

Object Oriented Programming With Java (4341602) - Summer 2023 Solution

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Question 1(a) [3 marks]

Differentiate between Procedure-Oriented Programming (POP) and Object-Oriented Programming (OOP).

Solution

Table 1. POP vs OOP

Aspect	POP	OOP
Focus	Functions/Procedures	Objects and Classes
Data Security	Less secure, global data	More secure, data encapsulation
Problem Solving	Top-down approach	Bottom-up approach
Code Reusability	Limited	High through inheritance
Examples	C, Pascal	Java, C++, Python

- **POP:** Program divided into functions, data flows between functions
- **OOP:** Program organized around objects that contain both data and methods

Mnemonic

“POP Functions, OOP Objects”

Question 1(b) [4 marks]

Explain Super keyword in inheritance with suitable example.

Solution

Super keyword is used to access parent class members from child class.

Table 2. Super keyword uses

Use	Purpose	Example
super()	Call parent constructor	super(name, age)
super.method()	Call parent method	super.display()
super.variable	Access parent variable	super.name

Listing 1. Super Keyword Example

```
1 | class Animal {
```

```

2     String name = "Animal";
3     void eat() { System.out.println("Animal eats"); }
4 }
5
6 class Dog extends Animal {
7     String name = "Dog";
8     void eat() {
9         super.eat(); // calls parent method
10        System.out.println("Dog eats bones");
11    }
12    void display() {
13        System.out.println(super.name); // prints "Animal"
14    }
15 }
```

Mnemonic

“Super calls Parent”

Question 1(c) [7 marks]

Define: Method Overriding. List out Rules for method overriding. Write a java program that implements method overriding.

Solution

Method Overriding: Child class provides specific implementation of parent class method with same signature.

Table 3. Method Overriding Rules

Rule	Description
Same name	Method name must be identical
Same parameters	Parameter list must match exactly
IS-A relationship	Must have inheritance
Access modifier	Cannot reduce visibility
Return type	Must be same or covariant

Listing 2. Method Overriding Example

```

1 class Shape {
2     void draw() {
3         System.out.println("Drawing a shape");
4     }
5 }
6
7 class Circle extends Shape {
8     @Override
9     void draw() {
10        System.out.println("Drawing a circle");
11    }
12 }
13
14 class Main {
15     public static void main(String[] args) {
16         Shape s = new Circle();
17         s.draw(); // Output: Drawing a circle

```

```

18 }
19 }
```

Mnemonic**“Override Same Signature”****Question 1(c OR) [7 marks]**

Describe: Interface. Write a java program using interface to demonstrate multiple inheritance.

Solution

Interface: Blueprint containing abstract methods and constants. Classes implement interfaces to achieve multiple inheritance.

Table 4. Interface Features

Feature	Description
Abstract methods	No implementation (before Java 8)
Constants	All variables are public static final
Multiple inheritance	Class can implement multiple interfaces
Default methods	Concrete methods (Java 8+)

Listing 3. Interface Example

```

1 interface Flyable {
2     void fly();
3 }
4
5 interface Swimmable {
6     void swim();
7 }
8
9 class Duck implements Flyable, Swimmable {
10     public void fly() {
11         System.out.println("Duck flies");
12     }
13
14     public void swim() {
15         System.out.println("Duck swims");
16     }
17 }
18
19 class Main {
20     public static void main(String[] args) {
21         Duck d = new Duck();
22         d.fly();
23         d.swim();
24     }
25 }
```

Mnemonic

“Interface Multiple Implementation”

Question 2(a) [3 marks]

Explain the Java Program Structure with example.

Solution

Java Program Structure consists of package, imports, class declaration, and main method.

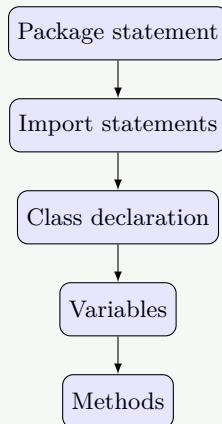


Figure 1. Java Program Structure

Listing 4. Program Structure Example

```

1 package com.example;           // Package
2 import java.util.*;           // Import
3
4 public class HelloWorld {     // Class
5     static int count = 0;      // Variable
6
7     public static void main(String[] args) { // Main method
8         System.out.println("Hello World");
9     }
10 }
```

Mnemonic

“Package Import Class Main”

Question 2(b) [4 marks]

Explain static keyword with suitable example.

