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Part 1

How many errors are there in the program? Mention the errors you have identified.

Program Inspection

Category A

```
void CCompositor::arrangeMonitors() {
           static auto* const
                                  PXWLFORCESCALEZERO = (Hyprlang::INT* const*)g_pCo
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           std::vector<CMonitor*> toArrange;
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           std::vector<CMonitor*> arranged;
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           for (auto const& m : m_vMonitors)
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               toArrange.push_back(m.get());
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           Debug::log(LOG, "arrangeMonitors: {} to arrange", toArrange.size());
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           for (auto it = toArrange.begin(); it != toArrange.end();) {
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               auto m = *it;
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               if (m->activeMonitorRule.offset != Vector2D{-INT32_MAX, -INT32_MAX}
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                   Debug::log(LOG, "arrangeMonitors: {} explicit {:j}", m->szName,
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2812
                   m->moveTo(m->activeMonitorRule.offset);
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                   arranged.push_back(m);
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                   it = toArrange.erase(it);
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                   if (it == toArrange.end())
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                       break;
                   continue;
```

Potential array access issues: In methods like CCompositor::arrangeMonitors(), there are loops that access elements of arrays or lists (e.g., m_IMonitors). There is no clear boundary check for array indices, so there is a risk of out-of-bounds access, especially if the list is empty or shorter than expected.

```
PHLWINDOW CCompositor::getTopLeftWindowOnWorkspace(const WORKSPACEID& id) {

const auto PWORKSPACE = getWorkspaceByID(id);

if (!PWORKSPACE)

return nullptr;

const auto PMONITOR = getMonitorFromID(PWORKSPACE->m_iMonitorID);

for (auto const& w : m_vWindows) {

if (w->workspaceID() != id || !w->m_bIsMapped || w->isHidden())

continue;

const auto WINDOWIDEALBB = w->getWindowIdealBoundingBoxIgnoreReserved();

if (wINDOWIDEALBB.x <= PMONITOR->vecPosition.x + 1 && wINDOWIDEALBB.y <= PMONITOR->vecPosition.y + 1)

return w;

return nullptr;

return nullptr;
```

The pointer PMONITOR is initialized but there is confirmation that it can not be null and so can lead to null referencing.

Category B

Variable Shadowing: In the above given snippet, the variable 'm' is used which is also used in multiple other instances which can cause potential issues due to shadowing of similar names in different scopes.

```
if (FULLSCREEN)
setWindowFullscreenInternal(pWindow, FSMODE_NONE);

if (!pWindow->m_bIsFloating) {
    g_pLayoutManager->getCurrentLayout()->onWindowRemovedTiling(pWindow);
    pWindow->m_iMonitorID = pWorkspace->m_iMonitorID;
    g_pLayoutManager->getCurrentLayout()->onWindowCreatedTiling(pWindow);

pWindow->m_iMonitorID = pWorkspace->m_iMonitorID;
    g_pLayoutManager->getCurrentLayout()->onWindowCreatedTiling(pWindow);

} else {
    const auto PWINDOWMONITOR = g_pCompositor->getMonitorFromID(pWindow->m_iMonitorID);
    const auto POSTOMON = pWindow->m_vRealPosition.goal() - PWINDOWMONITOR->vecPosition;

const auto PWORKSPACEMONITOR = g_pCompositor->getMonitorFromID(pWorkspace->m_iMonitorID);

pWindow->moveToWorkspace(pWorkspace);
    pWindow->m_iMonitorID = pWorkspace->m_iMonitorID;

pWindow->m_vRealPosition = POSTOMON + PWORKSPACEMONITOR->vecPosition;

}
```

Implicit Conversions: In the given snippet, when handling the variable POSTOMON, there may be implicit conversion issues if vecPosition is not compatible with the assigned type.

Category C

```
Vector2D CCompositor::parseWindowVectorArgsRelative(const std::string& args, const Vector2D& relativeTo) 🛭
           if (!args.contains(' ') && !args.contains('\t'))
               return relativeTo;
           const auto PMONITOR = m_pLastMonitor;
                     xIsPercent = false;
                   yIsPercent = false;
isExact = false;
           CVarList varList(args, 0, 's', true);
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           std::string x = varList[0];
           std::string y = varList[1];
           if (x == "exact") {
           x = varList[1];
y = varList[2];
               isExact = true;
           if (x.contains('%')) {
               xIsPercent = true;
                        = x.substr(0, x.length() - 1);
           if (y.contains('%')) {
              yIsPercent = true;
                        = y.substr(0, y.length() - 1);
```

Mixed-Type Computations: Here, the function handles string-to-number conversions and operations on mixed types (like floats and ints), which may lead to unexpected rounding or truncation errors.

