

CMSC330 Fall 2011 Example Quiz #1

Name _____

Discussion Time (circle one): 9am 10am 11am 12pm 1pm 2pm

Instructions

- Do not start this test until you are told to do so!
- You have 15 minutes for this quiz.
- This is a closed book exam. No notes or other aids are allowed.
- Answer essay questions concisely in 2-3 sentences. Longer answers are not needed.
- For partial credit, show all of your work and clearly indicate your answers.
- Write neatly. Credit cannot be given for illegible answers.

1. (4 pts) Describe a benefit of using implicit declarations in Ruby.
2. (12 pts) What is the output (if any) of the following Ruby programs? Write FAIL if code does not execute.
 - a. (3 pts)

```
puts "Win" if 1 < 0
puts "The" if 0 < 1
if 0 then
  puts "Future"
end
```

Output =
 - b. (3 pts)

```
a = [5."foo",2.1]
puts "Found #{x[1]}"
```

Output =
 - c. (3 pts)

```
a = { }
a["foo"] = 2
puts a[1]
```

Output =
 - d. (3 pts)

```
a = [ ]
a[2] = 5
a.each { |x| puts x }
```

Output =

3. (14 pts) Given an array of strings x , write a Ruby method `printRepeats(x)` using Hash and code blocks to print out all strings in S followed by the number of occurrences, with each string on a separate line.

Some helpful functions (not all need to be used):

<code>a = h.keys</code>	// returns keys in hash <code>h</code> as an array <code>a</code>
<code>a = h.values</code>	// returns values in hash <code>h</code> as an array <code>a</code>
<code>b = a.sort</code>	// <code>b</code> = new array similar to <code>a</code> , but in sorted order
<code>a.sort!</code>	// sorts elements of array <code>a</code> in place
<code>a.size</code>	// number of elements in the array
<code>a.each { ... }</code>	// apply code block to each element in array
<code>a.push / a.pop</code>	// treat array as stack

Example Input (value of x)	Example Output
$x = ["c", "b", "a", "b", "a", "d", "b"]$	a 2 b 3 c 1 d 1

Answer:

`def printRepeats(x)`