Solution

Static keyword belongs to class rather than instance. Memory allocated once.

Table 5. Static Uses

Type	Description	Example
Static variable	Shared by all objects	static int count
Static method	Called without object	static void display()
Static block	Executes before main	static { }

Listing 5. Static Keyword Example

```

1  class Student {
2      static String college = "GTU"; // static variable
3      String name;
4
5      static void showCollege() { // static method
6          System.out.println(college);
7      }
8
9      static { // static block
10         System.out.println("Static block executed");
11     }
12 }
13
14 class Main {
15     public static void main(String[] args) {
16         Student.showCollege(); // No object needed
17     }
18 }
```

Mnemonic

“Static Shared by Class”

Question 2(c) [7 marks]

Define: Constructor. List out types of it. Explain Parameterized and copy constructor with suitable example.

Solution

Constructor: Special method to initialize objects, same name as class, no return type.

Table 6. Constructor Types

Type	Description	Example
Default	No parameters	Student()
Parameterized	With parameters	Student(String name)
Copy	Creates copy of object	Student(Student s)

Listing 6. Constructor Example

```

1  class Student {
2      String name;
3      int age;
4
5      // Parameterized constructor
6      Student(String n, int a) {
7          name = n;
```

```

8     age = a;
9 }
10
11 // Copy constructor
12 Student(Student s) {
13     name = s.name;
14     age = s.age;
15 }
16
17 void display() {
18     System.out.println(name + " " + age);
19 }
20 }
21
22 class Main {
23     public static void main(String[] args) {
24         Student s1 = new Student("John", 20); // Parameterized
25         Student s2 = new Student(s1);           // Copy
26         s1.display();
27         s2.display();
28     }
29 }
```

Mnemonic

“Constructor Initializes Objects”

Question 2(a OR) [3 marks]

Explain the Primitive Data Types and User Defined Data Types in java.

Solution

Primitive Data Types: Built-in types provided by Java language. **User Defined Types:** Custom types created by programmer using classes.

Table 7. Data Types

Category	Types	Size	Example
Primitive	byte, short, int, long	1,2,4,8 bytes	int x = 10;
Primitive	float, double	4,8 bytes	double d = 3.14;
Primitive	char, boolean	2,1 bytes	char c = 'A';
User Defined	Class, Interface, Array	Variable	Student s;

- **Primitive:** Stored in stack, faster access
- **User Defined:** Stored in heap, complex operations

Mnemonic

“Primitive Built-in, User Custom”

Question 2(b OR) [4 marks]

Explain this keyword with suitable example.

Solution

This keyword refers to current object instance, used to distinguish between instance and local variables.

Table 8. This keyword uses

Use	Purpose	Example
<code>this.variable</code>	Access instance variable	<code>this.name = name;</code>
<code>this.method()</code>	Call instance method	<code>this.display();</code>
<code>this()</code>	Call constructor	<code>this(name, age);</code>

Listing 7. This Keyword Example

```

1  class Student {
2      String name;
3      int age;
4
5      Student(String name, int age) {
6          this.name = name;      // this distinguishes
7          this.age = age;        // instance from parameter
8      }
9
10     void setData(String name) {
11         this.name = name;    // this refers to current object
12     }
13
14     void display() {
15         System.out.println(this.name + " " + this.age);
16     }
17 }
```

Mnemonic

“This Current Object”

Question 2(c OR) [7 marks]

Define Inheritance. List out types of it. Explain multilevel and hierarchical inheritance with suitable example.

Solution

Inheritance: Mechanism where child class acquires properties and methods of parent class.

