Integer.MAX_VALUE

- a constant
- holds the largest value for the int data type
 - **2**³¹ **-1**

Integer.MIN_VALUE

- a constant
- holds the smallest value for the int data type
- **-2**³¹

static variables

- variable is connected to the whole class, not individual objects
- all variables of the class share this one variable
- with the keyword *final* it is used to create a constant
- also called: class variables

final

 keyword used to make a variable a constant

ArrayList

- resizable array
- uses the List interface
- only holds objects
- built in methods for inserting, deleting, etc
- Can use the for-each loop or regular for-loop

int x = 7; x = x /2;

- answer: 3
- Remember that with integer division the decimal is cut off, no rounding happens

what does x equal?



Which is correct?

A. int x = (double) 4.5;B. int x = (int) 4.5;C. int x = 4.5;

- answer: B
- Since 4.5 is a double you must use a *numeric cast* to change it to an int.

String w = "ans: "+ 4 + 5;

What is w?

- answer: ans 45
- Since the first thing after the = is a String, java uses concatenation
- so it changes 4 to a String, puts it on the end of ans , then changes 5 to a String and puts it at the end

String concatenation

- What Interface does it implement?
- What methods are included?

What are: A) \\ B) \n C) \"

- called escape sequences
- used for some characters that cannot be typed\displayed easily

A) \ B) new line C) "

Short circuit evaluation

- Java doesn't always test both halves of a Boolean operation sometimes it uses a shortcut
- && (and): if the first part is false, the whole thing will be false, so it never tests the second part
- || (or): if the first part is true, the whole thing will be true, so it never tests the second part

What is output?

for (int a = 1; a < 5; a++){
 for (int b = a; b < 5; b += a)
 System.out.print(b);
 System.out.println();
}</pre>

answer:

- 1234 24 3 4
- Be careful! The first time a = 1, so the second loop counts by 1. Next time a = 2, so it counts by 2, etc.
- For these problems [ay special attention to where they start, where they stop and what they count by.

Why is it best to use .equals instead of == with objects?

- == only does a primitive test for equality
- in objects this means it is testing the memory address, not the values stored in the object

overloading

- In the same class, many methods with the same name
- Java tells them apart using the signature
- Signature: the number a type of parameters
- CANNOT use the methods return type to tell them apart

Integer

- Wrapper class that holds ints
- used to store ints in an ArrayList
- holds the MAX_VALUE and MIN_VALUE

simple arrays

- array can hold primitive types or class types
- all elements are of the same type
- not resizable
- Use the regular for-loop
- Use .length to find the size

new

- creates a reference to an object in memory
- calls the constructor in the object

constructor

- builds an object in memory
- sets up all the variables in the objects
- has the same name as the class
- NEVER has a return type or void
- can overload the constructor—Java tells them apart by the number and type of the parameters



 means a method does not return a value

| public int [] doStuff() What type does this method return? | An array of integers If this is a free response question the first thing you should do is: int [] list = new int [10]; return list; This is usually worth 1/2 to 1 point! |
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| What is returned by the call mystery(5)? public static int mystery(int num){ if (num ==0) return 0; return num + mystery(num - 1); } How about mystery (3)? mystery(2)? | answer: 15 mystery(3)? 6 mystery(2)? 3 |
| int list [] = { 5, 7, 2, 4}; for (int i = 0; i < list.length; i++) list [i] = list[i] * 2; What is stored in <i>list</i> after this loop? | • answer: 0 1 2 3 10 14 4 8 |

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null

What Interface does it implement?
What methods are included?

int stuff [] [] = new int [3][5];

How many columns? How many rows?

Write the for loops to initialize this to: 01234 12345 23456

- 2-D arrays are row-major—> the rows come first.
- rows = 3, columns = 5

for(int r = 0; r < stuff.length; r++)
for (int c = 0; c < stuff[r].length; c++)
 stuff[r][c] = r + c;</pre>

public vs. private

- Public means the variable or method can be accessed outside the class, private means it cannot
- On the AP exam all variables in a class are expected to be private

Create a one-line comment

Makes a comment

• Can block out several lines of code

Simplify: !(x != 5 && y <=0)

/*

//

*/

- answer: (x == 5 | | y>0)
- This is an example of DeMorgan's Law
- To simplify you distribute the ! and take the opposite of each operation
- Be careful! The opposite of > is <=
- Review this there are always a few of these in the MC section - this should be a fast and easy question

What is 1101₂ in base 10?

- answer: 13
- You should know binary, octal and hex. They are in the AP course description.

int x[];

Assume this array has been initialized. Write a loop to find the index of the largest element. int maxIndex = 0;

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for (int i = 1; i < x.length; i++){
    if (x[maxIndex] < x[i])
        maxIndex = i;
}</pre>
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- Why do we set maxIndex to 0 before the loop?
- Why does the loop start at 1?

static methods

- method connected to the class, not an object
- ex: Math.random
- You do not declare a variable of Math type to get to the random method

interface

- Used to define a set of behavior for a group of classes
- example: List interface, Comparable interface

How are abstract classes different than interfaces?

- Interfaces cannot have variables or code in methods. They can only have constants and a list of abstract methods
- Abstract classes can have some code along with the abstract methods

You have an abstract class called first. A child class called second extends first. What must be true for second to NOT be abstract?

- second must include code for all of the abstract methods in first.
- If second does not have code for all the abstract methods in first, second is also abstract
- The abstract methods are like a todo list, once a child class has code for all the abstract methods, the abstraction is lifted

implements

- Used to show a class uses an interface
- example:

public class Binary implements Comparable{

Bug b1 = null; b1.act();

What's wrong?

- Since b1 is null, it does not point to a location in memory. We cannot use any methods on a null object.
- throws a NullPointerException,

What is output if x = 7;

if(x % 2 ==1)

System.out.print("A"); else

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System.out.print("B");
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- answer: A
- % finds the remainder
- %2 finds if a number is even or odd

extends

- Connects a child class to it's parent
- The child class *inherits* all the features of the parent class
- Example:

public class RockMonster extends Monster

super

- calls the constructor of the parent class
- must be the first line in the child class' constructor

abstract class

- A class set up to be a parent to a subclass
- can have abstract methods, these are methods with no code
- an abstract class cannot be instantiated (cannot create an object from it)
- If the child class does not implement all the abstract methods it is also abstract

| class | template for a object can include variables and methods Hints: According to the AP Java subset all variables should be private! On some old free response ques- tions there has been a 1/2 deduc- tion for not using private |
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| Object | All classes are children of this class has a toString and equals method toString returns the variable's memory address equals tests if two variables memory addresses are the same the equals and toString methods are usually rewritten in child classes |
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object

- a variable of a class type
- can hold data (variables) and have methods