

University Interscholastic League

**Computer Science Competition**

Number 116 (District 2 - 2009)

General Directions (Please read carefully!):

- 1) DO NOT OPEN EXAM UNTIL TOLD TO DO SO.
- 2) **NO CALCULATOR OF ANY KIND MAY BE USED.**
- 3) There are 40 questions on this contest exam. You have 45 minutes to complete this contest. If you are in the process of actually writing an answer when the signal to stop is given, you may finish writing that answer.
- 4) Papers may not be turned in until 45 minutes have elapsed. If you finish the test before the end of the allotted time, remain at your seat and retain your paper until told to do otherwise. Use this time to check your answers.
- 5) All answers must be written on the answer sheet/Scantron card provided. Indicate your answers in the appropriate blanks provided on the answer sheet or on the Scantron card. Clean erasures are necessary for accurate Scantron grading.
- 6) You may place as many notations as you desire anywhere on the test paper, but not on the answer sheet or Scantron card which are reserved for answers only.
- 7) You may use additional scratch paper provided by the contest director.
- 8) All questions have ONE and only ONE correct (BEST) answer. There is a penalty for all incorrect answers. **All provided code segments are intended to be syntactically correct, unless otherwise stated. Ignore any typographical errors and assume any undefined variables are defined as used.**
- 9) A reference to commonly used Java classes is provided at the end of the test, and you may use this reference sheet during the contest. You may detach the reference sheets from the test booklet, but DO NOT DO SO UNTIL THE CONTEST BEGINS.
- 10) Assume that any necessary import statements for standard Java packages and classes (e.g. `.util`, `ArrayList`, etc.) are included in any programs or code segments that refer to methods from these classes and packages.

Scoring:

- 1) All questions will receive **6 points** if answered correctly; no points will be given or subtracted if unanswered; **2 points** will be deducted for an incorrect answer.

**QUESTION 1**

What is the sum of  $10001_2$  and  $1011_2$ ?

- A.  $11100_2$       B.  $11111_2$       C.  $10111_2$       D.  $11000_2$       E.  $11110_2$

**QUESTION 2**

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 0      B. 0.4      C. 40  
D. 2      E. 2.5

```
int x = 10;
int y = 4;
x = y / x;
System.out.println( x );
```

**QUESTION 3**

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 7      B. 18      C. 14  
D. 6      E. 12

```
int accum = 0;
for(int i = 0; i <= 6; i++) {
    accum++;
    accum++;
}
System.out.print( accum );
```

**QUESTION 4**

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 1      B. 0      C. -1  
D. 4      E. 3

```
String prog = "haskell";
System.out.print( prog.indexOf('E', 3) );
```

**QUESTION 5**

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 2      B. 7      C. 5  
D. 8      E. 10

```
int[] data = {2, 3, 1, 5, 3, 1};
data[1] += data[2] + data[5];
System.out.println( data[1] );
```

**QUESTION 6**

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 100      B. 35      C. 15  
D. 50      E. 12

```
int r = 5;
int s = 2;
r *= s + r;
System.out.print( r );
```

**QUESTION 7**

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. true true  
B. true false  
C. false true  
D. false false  
E. false true false true

```
boolean p = (4 > 5);
boolean q = (0 != 0);
System.out.print( p && q );
System.out.print( " " );
System.out.print( !p || p );
```

**QUESTION 8**

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 8 8
- B. 8 9
- C. 7 7
- D. 7 9
- E. 7 8

```
int x = 8;
int y = 4 * 2;
if( x == y ){
    if( x % 2 == 0 )
        x--;
    else
        y++;
}
System.out.print( x + " " + y );
```

**QUESTION 9**

What replaces <\*> in the code to the right so that MAX PTS and PASS RATE are class constants that are accessible only in the Grade class?

- A. public final
- B. private static
- C. private final
- D. private void final
- E. private static final

Assume <\*> is filled in correctly.

**QUESTION 10**

What is output by the client code to the right?