Table 9. Inheritance Types

Type	Description	Structure
Single	One parent, one child	A → B
Multilevel	Chain of inheritance	A → B → C
Hierarchical	One parent, multiple children	A → B, A → C
Multiple	Multiple parents (via interfaces)	B,C → A

Animal —————> Mammal —————> Dog

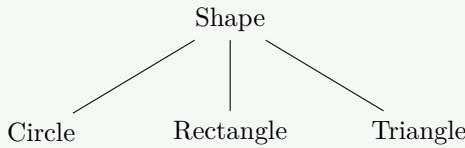
Figure 2. Multilevel Inheritance

Listing 8. Multilevel Inheritance Example

```

1 class Animal {
2     void eat() { System.out.println("Animal eats"); }
3 }
4
5 class Mammal extends Animal {
6     void breathe() { System.out.println("Mammal breathes"); }
7 }
8
9 class Dog extends Mammal {
10    void bark() { System.out.println("Dog barks"); }
11 }

```

**Figure 3.** Hierarchical Inheritance**Listing 9.** Hierarchical Inheritance Example

```

1 class Shape {
2     void draw() { System.out.println("Drawing shape"); }
3 }
4
5 class Circle extends Shape {
6     void drawCircle() { System.out.println("Drawing circle"); }
7 }
8
9 class Rectangle extends Shape {
10    void drawRectangle() { System.out.println("Drawing rectangle"); }
11 }

```

Mnemonic

“Inheritance Shares Properties”

Question 3(a) [3 marks]

Explain Type Conversion and Casting in java.

Solution

Type Conversion: Converting one data type to another. **Casting:** Explicit type conversion by programmer.

Table 10. Type Conversion

Type	Description	Example
Implicit (Widening)	Automatic, smaller to larger	int to double
Explicit (Narrowing)	Manual, larger to smaller	double to int

Listing 10. Conversion vs Casting

```

1 // Implicit conversion
2 int i = 10;
3 double d = i;           // int to double (automatic)
4
5 // Explicit casting
6 double x = 10.5;
7 int y = (int) x;        // double to int (manual)
8
9 // String conversion
10 String s = String.valueOf(i);    // int to String
11 int z = Integer.parseInt("123"); // String to int

```

Mnemonic

“Implicit Auto, Explicit Manual”

Question 3(b) [4 marks]

Explain different visibility controls used in Java.

Solution

Visibility Controls (Access Modifiers): Control access to classes, methods, and variables.

Table 11. Access Modifiers

Modifier	Same Class	Same Pkg	Subclass	Diff Pkg
private	✓	✗	✗	✗
default	✓	✓	✗	✗
protected	✓	✓	✓	✗
public	✓	✓	✓	✓

Listing 11. Access Modifiers

```

1 class Example {
2     private int x = 10;      // Only within class
3     int y = 20;             // Package level
4     protected int z = 30;    // Package + subclass
5     public int w = 40;       // Everywhere
6
7     private void method1() { } // Private method
8     public void method2() { } // Public method
9 }

```

Mnemonic

“Private Package Protected Public”

Question 3(c) [7 marks]

Define: Thread. List different methods used to create Thread. Explain Thread life cycle in detail.

Solution

Thread: Lightweight subprocess that allows concurrent execution of multiple parts of program.

Table 12. Thread Creation Methods

Method	Description	Example
Extending Thread	Inherit Thread class	<code>class MyThread extends Thread</code>
Implementing Runnable	Implement Runnable interface	<code>class MyTask implements Runnable</code>

