

## ESC101 : Fundamental of Computing

Lab Test for 14th November 2008

### Instructions:

1. The duration of the test is 3 hrs (from **2:00 pm to 5:00 pm**).
2. **Directory Structure:** Create a directory and name it with your roll number. e.g. If your roll number is Y8001, the directory should be named Y8001 ( Y should be upper case). Inside this directory, create three directories named **One**, **Two** and **Three** corresponding to the programs for the three problems of this test. In directory **One**, create file *LCM.java* for the java program for first problem. In directory **Two**, create files *HollowCylinder.java* and *CylinderExample.java* for the second problem. In directory **Three**, create file *Combination.java* for the java program of the third problem.
3. Use of good coding practices (indentation, use of methods, and proper naming of variables and methods) carries weightage.

### Problems:

1. **Least Common multiple :** (12 marks) Given a set of positive integers, the *Least Common Multiple* of the set is the smallest positive number which is divisible by each number of the set. Write a program which reads three integers from command line and prints their least common multiple (LCM). For example, for integers 4, 6, 12, the LCM is 12. For  $n = 5, 2, 12$ , the LCM is 60. You may assume that the input numbers are positive integers in the range of `int`. You may use the relation between *GCD* and *LCM* of two numbers, and the following fact : For any three positive integers  $a, b, c$

$$LCM(a, b, c) = LCM(a, LCM(b, c))$$

2. Design a JAVA class *HollowCylinder* for objects which are hollow cylinders with a lid which can be removed to open the cylinder. The attributes should be radius and heights of type `double`. No method outside the class *HollowCylinder* should be allowed direct access to the attributes of an object of the class *HollowCylinder*.

Design two constructors for this class.

- One constructor is parameter-less and initializes the radius and height of the cylinder to 1.
- Another constructor should have two parameters of type *double* which correspond to the radius and height of the cylinder created.

Design the following non-static methods which should be accessible from methods external to the class *HollowCylinder*.

- **radius :** it should return radius of *this* cylinder.
- **height :** it should return the height of *this* cylinder.
- **Area :** it should return the outer surface area of *this* cylinder after its lid has been closed. Use  $\pi = 3.14$ .
- **Volume :** it should return the volume of *this* cylinder.
- **Encloses :** it has a parameter  $C$  which is reference to an object of class *HollowCylinder* and it should return true if *this* cylinder can enclose the cylinder whose reference is  $C$ . We say that a cylinder  $A$  can enclose another cylinder  $B$  if we can place  $B$  inside  $A$  and close the lid of  $A$ . You may ignore the thickness of the lid.

Write a JAVA program *CylinderExample.java* which receives two command-line arguments of type double such that the first argument corresponds to the radius and the second argument corresponds to the height of a cylinder. It creates a cylinder, say *A*, and then initializes its attributes according to the arguments read. It should create another cylinder, say *B*, using parameter-less constructor. It should then compute the following information and print suitable messages on the console.

- The radius and height of cylinder *A*
- The surface area of cylinder *A*.
- The volume of cylinder *A*.
- Whether *A* can enclose *B* ?

### 3. Generalization of Combination

Write a program which generates all combinations of *L* elements from a set *A* such that each element of the set appears at least *k* times and at most *m* times. The set *A* is given as a string (without any repetition of characters). The four arguments *A*, *L*, *k* and *m* are read from command-line in this fixed order only.

Examples are :

- for  $A = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $L = 4$ ,  $k = 1$ ,  $m = 2$ , the output should be

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[a, a, b, c]
[a, b, b, c]
[a, b, c, c]
```

- for  $A = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $L = 3$ ,  $k = 0$ ,  $m = 2$ , the output should be

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[a, b, c]
[a, a, b]
[a, a, c]
[a, b, b]
[a, b, c]
[a, c, c]
[b, c, c]
[b, b, c]
```

- for  $A = \{a, b, c\}$ ,  $L = 3$ ,  $k = 2$ ,  $m = 3$ , the output should be

Sorry, no such combination is possible.