- A. true
- B. false
- C. 1
- D. 180
- E. true true

```
public class Grade{
    <*> int MAX PTS = 100;
    <*> double PASS RATE = 0.7;

    private int points;

    public Grade(int p){
        points = p;
    }

    public boolean pass(){
        double ave = 1.0 * points / MAX PTS;
        return ave >= PASS RATE;
    }
}

///////////////////////////////
// client code
Grade hist = new Grade(75);
Grade cs = new Grade(105);
boolean result = hist.pass() && cs.pass();
System.out.print( result );
```

**QUESTION 11**

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 3
- B. 15
- C. 77
- D. 4
- E. 12

```
int m = 11;
int n = 7;
System.out.print( m ^ n );
```

**QUESTION 12**

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 0
- B. 24
- C. 12
- D. 36
- E. -12

```
int x = 12;
System.out.print( Math.abs(x) + x );
```

**QUESTION 13**

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. ipipip
- B. ipip
- C. ip
- D. yyyyip
- E. ipipipip

```
String text = "ip";
System.out.print( text + text );
System.out.print( text );
```

<b>QUESTION 14</b> <p>What is output by the code to the right?</p> <p>A. 03.10      B. 3.10000      C. 0x3.10  D. 3.10x8      E. 003.10</p>	<pre>System.out.printf("%05.2f", 3.1);</pre>
<b>QUESTION 15</b> <p>What is returned by the method call joy(-3)?</p> <p>A. 11      B. -1      C. -3  D. 5      E. -13</p>	<pre>public int joy(int w) {     w = w * w;     w -= w;     w--;     return w; }</pre>
<b>QUESTION 16</b> <p>What is output by the code to the right?</p> <p>A. a      B. 99      C. c  D. 2      E. y</p>	<pre>int let = 'a'; let += 2; System.out.print( (char)let );</pre>
<b>QUESTION 17</b> <p>What is output by the code to the right?</p> <p>A. 3mid3      B. 3mid12      C. 3sum3  D. 12mid12      E. 12mid3</p>	<pre>String sum = 1 + 2 + "mid" + 1 + 2; System.out.print( sum );</pre>
<b>QUESTION 18</b> <p>What is output by the code to the right?</p> <p>A. [2, 1]      B. [1, 2]      C. [2, 0]  D. [0, 2]      E. [2, 0, 1]</p>	<pre>ArrayList&lt;Integer&gt; readings; readings = new ArrayList&lt;Integer&gt;(); readings.add(2); readings.add(0, 1); System.out.print( readings );</pre>
<b>QUESTION 19</b> <p>What is output by the code to the right?</p> <p>A. 3      B. 12      C. 4  D. 6      E. There is no output due to an infinite loop.</p>	<pre>int test = 3; int flag = 6; do{     test++;     flag *= 2; } while( flag &lt; test ); System.out.print( test );</pre>
<b>QUESTION 20</b> <p>What is output by the code to the right?</p> <p>A. 0      B. null      C. 1  D. There is no output due to a syntax error.  E. There is no output due to a NullPointerException.</p>	<pre>String[] courses = new String[5]; System.out.print( courses[4].length() );</pre>

**QUESTION 21**

Which of the following can replace <\*1> in the code to the right so that the code segment compiles without error?

- I. name
  - II. (Object) name
  - III. name.toObject()
- A. I only      B. II only      C. III only  
 D. I and II    E. II and III

```
String name = "Sam";
Object obj;
obj = <*1>;
System.out.print( obj );
```

**QUESTION 22**

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. Abe      B. P      C. ?:  
 D. V      E. Mondale

```
String pres = "Abe";
String vice = "Mondale";
char res;
res = ( pres.length() > vice.length() )
      ? 'P' : 'V';
System.out.print( res );
```

**QUESTION 23**

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 3      B. 2      C. 13  
 D. 12    E. 10

```
int hold = 10;
int other = 2;
if((hold % 5 == 0) || (other++ % 2 == 0))
  hold += other;
System.out.print( hold );
```

**QUESTION 24**

What replaces <\*1> in the code to the right to indicate the block of code that sets count to -1 is the exception handling code for any IOExceptions generated by the code in the preceding try block?

- A. catch(IOException e)  
 B. finally(IOException e)  
 C. then  
 D. catch  
 E. throws(RuntimeException e)

Assume <\*1> is filled in correctly.

**QUESTION 25**

If no file exists with the name specified by the String nm what does method count do?

- A. Returns -1.  
 B. Returns 0.  
 C. Returns null.  
 D. The program halts due to a runtime error.  
 E. Method count never ends due to an infinite loop.

```
public int count(String nm) {
  int count = 0;
  try{
    FileReader f;
    f = new FileReader( new File(nm) );
    while( f.ready() ){
      f.read();
      count++;
    }
  } <*1> {
    count = -1;
  }
  return count;
}
```

**QUESTION 26**

Which of the following can replace <\*1> in the code to the right so that the code segment compiles without error?

- I. 26.2
  - II. new Double(26.2)
  - III. "26.2"
- A. I only
  - B. II only
  - C. III only
  - D. I and II
  - E. I and III

```
ArrayList<Double> distances;
distances = new ArrayList<Double>();
distances.add(<*1>);
```

**QUESTION 27**

What is output by the client code to the right?

