This assessment aims to test your understanding and problem-solving approach when asked to implement code that performs calculations specifically related to the maritime industry.

You need to create a software service that does the following:

- **Reads** input data from a **CSV file**. The information contained in the file concerns <u>metrics</u> that were collected by two different <u>vessels</u> over a specific period of <u>time</u>.
- Processes the metrics found in the file (more on that below).
- Provides a Rest API interface so that a user can request more information and statistics
 related to the data found in the original file, by calling a list of endpoints that need to be
 implemented.

The metrics found in the input file must be processed in the following ways:

- **Invalid data filtering**: The basic rules to identify whether a metric's value is considered invalid are if it is <u>below zero</u>, if it is completely <u>missing</u>, or if it can be considered an outlier. You can also add other checks if you want.
- **New metric calculation**: Simple calculations can be used for creating new metrics based on the provided ones.
- **Statistics calculation**: Both raw and calculated metrics can be utilized in the code, to gain insight on each vessel's performance.
- **Data merging**: Both raw and calculated metrics must be available to the user, for each waypoint.

The <u>Rest API</u> contained in the final deliverable, must be able to provide the user with the following information:

- [New metric calculation] For the vessel requested by the user, how much was the speed difference between the vessel's <u>actual</u> speed over ground and the speed over ground that was <u>proposed</u> by the system, at each waypoint (a waypoint being defined as a specific pair of coordinates).
- 2. **[Invalid data filtering]** For the **vessel** requested by the user, what **problems** were identified in the original data (based on the previously mentioned filtering), sorted by frequency of occurrence, descending.
- 3. **[Statistics calculation]** Which of the two vessels was **more compliant** with the system's suggestions. The compliance percentage per waypoint can be calculated based on how far from the <u>proposed</u> speed the vessel's <u>actual</u> speed was.
- 4. **[Data merging]** For a specified period of **time**, and for a specific **vessel**, retrieve all values for both raw and calculated metrics.
- 5. **[Statistics calculation Bonus]** For a specific **vessel**, identify groups of consecutive waypoints with problematic data and sort those groups by the number of problems found, descending. The user must be able to indicate a specific type of problem for which to retrieve information (e.g. outliers, missing values), if they want.

Keep the following things in mind while implementing your solution:

- You must include error handling in your code, to account for edge cases.
- You must ensure that all errors are properly logged.
- You must use Java 17/21 and SpringBoot 3.x, as well as any other library that facilitates an efficient implementation (up to 6 external libraries total).
- Directly retrieving the information from the CSV file, using an in-memory cache or storing it in a database is up to you to decide.

While the following are <u>not</u> hard requirements for this exercise, we will appreciate:

- Usage of object-oriented code and constructs.
- Taking into account concerns such as performance and maintainability. This also applies to SQL, if used.

You should deliver the following:

- 1. The **code** itself, in the form of a **private** GitHub/BitBucket/GitLab repository, to which we must be provided with access.
- 2. **Documentation** that describes how to <u>setup</u> and <u>use</u> the tool, what the <u>dependencies</u> are, and any assumptions taken into account during implementation.
- 3. **Documentation** in the code itself, with <u>iavadocs</u> and <u>comments</u> where necessary.
- 4. **Unit tests** that are descriptive of how your code should work.