

**1.00 Introduction to Computers and Engineering Problem Solving  
Quiz 1 – March 4, 2005**

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You have 80 minutes to complete this exam. For coding questions, you do not need to include comments, and you should assume that all necessary files have already been imported.

## Question 1. True/False

Answer the following questions about Java by circling TRUE or FALSE as appropriate.

- 1) Two classes in the same package can access each other's *private* variables as `object.variableName`, where `object` is an instance of the other class, and `variableName` is a private variable of that object

TRUE

FALSE

- 2) The following piece of code will compile

```
double a    = 5.5;
double b    = 6.9;
int    sum  = a+b;
```

TRUE

FALSE

- 3) Consider the following lines of code

```
int i=6;
int j=5;
double result = i/j + i%j;
```

The value stored in variable `result` is 2.2

TRUE


FALSE

- 4) A class constructor may return an `int`

TRUE

FALSE



```
public class Test{  
    // Initializes two integers 5 and 77, calls addIt and prints MyInt result  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
  
  
  
    }  
}
```

### Question 3: Control Structures

What is the output of this code? Write your answer below.

```
public class MyCode {  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        boolean b = true;  
        int k = -2;  
        int m = 1;  
        while (b) {  
            k += k + m++;  
            if (k > 10 || m >= 5)  
                break;  
        }  
        System.out.println(" k = " + k);  
        System.out.println(" m = " + m);  
    }  
}
```

The output is:



## Question 5: Classes and Methods

### The Quest for Phi, the Golden Ratio

You have been hired as the computer consultant for the new Indiana Jones movie which is secretly under production. Your job is to write the code that the young Dr. Jones will run on screen in a seemingly intelligent fashion. The purpose of the code is to discover the Golden Ratio, 1.618..., which also happens to be the rate at which the numbers in the Fibonacci sequence increase.

0 1 1 2 3 5 8 13 ..

The 0th term in the Fibonacci sequence is 0, the 1st term is 1. The nth term of the sequence is the sum of the two preceding, or (n-1) and (n-2) terms. For example, the 6th term, 8, is the sum of the 5th and 4th terms:  $8 = 5 + 3$

The Golden Ratio phi is the value that the nth term divided by the (n-1) term converges to i.e., the limit of the series,

$2/1, 3/2, 5/3, 8/5, 13/8, 21/13, \dots$

We have written a skeleton class called Fibonacci for you. You will write methods to calculate the Fibonacci number and the Golden Ratio.

a. Write a public static method called `fibonacci`. This method takes an integer `n` as its argument and returns the `n`th Fibonacci number

```
public static _____
{
    // Declare any variables you need here

    if(n == 0)
        return 0; //If the argument n is 0, return the 0th Fibonacci number
    else if(n == 1)
        return 1; //If the argument n is 1, return the 1st Fibonacci number
    // For n greater than 1, calculate the nth Fibonacci number using a loop and return it

} //end of method
```



- b. Write a public static method `goldenRatio()` which takes in as its argument a number `n`, and prints the ratio of the `n+1` st Fibonacci number to the `n`th Fibonacci number. This method should not return anything. **Your code should deal with the special case when `n = 0` by printing that the ratio cannot be computed in that case.**