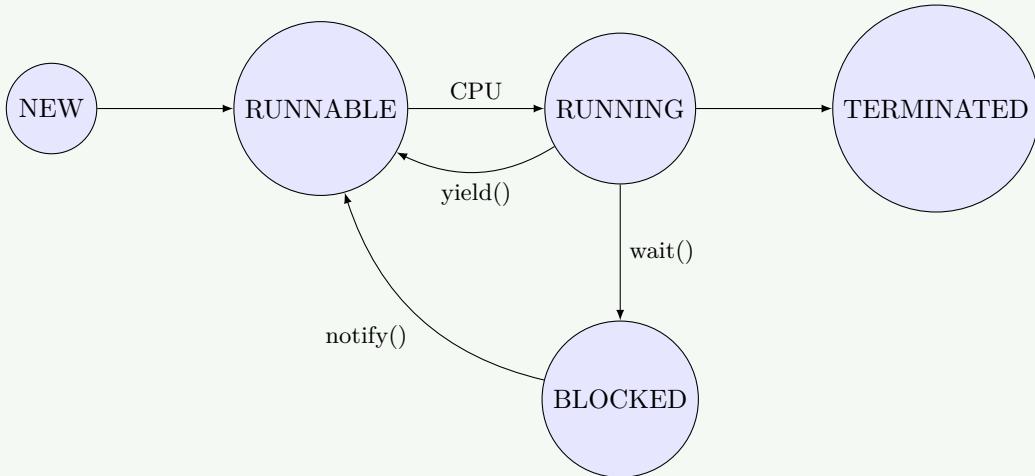


Figure 4. Thread Life Cycle

Table 13. Thread States

State	Description
NEW	Thread created but not started
RUNNABLE	Ready to run, waiting for CPU
RUNNING	Currently executing
BLOCKED	Waiting for resource or sleep
TERMINATED	Execution completed

Listing 12. Thread Creation Example

```

1 // Method 1: Extending Thread
2 class MyThread extends Thread {
3     public void run() {
4         System.out.println("Thread running");
5     }
6 }
7
8 // Method 2: Implementing Runnable
9 class MyTask implements Runnable {
10    public void run() {
11        System.out.println("Task running");
12    }
13 }
14
15 class Main {
16     public static void main(String[] args) {
17         MyThread t1 = new MyThread();
18         Thread t2 = new Thread(new MyTask());
19         t1.start();
20         t2.start();

```

```

21 }
22 }
```

Mnemonic

“Thread Concurrent Execution”

Question 3(a OR) [3 marks]

Explain the purpose of JVM in java.

Solution

JVM (Java Virtual Machine): Runtime environment that executes Java bytecode and provides platform independence.

Table 14. JVM Components

Component	Purpose
Class Loader	Loads .class files into memory
Execution Engine	Executes bytecode
Memory Area	Manages heap and stack memory
Garbage Collector	Automatic memory management

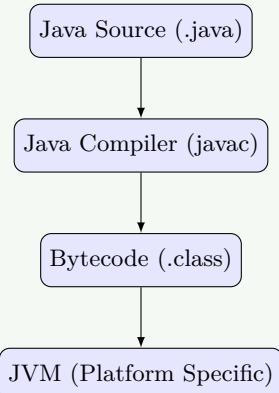


Figure 5. JVM Workflow

- **Platform Independence:** “Write Once, Run Anywhere”
- **Memory Management:** Automatic garbage collection
- **Security:** Bytecode verification

Mnemonic

“JVM Java Virtual Machine”

Question 3(b OR) [4 marks]

Define: Package. Write the steps to create a Package with suitable example.

Solution

Package: Collection of related classes and interfaces grouped together, providing namespace and access control.

Table 15. Package Benefits

Benefit	Description
Namespace	Avoid name conflicts
Access Control	Better encapsulation
Organization	Logical grouping
Reusability	Easy to maintain

Steps to create Package:

1. Declare package at top of file
2. Create directory structure matching package name
3. Compile with package structure
4. Import in other classes

Listing 13. Package Example

```

1 // File: com/company/utilities/Calculator.java
2 package com.company.utilities;
3
4 public class Calculator {
5     public int add(int a, int b) {
6         return a + b;
7     }
8 }
9
10 // File: Main.java
11 import com.company.utilities.Calculator;
12
13 class Main {
14     public static void main(String[] args) {
15         Calculator calc = new Calculator();
16         System.out.println(calc.add(5, 3));
17     }
18 }
```

Directory Structure:

```

com/
  company/
    utilities/
      Calculator.class
Main.class
```

Mnemonic

“Package Groups Classes”

Question 3(c OR) [7 marks]

Explain Synchronization in Thread with suitable example.

Solution

Synchronization: Mechanism to control access to shared resources by multiple threads to avoid data inconsistency.