Category D

Boolean Logic Errors: The logic around str.starts_with("name:") and the way it handles exceptions might fail if the string format is incorrect, leading to unexpected behaviour.

Category E

```
MONITORID CCompositor::getNextAvailableMonitorID(std::string const& name) {
    // reuse ID if it's already in the map, and the monitor with that ID is not being used
    if (m_mMonitorIDMap.contains(name) && !std::any_of(m_vRealMonitors.begin(), m_vRealMoni
        return m_mMonitorIDMap[name];

    // otherwise, find minimum available ID that is not in the map
    std::unordered_set<MONITORID> usedIDs;
    for (auto const& monitor : m_vRealMonitors) {
        usedIDs.insert(monitor->ID);
    }

    MONITORID nextID = 0;
    while (usedIDs.count(nextID) > 0) {
        nextID++;
    }
    m_mMonitorIDMap[name] = nextID;
    return nextID;
}
```

There can be a possibility that this while block can lead to a infinite loop is the condition is never met.

```
PHLWINDOW CCompositor::getNextWindowOnWorkspace(PHLWINDOW pWindow, bool focusa
           bool gotToWindow = false;
           for (auto const& w : m vWindows) {
               if (w != pWindow && !gotToWindow)
                   continue;
               if (w == pWindow) {
                   gotToWindow = true;
                   continue;
               if (floating.has_value() && w->m_bIsFloating != floating.value())
                   continue;
               if (w->m_pWorkspace == pWindow->m_pWorkspace && w->m_bIsMapped && !w->
                   return w;
           for (auto const& w : m_vWindows) {
               if (floating.has_value() && w->m_bIsFloating != floating.value())
                   continue;
               if (w != pWindow && w->m_pWorkspace == pWindow->m_pWorkspace && w->m_b
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                   return w;
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           return nullptr;
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```

There are some segments of the code, such as certain debug statements, that seem to be left unreachable by early return statements, thus defeating their purpose.

Category F

```
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       void CCompositor::swapActiveWorkspaces(CMonitor* pMonitorA.
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           const auto PWORKSPACEA = pMonitorA->activeWorkspace;
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           const auto PWORKSPACEB = pMonitorB->activeWorkspace;
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           PWORKSPACEA->m_iMonitorID = pMonitorB->ID;
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1993
           PWORKSPACEA->moveToMonitor(pMonitorB->ID);
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           for (auto const& w : m_vWindows) {
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                if (w->m_pWorkspace == PWORKSPACEA) {
                    if (w->m bPinned) {
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1998
                        w->m pWorkspace = PWORKSPACEB;
                        continue;
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2002
                    w->m iMonitorID = pMonitorB->ID;
2003
                    // additionally, move floating and fs windows
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                    if (w->m_bIsFloating)
                        w->m vRealPosition = w->m vRealPosition.goa
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                    if (w->isFullscreen()) {
                        w->m vRealPosition = pMonitorB->vecPosition
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2010
                        w->m vRealSize
                                           = pMonitorB->vecSize;
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                    w->updateToplevel();
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```

Mismatch in Argument Attributes: In CCompositor::swapActiveWorkspaces(), when the pMonitorA and pMonitorB workspaces are swapped, there is no type checking between workspace IDs and monitor IDs, which could lead to issues in mismatched arguments.

Category G

```
void CCompositor::createLockFile() {
const auto PATH = m_szInstancePath + "/hyprland.lock";

std::ofstream ofs(PATH, std::ios::trunc);

ofs << m_iHyprlandPID << "\n" << m_szWLDisplaySocket << "\n";

ofs.close();

void CCompositor::removeLockFile() {
const auto PATH = m_szInstancePath + "/hyprland.lock";

if (std::filesystem::exists(PATH))
std::filesystem::remove(PATH);

}</pre>
```

File Handling: In the function CCompositor::createLockFile(), there is no clear handling of potential I/O errors such as the inability to write to the file. Also, the same applies to the removeLockFile() method where file existence is checked but not error-handled in a robust way.

