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Pseudocode Assignment

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1. “Gas” Problem

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a. Inputs:

- i. Price per gallon
- ii. Number of gallons of gas that were purchased
- iii. Whether person pays by cash or credit

b. Outputs:

- i. The price a person will pay for gas

c. Error Conditions:

- i. Zero (0) being inputted
- ii. If no payment method is specified (neither cash nor credit)

d. Pseudocode Algorithm:

READ pricePerGallon

READ numGallons

READ cash(boolean)

READ credit(boolean)

IF pricePerGallon <= 0 OR numGallons <= 0 THEN

 DISPLAY errorMessage: "Neither the price per gallon nor the number of gallons purchased can be 0 or negative."

ENDIF

IF cash(boolean) is false AND credit(boolean) is false THEN

 DISPLAY errorMessage: "Please specify a payment method."

ENDIF

COMPUTE totalPrice AS pricePerGallon * numGallons

IF credit(boolean) is true THEN

 COMPUTE totalPrice AS totalPrice * 1.1

ENDIF

DISPLAY totalPrice

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e. Test cases:

<u>pricePerGallon</u>	<u>numGallons</u>	<u>cash(boolean)</u>	<u>credit(boolean)</u>	<u>totalPrice</u>
<u>0</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>ERROR</u>
<u>=</u>	<u>-2</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>ERROR</u>
<u>3</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>true</u>	<u>false</u>	<u>15</u>
<u>2</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>false</u>	<u>true</u>	<u>17.6</u>
<u>=</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>false</u>	<u>false</u>	<u>ERROR</u>
<u>-2.5</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>ERROR</u>
<u>=</u>	<u>-4</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>ERROR</u>

- f. Minimum number of operations: 7
g. Maximum number of operations: 12

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2. “Train Ticket for One Person” Problem

a. Inputs:

- i. Person’s age
- ii. Whether the ticket is bought at the station (yes/no)
- iii. Whether the ticket is bought on the train (yes/no)

b. Outputs:

- i. Price of a ticket

c. Error Conditions:

- i. Age being less than 0 (no negative numbers allowed as inputs)
- ii. Age being above 120
- iii. If no location of where the ticket was bought is specified (neither at station nor in train)

d. Pseudocode Algorithm:

READ age

READ station(boolean)

READ train(boolean)

IF station(boolean) is false AND train(boolean) is false THEN

 DISPLAY errorMessage: “Please specify a location where the ticket was bought (either at the station or on the train).”

IF age < 0 OR age > 120 THEN

 DISPLAY errorMessage: "Age cannot be below 0 or above 120."

ELSE IF age < 7 THEN

 SET price TO 0

ELSE IF age > 65 THEN

 SET price TO 7.5

ELSE

 SET price TO 13.2

ENDIF

IF train(boolean) is true THEN

 COMPUTE price AS price * 1.2

ENDIF

DISPLAY price

e. Test cases:

<u>age</u>	<u>station(boolean)</u>	<u>train(boolean)</u>	<u>price</u>
<u>-2</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>ERROR</u>
<u>145</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>=</u>	<u>ERROR</u>
<u>=</u>	<u>false</u>	<u>false</u>	<u>ERROR</u>
<u>4</u>	<u>true</u>	<u>false</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>82</u>	<u>false</u>	<u>true</u>	<u>9</u>
<u>43</u>	<u>false</u>	<u>true</u>	<u>15.84</u>
<u>43</u>	<u>true</u>	<u>false</u>	<u>13.2</u>

- f. Minimum number of operations: 6
g. Maximum number of operations: 13

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3. “WCSIII FM” Problem

a. Inputs:

i. Number of hours spent programming per month

b. Outputs:

i. The prize that is received

c. Error Conditions:

i. Number of hours inputted is less than 0 (negative)

d. Pseudocode Algorithm:

READ hours

IF hours < 0 THEN

____ DISPLAY errorMessage: "Number of hours spent programming cannot be a negative number."

ELSE IF hours = 0 THEN

____ Set prize TO nothing

ELSE IF hours >= 1 AND hours <= 5 THEN

____ SET prize TO tshirt

ELSE IF hours >= 6 AND hours <= 400 THEN

____ IF (hours + 1) % 10 = 0 THEN

____ SET prize TO laptop

____ ENDIF

____ IF hours % 2 = 0 THEN

____ SET prize TO hat

____ ENDIF

____ IF hours % 3 = 0 THEN

____ SET prize TO tv

____ ENDIF

____ IF hours % 2 = 0 AND hours % 3 = 0 THEN

____ SET prize TO hat and tv

____ ENDIF

____ IF (hours + 1) % 10 = 0 AND hours % 3 = 0 THEN

____ SET prize TO laptop and tv

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ENDIF
IF (hours + 1) % 10 != 0 AND hours % 2 != 0 AND hours % 3 != 0 THEN
    SET prize TO nothing
ENDIF
ELSE
    SET prize TO cat
ENDIF
DISPLAY prize
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e. Test cases:

hours	prize
-2	ERROR
0	nothing
4	shirt
19	laptop
8	hat
15	tv
9	laptop and tv
6	hat and tv
7	nothing
561	cat

f. Minimum number of operations: 3

g. Maximum number of operations: 26

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4. “Lucky Sevens” Problem

a. Inputs:

i. Whole number

b. Outputs:

i. The number of sevens that appear in the given whole number

c. Error Conditions:

i. Whole number inputted cannot be negative

d. Pseudocode Algorithm:

READ number

SET count AS 0

IF number < 0 THEN

DISPLAY errorMessage: "Number inputted must be a positive integer."

ENDIF

WHILE number != 0

IF number % 10 = 7 THEN

ADD 1 TO count

ENDIF

COMPUTE number AS number / 10

ENDWHILE

DISPLAY count

e. Test cases:

<u>number</u>	<u>count</u>
<u>-7</u>	<u>ERROR</u>
<u>37227773</u>	<u>4</u>
<u>70707</u>	<u>3</u>
<u>7</u>	<u>1</u>
<u>1023</u>	<u>0</u>

f. Minimum number of operations: 4

g. Maximum number of operations: $5 + 3n$ (where n is number of digits in the given whole number)

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