Donald's restaurantplan.

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0ptThe plan

Donald has been in the restaurant business for years and is making up a plan to provide for a proper pension plan, now he has come into the dusk of his famous years and notices he has put up little to provide for his elderly years. With the Olympics ahead he comes up with a plan to increase his income substantially. To do this he adapted his menu to the chinese kitchen (for what he thinks Chinese would eat or rather what fellow country ducks would enjoy



Figure 1: Duck, Donald; class: Aves; order: Anseriformes; family: Anatidae; this instance: rather stupid

as Chinese food). Completely in style with Chinese restaurant usage in the Netherlands, you can order your meal 'by the numbers'.

Donald is not known as the smartest of ducks and his current restaurant implementation in Java already has some flaws. As an example: the kitchen is very fussy and throws exceptions big time. Compare this with the way Gordon Ramsay works in his TV shows.

0ptThe new employees

Because of the expected growth, Donald called for the help of his nephews Huey, Dewey and Louie. For them he has three jobs in mind: a waiter to take orders, a serving waiter and a cook to prepare the meals.

OptThe simulation

To be prepared, Donald wants to simulate the restaurants behaviour on his computer. His target is of course to make his nephews work as efficient as possible, so that can take care of the till without further worries.

0ptYour task

It is up to you, student of Fontys Venlo, to write this simulation program. Happily there already is a working program, which faithfully simulates the work like Donald does it on his own. In programming terms: Donald is

modelled as one Thread only¹. It is your job to add more threads, as a simulation for the jobs of the nephews. In the cooking part of the program sleep() calls are used to simulate preparation time; You are not allowed to add more sleeps. Of course we expect an optimal program, meaning that you should use the resources (CPU, Memory) sparingly.

0ptA customer is shop, help.

Of course we have a customer too. In comparison to earlier versions, complaining (exception throwing) has been turned into serving a **404 meal** immediately. The customer will check and tell what has been ordered and served and will say if this differs. It *will* differ when the customer orders a non existing meal.

- Document your work: explain how the code works that you have added.
- Comment on the results in the output.
- Using svn on fontysvenlo.org is mandatory.
- Hand in your labreport in printed form: for due date see website.
- Questions about this exercise: during labhours!

¹Notice that ducks have tiny heads. They do not support very much of multithreading. Donald even less so.