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- This is a **50** minute exam. This exam contains **7** pages of questions not including this cover page. Make sure that you have all of them.
  - Put your name on the top right hand corner of each page as examination papers sometimes come unstapled.
  - *Read each question carefully. Ask yourself what the point of the question is. Check to make sure that you have answered the question asked.*
  - Answer all questions on the exam sheet. If you do some of your work on the back of a page, clearly indicate to the marker what work corresponds with which question.
  - Partial marks shall be awarded for clearly identified work.
  - Non-programmable calculators and simple wrist-watches are allowed. **No cell-phones or other non-medical electronic devices.**
  - This exam counts as **15%** of your total grade. There are **50** points total on the exam.
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## Memory Organization

- (4) 1. (a) Name the parts of the memory diagram shown in Figure 1 on the next page.<sup>1</sup>
- top-left \_\_\_\_\_
  - top-right \_\_\_\_\_
  - bottom-left \_\_\_\_\_
  - bottom-right \_\_\_\_\_
- (3) (b) Write a short chunk of code for the main method that might result in the situation shown.
- (2) (c) Write the likely two-line code for the `Person.murder` method. Look at the diagram carefully to determine the order of execution of the statements.
- (2) (d) Which of the methods that have been invoked but have not returned are static, and which are non-static? How can you tell?

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<sup>1</sup>The figure pays tribute to two very famous computer scientists: Rear Admiral Grace Hopper (1906–1992) (COBOL) and Dennis Ritchie (1941–2011) (C). The figure is entirely fictional; both died of natural causes.