1. Which category of program inspection would you find more effective?

Based on the analysis, Category A: Data Reference Errors is particularly effective for program inspection in the context of C++ because:

- 1. Frequent in C++: C++ heavily relies on pointers, dynamic memory allocation, and object references, making it prone to data reference issues such as uninitialized variables, null pointer dereferencing, and memory leaks.
- Hard-to-Detect Bugs: These types of errors can be subtle and often do not cause immediate crashes. Instead, they lead to undefined behaviour that may only manifest under specific conditions or after prolonged use, making them critical to catch during inspection.
- Broad Impact: Errors related to data references can have wide-reaching effects across the entire program. A single uninitialized variable or dangling pointer can compromise multiple areas of the code.
- 3. Which type of error you are not able to identified using the program inspection?

The errors not easily identified through program inspection are runtime errors, such as:

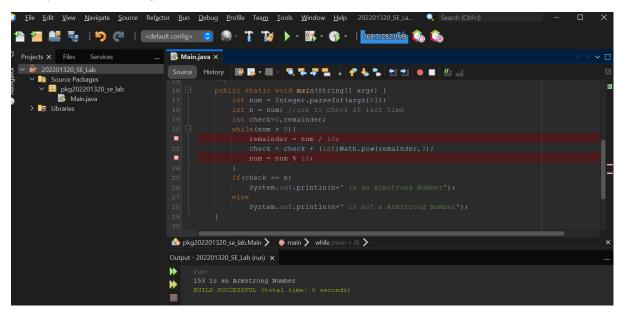
1. Concurrency issues (e.g., race conditions, deadlocks)

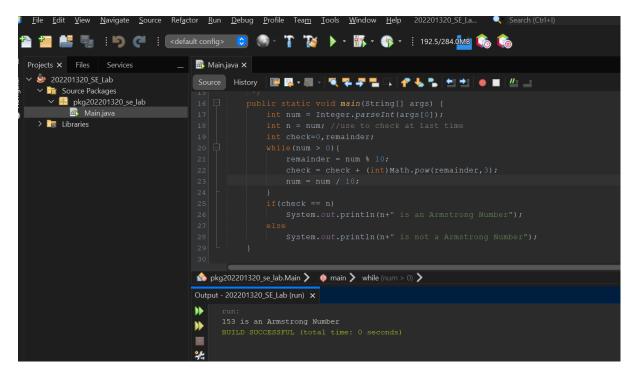
- 2. Performance bottlenecks (e.g., memory leaks)
- 3. Dynamic memory allocation failures
- 4. File handling and external dependency errors
- 5. Logic errors from unexpected user input
- 4. Is the program inspection technique is worth applicable?

Yes, the program inspection technique is worth applying. It helps identify many common issues, such as data reference errors, variable initialization issues, control-flow mistakes, and logical errors at an early stage. By reviewing code systematically, inspection can prevent bugs before they manifest during runtime, reducing debugging time and improving code quality. However, it is most effective when combined with dynamic testing to catch runtime-specific issues.

Part 2: Code debugging: Using Netbeans IDE

1) Armstrong Number





The error in this code is that remainder is calculated wrongly and this leads to error in the main().

2) GCD_LCM

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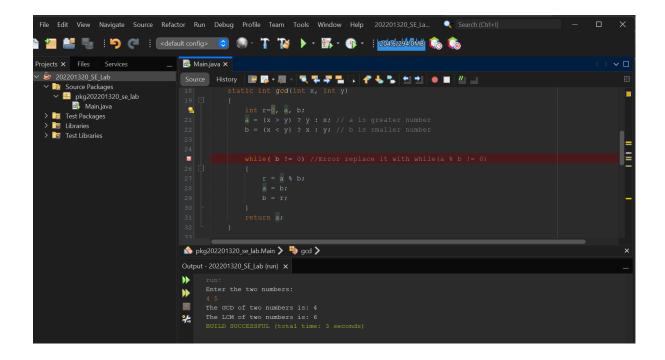
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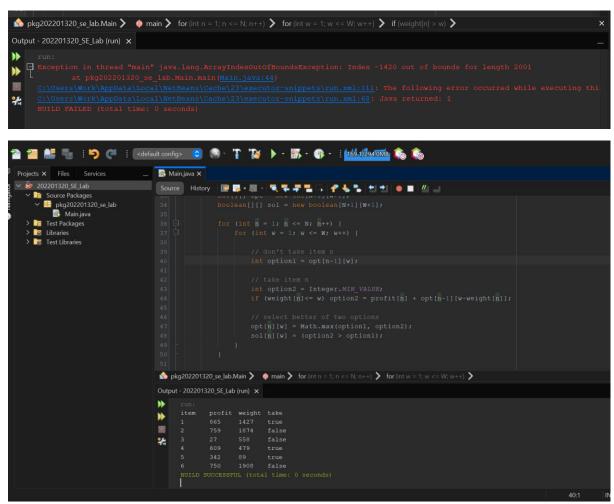
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Here the while loop should be a%b!=0 instead of a%b==0 and thus it throws ArithmeticExpression error.