- A. [5, 1, -5, 0, 2]
- B. [5, 2, 1, 0, -5]
- C. [0, 1, 2, 3, 4]
- D. [5, 2, 1, 0]
- E. [-5, 0, 1, 2, 5]

```
/* If tgt is present in nums return the
index of an element equal to tgt
else return the index of where tgt should
be placed to maintain nums in sorted order.
*/
public int find(int[] nums,
                int tgt, int high) {
    int low = 0;
    int mid = (low + high) / 2;
    boolean found = false;
    while( !found && low <= high) {
        mid = (low + high) / 2;
        if( nums[mid] < tgt )
            low = mid + 1;
        else if( nums[mid] > tgt )
            high = mid - 1;
        else
            found = true;
    }
    return found ? mid : low;
}

public void sort(int[] nums) {
    for(int i = 1; i < nums.length; i++) {
        int tgt = find(nums, nums[i], i - 1);
        int temp = nums[i];
        for(int j = i; j > tgt; j--) {
            nums[j] = nums[j - 1];
        }
        nums[tgt] = temp;
    }
}

// client code
int[] nums = {5, 1, -5, 0, 2};
sort(nums);
System.out.print( Arrays.toString(nums) );
```

**QUESTION 28**

Which searching algorithm does method `find` use?

- A. sequential search
- B. interpolation search
- C. quick search
- D. linear search
- E. binary search

**QUESTION 29**

Which sorting algorithm does method `sort` implement?

- A. a modified insertion sort
- B. a modified radix sort
- C. a modified selection sort
- D. a modified quick sort
- E. a modified merge sort

**QUESTION 30**

What is the Big O of method `range`? The `LinkedList` data contains N distinct Intgers. Pick the most restrictive correct answer.

- A.  $O(N\log N)$
- B.  $O(N^{3/2})$
- C.  $O(N^2 \log N)$
- D.  $O(N^2)$
- E.  $O(N)$

```
public int range(LinkedList<Integer> data) {
    Collections.sort( data );
    int min = data.getFirst();
    int max = data.getLast();
    return max - min + 1;
}
```

**QUESTION 31**

What is output by the code to the right?

- A. 31
- B. 0
- C. 64
- D. 128
- E. 223

```
int alpha = 64;
int beta = 31;
int gamma = 128;
gamma = alpha & beta | gamma;
System.out.println( gamma );
```

**QUESTION 32**

Which of the following replaces `<*>` in the code to the right to return the value in `max` if the value in `max` is greater than or equal to the number of elements in array `d` from index `i` to the last element in the array, inclusive?

- A. `if( max >= lim - i )  
 return max;`
- B. `if( max >= i )  
 break;`
- C. `if( max >= d.length )  
 return max;`
- D. `if( max >= d[i] )  
 return max;`
- E. `if( max > d.length - d[i] )  
 break;`

Assume `<*>` is filled in correctly.

```
public int trace(int[] d) {
    int max = 0;
    int lim = d.length;
    for(int i = 0; i < lim; i++){
        <*>
        int j = i + 1;
        int len = 1;
        while( j < lim && d[j] > d[j - 1] ){
            len++;
            j++;
        }
        max = Math.max(max, len);
    }
    return max;
}

// client code
int[] values = {2, 1, -1, 4, 8, 8, 10};
System.out.print( trace(values) );
```

**QUESTION 33**

What is output by the client code to the right?

- A. 4
- B. 7
- C. 2
- D. 10
- E. 3

**QUESTION 34**

Assume method `sample(int[] data)` is  $O(N^3)$  where  $N = \text{data.length}$ . When method `sample` is passed an array with `length = 2,000` it takes 1 second for method `sample` to complete. If method `sample` is then passed an array with `length = 4,000` what is the expected time it will take method `sample` to complete?

- A. 4 seconds
- B. 9 seconds
- C. 64 seconds
- D. 16 seconds
- E. 8 seconds

**QUESTION 35**

What is output by the code to the right?

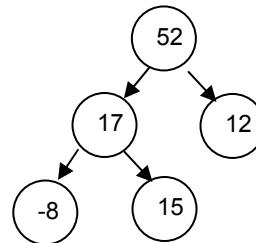
- A. [4, 2]      B. [2, 4, 6, 12]
- C. [6, 12]      D. [6, 2, 4, 12]
- E. [2, 4]

```
Set<Integer> s1 = new TreeSet<Integer>();
Set<Integer> s2 = new TreeSet<Integer>();
int[] data1 = {6, 2, 4, 12};
int[] data2 = {0, 5, 4, 2};
for(int i = 0; i < data1.length; i++) {
    s1.add(data1[i]);
    s2.add(data2[i]);
}
s1.retainAll(s2);
System.out.print(s1);
```

**QUESTION 36**

Consider the tree to the right. What kind of tree is it?

