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# **Programming Design In-class Practices**

## **Selection and Repetition**

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# Problem 1: age for legal marriage

- Before 2011, in Taiwan the age for legal marriage depends on one's gender:
  - Men: 18.
  - Women: 16.
- Please let a user enter her/his gender and age and then determine whether she/he is legal for marriage.
  - To make the problem easier, let's assume that the gender may only be male or female.
  - (It is good that the age now does not depend on gender!)

# Problem 1: age for legal marriage

- Input:
  - A binary value  $g \in \{0,1\}$  and a positive integer  $a$ .  $g$  and  $a$  are separated by a white space.
  - $g$  is 1 if the user is a man;  $g$  is 0 if the user is a woman.  $a$  is her/his age.
  - $a \leq 200$ .
- Output:
  - “Yes” if the user is legal for marriage or “No” otherwise.
- Sample input/output:

Input: <b>1 18</b>	Input: <b>1 17</b>	Input: <b>0 17</b>
Output: <b>Yes</b>	Output: <b>No</b>	Output: <b>Yes</b>

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# Problem 1: age for legal marriage

- Would you complete the program without using any logical operator?
- Would you complete the program without using any nested selection?

# Problem 2: Converging to 1?

- Consider the following process:
  - You are given a positive integer.
  - If it is odd, multiply it by 3 and then add it by 1.
  - If it is even, divide it by 2.
  - Repeat until it becomes 1.
- Will it becomes 1 eventually?
- Write a program to test this!
  - Print out all the values we obtain during the process.

# Problem 2: Converging to 1?

- Input:
  - A positive integer  $a$ .
  - $a \leq 1000000$ .
- Output:
  - All values we obtain during the process.
  - Two consecutive values should be separated by a white space.
- Sample input/output:

Input:  
**1**

Output:  
**4 2 1**

Input:  
**3**

Output:  
**10 5 16 8 4 2 1**

Input:  
**23**

Output:  
**70 35 106 53 160 80 40 20 10 5 16 8 4 2 1**

# Problem 3: Monopoly pricing

- We sell a product to a small town.
- The demand of this product is  $q = a - bp$ :
  - $a$  is the base demand.
  - $b$  measures the price sensitivity of the product.
  - $p$  is the unit price to be determined.
- Let  $c$  be the unit production cost.
- Given  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$ , how to solve

$$\max_p (a - bp)(p - c)$$

to find an optimal (profit-maximizing) integer price  $p^*$ ?

- If multiple prices all result in the maximized profit, we consider the lowest price as the optimal one.

# Problem 3: Monopoly pricing

- Input:
  - Three positive integers  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$  in a row.
  - Two consecutive values are separated by one white space.
  - All three values are no greater than 10000;  $a > bc$ .
- Output:
  - The optimal integer price, a white space, and then the maximized profit.
- Sample input/output:

Input:  
10 1 2

Output:  
6 16

Input:  
1000 15 50

Output:  
58 1040

Input:  
10000 1000 5

Output:  
7 6000



# Problem 4: Safe locations

- On a two-dimensional plane, there are  $6 \times 6 = 36$  grid points within the square whose vertices are  $(0, 0)$ ,  $(5, 0)$ ,  $(0, 5)$ , and  $(5, 5)$ .
- We are given the locations of 3 snippers  $(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $(x_2, y_2)$ , and  $(x_3, y_3)$ .
  - $x_i \in \{0, 1, \dots, 5\}$ ,  $y_i \in \{0, 1, \dots, 5\}$ .
- A location  $(x, y)$  is considered dangerous if its relationship with any one of the three snippers satisfies one of the following:
  - On the same horizontal line:  $y = y_i$  for any  $i \in \{1, 2, 3\}$ .
  - On the same vertical line:  $x = x_i$  for any  $i \in \{1, 2, 3\}$ .
  - On the same diagonal line:  $|x - x_i| = |y - y_i|$  for any  $i \in \{1, 2, 3\}$ .
- A location is safe if it is not dangerous. Find all safe locations.
- Hint: Use the function **abs ()** in **<cmath>**.

# Problem 4: safe locations

- Input:
  - Six integers  $x_1, y_1, x_2, y_2, x_3$ , and  $y_3$  in a row.
  - Two consecutive values are separated by one white space.
  - All three values are within 0 and 5.
- Output:
  - All the safe locations  $(x, y)$ .
  - To print out a location, print out  $x$ , then a white space, then  $y$ .
  - If there are multiple safe locations, print out each one in a new line.
  - If two locations are both safe, print out the one with the smaller  $x$  first; if their  $x$  values are the same, print out the one with the smaller  $y$ .

# Problem 4: safe locations

- Sample input/output:

Input:  
0 0 0 1 0 2

Output:  
1 4  
1 5  
2 5  
4 3  
5 3  
5 4

Input:  
0 0 1 2 3 5

Output:  
4 1  
4 3  
5 1  
5 4

Input:  
1 1 3 4 5 2

Output:  
0 3  
0 5  
4 0