Table 16. Synchronization Types

Type	Description	Usage
Synchronized method	Entire method locked	<code>synchronized void method()</code>
Synchronized block	Specific code block locked	<code>synchronized(object) { }</code>
Static synchronization	Class level locking	<code>static synchronized void</code>

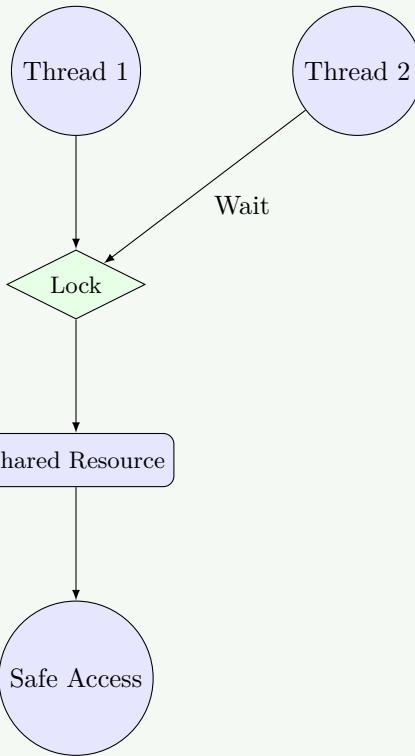


Figure 6. Synchronization Mechanism

Listing 14. Synchronization Example

```

1 class Counter {
2     private int count = 0;
3
4     // Synchronized method
5     public synchronized void increment() {
6         count++;
7     }
8
9     // Synchronized block
10    public void decrement() {
11        synchronized(this) {
12            count--;
13        }
14    }
15
16    public int getCount() {
17        return count;
18    }
19 }
```

```

20
21 class CounterThread extends Thread {
22     Counter counter;
23
24     CounterThread(Counter c) {
25         counter = c;
26     }
27
28     public void run() {
29         for(int i = 0; i < 1000; i++) {
30             counter.increment();
31         }
32     }
33 }
34
35 class Main {
36     public static void main(String[] args) throws InterruptedException {
37         Counter c = new Counter();
38         CounterThread t1 = new CounterThread(c);
39         CounterThread t2 = new CounterThread(c);
40
41         t1.start();
42         t2.start();
43
44         t1.join();
45         t2.join();
46
47         System.out.println("Final count: " + c.getCount());
48     }
49 }
```

Mnemonic

“Synchronization Prevents Race Conditions”

Question 4(a) [3 marks]

Differentiate between String class and StringBuffer class.

Solution

Table 17. String vs StringBuffer

Aspect	String	StringBuffer
Mutability	Immutable (cannot change)	Mutable (can change)
Performance	Slower for concatenation	Faster for concatenation
Memory	Creates new object each time	Modifies existing object
Thread Safety	Thread safe	Thread safe
Methods	concat(), substring()	append(), insert(), delete()

Listing 15. String vs StringBuffer

```

1 // String - Immutable
2 String s1 = "Hello";
3 s1 = s1 + " World"; // Creates new String object
4
```

```

5 // StringBuffer - Mutable
6 StringBuffer sb = new StringBuffer("Hello");
7 sb.append(" World"); // Modifies existing object

```

Mnemonic

“String Immutable, StringBuffer Mutable”

Question 4(b) [4 marks]

Write a Java Program to find sum and average of 10 numbers of an array.

Solution

Listing 16. Array Sum and Average

```

1 class ArraySum {
2     public static void main(String[] args) {
3         // Initialize array with 10 numbers
4         int[] numbers = {10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90, 100};
5
6         int sum = 0;
7
8         // Calculate sum
9         for(int i = 0; i < numbers.length; i++) {
10             sum += numbers[i];
11         }
12
13         // Calculate average
14         double average = (double) sum / numbers.length;
15
16         // Display results
17         System.out.println("Array elements: ");
18         for(int num : numbers) {
19             System.out.print(num + " ");
20         }
21
22         System.out.println("\nSum: " + sum);
23         System.out.println("Average: " + average);
24     }
25 }

```

Output:

```

Array elements: 10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100
Sum: 550
Average: 55.0

```

Logic Steps:

1. Initialize array with 10 numbers
2. Loop through array to calculate sum
3. Calculate average = sum / length
4. Display results

Mnemonic

“Loop Sum Divide Average”

Question 4(c) [7 marks]

I) Explain abstract class with suitable example. II) Explain final class with suitable example.

Solution

I) Abstract Class: Class that cannot be instantiated, contains abstract methods that must be implemented by subclasses.

