



Java Software Development

Homework 4



Problem Description

- The Babylonian algorithm to compute the square root of a positive number n is as follows:
 - Make a guess at the answer (you can pick $n/2$ as your initial guess).
 - Compute $r = n / \text{guess}$.
 - Set $\text{guess} = (\text{guess} + r) / 2$.
 - Go back to step 2 until the last two guess values are within 1% of each other
- Write a program that inputs a `double` for n , iterates through the Babylonian algorithm until the guess is within 1% of the previous guess, and outputs the answer as a `double` to two decimal places.
- Your answer should be removed extra zeros and be accurate even for large values of n .

Sample Input and Output

Keyboard Input	25
Output	5

Keyboard Input	100
Output	10

Keyboard Input	102
Output	10.1

Keyboard Input	200
Output	14.14

Submission

- Please archive your source code to `STUDENT_ID.zip` (download the example zip file from Moodle) and upload to Moodle before deadline.
- Your zip file should follow the following format.
 - `STUDENT_ID.zip`
 - | - `src`
 - | - `META-INF`
 - | - `MANIFEST.MF`
 - All the source files (*.java) are put in the `src` directory.
 - The entry point (i.e. main class) of the program is specified in the `MANIFEST.MF` file.
- No late submission is accepted.