## 4.03 Assignment Instructions

**Instructions:** Write a program to calculate your heart rate target zone.

1. Create a new project called 4.03 Heart Rate Target Zone in your Mod04 Assignments folder.



- 2. Create a class called TargetZone in the newly created project folder.
- 3. Before beginning the assignment, make sure that you can accurately <u>measure your pulse</u>.
- 4. Then learn about the <u>Karvonen Formula</u> for determining your target heart rate.
- 5. Ask the user to enter their age, resting heart rate, and heart rate after exercising.
- 6. Calculate the heart rate target zone, using the Karvonen Formula. The following values are needed:
  - Resting Heart Rate (RHR): your pulse at rest
  - Maximum Heart Rate (MHR): 206.9 (0.67 \* your age)
  - Heart Rate Reserve (HRR): Maximum Heart Rate Resting Heart Rate
  - Lower end of the training zone at 65 percent: (Heart Rate Reserve \*0.65) + Resting Heart Rate
  - Upper end of the training zone at 85 percent: (Heart Rate Reserve\*0.85) + Resting Heart Rate
- 7. Display the upper and lower limits of the heart rate target zone.
- 8. Display whether or not the exercise heart rate falls between the upper and lower limits of the target zone. You may need to use more than one **if** statement.
- 9. Once the program runs correctly, if you are medically able, perform a few minutes of light exercise and enter your own resting and exercising heart rate and determine your personal target heart rate zone.

**Expected Output:** When your program runs correctly, you should see output similar to the following screen shot.

