Java Programming (4343203) Summer-2024 Solutions

Question 1(a): Explain Garbage collection in java. (Marks: 03)

Garbage Collection is Java's automatic memory management system.

- Purpose: Automatically deletes unused objects to free memory
- Working: JVM identifies objects with no references and removes them
- Benefits: Prevents memory leaks and manual memory management errors

Remember as "GC-APB":

Garbage collector Automatically Prevents memory leaks by Backing up memory

Question 1(b): Explain JVM in detail. (Marks: 04)

JVM (Java Virtual Machine) is the engine that runs Java programs.

Platform independence: Enables Java's "Write Once, Run Anywhere" capability

- · Components:
 - Class Loader: Loads class files into memory
 - Runtime Data Areas: Stores program data during execution
 - Execution Engine: Interprets bytecode into machine code
 - Garbage Collector: Removes unused objects

Remember as "LERG":

• Loads classes, Executes bytecode, Runs anywhere, Garbage collects

Question 1(c): Write a program in java to print Fibonacci series for N terms. (Marks: 07)

```
import java.util.Scanner;

public class FibonacciSeries {
    public static void main(string[] args) {
        // Get input from user
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.print("Enter number of terms: ");
        int n = sc.nextInt();

        // Initialize first two terms
        int first = 0, second = 1;

        System.out.println("Fibonacci Series for " + n + " terms:");

        // Loop to print series
```

Key Steps:

- Initialize: Start with first=0, second=1
- Print: Current first value
- Calculate: next = first + second
- Update: first = second and second = next
- Repeat: Until reaching N terms

Remember as "IPCUR":

• Initialize, Print, Calculate next, Update values, Repeat

Question 1(c OR): Write a program in java to find out minimum from any ten numbers using command line argument. (Marks: 07)

```
public class FindMinimum {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        // Check if we have enough arguments
        if (args.length < 10) {
            System.out.println("Please enter 10 numbers");
            return;
        }
        // Convert first argument to integer and assume it's minimum
        int min = Integer.parseInt(args[0]);
        // Check remaining numbers
        for (int i = 1; i < 10; i++) {
            int num = Integer.parseInt(args[i]);
            // Update minimum if current number is smaller
            if (num < min) {</pre>
                min = num;
            }
        }
        System.out.println("Minimum number is: " + min);
    }
}
```

Key Steps:

- Read: Get numbers from command line arguments
- Initialize: Set min = first number
- Compare: Check if each number is less than min
- Update: If current number is smaller, min = current number
- Output: Print the smallest number

Remember as "RICUO":

• Read arguments, Initialize minimum, Compare each number, Update if smaller, Output result

Question 2(a): List out basic concepts of Java OOP. Explain any one in details. (Marks: 03)

Basic OOP Concepts in Java:

- Encapsulation: Wrapping data and methods in a single unit (class)
- Inheritance: Creating new classes that reuse attributes of existing classes
- Polymorphism: Objects of different classes responding to the same method name
- Abstraction: Hiding implementation details, showing only essential features

Remember as "EIPA":

• Encapsulation, Inheritance, Polymorphism, Abstraction

Question 2(b): Explain final keyword with example. (Marks: 04)

final keyword makes Java elements **unchangeable/non-extendable**.

```
// Final variable (constant)
final double PI = 3.14159;

// Final method (cannot be overridden)
public final void displayInfo() {
    System.out.println("This method cannot be overridden");
}

// Final class (cannot be extended)
final class SecureClass {
    // Class implementation
}
```

Uses of final:

- final variable: Creates constants (cannot be reassigned)
- final method: Prevents method overriding in subclasses
- final class: Prevents class inheritance (no subclasses allowed)

Remember as "VCM":

• Variables become constants, Classes cannot be extended, Methods cannot be overridden

Question 2(c): What is constructor? Explain parameterized constructor with example. (Marks: 07)