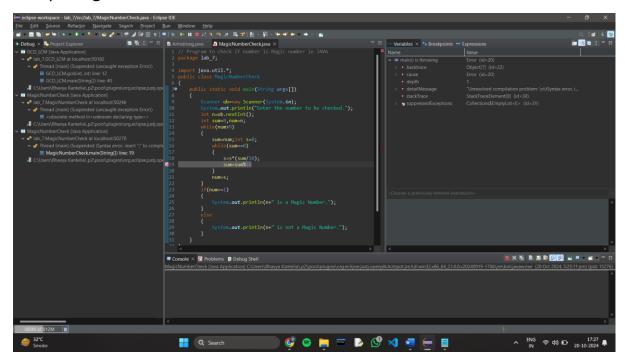


3) KnapSack Problem



Error here is incorrect index update of n-1 which should be n++ which causes main out of bound error.

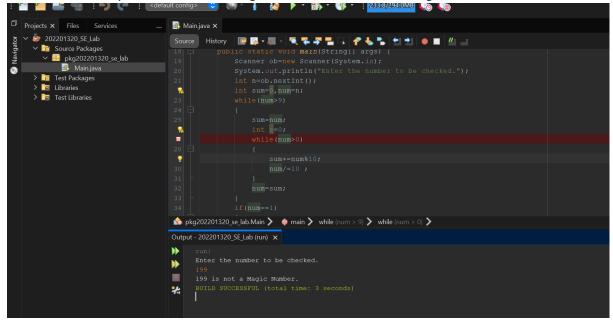
4) MagicNumberCheck



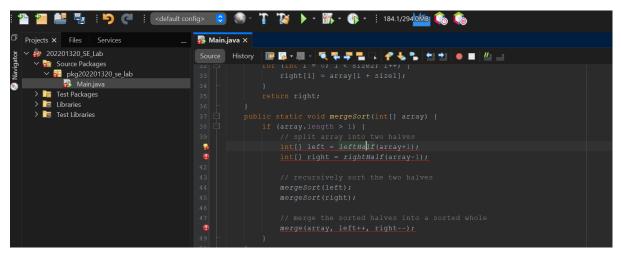
Original Condition: while (sum == 0)

This condition would never execute if sum is initialized to a non-zero value (which it is, since it starts as num).

As a result, the loop meant to sum the digits wouldn't run at all, leading to incorrect or no



5) MergeSort



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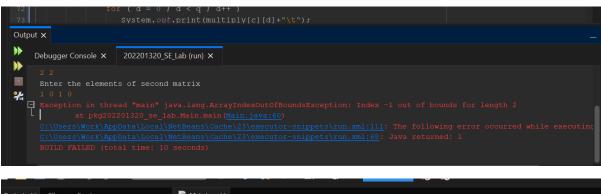
prun:
before: [14, 32, 67, 76, 23, 41, 58, 85]
after: [14, 32, 67, 76, 23, 41, 58, 85]
BUILD SUCCESSFUL (total time: 1 second)
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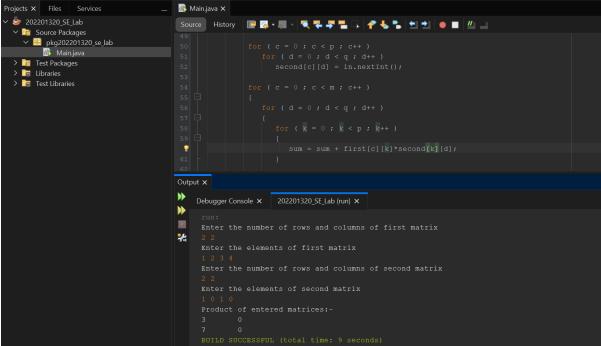
array + 1 and array -1:

This is invalid because you cannot perform arithmetic operations on an array reference. In Java (and many programming languages), adding or subtracting integers directly to/from an array reference does not make sense, as arrays are objects and not numeric types. If you want to access elements, you would use an

index, like array[i]. Subtracting from an array reference does not yield a meaningful result in terms of accessing its element.

