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General Instructions

1. Read all instructions carefully before answering the questions.
2. This question paper consists of **SIX** questions in **SEVEN** pages.
3. Answer **ANY FOUR** questions, in the provided answer book.
4. Answer to each question should commence from a **new page**.
5. Involvement in any activity that is considered as an exam offense will lead to punishment.
7. Use **blue or black ink** to answer the questions.
8. Clearly state your **Registration Number** for B.Sc/B.Ed Degree Programme in your answer script.

QUESTION 01

(a) Answer each of the following using Java programming language.

- (i) Declare the variables **age**, **height** and **gender** such that **age** is an integer, **height** is a decimal and **gender** is a character.
- (ii) Prompt the user to enter an integer **reg_no** and a string **name**. Then print the statement "My name is, and my registration number is", filling the blanks with values entered by the user.

- (iii) Declare a variable *answer*, then compute the result of dividing the integer *p* by the integer *q* and store the result in *answer*.
- (iv) Rewrite the statement in (iii) by handling the possibility of an error occurring if *q* is zero, using exception handling techniques.
- (b)
- (i) What is **Object Oriented Programming (OOP)**?
- (ii) How does OOP differ from Procedure Oriented Programming? Explain briefly using **three** key differences.
- (c) Clearly explain the differences of the following terms by giving suitable examples for each.
- (i) Class method and Instance method
- (ii) Nested class and Inner class
- (iii) Static Binding and Dynamic Binding
- (iv) Constructors and Methods
- (d)
- (i) Define the purpose of **access modifiers** in OOP languages.
- (ii) Copy the following table in your answer book and complete it to show the access levels for the four access modifiers in Java.

Visibility				
From the same class				
From any class in the same package				
From any class outside the package				
From a sub-class in the same package				
From a sub-class outside the same package				

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QUESTION 02

- (a) Briefly discuss the importance of **Object-Oriented Design (OOD)** phase in object-oriented software development process.
- (b)
- (i) What is **inheritance**? Explain with a suitable example.
 - (ii) Provide a brief description of **five** different types of inheritance. Use relevant diagrams for each.
- (c) In Java, the 'super' keyword allows access members of the superclass for various purposes. State **three** distinct purposes for using the super keyword.
- (d) Answer the following questions based on the program segment given below.

```
Public class Mother{
    Public String name;
    Public int age;

    Mother() {
        name = "Nayana";
        age = 45;
    }

    Public void display() {
        System.out.println("Name: " + name);
        System.out.println("Age: " + age);
    }
}
```

- (i) Create a class named **Child** that inherits the **Mother** class. Declare member variables **name** and **Type** for class **Child**. The type of the child may be a string which can take either son or daughter.
- (ii) Define a constructor to the class **Child** and give appropriate initial values for the instances **name**, **age** and **Type**.
- (iii) Define a method **display()** in the class **Child**, it should call the **display()** method in the superclass using the keyword **super**. The method **display()** in the class **Child** should print the information such as **name**, **age** and **type**.

- (iv) Create another class named Main for the main method and create **two** objects for the two classes (Mother and Child). Then execute the `display()` method for Mother and Child.

Example of the Output:

```
Mother's Information:
Name: Nayana
Age: 45
Child's Information:
Name: Damith
Age: 15
Type: Son
```

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QUESTION 03

- (a) Explain the difference between **Method Overloading** and **Method Overriding** by providing suitable method signatures.
- (b) Imagine you are developing a computer game using Java programming language. Your game includes animals. Different types of animals make unique sounds. The program requirements specify that each animal should have its own sound behavior, and some animals should be able to make sounds repeatedly based on a given number. Follow the steps below to create the necessary classes and methods in Java.
- (i) Create a base class named `Animal` with a method `sound()`. This method should print "Some generic animal sound". This serves as a default sound for any animal.
- (ii) Create a specific animal class, `Dog` that inherit from the `Animal` class. In this `Dog` class override the `sound()` method to print "Bark".
- (iii) Create another specific animal class, `Cat` that inherit from the `Animal` class. In this `Cat` class override the `sound()` method to print "Meow".
- (iv) In the `Dog` class, add an overloaded version of the `sound()` method with an integer parameter representing the number of barks.
E.g.,
Calling `dog.sound(3)`; should output "Bark Bark Bark".
This demonstrates method overloading in the `Dog` class.

