

**Instructions:**

1. Click on File -> Make a copy

**Include your IPO Chart with your code in Eclipse IDE:** We will discuss and demonstrate this in the computer lab.

## **IPO CHART**

Program name:	Necklace Problem (Necklace)	
INPUT	PROCESS	OUTPUT
Hint: What will the user input?	Hint: What is the program going to do with the input information?	Hint: What will the screen display after user input?
The user will be prompted to enter 2 single digit numbers ( <i>int</i> )  Eg. Enter the first starting number (0-9): 4 Enter the second starting number (0-9): 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <b>Sequence Storage:</b> A (<i>String</i>) variable, (<i>sequence</i>), is initialized with the starting numbers (<i>startNum1</i> and <i>startNum2</i>) to build the final output.</li><li>- <b>Step Counter:</b> An (<i>int</i>) variable, (<i>steps</i>), is initialized to 0 to count the number of new digits generated.</li><li>- <b>Loop Control:</b> A (<i>do-while</i>) loop executes repeatedly until the current pair (<i>currentNum1</i> and <i>currentNum2</i>) exactly matches the starting pair (<i>startNum1</i> and <i>startNum2</i>), signifying the end of the necklace cycle.</li><li>- <b>Calculation:</b> Inside the loop, the (<i>int</i>) variable (<i>nextNum</i>) is calculated using the formula:</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <b>Display Sequence:</b> The final contents of the (<i>String</i>) variable (<i>sequence</i>) are displayed to the user, showing the entire numerical necklace.</li><li>- <b>Display Steps:</b> The final value of the (<i>int</i>) variable (<i>steps</i>) is displayed, indicating the length of the cycle (the number of new numbers generated).</li></ul> <p>Eg. Generating the necklace sequence... --- Sequence: 5 6 1 7 8 5 3 8 1 9 0 9 9 8 7 5 2 7 9 6 5 1 6 7 3 0 3 3 6 9 5 4 9 3 2 5 7 2 9 1 0 1 1 2 3 5 8 3 1 4 5 9 4 3 7 0 7 7 4 1 5 6 Steps taken to close the necklace: 60</p>

	$(currentNum1 + currentNum2) \%$ 10. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Sequence Update:</b> The value of (<i>nextNum</i>) is concatenated onto the (<i>String</i>) variable sequence.</li> <li>- <b>Iteration Update:</b> The variables are shifted for the next step: (<i>currentNum1</i>) takes the old value of (<i>currentNum2</i>), and (<i>currentNum2</i>) takes the value of (<i>nextNum</i>).</li> <li>- <b>Step Counting:</b> The (<i>int</i>) variable (<i>steps</i>) is incremented.</li> </ul>	---
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