CIS 120 Final Exam

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SOLUTIONS

1. True or False (10 points)

a.	T F	To call the constructor of the ArrayList class, you must specify a size. An instance of this class cannot store more than that number of elements.
b.	T F	The LinkedList class in the Java Collections framework implements immutable lists, just like OCaml's list type.
c.	T F	It is possible to write your own instance of the set interface in Java.
d.	T F	The binary search tree invariant means that the process of determining whether a particular value appears in a tree does not require searching the entire tree.
e.	T F	Every mutable reference in OCaml could refer to None.
f.	T F	In a Java method, assignment to the this reference can be used to efficiently change the entire state of an object.
g.	T F	A method with the following declaration definitely will not throw an IOException to a calling context. public void m() {}
h.	T F	The declaration public void m() throws IOException indicates that the method m must throw an IOException every time that it is invoked.
i.	T F	In both the Java Swing libraries and our OCaml GUI library, JComponents/widgets should form a tree structure.
j.	T F	In Swing, the paintComponent method only executes the very first time the Component is displayed, when the application initially starts.

2. Design Recipe (8 points)

List the four steps of the design recipe.

- **a.** Understand the problem and how the concepts relate to eachother.
- **b.** Define the interface
- **c.** Write tests
- **d.** Implement, i.e. write code

Grading Scheme: 2 points per step

3. Array processing (10 points)

Consider a static method called trim that returns a copy of its string argument with leading and trailing whitespace omitted. Once implemented, trim should pass the following unit test.

```
@Test public void testTrim() {
    assertEquals("abcd", Main.trim(" abcd "));
    assertEquals("", Main.trim(" "));
    assertEquals("a d", Main.trim(" a d "));
}
```

Fill in the blanks below to complete the implementation of trim. In your answer, the only methods that you may use are length and charAt from the String class, and isWhitespace from the Character class. (Documentation for these methods appears in the Reference Appendix.)

```
class Main {
 public static String trim(String s) {
   // find first non-space character at the beginning of the String
   int from = 0;
   while (_____from < s.length()_____ &&</pre>
       Character.isWhitespace(s.charAt(from))) {
     from = from + 1;
   }
   // find the index one more than the last non-space
   // character at the end of the string
   int to = ____s.length();___
   while (_____to > from &&
        Character.isWhitespace(s.charAt(to - 1))____) {
    to = to - 1;
   }
   // allocate array for new String
   char[] chars = new char[_____to - from____];
   // copy characters into the new array
   for (int i=0; i< chars.length; i++) {</pre>
          _____chars[i] = s.charAt(i + from);___
   }
   return new String(chars);
 }
}
```

Grading Scheme: 2 pts per blank. 1 pt partial credit for getting half of the condition in the 3rd blank. 1 pt partial credit for getting one of the indices correct in the last blank.

4. Objects (18 points total)

Consider the following OCaml definitions:

```
type pet = { speak : unit -> string;
        get_name : unit -> string }
let cat (name : string) : pet = {
    speak = (fun () -> "meow");
    get_name = (fun () -> name)
}
let dog (name : string) : pet = {
    speak = (fun () -> "woof");
    get_name = (fun () -> name)
}
```

a. (6 points) Here is some code that uses these definitions.

What is printed on the console when the main function is called?

Bella says meow Owen says woof Esme says meow **b.** (12 points) Suppose we were to translate the code on the previous page to Java. For example, one way to translate the main function is as follows:

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
  Cat bella = new Cat ("Bella");
  Dog owen = new Dog ("Owen");
  Cat esme = new Cat ("Esme");
  Pet[] pets = { bella, owen, esme };
  for (Pet p : pets) {
    System.out.println(p.getName () + " says " + p.speak() );
  }
}
```

Using the space below, define the Pet interface and Cat class, the translations of the OCaml definitions pet and cat on the previous page. (The Dog class is similar to Cat, so you don't need to do both for this problem.) Your definitions must be compatible with the main method above.

```
interface Pet {
    public String speak();
    public String getName();
}
class Cat implements Pet {
    private String name;
    public Cat(String n) { name = n; }
    public String speak() {
        return "meow";
    }
    public String getName() { return name; }
}
```

Grading Scheme:

- 1 interface Pet (abstract class ok)
- 2 public speak method w/ correct type
- 2 public getName method w/ correct type
- 1 class for Cat
- 1 Cat implements/extends Pet
- 1 private String name (kudos for final)
- 2 constructor that takes a string and initialize name
- 1 speak method implementation
- 1 getName method implementation

5. Java Types (10 points)

Consider the following excerpt from the class definitions used in Homework 9. (Additional documentation for the classes and interfaces in the Java standard library appears in the appendix):

