

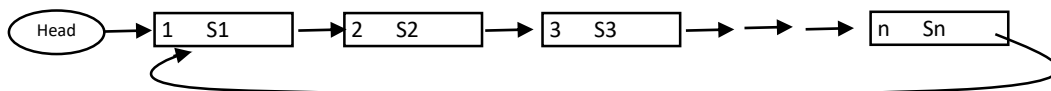
**Important Instructions:**

- +Use of Mobile phones or any other electronic gadget is prohibited.
- +After time is called, hand-in your work. Failure to do so within 3 minutes will result in 20% penalty.
- +Time is of essence, use it wisely.

Solve all Questions. Questions 1-2 refer to the following node class.

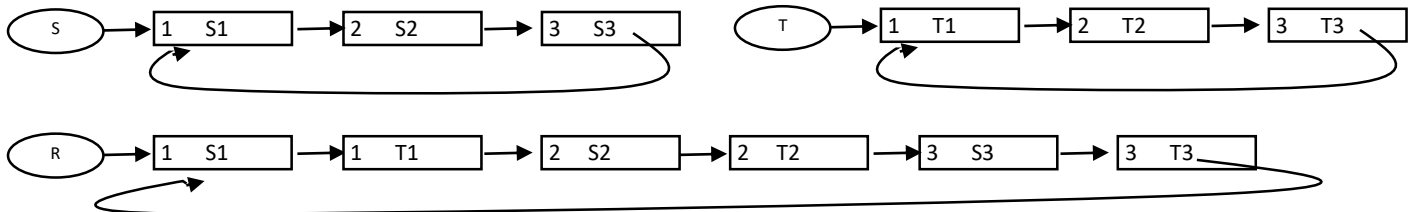
```
public class node {  
    int id;  
    String name;  
    node next;  
    public node() {id=0;name="";} }  
}
```

Q1. [3 points] Write a method **public Node buildStructure(int n)** that creates the following structure and returns a reference of type node. The variable *id* takes values from 1 up to the parameter *n*. If  $n \leq 0$  your method should return null.



```
public static class Node  
{  
    int id;  
    String name;  
    Node next;  
    public Node() {id=0;next=null;}  
    public Node(int id, String s){this.id = id; this.name=s; next=null;}  
}  
  
public static Node buildStructure(int n)  
{  
    if (n<=0) return null;  
    Node temp = new Node(1, "S"+1);  
    Node Head = temp;  
    for(int i=2;i<=n;i++)  
    {  
        temp.next=new Node(i, "S"+i);  
        temp = temp.next;  
    }  
    temp.next = Head;  
    return Head;  
}
```

Q2. [4 points] Your method `public Node MergeLists(node S, node T)` is used to merge two lists (using node class given above) in a special way. The method returns a reference **R** to a new list by taking first node of List S followed by first node of list T; then second node of List S followed by second node of List T; and so on. Your method checks if the size of both lists is the same; if it is not the same, the method returns null.



```
public static Node mergeLists(Node S, Node T)
{
    if(size(S)!=size(T))return null;
    Node R = S;
    Node moveS=S, moveT=T;
    int size = size(S);
    for(int i=0;i<size*2;i++)
    {
        if(i%2==0){
            moveS=moveS.next;
            R.next = moveT;
        }
        else{
            moveT=moveT.next;
            R.next = moveS;
        }
        R=R.next;
    }
    return R;
}
public static int size(Node X)
{
    if(X==null) return 0;
    int i=1;
    Node temp = X;
    while(temp.next!=X)
    {
        temp = temp.next;
        i++;
    }
    return i;
}
```

Q3. [2 points] Trace the output of the following code fragment. Show the contents of the stack object `myStack` at each step.

	Preformed Function	Output	State of <code>myStack</code>
1	<code>myStack.push(10)</code>		10
2	<code>myStack.push(20)</code>		20,10
3	<code>myStack.pop()</code>	20	10
4	<code>myStack.push(2 * myStack.top())</code>		20,10
5	<code>myStack.push(20 - myStack.top())</code>		0,20,10
6	<code>myStack.size()</code>	3	0,20,10
7	<code>myStack.pop()</code>	0	20,10
8	<code>myStack.isEmpty()</code>	false	20,10

Q4. [3 points] Consider the following code fragments/algorithm in the table below. For each, state the runtime of the algorithm in **big-Oh notation**.

No.	Algorithm	Runtime expressed in big-Oh
1	<pre>//N is a large number int sum = 0; for (int n = N; n &gt; 0; n -= 2)     for(int i = 0; i &lt; n; i++)         sum++;</pre>	$O(n^2)$
2	<pre>//N is a large number int sum = 0; for (int i = 1; i &lt; N; i ++)     for (int j = 0; j &lt; 10; j++)         sum++;</pre>	$O(n)$
3	<p><b>Algorithm</b> Algo (k)  <b>Input:</b> k , a positive integer  <b>Output:</b> k-th even natural number (the first even being 0)</p> <pre>if (k = 1) then return 0 else     return Algo (k-1) + 2</pre>	$O(k)$ or is $k \leq n$ then $O(n)$

Q5. [3 points] Write a recursive method `public int SumPow(int x, int n)` that computes and returns the sum of all powers  $p$  of  $x$  where  $0 < p \leq n$ . Give trace and estimate number of operations with a Big-Oh notation for the run-time.

Example: `SumPow(2, 3)` would give  $2^0 + 2^1 + 2^2 + 2^3 = 15$ .

```
public static int sumPow(int x, int n)
{
    if (n==0)
        return 1;
    else
        return sumPow(x,n-1)+(int)Math.pow(x, n);
}
```

Example: Lets say  $x=2$  and  $n=3$  then

For n	call
	<code>sumPow(2, 3)</code>
3	<code>sumPow(2,2)+(int)Math.pow(2,3);</code>
2	<code>sumPow(2,1)+(int)Math.pow(2,2);</code>
1	<code>sumPow(2,0)+(int)Math.pow(2,1);</code>
0	1

In each call number of operations is 1 (if stmt) + 2 for `Math.pow()`: total is 3. Overall there would be  $n$  calls so  $3n + c$  which is  $O(n)$ .

-End of Exam-