Table 18. Abstract Class Features

Feature	Description
Cannot instantiate	No object creation
Abstract methods	Methods without implementation
Concrete methods	Methods with implementation
Inheritance	Subclasses must implement abstract methods

Listing 17. Abstract Class Example

```

1 abstract class Shape {
2     String color;
3
4     // Abstract method
5     abstract void draw();
6
7     // Concrete method
8     void setColor(String c) {
9         color = c;
10    }
11 }
12
13 class Circle extends Shape {
14     void draw() {
15         System.out.println("Drawing Circle");
16     }
17 }
18
19 class Main {
20     public static void main(String[] args) {
21         // Shape s = new Shape(); // Error: Cannot instantiate
22         Circle c = new Circle();
23         c.draw();
24     }
25 }
```

II) Final Class: Class that cannot be extended (no inheritance allowed).

Table 19. Final Class Features

Feature	Description
No inheritance	Cannot be extended
Security	Prevents modification
Performance	Better optimization
Examples	String, Integer, System

Listing 18. Final Class Example

```

1  final class FinalClass {
2      void display() {
3          System.out.println("This is final class");
4      }
5  }
6
7 // class SubClass extends FinalClass {} // Error: Cannot extend
8
9 class Main {
10     public static void main(String[] args) {
11         FinalClass obj = new FinalClass();
12         obj.display();
13     }
14 }
```

Mnemonic

“Abstract Incomplete, Final Complete”

Question 4(a OR) [3 marks]

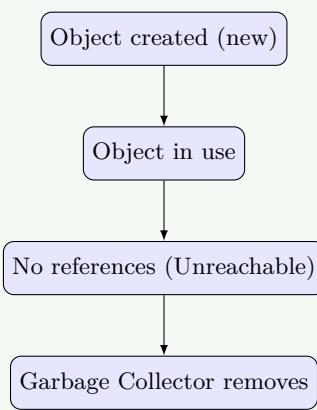
Explain Garbage Collection in Java.

Solution

Garbage Collection: Automatic memory management process that removes unused objects from heap memory.

Table 20. GC Benefits

Benefit	Description
Automatic	No manual memory management
Memory leak prevention	Removes unreferenced objects
Performance	Optimizes memory usage
Safety	Prevents memory errors

**Figure 7.** Garbage Collection Process

- **When occurs:** When heap memory is low or System.gc() called
- **Process:** Mark and Sweep algorithm
- **Cannot guarantee:** Exact timing of garbage collection

Mnemonic

"GC Automatic Memory Cleanup"

Question 4(b OR) [4 marks]

Write a Java program to handle user defined exception for 'Divide by Zero' error.

Solution**Listing 19.** User Defined Exception

```

1 // User defined exception class
2 class DivideByZeroException extends Exception {
3     public DivideByZeroException(String message) {
4         super(message);
5     }
6 }
7
8 class Calculator {
9     public static double divide(int a, int b) throws DivideByZeroException {
10        if(b == 0) {
11            throw new DivideByZeroException("Cannot divide by zero!");
12        }
13        return (double) a / b;
14    }
15 }
16
17 class Main {
18     public static void main(String[] args) {
19         try {
20             int num1 = 10;
21             int num2 = 0;
22
23             double result = Calculator.divide(num1, num2);
24             System.out.println("Result: " + result);
25
26         } catch(DivideByZeroException e) {
  
```

```

27         System.out.println("Error: " + e.getMessage());
28     }
29 }
30 }
```

Output:

Error: Cannot divide by zero!

Mnemonic

“Custom Exception Handle Error”

Question 4(c OR) [7 marks]

Write a java program to demonstrate multiple try block and multiple catch block exception.

Solution**Listing 20.** Multiple Try-Catch Blocks

```

1  class MultipleExceptionDemo {
2      public static void main(String[] args) {
3          // First try block
4          try {
5              int[] arr = {1, 2, 3};
6              System.out.println("Array element: " + arr[5]); // ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException
7          }
8          catch(ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException e) {
9              System.out.println("Array index error: " + e.getMessage());
10         }
11         catch(Exception e) {
12             System.out.println("General exception: " + e.getMessage());
13         }
14
15         // Second try block
16         try {
17             String str = null;
18             System.out.println("String length: " + str.length()); // NullPointerException
19         }
20         catch(NullPointerException e) {
21             System.out.println("Null pointer error: " + e.getMessage());
22         }
23
24         // Third try block with multiple catch
25         try {
26             int a = 10;
27             int b = 0;
28             int result = a / b; // ArithmeticException
29
30             String s = "abc";
31             int num = Integer.parseInt(s); // NumberFormatException
32         }
33         catch(ArithmeticException e) {
34             System.out.println("Arithmetic error: " + e.getMessage());
35         }
36         catch(NumberFormatException e) {
37             System.out.println("Number format error: " + e.getMessage());
38         }
39     }
40 }
```

```

38     }
39     catch(Exception e) {
40         System.out.println("Other error: " + e.getMessage());
41     }
42     finally {
43         System.out.println("Program completed");
44     }
45 }
46 }
```