Constructor is a special method that initializes objects when created.

```
public class Student {
   int id;
   String name;
   // Parameterized constructor
    public Student(int studentId, String studentName) {
       id = studentId;
                          // Initialize id
       name = studentName;
                              // Initialize name
   }
    public void display() {
       System.out.println("ID: " + id + ", Name: " + name);
    public static void main(String[] args) {
       // Create object using constructor
       Student s1 = new Student(101, "Ravi");
       s1.display();
   }
}
```

Parameterized Constructor:

- Accepts parameters when creating objects
- Initializes object attributes with provided values
- Has **same name as class** but with parameters
- No return type, not even void
- Automatically called when object is created using new

Remember as "PAINS":

• Parameters accepted, Attributes initialized, Identical name as class, No return type, Same-time execution as object creation

Question 2(a OR): Explain the Java Program Structure with example. (Marks: 03)

Java Program Structure:

```
// 1. Package declaration
package myprogram;

// 2. Import statements
import java.util.Scanner;

// 3. Class declaration
public class Helloworld {
```

```
// 4. Main method
public static void main(String[] args) {
    // 5. Program statements
    System.out.println("Hello World!");
}
```

Key Components:

- Package Declaration: Organizing related classes
- Import Statements: Accessing classes from other packages
- Class Declaration: Blueprint for objects
- · Main Method: Entry point of program
- Program Statements: Actual code instructions

Remember as "PICMS":

• Package, Imports, Class, Main method, Statements

Question 2(b OR): Explain static keyword with suitable example. (Marks: 04)

static keyword creates elements that **belong to class** rather than objects.

```
public class Counter {
    // Static variable (shared by all objects)
    static int count = 0;
    // Constructor
    Counter() {
        count++; // Increment counter
    // Static method
    static void displayCount() {
        System.out.println("Count: " + count);
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        // Call static method without object
        Counter.displayCount(); // Output: Count: 0
        // Create objects
        Counter c1 = new Counter();
        Counter c2 = new Counter();
        // Call static method again
        Counter.displayCount(); // Output: Count: 2
}
```

Uses of static:

- static variable: Single copy shared by all objects
- static method: Can be called without creating objects
- static block: Executed when class is loaded in memory

Remember as "COS":

• Class-level access, One copy shared, Same for all objects

Question 2(c OR): Define Inheritance. List out types of it. Explain multilevel and hierarchical inheritance with suitable example. (Marks: 07)

Inheritance is a mechanism where a new class **acquires properties** of an existing class.

Types of Inheritance:

- Single: One subclass extends one superclass
- **Multilevel**: Chain of inheritance ($A \rightarrow B \rightarrow C$)
- Hierarchical: Multiple subclasses extend one superclass
- Multiple: One class extends multiple classes (supported via interfaces)
- Hybrid: Combination of inheritance types

Multilevel Inheritance Example:

```
class Animal {
    void eat() { System.out.println("Eating..."); }
}

class Dog extends Animal {
    void bark() { System.out.println("Barking..."); }
}

class Puppy extends Dog {
    void weep() { System.out.println("Weeping..."); }

public static void main(string args[]) {
    Puppy p = new Puppy();
    p.eat(); // From Animal
    p.bark(); // From Dog
    p.weep(); // From Puppy
}
}
```

Hierarchical Inheritance Example:

```
class Animal {
    void eat() { System.out.println("Eating..."); }
}
class Dog extends Animal {
    void bark() { System.out.println("Barking..."); }
}
```

```
class Cat extends Animal {
  void meow() { System.out.println("Meowing..."); }

public static void main(String args[]) {
   Cat c = new Cat();
   c.eat(); // From Animal
   c.meow(); // From Cat

  Dog d = new Dog();
  d.eat(); // From Animal
  d.bark(); // From Dog
  }
}
```

Remember inheritance types as "SMHMH":

• Single, Multilevel, Hierarchical, Multiple, Hybrid

Question 3(a): Explain this keyword with suitable example. (Marks: 03)

this keyword refers to the **current object** in a method or constructor.

```
public class Student {
   int rollNo;
   String name;

// Constructor with parameters
Student(int rollNo, String name) {
     this.rollNo = rollNo; // this refers to current object
     this.name = name;
}

void display() {
   System.out.println(rollNo + " " + name);
}

public static void main(string args[]) {
   Student s1 = new Student(111, "Karan");
   s1.display();
}
```

Uses of this:

- **Differentiates** between instance variables and parameters
- Invokes current class methods/constructors
- Returns the current object

Remember as "DIR":

Differentiates variables, Invokes methods, Returns current object

Question 3(b): Explain different access controls in Java. (Marks: 04)

Access Modifiers control visibility of classes, methods, and variables.

