

Advanced Object Oriented Programming – Inheritance, super, Polymorphism

1. Suppose that a program contains the following classes.

```
class A {  
    public A() {  
        System.out.print("A");  
    }  
}  
  
class B extends A {  
    public B() {  
        System.out.print("B");  
    }  
}
```

What, if anything, would be printed by each of the following statements if they appeared in the main method of the program?

- a) `A a = new A();`
- b) `B b = new B();`
- c) `A c = new B();`

2. Suppose a program is to use the classes `Book` and `History` (extending `Book`).

- a) In which class should each of the following fields be declared:

- `title`
- `timePeriod`
- `author`

- b) Write a constructor for the class `Book` with header

```
public Book (String title, String author)
```

- c) Write a constructor for the class `History` with header

```
public History (String title, String author,  
String timePeriod)
```

- d) Write a `toString` method for the `Book` class.

- e) Write a `toString` method for the `History` class.