

Introduction to C++ programming

Exam – Part 2 (version A)

Exercise 1. (7 punti)

Write a C++ function that displays on the screen the following drawing:

```
xxxxxxx
xx    xx
x  x  x  x
x    x    x
x  x  x  x
xx    xx
xxxxxxx
```

Observe that the number of lines in the drawing is odd. The function should be capable of displaying any such drawing consisting of any odd number of lines. Write a simple test program that ask the user to enter the number of lines for the drawing to be displayed and then displays the corresponding drawing.

Exercise 2. Define a C++ class called **PointVector** for representing vectors of points in the bi-dimensional Euclidian space. A vector of points can be represented as an array of real numbers containing an even number of elements. For example the array $\mathbf{v}=\{1.5, 1, 4.5, 1, 4.5, 5\}$ represents 3 points with coordinates $(1.5, 1)$, $(4.5, 1)$ and $(4.5, 5)$. A user of the **PointVector** class should be able to:

- create vectors of points of arbitrary even size n
- display a vector through the **cout** command and with the following format:

```
vector=[ (1.5, 1), (4.5, 1), (4.5, 5) ]
```

- display the point with max x-coordinate
- display the distance between each pair of points in the vector with the following manner

```
point 1 - point 2: 3.0
point 1 - point 3: 5.0
point 2 - point 3: 4.0
```

assuming a vector of points $\mathbf{v}=\{1.5, 1, 4.5, 1, 4.5, 5\}$.

- to determine the sub-vector of points with increasing x-coordinate and return the sum of their x-coordinate. For example for vector

```
 $\mathbf{v}=[(2.5, 1), (1.5, 1), (4.5, 5), (5, 5), (1, 2)]$ 
```

the largest sub-vector of elements with increasing x-coordinate contained in \mathbf{v} is $[(1.5, 1), (4.5, 5), (5, 5)]$ and its sum is $1.5 + 4.5 + 5 = 11$.

Write a simple **main** to test the **PointVector** class by creating a **PointVector** object and display it on the screen, display the distance for each pair of points, and display the largest subvector of points with increasing x-coordinates.