Modifier	Class	Package	Subclass	World
private	√	X	X	X
default	√	✓	Х	X
protected	√	✓	✓	Х
public	√	✓	✓	✓

Access Levels:

- private: Accessible only within class
- default: Accessible within same package
- protected: Accessible within package and subclasses
- public: Accessible from anywhere

Remember with "PriDefProPub":

• **Pri**vate (class), **Def**ault (package), **Pro**tected (package+subclass), **Pub**lic (everywhere)

Question 3(c): What is interface? Explain multiple inheritance using interface with example. (Marks: 07)

Interface is a contract containing abstract methods and constants that classes must implement.

```
// Define interfaces
interface Printable {
    void print();
}

interface Showable {
    void show();
}

// Implement multiple interfaces
class Magazine implements Printable, Showable {
    // Implement all methods from both interfaces
    public void print() {
        System.out.println("Printing magazine...");
    }

    public void show() {
        System.out.println("Showing magazine...");
    }

    public static void main(String args[]) {
        Magazine m = new Magazine();
}
```

```
m.print();
m.show();
}
```

Interface Features:

- Enables multiple inheritance in Java
- Contains abstract methods (no implementation)
- Methods are implicitly **public abstract**
- Variables are implicitly public static final
- Classes implement interfaces (not extend)

Remember as "MAPLE":

• Multiple inheritance, Abstract methods only, Public by default, Like a contract, Easy implementation

Question 3(a OR): Explain super keyword with example. (Marks: 03)

super keyword refers to the parent class objects/methods.

```
class Animal {
   String color = "white";
   void eat() {
       System.out.println("Eating...");
}
class Dog extends Animal {
    String color = "black";
   void printColor() {
       System.out.println(color);
                                    // prints black
       System.out.println(super.color); // prints white
   void eat() {
       super.eat(); // calls parent class method
       System.out.println("Eating bread...");
   }
}
```

Uses of super:

- Access parent class variables
- Call parent class methods
- Call parent class constructor

Remember as "VMC":

• Access Variables, Methods, and Constructors of parent class

Question 3(b OR): What is package? Write steps to create a package and give example of it. (Marks: 04)

Package is a namespace that organizes related classes and interfaces.

Steps to Create Package:

- 1. **Declare** package at top of source file
- 2. **Compile** with javac -d option
- 3. Import package to use it in other classes

```
// Step 1: Declare package (save as Calculator.java)
package mathutils;

public class Calculator {
    public int add(int a, int b) {
        return a + b;
    }
}

// Step 2: Compile with javac -d . Calculator.java

// Step 3: Use the package in another class
import mathutils.Calculator;

class TestCalculator {
    public static void main(String args[]) {
        Calculator calc = new Calculator();
        System.out.println(calc.add(10, 20));
    }
}
```

Package Benefits:

- Organizes related classes
- Prevents naming conflicts
- Provides access control

Remember package creation as "DCI":

• Declare package, Compile with -d, Import to use

Question 3(c OR): Define: Method Overriding. List out Rules for method overriding. Write a java program that implements method overriding. (Marks: 07)

Method Overriding is redefining a method in subclass that is already defined in parent class.

```
class Animal {
  void makeSound() {
     System.out.println("Animal makes a sound");
}
```

```
class bog extends Animal {
    // Overridden method
    @override
    void makeSound() {
        System.out.println("Dog barks");
    }

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Animal myAnimal = new Animal();
        myAnimal.makeSound(); // Output: Animal makes a sound

        Dog myDog = new Dog();
        myDog.makeSound(); // Output: Dog barks

        // Polymorphism
        Animal animal = new Dog();
        animal.makeSound(); // Output: Dog barks
}
```

