## **ICP2 REPORT**

1. Explain the difference between Counter.count and self\_count Counter.count: Scope: Shared across all instances of the Counter class. Purpose: Keeps track of a value common to all instances. In this case, it tracks the total number of increments made by all instances. Access: Can be accessed using Counter.count or any instance (instance.count), but modifying it affects all instances. self.\_count (Instance Variable): Scope: Specific to the individual instance. Purpose: Keeps track of a value unique to that instance. In this case, it tracks the number of increments made to that particular instance. Access: Accessed using self within instance methods.

2.What is the output of a.get\_counts() and b.get\_counts() a.get\_counts():Returns: "Instance count: 2, Class count: 3" b.get\_counts():Returns: "Instance count: 1, Class count: 3"

3"How does the increment method affect both the class and instance variables?Instance Variable:Effect: Increases by 1 each time the increment method is called on that instance. This reflects the count of increments specific to that instance. Class Variable (Counter.count):Effect: Also increases by 1 each time the increment method is called on any instance. This reflects the total number of increments across all instances.while Counter.count tracks the total number of increments across all instances. The increment method modifies both variables, demonstrating how instance and class variables interact in Python classes

