

Exercise 10:

Submit your solutions (source code) to the questions below by email to your instructor and TA(s) by Monday, December 10th (16:30).

Question 1: Defining a template class (35 points).

This question will test your understanding on how to create a template class.

Please define a pair of elements named `MyPair` and parameterized over two types named `FirstType` and `SecondType`. `MyPair` contains two fields named `first` and `second`. Please provide a constructor for the class `MyPair` that takes both elements of the pair as arguments (see the code below). Save the code for `MyPair` in a file named `MyPair.h`. The code below is an example of how to manipulate objects of type `MyPair`:

```
#include <string>
#include <iostream>
#include "MyPair.h"

using namespace std;

int main(void) {
    MyPair<string, int> apair("one", 1);

    cout << "Pair: " << apair.first
```

```
    << " " << apair.second << endl;  
  
    return 0;  
}
```

Question 2: Defining a template function (35 points).

As seen during lecture, template functions have type inference while template classes do not. For that reason, it is common to find a template class paired with template functions that produce instances of the template class.

Write a template function: `make_myPair()` that takes as arguments the two elements of the pair and return a pair made with these two elements. Save the code for the function `make_myPair()` in the file `MyPair.h`. The code below shows how to use this function to make a pair:

```
#include <string>  
#include "MyPair.h"  
  
template < typename F, typename S >  
void print_pair(const MyPair<F, S>& pair) {  
    cout << pair.first << " "  
        << pair.second << endl;  
}  
  
int main(void) {  
    print_pair(make_myPair(string("one"), 1));  
}
```

```
    return 0;  
}
```

The advantage of using such template function is that if we need the pair as a parameter of a function, we can save typing by using a function such as `make_myPair` because we do not have to type the type of the pair's elements.

Question 3: More template class (30 points).

In [exercise 05](#), you wrote code for a stack of integers. Transform this code such that the stack holds elements of a given parametric type. The code below illustrates how to use this parametric type.

```
// test_ArrayStack.cpp  
#include <iostream>  
#include "ArrayStack.h"  
  
int main(void) {  
    ArrayStack<int> stack;  
    stack.push(1);  
    stack.push(4);  
    stack.push(5);  
  
    while (!stack.isEmpty()) {  
        cout << stack.pop() << endl;  
    }  
}
```

```
}  
    return 0;  
}
```