

Exam #2 (100 points) -- CS 4080 : Ocean Lu

- (1) *This is a close-book test. Type the answers and save as a pdf file to submit on blackboard.*
- (2) *If you feel a question contains an error or ambiguity please say so in your answer and provide the answer based on your best judgment.*
- (3) *60 minutes total. Good luck!*

Problem 1: (15 points) Short answer. ("key" words only, no need complete sentence.)

- (a) What are the two kinds of abstractions in programming languages?
The two kinds of abstractions in programming languages are process abstractions and data abstractions.
- (b) From where are the C++ objects allocated?
C++ objects are allocated on stack and heap.
- (c) Why are **destructors** rarely used in Java but essential in C++?
Destructors are rarely used in Java, but essential in C++ because Java has its own garbage collecting program.
- (d) What is the key difference between Java's **for each loop** and regular Java **for loop**?
The key difference between Java's for each loop and Java's for loop is that the for each loop is logically controlled while the for loop is counter controlled.
- (e) What is the advantage and disadvantage of introducing **break** statements in a language?
The disadvantage of introducing a break statement in a language is bad reliability and readability.

Problem 2: (10 points) **True or False.**

- (a) Class A and Class B are two independent classes, i.e. no one inherits from the other. A has a method **void fun (int item)** and B also has the method **void fun (int item)**. These two fun methods are overriding method.
True
- (b) Class A has two methods **void fun (int item)** and **void fun (int item, double cost)**. These two fun methods are overloading methods.
True
- (c) A lambda function is a function that could take another function as parameter.
True
- (d) When a class extends or inherits from more than one parent classes, this is called _____.
Inheritance

Problem 3: (12 points) Short answer. (“key” words only, no need complete sentence.

- (a) C++ has virtual function and pure virtual function. What is the main difference between these two?

The main difference between virtual and pure virtual functions is that virtual functions can be called through polymorphic variables and dynamically bound to messages. A pure virtual function has no definition at all.

- (b) Java doesn’t have virtual function or pure virtual function. How does Java implement the feature of C++’s pure virtual function?

Java implements C++’s pure virtual function through using abstract methods.

- (c) How C++ implements a generic ADT?

C++ implements a generic ADT through encapsulation devices. It creates instances of the class that share a single copy of the class data members.

Problem 4: (15 points) Operator overloading.

- (a) Why some languages introduce operator overloading? (To answer this question, first list a criterion that this feature is good for (i.e. advantage), then use a simple example with pseudo codes to illustrate this advantage of operator overloading.)

Advantage: allows readability and flexibility of calling similar methods with different types of data

Pseudo code for advantage:

void fun(int a) //maybe does something fun with integer a

void fun() // maybe does something fun on default if we don’t have integer a

- (b) For each of the languages below, please circle the ones that support user-defined operator overloading.

(1) Java (2) C++ (3) C#

- (c) If a language doesn’t support operator overloading, could you name a reason behind it?

Languages that don’t support operator overloading is probably due to the complication with parameter coercions, which complicate the disambiguation process.

Problem 5: (24 points)

Given the following C++-like description of an inheritance hierarchy.

```
class Animal:
    //constructors and destructors (if needed) are properly defined
    void cry (); //an abstract method
    void fur() { ... } //a proper method with details defined
    double weight( ... ) { ... } //a proper method with details defined
```

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class Dog: inherits from class Animal
    //constructors etc. properly defined
    void cry() {... } //a proper method with details defined.
    void fur() {... } //a proper method with details defined.
Animal myPets = new Animal [2];
myPets[0] = new Animal();
myPets[1] = new Dog ();

```

1. A method call, *myPets[0].cry()* , under static binding, which method will it bind to? Under dynamic binding, which method will it bind to? (note: indicate “error” if such a call will result an error. Same for the following questions.)

Static binding: the method it binds to is class Animal void cry()

Dynamic binding: the method it binds to is class Animal void cry()

2. A method call, *myPets[1].cry()* , under static binding, which method will it bind to? Under dynamic binding, which method will it bind to?

Static binding: the method it binds to is class Animal void cry()

Dynamic binding: the method it binds to is class Dog void cry()

3. A method call, *myPets[1].fur()* , under static binding, which method will it bind to? Under dynamic binding, which method will it bind to?

Static binding: the method it binds to is class Animal void fur()

Dynamic binding: the method it binds to is class Dog void fur()

4. A method call, *myPets[1].weight()* , under static binding, which method will it bind to? Under dynamic binding, which method will it bind to?

Static binding: the method it binds to is class Animal void weight()

Dynamic binding: the method it binds to is class Animal void weight()

5. Does C++ support static binding? If yes, how does it support?

Yes, C++ supports static binding by using function overloading and overriding.

6. Does C++ support dynamic binding? If yes, how does it support?

Yes, C++ supports dynamic binding by using virtual functions.

7. Does Java support static binding? If yes, how does it support?

Yes, Java supports static binding by using function overloading and overriding.

8. Does Java support ~~static binding and/or~~ dynamic binding? If yes, how does it support?

No, Java does not support dynamic binding.

Problem 6: (24 points)

- (a) Given the following piece of C++ or Java-like codes, assuming all parameters are pass by value, what will be the values of first, second, and result after function call?

```

void fun (int par1, int par2, int par3) {
    int temp = par1;
    par1 = par2;

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        par2 = temp;
        par3 = par1 + par2;
        return;
    }
    int first = 5, second = 7, result;
    fun (first, second, result); //now display first, second, result

```

First: 5
Second: 7
Result: null

(b) Repeat (a) now assuming all parameters are passed by reference.

First: 7
Second: 5
Result: 12

(c) Now given C++ code, what will be the values of first, second, and result after function call?

```

void fun (int & par1, int par2, int & par3) {           //C++
    int temp = par1;
    par1 = par2;
    par2 = temp;
    par3 = par1 + par2;
    return;
}
int first = 5, second = 7, result;
fun (first, second, result); //now display first, second, result

```

First: 7
Second: 5
Result: 12

(d) Now given the C# code, for each parameter identify the modes (i.e. in, out, ...) as well as the implementation scheme (i.e. pass by value, by reference, ...)

```

void fun (int par1, ref int par2, out int par3) {      //C#
    int temp = par1;
    par1 = par2;
    par2 = temp;
    par3 = par1 + par2;
    return;
}

```

	par1	par2	par3
Mode	In	In-out	Out
Implementation scheme	Pass-by-value	Pass-by-reference	Pass-by-result