- A. A stack tree      B. A min heap
- C. A max heap      D. A red black tree
- E. A binary search tree

**QUESTION 37**

Consider the code to the right. Which of the following data types can replace <\*>1 in the following client code so that the client code compiles without error?

- ```
<*>1 currentScore = new Score();
```
- A. Score, int
  - B. Object, Incrementable, and Score
  - C. E, Object, Comparable, and Score
  - D. Object, String, and Score
  - E. String, Object, Incrementable, and Score

```
public interface Incrementable{
    public void increment();
}

public class Score implements
Incrementable{

    private int points;

    public Score(){
        points = 0;
    }

    public void increment(){
        points++;
    }
}
```

**QUESTION 38**

What replaces <\*> in the code to the right to allocate a new array of the proper type with cap elements?

- A. new E
- B. (E[]) (new Object[cap])
- C. E[cap]
- D. (E) (new Object[])
- E. new E[cap]

Assume <\*> is filled in correctly.

**QUESTION 39**

What type of data structure does the Structure class implement?

- A. A list
- B. A stack
- C. A queue
- D. A binary search tree
- E. A hash table

```
public class Structure<E>{
    private int size;
    private E[] con;

    public Structure(){ con = getCon(10); }

    public void add(E obj){
        if( size == con.length )
            con = getCon( size * 2 );
        con[size++] = obj;
    }

    public E get(int pos){
        return con[pos];
    }

    public void remove(int pos){
        size--;
        for(int i = pos; i < size; i++)
            con[i] = con[i + 1];
    }

    public int size(){ return size; }

    private E[] getCon(int cap){
        E[] temp = <*>;
        for(int i = 0; i < size; i++)
            temp[i] = con[i];
        return temp;
    }
}
```

**QUESTION 40**

What is output by the client code to the right?

- A. 131
- B. 13
- C. 1
- D. There is no output due to a syntax error.
- E. There is no output due to a runtime error.

```
public interface Card{
    public static final int ACE = 13;
}

public class BlackjackCard implements Card{
    public static final int ACE = 1;
}

// client code
System.out.print( BlackjackCard.ACE );
```

