

1. What does the following code print (4 pts each)?

```
void f(int x)
{
    if (x < 0)
        return -f(-x);
    else if (x > 0)
        return 2 + f(x - 1);
    else
        return 0;
}

int main()
{
    cout << f(0);
    cout << f(1);
    cout << f(-2);
    cout << f(300);
}
```

ANSWERS

0
2
-4
600

Note: f(x) returns 2*x. I gave a 5 point bonus to anyone who caught my error that f should return int, not void.

Is there any value of **x** that would cause infinite recursion? If so, give an example (4 pts).

ANSWER: No.

2. Write a function **triple** taking an int by reference and returning void. After calling, the argument should have 3 times its original value, for example (20 pts).

```
int a = 10;
triple(a);
cout << a; // 30
triple(a);
cout << a; // 90
```

```
// ANSWER
void triple(int& x)
{
    x = x * 3;
}
```

3. Write a function **len** that takes a string argument **s** by value and returns the length of **s** if all the characters of **s** are the same, or 0 if any two characters are different. For example (20 pts).

```
cout << len("aaaaa"); // 5
cout << len("baa"); // 0
cout << len("x"); // 1
cout << len(""); // 0
cout << len("aa") + len("bbbb"); // 6
```

```
// ANSWER
int len(string s)
{
    for (int i=1; i<int(s.size()); ++i)
        if (s[i] != s[0])
            return 0;
    return int(s.size());
}
```

4. An object of class **Employee** is initialized with a name (string) and hourly pay rate (double). It has a member function **print()** which prints this information, and a member function **pay(hours)** which takes the number of hours worked (as a double) and returns the amount to be paid (hours * pay rate, as a double). Write class **Employee**. All data members should be private. An example of its use is shown. (40 pts).

```
Employee x("Bob", 9.25);
x.print(); // Bob earns 9.25 per hour
double amount = x.pay(40.0);
cout << amount; // 370.0
```

```
// ANSWER
class Employee
{
private:
    string name;
    double rate;
public:
    Employee(string n, double r)
    {
        name = n;
        rate = r;
    }
    void print()
    {
        cout << name << " earns " << rate
            << " per hour\n";
    }
    double pay(double hours)
    {
        return rate * hours;
    }
};
```

Note: member functions need not be inlined as shown.