Output:

Array index error: Index 5 out of bounds for length 3
 Null pointer error: null
 Arithmetic error: / by zero
 Program completed

Mnemonic

“Multiple Try Multiple Catch”

Question 5(a) [3 marks]

Write a program in Java to create a file and perform write operation on this file.

Solution**Listing 21.** File Write Example

```

1 import java.io.*;
2
3 class FileWriteDemo {
4     public static void main(String[] args) {
5         try {
6             // Create file
7             File file = new File("demo.txt");
8
9             // Create FileWriter object
10            FileWriter writer = new FileWriter(file);
11
12            // Write data to file
13            writer.write("Hello World!\n");
14            writer.write("This is Java file writing demo.\n");
15            writer.write("File created successfully.");
16
17            // Close the writer
18            writer.close();
19
20            System.out.println("File created and data written successfully!");
21
22        } catch(IOException e) {
23            System.out.println("Error: " + e.getMessage());
24        }
25    }
26 }
```

Mnemonic

“File Writer Write Close”

Question 5(b) [4 marks]

Explain throw and finally in Exception Handling with example.

Solution

Throw: Keyword used to explicitly throw an exception. **Finally:** Block that always executes regardless of exception occurrence.

Table 21. Throw vs Finally

Keyword	Purpose	Usage
throw	Explicitly throw exception	<code>throw new Exception()</code>
finally	Always execute cleanup code	<code>finally { }</code>

Listing 22. Throw and Finally

```

1 class ThrowFinallyDemo {
2     public static void checkAge(int age) throws Exception {
3         if(age < 18) {
4             throw new Exception("Age must be 18 or above");
5         }
6         System.out.println("Valid age: " + age);
7     }
8
9     public static void main(String[] args) {
10        try {
11            checkAge(15); // Will throw exception
12        }
13        catch(Exception e) {
14            System.out.println("Error: " + e.getMessage());
15        }
16        finally {
17            System.out.println("Finally block always executes");
18        }
19    }
20 }
```

Mnemonic

“Throw Exception, Finally Always”

Question 5(c) [7 marks]

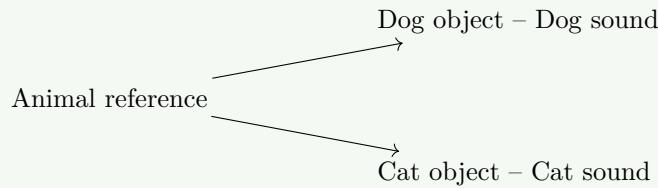
Describe: Polymorphism. Explain run time polymorphism with suitable example in java.

Solution

Polymorphism: One interface, multiple implementations. Object behaves differently based on its actual type.

Table 22. Polymorphism Types

Type	Description	When Decided
Compile-time	Method overloading	At compilation
Run-time	Method overriding	At execution

**Figure 8.** Runtime Polymorphism**Listing 23.** Runtime Polymorphism

```

1  class Animal {
2      void makeSound() {
3          System.out.println("Animal makes sound");
4      }
5  }
6
7  class Dog extends Animal {
8      @Override
9      void makeSound() {
10         System.out.println("Dog barks");
11     }
12 }
13
14 class Cat extends Animal {
15     @Override
16     void makeSound() {
17         System.out.println("Cat meows");
18     }
19 }
20
21 class Main {
22     public static void main(String[] args) {
23         Animal animal1 = new Dog(); // Upcasting
24         Animal animal2 = new Cat(); // Upcasting
25
26         animal1.makeSound(); // Output: Dog barks
27         animal2.makeSound(); // Output: Cat meows
28
29         // Array of animals
30         Animal[] animals = {new Dog(), new Cat(), new Dog()};
31         for(Animal a : animals) {
32             a.makeSound(); // Dynamic method dispatch
33         }
34     }
35 }
```

Mnemonic**“Polymorphism Many Forms Runtime”**

Question 5(a OR) [3 marks]

Write a program in Java that read the content of a file byte by byte and copy it into another file.

