CS2030 Programming Methodology

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Abstraction, Encapsulation and Inheritance

1. Given the following program fragment.

```
class A {
    public int x = 5;
    public static int y = 1;

    public A() {
        x = x + 1;
        y = y + 1;
    }
}
```

By either creating a main method or using JShell, invoke the following:

```
A a1 = new A();
A a2 = new A();
```

- (a) After executing a1.x = 10, what is the value of a2.x?
- (b) After executing a1.y = 10, what is the value of a2.y?
- (c) What is the significance of the static keyword used during instance variable declaration? How is it useful?
- (d) Is A.x = 3 a valid statement? How about a1.x = 3 and A.y = 3?
- 2. Consider the following two classes:

```
public class P {
    private int x;
    public void changeSelf() {
        x = 1;
    }
    public void changeAnother(P p) {
        p.x = 1;
    }
}

public class Q {
    public void changeAnother(P p) {
        p.x = 1;
    }
}
```

- (a) Which line(s) above violate the private access modifier of x?
- (b) What does this say about the concept of an "abstraction barrier"?

3. Given the following class Circle.

```
public class Circle {
    Point centre;
    double radius;
    public Circle(Point centre, double radius) {
        this.centre = centre;
        this.radius = radius;
    }
    @Override
    public boolean equals(Object obj) {
        System.out.println("equals(Object) called");
        if (obj == this) {
            return true;
        }
        if (obj instanceof Circle) {
            Circle circle = (Circle) obj;
            return (circle.centre.equals(centre) && circle.radius == radius);
        } else {
            return false;
        }
    }
    public boolean equals(Circle circle) {
        System.out.println("equals(Circle) called");
        return circle.centre.equals(centre) && circle.radius == radius;
    }
}
In the following fragment
Circle c1 = new Circle(new Point(0, 0), 10);
Circle c2 = new Circle(new Point(0, 0), 10);
Object o1 = c1;
Object o2 = c2;
What is the output of the following statements?
(a) o1.equals(o2);
                                      (e) c1.equals(o2);
(b) o1.equals((Circle) o2);
                                      (f) c1.equals((Circle) o2);
(c) o1.equals(c2);
                                      (g) c1.equals(c2);
(d) o1.equals(c1);
                                      (h) c1.equals(o1);
```

4. Which of the following program fragments will result in a compilation error?

```
(a) class A {
       public void f(int x) {}
       public void f(boolean y) {}
(b) class A {
       public void f(int x) {}
       public void f(int y) {}
   }
(c) class A {
       private void f(int x) {}
       public void f(int y) {}
(d) class A {
       public int f(int x) {
           return x;
       public void f(int y) {}
   }
(e) class A {
       public void f(int x, String s) {}
       public void f(String s, int y) {}
   }
```

- 5. In Lecture #3, we designed the class Rectangle that inherits from the class Shape. Now we want to design a class Square that inherits from Rectangle. A square has the constraint that the four sides are of the same length.
 - (a) How should Square be implemented such that we obtain the following using JShell?

```
jshell Shape.java Rectangle.java Square.
java
| Welcome to JShell -- Version 9.0.4
| For an introduction type: /help intro

jshell> Square s = new Square(5)
s ==> Square with area 25.00 and perimeter 20.00
jshell>
```

(b) Do you think Square should inherit from Rectangle? Or should it be the other way around? Or maybe they should not inherit from each other?