Rules for Method Overriding:

- Method must have **same name** as parent class
- Method must have **same parameters** as parent class
- Must be **IS-A relationship** (inheritance)
- Access modifier should be same or more permissive
- Return type must be same or covariant
- Cannot override **final** or **static** methods

Remember rules as "SPIARS":

• Same name, Parameters matching, Inheritance needed, Access same/wider, Return type same/subclass, Static/final can't be overridden

Question 4(a): Explain abstract class with suitable example. (Marks: 03)

Abstract Class is a **restricted class** that cannot be instantiated directly.

```
abstract class Shape {
    // Abstract method (no body)
    abstract void draw();

    // Concrete method
    void resize() {
        System.out.println("Resizing shape");
    }
}

class Circle extends Shape {
    // Implementing abstract method
```

```
void draw() {
    System.out.println("Drawing circle");
}

public static void main(String[] args) {
    // Shape s = new Shape(); // Error: Cannot instantiate
    Circle c = new Circle();
    c.draw();
    c.resize();
}
```

Abstract Class Features:

- Cannot be instantiated directly
- Can have abstract methods (no body)
- Can have concrete methods (with body)
- Subclasses must implement abstract methods

Remember as "NACI":

• No instantiation, Abstract methods allowed, Concrete methods allowed, Implementation required

Question 4(b): What is Thread? Explain Thread life cycle. (Marks: 04)

Thread is a **lightweight process** that enables concurrent execution.

Thread Life Cycle States:

- New: Thread created but not started
- Runnable: Thread ready to run
- Running: Currently executing
- Blocked/Waiting: Temporarily inactive
- Terminated: Completed execution

Transitions:

- start(): New → Runnable
- run(): Runnable → Running
- sleep()/wait(): Running → Waiting
- **notify()**: Waiting → Runnable
- run() completes: Running → Terminated

Remember as "NRWBT":

• New, Runnable, Running, Waiting/Blocked, Terminated

Question 4(c): Write a program in java that creates the multiple threads by implementing the Thread class. (Marks: 07)

```
class MyThread extends Thread {
   private String threadName;
```

```
// Constructor
    public MyThread(String name) {
        this.threadName = name;
    // Override run method
    @override
    public void run() {
       try {
            for (int i = 1; i \le 3; i++) {
                System.out.println(threadName + ": Count " + i);
                Thread.sleep(1000); // Pause for 1 second
            }
        } catch (InterruptedException e) {
            System.out.println(threadName + " interrupted.");
        }
        System.out.println(threadName + " finished.");
   }
}
public class MultiThreadDemo {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        // Create multiple threads
        MyThread thread1 = new MyThread("Thread-1");
        MyThread thread2 = new MyThread("Thread-2");
        // Start threads
        thread1.start();
        thread2.start();
        System.out.println("Main thread finished.");
    }
}
```

Creating Multiple Threads:

- Extend Thread class: Create a subclass that extends Thread
- Override run() method: Define what thread will do
- Create thread objects: Instantiate your thread subclass
- Call start() method: Begin thread execution

Remember as "ECOS":

• Extend Thread, Create the run method, Object creation, Start the thread

Question 4(a OR): Explain final class with suitable example. (Marks: 03)

final class is a class that **cannot be extended** (no subclasses allowed).

```
final class FinalClass {
  void display() {
```

```
System.out.println("This is a final class");
}

// Error: Cannot extend final class
// class ChildClass extends FinalClass {
// ...
// }

class FinalClassDemo {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
      FinalClass fc = new FinalClass();
      fc.display();
   }
}
```

Benefits of final class:

- Security: Prevents modification of sensitive classes
- Immutability: Ensures class behavior isn't altered
- Optimization: Compiler can optimize final classes

Remember as "SIO":

• Security enhancement, Immutability guarantee, Optimization friendly

Question 4(b OR): Explain thread priorities with suitable example. (Marks: 04)

