

Section B - question list (for those who want to revisit)

I was asked by a student if I would be willing/able to make the Section B questions from the test available, particularly the last question so students who wanted to could have another go at them in their own time, for their own understanding.

"Q6 in particular - I don't want to let it beat me! 😊"

These will of course be available once marking is completed and feedback is available, but in the meantime probably no big issue in putting the question list up a bit earlier for students to have a go at. I'm also putting up a Programming Challenge related to Q6, so probably helpful to see the original question as a refresher.

So Questions below:

Question 1

Write a method (only) that will accept two double values and return the largest value. (assume the numbers are always different values).

Provide the method (only)

Question 2

Write a method that will contain a **While** loop that will start a countdown from 10 (inclusive) and end at 1 (inclusive) but interrupt the loop so that it stops as the counter reaches 5. Such that the output will be ...

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Abort

Provide the method (only)

Question 3

Complete the following code snippet - (assume the user will always enter a positive number so no error checking required here)

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    int number;
    // TODO
    // 1. Prompt the user for a positive number. (assume the user will always enter a positive number)
    // 2. Read in the number
    // 3. Output ZERO TAIL or NON-ZERO TAIL (as determined by the last digit of the input number) - eg. 250 gives ZERO TAIL, 99 gives NON-ZERO TAIL
}
```

Provide the complete class

Question 4

Complete the code as per the TODO comments

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    int[] myArray = {4,9,2,13,7};
    // TODO : output the elements of the array (on one line) (note a loop must be used for this)

    // TODO : update each element in the array by 5. e.g. the first element (initialed as 2) is updated to 7

    // TODO : output to screen the POSITION of the smallest value in the array
}
```

Provide the complete class

Question 5

Rewrite the following code snippet using the **conditional / ternary operator** to replace the following **if .. else** statement to achieve the same functionality.

```
char response = 'y';
if (response == 'y') {
    System.out.println("You Chose Yes");
} else {
    System.out.println("OK Goodbye");
}
```

Provide the snippet (only)

Question 6

Complete the following code to achieve the functionality as per the TODO comments :

Paste the full contents of your Class file as your answer.

```
String name;
name= "QUB Computer Science"; //assume name will only ever contain Letters/Spaces (no punctuation etc)
//You can also assume it will start and end with letters
(no trailing whitespace etc)
```

```
// TODO : change name to upper case and output to screen.
```

```
// TODO : write a method which will count and return the number of occurrences of a given character in a String. Use it to output the number of spaces in name to the screen.
```

```
// TODO : output to screen the total number of words in the input String name i.e. 3 for "QUB Computer Science".
```

```
// TODO : replace QUB in name with QUEENS UNIVERSITY BELFAST and output the String to screen.
```

```
// TODO : output the total number of vowels in name to the screen (a, e, i, o, u) - both upper and lowercase occurrences should be counted.
```

```
// TODO : output a sorted version of the sentence in ascending order by character to screen.
```

```
// Note space characters will normally be sorted in ascending order before Alphabetic characters.
```

Provide the complete class