- (v) In the main method,
- (1) Create an instance of Dog called "Tommy and call the sound () method.
 - (2) Create another instance for Cat called "Kitty" and call the sound () method.
 - (3) Directly call the overloaded sound(int times) method on the Dog instance

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QUESTION 04

- (a) Briefly explain the following terms with suitable examples.
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| (i) Aggregation | (ii) Association | (iii) Composition |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------|
- (b)
- (i) Briefly describe the concept of **thread** and **multi-threaded programming**.
 - (ii) Explain **two** benefits of using multithreading in applications.
- (c) Explain the purpose of an **Inner class** by providing **three** advantages.
- (d)
- (i) **"Interface is different from a class."**
Assess the validity of this statement by providing **four** key differences.
 - (ii) Following Java code segment shows the interface that represents a simple currency converter, from and to Sri Lankan Rupees (SLR).


```
public interface CurrencyConverter{
    float fromSLR(float amount);
    float toSLR(float amount);
}
```

Create a class called DollarCurrencyConverter for supporting the conversion between US dollars and Sri Lankan rupees. You can assume that the rate of US dollar is 290.

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QUESTION 05

- (a) Explain the following terms in brief by giving a suitable example for each.
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| (i) Class | (iii) Constructor |
| (ii) Object | (iv) Garbage Collection |

- (b) Define a class in JAVA to represent a **Point** with the following data fields and methods. Use access modifiers and data types appropriately.
- (i) Data fields – `x_coordinate` and `y_coordinate`
 - (ii) Parameterized constructor to assign the values that are passing during object creation
 - (iii) Selector method for two member variables
 - (iv) Modifier methods for two member variables
 - (v) Write a main class called `Test` to test the `Point` class. Create an object and call all the methods defined in the `Point` class.
- (c)
- (i) What is an **Abstract Method**?
 - (ii) Write **three** differences between a **Abstract Method** and a **Normal Method**.
- (d) How do you achieve the data abstraction of a program? Illustrate it by redefining the `Point` class appropriately. (No need to write the whole class again).

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QUESTION 06

- (a) A software developer wants to build an attendance system that can automatically detect faces in images to mark attendance. To do this, the developer plans to use Java-based face detection software. The developer does not have access to the software's source code but has the Java bytecode and some documentation.
- (i) Explain each of the following terms:
 - Source Code
 - Machine Code
 - Java Bytecode
 - (ii) List **two** advantages of distributing Java software as bytecode instead of source code.
- (b) Fill in the blanks using appropriate terms from the list given below.
(Hiding, private, final, static, protection, this)
- (i) Abstraction and encapsulation are two forms of data _____.
 - (ii) The keyword _____ is used as a modifier for a class to prevent inherited to another class.

- (iii) The keyword _____ is used to refer to the current object and it can be used anywhere as a reference to an object.
- (iv) The keyword _____ is used to declare a class variable within a class, outside any method.

(c)

- (i) Explain **Exception** and **Exception Handling** in brief.
- (ii) Give **two** runtime exceptions with examples.

(d) Consider the following Java code.

```
public static void m(int x) {
    try {
        m2(x);
        System.out.println(1);
    } catch (ArithmeticException e) {
        System.out.println(2);
    } catch (Exception e) {
        System.out.println(3);
    }
}

public static void m2(int x) throws IOException {
    System.out.println(4);
    if (x==1)
        throw new IOException();
    if (x==0)
        throw new ArithmeticException();
    System.out.println(5);
}
```

- (i) Write what is printed to the output screen by `m(1)`.
- (ii) Write what is printed to the output screen by `m(0)`.

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