```
class Token {
  public Token(boolean isWord, String tok) { ... }
  public boolean isWord() { ... }
}
class TokenScanner implements Iterator<Token> {
  public TokenScanner(Reader in) throws IOException { ... }
  public boolean isWordCharacter(int c) { ... }
  public boolean hasNext() { ... }
  public Token next();
}
```

Write down a type for each of the following Java variable definitions. Due to subtyping, there may be more than one correct answer. Any correct answer will be accepted. Write **ill-typed** if the compiler would flag an error anywhere in the code snippet (i.e. Eclipse would underline something in red). Assume that all of these definitions occur in the context of an exception handler (so that failing to catch an exception is *not* a error).

The first one has been done for you as a sample and is used in the remaining definitions.

a. FileReader	<pre>reader = new FileReader("theFox.txt");</pre>
b.	x = (char) 38;
CTokenScanner	<pre>s = new TokenScanner(reader);</pre>
d. TokenScanner	<pre>b = new TokenScanner(new BufferedReader(reader));</pre>
eill-typed	<pre>f = new BufferedReader("theFox.txt");</pre>
fill-typed	<pre>i = new Iterator<token>();</token></pre>
g. Token	<pre>u = new TokenScanner(reader).next();</pre>
hill-typed	<pre>t = reader.next();</pre>
i. int	<pre>m = reader.read();</pre>
j. ill-typed	<pre>w = TokenScanner.hasNext();</pre>
k. Token	k = new Token(true , "120");

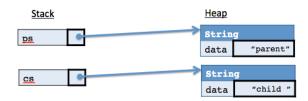
6. Java ASM and Exceptions (14 points total)

Consider the following class definitions (inspired by XKCD).

```
class Ball extends Throwable {}
class P {
  P target;
  String name;
  P (String name, P target) { this.name = name; this.target = target; }
  void aim(Ball ball) {
    try {
      System.out.println(name + " is throwing the ball.");
      throw ball;
    } catch (Ball b) {
      System.out.println(name + " caught the ball.");
      target.aim (b);
    }
  }
}
```

Suppose the following code is placed on the workspace of the Java ASM.

(10 points) The stack and heap diagram that corresponds to the point in the execution marked START is shown on the next page. Extend this diagram so that it displays the stack and heap at the point when execution terminates.



Grading Scheme: 3 points for stack definitions of parent/child/ball. 7 points for correct heap structure of the three objects.

(4 points) Now suppose the following code is placed on the workspace.

parent.aim(ball);

What happens next? Circle the correct behavior from the choices below.

- E Grading Scheme: 4 points, no partial credit.
 - **a.** The console prints

parent is throwing the ball. child caught the ball.

and execution terminates.

b. The console prints

parent is throwing the ball. parent caught the ball.

and execution terminates.

- c. Nothing is printed to the console and the program immediately terminates.
- **d.** The console prints

```
child is throwing the ball.
parent caught the ball.
parent is throwing the ball.
child caught the ball.
...
```

repeatedly and then eventually produces a StackOverflowError.

e. The console prints

```
parent is throwing the ball.
parent caught the ball.
child is throwing the ball.
child caught the ball.
...
```

repeatedly and then eventually produces a StackOverflowError.

f. The console prints

```
child is throwing the ball.
child caught the ball.
parent is throwing the ball.
parent caught the ball.
...
```

repeatedly and then eventually produces a StackOverflowError.

g. Nothing is printed to the console and the program produces a StackOverflowError.

7. Collections and Equality (12 points)

The following comment is taken from the Java library implementation of the equals method for both the LinkedList and ArrayList classes.

public boolean equals (Object o)

Compares the specified object with this list for equality. Returns true if and only if the specified object is also a list, both lists have the same size, and all corresponding pairs of elements in the two lists are equal. (Two elements e1 and e2 are equal if (e1==null ? e2==null : e1.equals(e2)).) In other words, two lists are defined to be equal if they contain the same elements in the same order.

This implementation first checks if the specified object is this list. If so, it returns true; if not, it checks if the specified object is a list. If not, it returns false; if so, it iterates over both lists, comparing corresponding pairs of elements. If any comparison returns false, this method returns false. If either iterator runs out of elements before the other it returns false (as the lists are of unequal length); otherwise it returns true when the iterations complete.

Consider the following creation of a linked list that contains a single element:

```
List<String> l1 = new LinkedList<String>();
String str = "CIS 120";
l1.add(str);
```

Each of the code snippets below first constructs a new list and then presents one or more comparisons. For each of the comparisons below, circle whether it returns **true** or returns **false**.

- l1.equals(l4) true
- d. List<Object> 15 = new LinkedList<Object>();
 l5.add(l1);
 - l1.equals(15) false
- e. List<String> 16 = new LinkedList<String>();
 l6.add("CIS 120");
 - l1.equals(16) true

8. Binary Trees (18 points total)

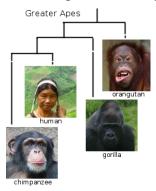
Consider a Java implementation of the helices and evolutionary trees from Homework 2. We represent a sequence of nucleotides using the Helix class below. (Only the parts of this class that are relevant for the problem are shown.)