Solution

Listing 24. Byte Stream File Copy

```

1 import java.io.*;
2
3 class FileCopyDemo {
4     public static void main(String[] args) {
5         try {
6             // Create input stream to read from source file
7             FileInputStream input = new FileInputStream("source.txt");
8
9             // Create output stream to write to destination file
10            FileOutputStream output = new FileOutputStream("destination.txt");
11
12            int byteData;
13
14            // Read byte by byte and copy
15            while((byteData = input.read()) != -1) {
16                output.write(byteData);
17            }
18
19            // Close streams
20            input.close();
21            output.close();
22
23            System.out.println("File copied successfully!");
24
25        } catch(IOException e) {
26            System.out.println("Error: " + e.getMessage());
27        }
28    }
29 }
```

Mnemonic

“Read Byte Write Byte”

Question 5(b OR) [4 marks]

Explain the different I/O Classes available with Java.

Solution

Table 23. Java I/O Classes

Class Type	Class Name	Purpose
Byte Stream	FileInputStream	Read bytes from file
Byte Stream	FileOutputStream	Write bytes to file
Character Stream	FileReader	Read characters from file
Character Stream	Writer	Write characters to file
Buffered	BufferedReader	Efficient character reading
Buffered	BufferedWriter	Efficient character writing

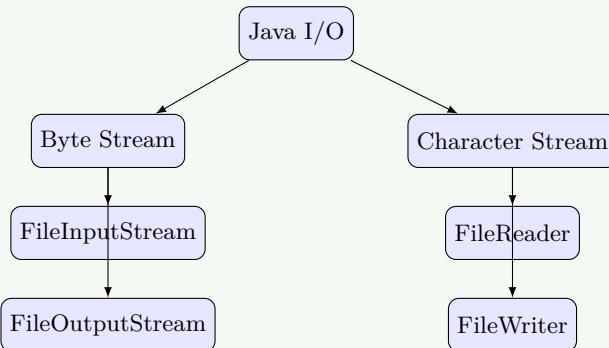


Figure 9. I/O Class Hierarchy

Mnemonic

“Byte Character Buffered Streams”

Question 5(c OR) [7 marks]

Write a java program that executes two threads. One thread displays "Java Programming" every 3 seconds, and the other displays "Semester - 4th IT" every 6 seconds.

Solution

Listing 25. Thread Timing Example

```
1 class JavaThread extends Thread {  
2     public void run() {  
3         try {  
4             while(true) {  
5                 System.out.println("Java Programming");  
6                 Thread.sleep(3000); // Sleep for 3 seconds  
7             }  
8         } catch(InterruptedException e) {  
9             System.out.println("JavaThread interrupted");  
10        }  
11    }  
12}  
13  
14 class SemesterThread extends Thread {  
15     public void run() {  
16         try {  
17             while(true) {  
18                 System.out.println("Semester - 4th IT");  
19                 Thread.sleep(6000); // Sleep for 6 seconds  
20             }  
21         } catch(InterruptedException e) {  
22             System.out.println("SemesterThread interrupted");  
23         }  
24     }  
25 }
```

```
22         System.out.println("SemesterThread interrupted");
23     }
24 }
25
26
27 class Main {
28     public static void main(String[] args) {
29         // Create thread objects
30         JavaThread javaThread = new JavaThread();
31         SemesterThread semesterThread = new SemesterThread();
32
33         // Start both threads
34         javaThread.start();
35         semesterThread.start();
36
37         // Let threads run for 20 seconds then stop
38         try {
39             Thread.sleep(20000);
40             javaThread.interrupt();
41             semesterThread.interrupt();
42         } catch(InterruptedException e) {
43             System.out.println("Main thread interrupted");
44         }
45     }
46 }
```

Mnemonic

“Two Threads Different Timing”