

Course Name:	Object Oriented Programming	Semester:	III
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Experiment No: 3
Title: Concept of static method and recursive function

Aim and Objective of the Experiment:
Learn the concept of static method and recursive function in Java

COs to be achieved:
CO1: Understand concepts of Object Oriented Programming and basic characteristics of Java.

Tools used:
Notepad, Command Prompt

Theory:
(About static method)

Code:
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Write a recursive function 'GCD' to find the GCD of the given two numbers. Use this in main to find the GCD and LCM two given numbers. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Variation 1: Implementation with One class only Variation 2: Accessibility with static and non-static methods within class and outside class. <p>Note : For input use <i>command-line-argument</i> instead of <i>scanner</i></p>

Program:

```
class MathOperations
{
    public static int gcdStatic(int a, int b)
    {
        if (b == 0)
            return a;
        return gcdStatic(b, a % b);
    }

    public int lcmNonStatic(int a, int b)
    {
        return (a * b) / gcdStatic(a, b);
    }
}

public class GCDLCMMain
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        if (args.length < 2)
        {
            System.out.println("Please enter two numbers:");
            return;
        }

        int num1 = Integer.parseInt(args[0]);
        int num2 = Integer.parseInt(args[1]);

        int gcdValue = MathOperations.gcdStatic(num1, num2);
        MathOperations mathOps = new MathOperations();
        int lcmValue = mathOps.lcmNonStatic(num1, num2);

        System.out.println("GCD of " + num1 + " and " + num2 + " = " + gcdValue);
        System.out.println("LCM of " + num1 + " and " + num2 + " = " + lcmValue);
    }
}
```

Output:

```
Command Prompt
C:\Users\acads\Desktop>java GCDLCMain 12 6
GCD of 12 and 6 = 6
LCM of 12 and 6 = 12
C:\Users\acads\Desktop>
```

Post Lab Subjective/Objective type Questions:

1. Write a recursive static method for calculation of factorial of n number.

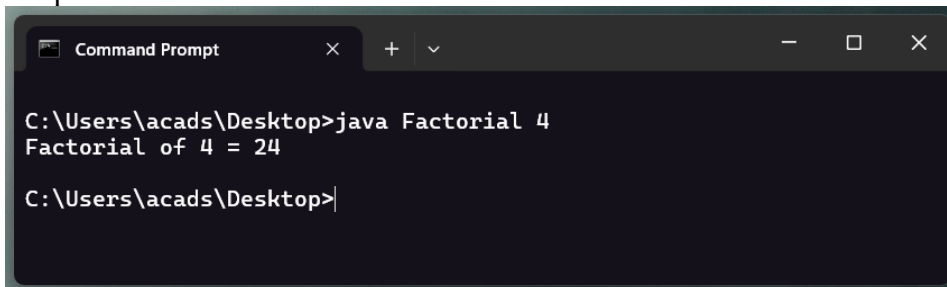
Program:

```
public class Factorial
{
    public static long factorial(int n)
    {
        if (n == 0 || n == 1)
            return 1;
        return n * factorial(n - 1);
    }

    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        if (args.length < 1)
        {
            System.out.println("Please enter a number as command-line
arg.");
            return;
        }

        int num = Integer.parseInt(args[0]);
        long result = factorial(num);
        System.out.println("Factorial of " + num + " = " + result);
    }
}
```

Output:



```
Command Prompt
C:\Users\acads\Desktop>java Factorial 4
Factorial of 4 = 24
C:\Users\acads\Desktop>
```

2. What are command-line-argument and how are they used?

Ans:

Command-line arguments are values passed to a program when it starts, given after the program name in the terminal.

They are stored in `String[] args` in Java's main method and let you provide input without using Scanner.

Conclusion:

This experiment demonstrated the use of static methods and recursion in Java by implementing programs for GCD, LCM, and factorial calculation using command-line arguments. It reinforced the understanding of method accessibility (static and non-static), recursive logic, and passing inputs at runtime without interactive prompts.

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