6) Matrix Multiplication





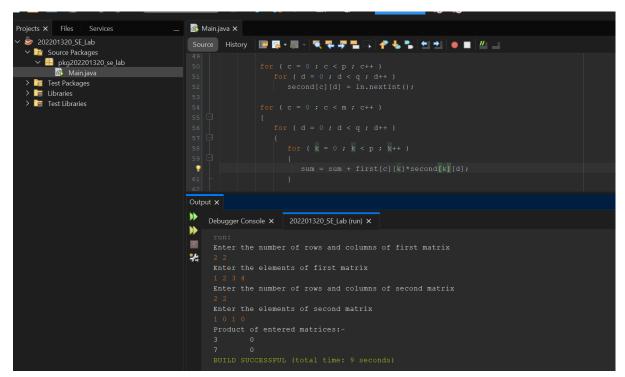
The correct indices should be:

For the first matrix, use first[c][k], which refers to the k-th element in the c-th row.

For the second matrix, use second[k][d], which refers to the k-th element in the d-th column.

Using indices like first[c-1][c-k] and second[k-1][k-d] can lead to invalid references, resulting in negative values or accessing incorrect elements. This is because matrix indices need to stay within valid bounds based on the structure of the matrices involved.

7) Quadratic Probing



i + = (i + h / h--) % maxSize; is invalid syntax. It should be i = (i + h * h++) % maxSize;. The += operator should be properly placed, and the arithmetic operation should use * for quadratic probing, not /.

8) Ascending

Incorrect Output:

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Output X

Debugger Console X 202201320_SE_Lab (run) X

run:
Enter no. of elements you want in array:5
Enter all the elements:
1 12 2 9 7
Pagending Order:12 1 2 9 7
Pagending Order:12 1 2 9 7
Pagending Order:13 1 2 9 7
```

Correct Output:

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Output X

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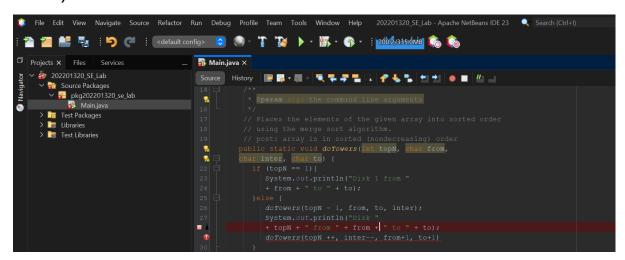
run:
Enter no. of elements you want in array:5
Enter all the elements:
9 8 7 6 4
Ascending Order:4,6,7,8,9BUILD SUCCESSFUL (total time: 5 seconds)
```

The class name Ascending _Order has a space, which is not allowed in Java. The space should be removed or replaced with an underscore (_) if you want to separate words. The condition for (int i = 0; $i \ge n$; i + +); is incorrect because $i \ge n$ means the loop will never run, and there is an unnecessary semicolon (;) at the end of the loop. The correct condition should be i < n. In the inner if condition, you are checking if (a[i] <= a[j]), which will sort the array in descending order. You should change it to if (a[i] > a[j]) to sort the array in ascending order. The final loop prints the array elements separated by commas but incorrectly leaves a trailing comma.

9) Stack

In the push method, top-- is used, which decrements top, but it should be top++ to increment the position for inserting a new value. In the display method, the condition for(int i=0;i>top;i++) is incorrect, as it will never execute. The condition should be i <= top to display all elements from index 0 to top. In the pop method, it only increments the top but doesn't actually remove the element or return it. For a correct stack implementation, you should return the popped value, and it should also decrement the top pointer

10) TowerOfHanoi



The expressions topN++, inter--, from + 1, and to + 1 are incorrect in the context of the recursive calls. The parameters should be passed unchanged (no increment or decrement) to maintain the correct behavior of the algorithm. The topN decrement in the recursive calls should be topN - 1, not topN ++.

Correct Output:

```
Debugger Console X 202201320_SE_Lab (run) X

run:
Disk 1 from A to C
Disk 2 from A to B
Disk 1 from C to B
Disk 3 from A to C
Disk 1 from B to A
Disk 2 from B to C
Disk 1 from A to C
Disk 1 from B to A
Disk 2 from B to C
Disk 1 from A to C
Disk 1 from A to C
```