheritance

- In Lecture 2, we implement MyStack using composition.
- Now, implement a new MyStack class that extends ArrayList Instead.
 - The class definition should be public class MyStack extends ArrayList<Object>
 - The methods are isEmpty(), getSize(), peek(), pop(), push(Object o), search(Object o) and toString().
- Write a test program that prompts the user to enter five strings and displays them in reverse order.

This is the end of CPT204-2425 Tutorial/Lab 2 Task Sheet.