```
class Helix {
    // constants for the DNA data for particular species
    public static final Helix GORILLA = ...;
    public static final Helix CHIMPANZEE = ...;
    public static final Helix HUMAN = ...;
    public static final Helix ORANGUTAN = ...;
    // compute a guess for the parent DNA given the DNA of two descendants
    // if either argument is null, this method returns null
    public static Helix guessParent(Helix 1, Helix r) { ... };
}
```

To represent evolutionary trees, we use the following class. *Leaf nodes* are those where both of the left and right fields are null. *Internal nodes* are those that have at least one non-null child.

```
class Node {
    public Node left;
    public Node right;
    public Helix helix;
    public Node (Node 1, Helix h, Node r) {
        left = 1; helix = h; right = r;
    }
}
```

For example, we can represent the following tree for the greater apes



using the following definitions.

```
Node c = new Node(null, Helix.CHIMPANZEE, null);
Node h = new Node(null, Helix.HUMAN, null);
Node g = new Node(null, Helix.GORILLA, null);
Node o = new Node(null, Helix.ORANGUTAN, null);
```

Node apes = new Node (new Node (new Node (c, null, h), null, g), null, o);

a. (6 points) Write a static method that counts the number of leaves of an evolutionary tree. For example, the method call numberOfLeaves (apes) should return 4.

```
public int numberOfLeaves(Node n) {
    if (n == null) { return 0; }
    if (n.left == null && n.right == null) {
        return 1;
    }
    return (numberOfLeaves(n.left) + numberOfLeaves(n.right));
}
```

Grading Scheme:

- 2 return 0 when node is null
- 1 check if left/right are null
- 1 return 1 for leaf
- 1 recursive call for each side
- 1 add result

b. (12 points) The sample tree apes is called *unlabeled* because we don't know the helices of the ancestors of the species at the leaves of the tree—the helix for each of the internal nodes is null. Recall that homework 2 took trees of this form and *labeled* them by repeatedly guessing the DNA sequences for each ancestor.

Write a static method that takes an unlabeled tree and produces a labeled tree, using the guessParent method of the Helix class. For example, the method call labelTree(apes) should return a new tree like result below. (The apes tree should not be modified by the method.)

```
Helix ch = Helix.guessParent(Helix.CHIMPANZEE, Helix.HUMAN);
Helix chg = Helix.guessParent(ch, Helix.GORILLA);
Helix chgo = Helix.getParent(chg, Helix.ORANGUTAN);
Node result = new Node(new Node(new Node(c, ch, h), chg, g), chgo, o);
public static Node labeledTree(Node n) {
    if (n == null) {
        return null;
    }
    Node l = labeledTree(n.left);
    Node r = labeledTree(n.right);
    return new Node(l, Helix.guessParent(l.helix, r.helix), r);
}
```

Grading Scheme:

- 2 check for null and return null
- 2 name local variable with result of each recursive call
- 2 allocate new Node
- 2 in new Node l is left, r is right
- 2 call Helix.guessParent
- 2 correct args to guessParent

Reference Appendix

Make sure all of your answers are written in your exam booklet. These pages are provided for your reference—we will *not* grade any answers written in this section.

java.lang

```
public class String
public String(char[] value)
// Allocates a new String so that it represents the sequence of
// characters currently contained in the array argument
public char charAt(int index)
// Returns the char value at the specified index
public int length()
// Returns the length of this string
public boolean equals(Object anObject)
// Compares this string to the specified object. The result is true if and
// only if the argument is not null and is a String object that represents
// the same sequence of characters as this object.
```

```
public class Character
```

```
public static boolean isWhiteSpace(char ch)
```

// Determines if the specified character is whitespace

java.util (Collections Framework)

public interface Iterator<E>

public boolean hasNext()

// Returns true if the iteration has more elements. (In other words,

// returns true if next would return an element rather than throwing an exception.)

public E next()

// Returns the next element in the iteration .

// Throws: NoSuchElementException – iteration has no more elements.

java.io

```
public abstract class Reader
public int read() throws IOException
// Reads a single character. This method will block until a character
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// is available, an I/O error occurs, or the end of the stream is reached.

// Returns: The character read, as an integer in the range 0 to

// 65535(0x00-0xffff, or -1 if the end of the stream has been reached

// Throws: IOException - If an I/O error occurs

public class BufferedReader extends Reader

public BufferedReader(Reader in)

// Creates a buffering character-input stream that uses a default-sized input buffer.

// Parameters: in – A Reader

public class InputStreamReader extends Reader

public InputStreamReader(InputStream in)

// Creates an InputStreamReader that uses the default charset.

// Parameters: in - An InputStream

public class FileReader extends InputStreamReader

public FileReader (String fileName) throws FileNotFoundException

// Creates a new FileReader, given the name of the file to read from.

// Parameters: fileName – the name of the file to read from

// Throws: FileNotFoundException - if the named file does not exist,

// is a directory rather than a regular file, or for some other

// reason cannot be opened for reading.