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## Standard Classes and Interfaces — Supplemental Reference

```
class java.lang.Object
    o boolean equals(Object other)
    o String toString()
    o int hashCode()

interface java.lang.Comparable<T>
    o int compareTo(T other)
        Return value < 0 if this is less than other.
        Return value = 0 if this is equal to other.
        Return value > 0 if this is greater than other.

class java.lang.Integer implements Comparable<Integer>
    o Integer(int value)
    o int intValue()
    o boolean equals(Object obj)
    o String toString()
    o int compareTo(Integer anotherInteger)
    o static int parseInt(String s)

class java.lang.Double implements Comparable<Double>
    o Double(double value)
    o double doubleValue()
    o boolean equals(Object obj)
    o String toString()
    o int compareTo(Double anotherDouble)
    o static double parseDouble(String s)

class java.lang.String implements Comparable<String>
    o int compareTo(String anotherString)
    o boolean equals(Object obj)
    o int length()
    o String substring(int begin, int end)
        Returns the substring starting at index begin
        and ending at index (end - 1).
    o String substring(int begin)
        Returns substring(from, length()).
    o int indexOf(String str)
        Returns the index within this string of the first occurrence of
        str. Returns -1 if str is not found.
    o int indexOf(String str, int fromIndex)
        Returns the index within this string of the first occurrence of
        str, starting the search at the specified index.. Returns -1 if
        str is not found.
    o charAt(int index)
    o int indexOf(int ch)
    o int indexOf(int ch, int fromIndex)
    o String toLowerCase()
    o String toUpperCase()
    o String[] split(String regex)
    o boolean matches(String regex)

class java.lang.Character
    o static boolean isDigit(char ch)
    o static boolean isLetter(char ch)
    o static boolean isLetterOrDigit(char ch)
    o static boolean isLowerCase(char ch)
    o static boolean isUpperCase(char ch)
    o static char toUpperCase(char ch)
    o static char toLowerCase(char ch)

class java.lang.Math
    o static int abs(int a)
    o static double abs(double a)
    o static double pow(double base,
                        double exponent)
    o static double sqrt(double a)
    o static double ceil(double a)
    o static double floor(double a)
    o static double min(double a, double b)
    o static double max(double a, double b)
    o static int min(int a, int b)
    o static int max(int a, int b)
    o static long round(double a)
    o static double random()
        Returns a double value with a positive sign, greater than
        or equal to 0.0 and less than 1.0.

interface java.util.List<E>
    o boolean add(E e)
    o int size()
    o Iterator<E> iterator()
    o ListIterator<E> listIterator()

class java.util.ArrayList<E> implements List<E>
    Methods in addition to the List methods:
    o E get(int index)
    o E set(int index, E e)
        Replaces the element at index with the object e.
    o void add(int index, E e)
        Inserts the object e at position index, sliding elements at
        position index and higher to the right (adds 1 to their
        indices) and adjusts size.
    o E remove(int index)
        Removes element from position index, sliding elements
        at position (index + 1) and higher to the left
        (subtracts 1 from their indices) and adjusts size.

class java.util.LinkedList<E> implements
                                List<E>, Queue<E>
    Methods in addition to the List methods:
    o void addFirst(E e)
    o void addLast(E e)
    o E getFirst()
    o E getLast()
    o E removeFirst()
    o E removeLast()
```

```

class java.util.Stack<E>
    o boolean isEmpty()
    o E peek()
    o E pop()
    o E push(E item)

interface java.util.Queue<E>
    o boolean add(E e)
    o boolean isEmpty()
    o E peek()
    o E remove()

class java.util.PriorityQueue<E>
    o boolean add(E e)
    o boolean isEmpty()
    o E peek()
    o E remove()

interface java.util.Set<E>
    o boolean add(E e)
    o boolean contains(Object obj)
    o boolean remove(Object obj)
    o int size()
    o Iterator<E> iterator()
    o boolean addAll(Collection<?> extends E> c)
    o boolean removeAll(Collection<?> c)
    o boolean retainAll(Collection<?> c)

class java.util.HashSet<E> implements Set<E>

class java.util.TreeSet<E> implements Set<E>

interface java.util.Map<K,V>
    o Object put(K key, V value)
    o V get(Object key)
    o boolean containsKey(Object key)
    o int size()
    o Set<K> keySet()
    o Set<Map.Entry<K, V>> entrySet()

class java.util.HashMap<K,V> implements Map<K,V>

class java.util.TreeMap<K,V> implements Map<K,V>

interface java.util.Map.Entry<K,V>
    o K getKey()
    o V getValue()
    o V setValue(V value)

interface java.util.Iterator<E>
    o boolean hasNext()
    o E next()
    o void remove()

interface java.util.ListIterator<E> extends
java.util.Iterator<E>
    Methods in addition to the Iterator methods:
    o void add(E e)
    o void set(E e)

```

```

class java.lang.Exception
    o Exception()
    o Exception(String message)

class java.util.Scanner
    o Scanner(InputStream source)
    o boolean hasNext()
    o boolean hasNextInt()
    o boolean hasNextDouble()
    o String next()
    o int nextInt()
    o double nextDouble()
    o String nextLine()
    o Scanner useDelimiter(String pattern)

```

# **Computer Science Answer Key**

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|       |       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 1. A  | 11. E | 21. D | 31. D |
| 2. A  | 12. B | 22. D | 32. A |
| 3. C  | 13. A | 23. D | 33. E |
| 4. C  | 14. A | 24. A | 34. E |
| 5. C  | 15. B | 25. A | 35. E |
| 6. B  | 16. C | 26. D | 36. C |
| 7. C  | 17. B | 27. E | 37. B |
| 8. E  | 18. B | 28. E | 38. B |
| 9. E  | 19. C | 29. A | 39. A |
| 10. A | 20. E | 30. A | 40. C |

**Notes:**

The clause "Choose the most restrictive correct answer." is necessary because per the formal definition of Big O, an algorithm that is  $O(N^2)$  is also  $O(N^3)$ ,  $O(N^4)$ , and so forth.

9. The keyword `static` is used to indicate that a field belongs to the class rather than being an instance variable. If a field is `static` then only one of them exists regardless of the number of instances of that class that exist.

23. Since the first portion of the Boolean expression is true, the whole expression is true. The second portion is not evaluated due to short circuiting so the variable `other` is not incremented.

30. The `Collections` class `sort` method uses a modified merge sort and an auxiliary array so sorting a `LinkedList` is  $O(N\log N)$  instead of degenerating to  $O(N^2 \log N)$ .

38. Answer E does not work because arrays of elements of generic types cannot be instantiated. Thus an array of `Objects` must be created and cast to an array of the generic types. This is the same syntax used in the Java `ArrayList` class.

40. public class constants in classes and interfaces can be shadowed by descendant and implementing classes.