## Create a Class

A circle in the Cartesian plane can be described uniquely by its centre and its radius. Thus, a class Circle that represents such circles should consist of information x-coordinate and y-coordinate of centre and radius.

- 1. Create a class Circle with the required instance fields.
- 2. Write the accessor and mutator methods for the instance fields.
- 3. Write a constructor method that has no parameters. The method should construct a Circle object with centre (0,0) and radius 1.
- 4. Write a constructor method that has three parameters representing the coordinates of the centre and the radius of the object to the constructed. The method should ensure that the circle's radius is not negative by changing the sign of any negative radius parameters.
- 5. Write a constructor method with a parameter, an object of type Circle. The method should construct a new Circle object with the same field values as those of the parameter.
- 6. Write an instance method area that returns, as a double value, the area of its implicit Circle object.
- 7. Write a method smaller that could be called by a statement like c3 = c1.smaller(c2); where c1, c2, and c3 are objects of type Circle. The method should make c3 refer to smaller of the circles represents by c1 and c2 (or c1 if c1 and c2 are the same size)
- 8. Write a method distance that would return the distance between the centre of the two circles specified by the implicit and the explicit object parameters.
- 9. Write the boolean-valued instance method is isInside that could be called by a statement like

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boolean contained = c1.isInside(c2);
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The method should return true if c1 is entirely inside c2 and return false otherwise.

10. Write a boolean instance method called equals that return true if and only if one Circle has identical centre and radius as another one.

- 11. Write a toString method for the Circle class. For a Circle object with x=3, y=-4, and r=2, the toString method should return a String with the value:
  - "centre: (3, -4) radius: 2".
- 12. Create a class TestCircle which contains the main method. The main method should perform the following actions:
  - a. Create two Circle objects c1, representing the circle with centre (4, -1) and radius 3, and c2, representing the circle with centre (3, -2) and radius 5.
  - b. Find and print the area of c1.
  - c. Determine the smaller of c1 and c2 and then print its centre and radius.
  - d. Deter whether or not c2 lies entirely within c1 and print an appropriate statement.
  - e. Create a new reference, c3, to c1
  - f. Create a new Circle object c4, with the same centre and radius as c1.
- 13. Draw diagrams to illustrate the results of executing the code in 12e and 12f.
- 14. What is the value of the expression c1 == c3?
- 15. What is the value of the expression c1 = c4?
- 16. What is the value of the expression cl.equals (c4)?