Thread Priority determines the **importance** of a thread's execution.

```
class PriorityThread extends Thread {
    PriorityThread(String name) {
        super(name);
   }
    public void run() {
        System.out.println("Running thread: " +
                           getName() +
                           ", Priority: " +
                           getPriority());
   }
}
public class ThreadPriorityDemo {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        // Create threads
        PriorityThread t1 = new PriorityThread("Low Priority");
        PriorityThread t2 = new PriorityThread("Normal Priority");
        PriorityThread t3 = new PriorityThread("High Priority");
        // Set priorities
        t1.setPriority(Thread.MIN_PRIORITY);
```

Priority Details:

- Range from 1 (MIN_PRIORITY) to 10 (MAX_PRIORITY)
- Default is 5 (NORM_PRIORITY)
- Higher priority thread **gets preference** in execution
- Priority is only a hint to scheduler, not guaranteed

Remember as "RPH":

• Range 1-10, Preference for higher values, Hint for scheduler

Question 4(c OR): What is Exception? Write a program that shows the use of Arithmetic Exception. (Marks: 07)

Exception is an **abnormal condition** that disrupts the normal flow of program.

```
public class ArithmeticExceptionDemo {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        try {
            // Code that may cause exception
            int a = 30, b = 0;
            System.out.println("Trying to divide: " + a + "/" + b);
            // This will throw ArithmeticException
            int result = a / b;
            // This won't execute if exception occurs
            System.out.println("Result: " + result);
        } catch (ArithmeticException e) {
            // Exception handler
            System.out.println("Exception caught: " + e.getMessage());
            System.out.println("Cannot divide by zero!");
        } finally {
            // Always executes
            System.out.println("Finally block executed");
        }
        System.out.println("Rest of the code continues...");
   }
}
```

Exception Handling Elements:

- try: Contains code that might throw exception
- catch: Handles the exception
- finally: Executes regardless of exception
- throw: Manually throws an exception
- throws: Declares exceptions method might throw

Remember as "TCFTTS":

• Try risky code, Catch problems, Finally clean up, Throw when needed, Throws to declare, Safe execution

Question 5(a): Write a Java Program to find sum and average of 10 numbers of an array. (Marks: 03)

```
public class ArraySumAverage {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        // Initialize array
        int[] numbers = {10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90, 100};
        // Variables for sum and average
        int sum = 0;
        double average;
        // Calculate sum
        for (int i = 0; i < numbers.length; i++) {</pre>
            sum += numbers[i];
        }
        // Calculate average
        average = (double) sum / numbers.length;
        // Print results
        System.out.println("Sum = " + sum);
        System.out.println("Average = " + average);
   }
}
```

Steps:

- Initialize array with 10 values
- Sum all elements using loop
- Average = sum / number of elements
- · Display results

Remember as "ISAD":

• Initialize array, Sum elements, Average calculation, Display results

Question 5(b): Write a Java program to handle user defined exception for 'Divide by Zero' error. (Marks: 04)

```
// Custom exception class
```

```
class DivideByZeroException extends Exception {
    public DivideByZeroException(String message) {
        super(message);
   }
}
public class CustomExceptionDemo {
    // Method that may throw custom exception
    static double divide(int a, int b) throws DivideByZeroException {
            throw new DivideByZeroException("Cannot divide by zero!");
        return (double) a / b;
   }
    public static void main(String[] args) {
       try {
            System.out.println(divide(10, 2)); // Works fine
            System.out.println(divide(20, 0)); // Throws exception
        } catch (DivideByZeroException e) {
            System.out.println("Custom Exception: " + e.getMessage());
        }
   }
}
```

Creating Custom Exception:

- Extend Exception class
- Create constructor with message
- throw the exception when condition occurs
- catch the exception to handle it

Remember as "ETCW":

