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CSU4301: OBJECT ORIENTED PROGRAMMING

DURATION: **TWO HOURS (2 HOURS)**

DATE: **16.10.2022**

TIME: **1.30 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.**

Answer FOUR Questions ONLY.

- Q1) a) i. Briefly explain the terms, Class, and Object with examples.
ii. Explain the difference between the Class and the Object.
- b) Define a class in **JAVA** to represent a **Date** with the following data members and methods. Use access specifiers and data types according to the OOP concepts.
- Data members – day, month, year
 - Default constructor, Parameterized constructor, Copy constructor
 - printDate() method to output date in the format *month-day-year*
 - Write a main class called **Test** to test the **Date** class. Create objects to illustrate three (3) constructors.
- c) i. Explain the concept of constructor by indicating the purpose.
ii. Give two differences between a constructor and a normal class.
- d) i. Does this program achieve **Constructor overloading**?
ii. If so, explain the **Constructor Overloading** by taking example method signatures from the Date class in part (b).
- Q2) a) i) What is Object Oriented Programming (OOP)?
ii) Explain how data are handled in Object Oriented Programming compared to Procedure Oriented Programming
- b) Write **Java** statements for the following.

- i. Create a class called *Parent* with a variable called *ParentNumber* (value =10). Create an inner class called *child* with a method called *print*, to print the Number variable.
 - ii. Declare an Interface called *Printable* with a method called *Print*.
 - iii. Declare an Interface called *Drawable* by inheriting the interface *Printable*. The *Drawable* interface has an additional method called *Draw*.
 - iv. The Square class implements the *Drawable* Interface partially.
- c) Clearly explain the differences and the purposes of the following terms.
- i. Abstract class and Normal class
 - ii. Final class and Normal class
- d) Explain the concept of **multithreaded programming** in brief.

- Q3) a) Explain the following terms in brief by giving a suitable example for each.
- i. Polymorphism
 - ii. Inheritance
 - iii. Abstraction
- b) A JAVA class called **Account** consists of a **Savings Account** class and a **Current Account** class. For all accounts, **Account Name** and **Account Number** are common attributes. Account class cannot be instantiated.
- i) Write suitable complete class definitions for the above classes. (You may include any additional variables and methods if necessary)
 - ii) Define suitable methods to illustrate the **Method Overriding**.
- c) i. Explain the Method Overriding by giving suitable method signatures from Q2(b).
- ii. There are two ways of changing the content of the method by overriding it. what are they?
- d) State three (3) differences in JAVA language compared to C++.

- Q4) a) Draw the lifecycle of a thread and explain **runnable**, **running**, and **blocked** states in brief.
- b) Define a class in **JAVA** to represent a **Circle** with the following data members and methods. Define access specifiers, data types, and input parameters appropriately.
- i. Data members – radius, colour
 - ii. Define suitable methods and classes to illustrate the **Constructor Chaining** which happens within the same class and between subclass and superclass by giving a complete JAVA class definition.
- c) What is the purpose of using the **super** keyword when accessing variables, constructors, and methods in JAVA. Explain briefly by providing examples for each case.
- d) Explain **garbage collection** by giving three (3) situations.

- Q5) a) What is an Inner class? Explain briefly, providing three(3) advantages.
- b) Define a class in **JAVA** to represent a **Rectangle** with the following data members and methods. Define access specifiers, data types, and input parameters appropriately.
- i. Data members – height, width
 - ii. Define suitable methods to illustrate the **Method Overloading** by giving a complete JAVA class definition.
 - iii. Explain the Method overloading by giving suitable method signatures from the Rectangle class.
- c) State whether the following statements are **TRUE** or **FALSE**. If any statement is **FALSE** explain the reason.
- i. A child class inherits its parent's static methods and may override those methods.

- ii. Every individual Object created from the Class shares the instance method(s) of that Class.
 - iii. Methods declared in an interface are always protected and abstract.
 - iv. All static, private and final methods have always been bonded at run-time.
 - v. Garbage Collection is a manual process.
- d) Give two (3) differences between a **Constructor** and a **method**.
- Q6) a)
 - i. What is an Exception? Explain in brief.
 - ii. Java handles exceptions using five keywords. Explain them briefly using suitable JAVA statements.
- b) Explain the differences between the following terms briefly using appropriate examples.
 - i. Composition and Aggregation
 - ii. Single Inheritance and Multiple Inheritance
 - iii. The class variable vs Instance variable
- c) Consider the following JAVA class and answer the questions
- ```

class Person {
 static void speak() {
 System.out.println("Person speaks"); }
 public void print(){
 System.out.println("superclass speaks"); }
}

```
- i. Modify the person class by adding a subclass called the Teacher and the main class called Test to illustrate the **dynamic** and **static binding**.
  - ii. Explain and differentiate the **dynamic binding** and **static binding using part (c)-i statements**.
- d) Explain the process of converting a JAVA stand-alone program (source code) into the machine language.

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