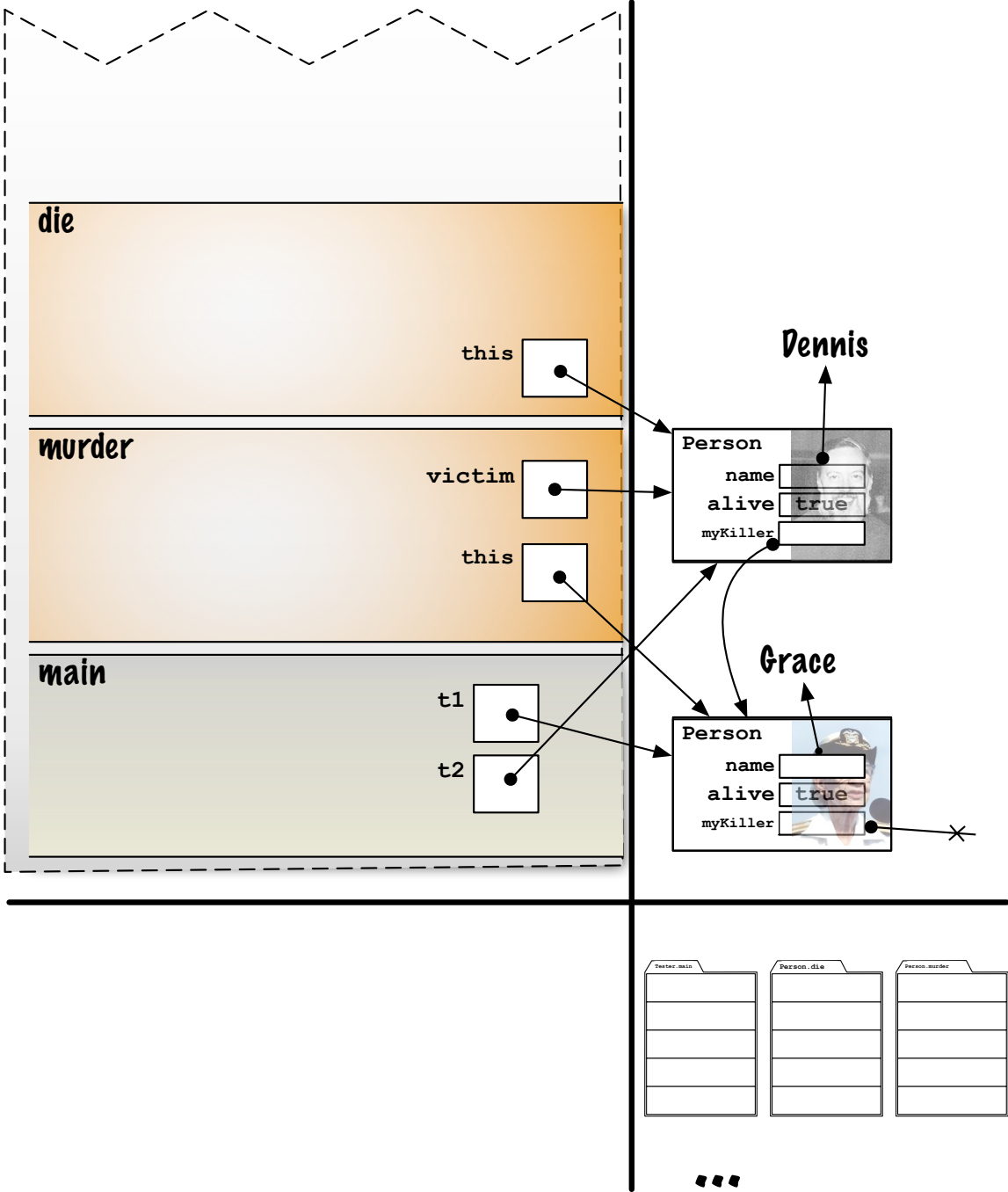


Figure 1: Memory diagram for Question 1 on the preceding page

- (2) (e) Name a couple kinds of information that are in the stack frames but not shown in this figure.

## Interfaces

2. Interfaces may contain both methods (member functions) and fields (member variables), but subject to very strict conditions.

- (2) (a) The restriction on fields (member variables) is that they must be:

- (2) (b) The restriction on methods (member functions) is that they must be:

## Packages

- (2) 3. (a) If  
    /home/casper/Code/Lab19/crossword/Grid.java  
is compiled to  
    /home/casper/Code/Lab19/crossword/Grid.class  
and then run using  
    java crossword.Grid,  
in what directory should the java command be issued?

- (2) (b) Assuming that the `Grid.class` file is to be run as above, that is, as `crossword.Grid`, what should the package-statement in `Grid.java` be? Where must it be located?

- (2) 4. Explain as clearly as you can what the statement

```
import java.util.Scanner ;
```

does. How can you avoid using this import statement?

### Longer answer

- (3) 5. (a) In practising Object Oriented Design, ABC's refer to Attributes, Behaviours, and Collaborations. Explain what these are.

- (2) (b) Compare and contrast *private member variables* and *attributes*.

- (3) 6. What are cohesion and coupling? Explain the role that they play in class design.
- (3) 7. (a) Explain what a class invariant is.
- (1) (b) When might a class invariant *not* hold?
- (1) (c) In proving by induction that a class has a particular class invariant, constructors provide the \_\_\_\_\_.

## Coding Questions

- (4) 8. Create a `SerialNumber` class that has one public zero-argument constructor, and two public methods

```
public long value() { ... }  
public String toString() { ... }
```

that **return** an integer like 124357689 or a string like "S/N: 124357689" respectively. Every `SerialNumber` must have a unique `value()`. You may assume that less than one billion `SerialNumber` objects will be manufactured.

## True and False

1 each

9. Circle **TRUE** or **FALSE** as appropriate. Questions that don't clearly indicate *one* choice shall be marked wrong. If you feel that the answer depends on how you interpret the question, give a brief reason for the answer you chose.
- (a) When a method returns, all local variables are automatically destroyed and their storage is recovered. **TRUE FALSE**
  - (b) A non-static method automatically has access to the static variables of the same class. **TRUE FALSE**
  - (c) When a method returns, all objects it created are destroyed and their storage is recovered. **TRUE FALSE**
  - (d) When a non-static method is called the compiler generates a hidden argument which is a reference to the object calling the method. **TRUE FALSE**
  - (e) Suppose that `fred` and `bill` are variables of the same, immutable type. Then the assignment "`fred = bill`" is illegal. **TRUE FALSE**
  - (f) The assignment "`fred = bill`" causes both `fred` and `bill` to point at the same object. **TRUE FALSE**
  - (g) For a given class name, method name combination there is exactly one chunk of code memory. **TRUE FALSE**
  - (h) An object of a class may not access the private member variables of another object in the same class. **TRUE FALSE**
  - (i) A `JAVA` class may implement multiple interfaces. **TRUE FALSE**
  - (j) A `JAVA` class may extend multiple classes. **TRUE FALSE**