• Extend Exception, make a Throwable message, Create and throw, Write handler

Question 5(c): Write a java program to create a text file and perform read operation on the text file. (Marks: 07)

```
// Write to file
            FileWriter writer = new FileWriter(file);
            writer.write("Hello World!\nThis is a sample text file.\nJava I/O is easy.");
            writer.close();
            System.out.println("Successfully wrote to the file.");
            // Read from file
            System.out.println("\nFile contents:");
            FileReader reader = new FileReader(file);
            BufferedReader buffReader = new BufferedReader(reader);
            String line;
            while ((line = buffReader.readLine()) != null) {
                System.out.println(line);
            }
            // close reader
            buffReader.close();
        } catch (IOException e) {
            System.out.println("An error occurred.");
            e.printStackTrace();
        }
    }
}
```

File Operations:

- Create file with File class
- Write content using FileWriter
- Read content using FileReader and BufferedReader
- Close resources after use
- Handle exceptions with try-catch

Remember as "CWRCH":

• Create file, Write content, Read content, Close resources, Handle exceptions

Question 5(a OR): Explain java I/O process. (Marks: 03)

Java I/O (Input/Output) provides classes for reading and writing data.

I/O Streams:

- Byte Streams: Handle binary data (FileInputStream, FileOutputStream)
- Character Streams: Handle text data (FileReader, FileWriter)
- **Buffered Streams**: Improve performance (BufferedReader, BufferedWriter)

Process Flow:

• Open stream → Process data → Close stream

Remember as "BCOP":

• Byte or character streams, Connect to source/destination, Operate on data, Properly close

Question 5(b OR): Explain throw and finally in Exception Handling with example. (Marks: 04)

throw explicitly throws an exception. **finally** ensures code always executes.

```
public class ThrowFinallyDemo {
    // Method that uses throw
    static void validateAge(int age) {
        if (age < 18) {
            throw new ArithmeticException("Not eligible to vote");
        } else {
            System.out.println("Welcome to vote!");
       }
    }
    public static void main(String[] args) {
       try {
            // Code that might throw exception
            validateAge(15); // This will throw exception
        } catch (ArithmeticException e) {
            System.out.println("Exception: " + e.getMessage());
        } finally {
            // This will always execute
            System.out.println("Finally block executed");
        }
        System.out.println("Rest of the code...");
   }
}
```

Key Points:

- throw: Manually throws specified exception based on conditions
- finally: Block that always executes regardless of exception
- Use **throw** for custom validation logic
- Use **finally** for cleanup operations (closing files, connections)

Remember as "TFC":

• Throw exceptions manually, Finally always runs, Cleanup resources

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```
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        }
    }
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        try {
            // Code that might throw exception
            validateAge(15); // This will throw exception
        } catch (ArithmeticException e) {
            System.out.println("Exception: " + e.getMessage());
        } finally {
           // This will always execute
            System.out.println("Finally block executed");
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Question 5(c OR): Write a java program to display the content of a text file and perform append operation on the text file. (Marks: 07)

```
writer.close();
                System.out.println("File created with initial content");
            }
            // Display current content
            System.out.println("Current file content:");
            FileReader reader = new FileReader(file);
            BufferedReader buffReader = new BufferedReader(reader);
            String line;
            while ((line = buffReader.readLine()) != null) {
                System.out.println(line);
            buffReader.close();
            // Append new content (true flag enables append mode)
            FileWriter appendWriter = new FileWriter(file, true);
            appendWriter.write("This content is appended\n");
            appendWriter.close();
            System.out.println("\nContent appended successfully");
            // Display updated content
            System.out.println("\nUpdated file content:");
            reader = new FileReader(file);
            buffReader = new BufferedReader(reader);
            while ((line = buffReader.readLine()) != null) {
                System.out.println(line);
            buffReader.close();
        } catch (IOException e) {
            System.out.println("An error occurred: " + e.getMessage());
        }
    }
}
```

Append Operation Steps:

- **Display** current content first
- **Open** file in append mode (FileWriter with true parameter)
- Write new content at the end
- Close resources
- Display updated content

Remember as "DOWCD":

• Display original, Open in append mode, Write new content, Close writer, Display updated content