

## Default Question Block

Thank you for participating in our experiment! You have the opportunity to help shape the future of programming language design, enabling safer and easier development of high-stakes software. The study will take about an hour to complete, but you will be given opportunities for breaks in the middle. Once you start the study, please finish it within 24 hours.

You will now be asked to answer some programming questions. We are interested both in your answers and in how long you take to answer the questions. If you need a break, please take one now; afterward, please focus on the questions without getting distracted until the survey is done.

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Read the document "Ownership -- Introduction". Once you are finished, answer the following questions. You may refer to the document as needed.

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The following two questions refer to this diagram. A `Person` has a `Coin` which they



want to use at a VendingMachine to acquire a Candy. When the Person places a Coin in the VendingMachine, they get a Candy in return. You may assume that initially, a Person doesn't have any Candy, and a VendingMachine doesn't have any Coins.

Person

VendingMachine

Coin

Candy

Write the ownership references that are true BEFORE the Person places the Coin in the VendingMachine, based on the objects shown in the diagram above. One reference is given to you as an example for formatting (note it is NOT accurate); please follow this format for your references.

Example: Candy --> Coin // Owned (This means Candy has an Owned reference to a Coin object)





Write the ownership references that are true AFTER the Person places the Coin in the VendingMachine, based on the objects shown in the diagram above.



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Write a contract called `Person` that has an `Owned` reference to a `House` and a `Shared` reference to a `Park`. The `House` and `Park` contracts are given below.

```
contract House {
```

```
}
```

```
contract Park {
```

```
}
```

Please write your answer in the VSCode window (`code1.sol`). You may compile your



code to check your answer.

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Read the document "Ownership -- Functions". Once you are finished, answer the following questions. You may refer to the document as needed (and any previous ones).

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Refer to the code below for the next five questions.

```
contract Money {
    ...
}

contract Wallet {
    Money m; // m is owned

    constructor() public {
        m = new Money();
    }

    // returns owned Money
    function spendMoney() public returns (Money) {
```



```
        ...
    }

    // mon is initially owned but must be unowned afterward.
    function receiveMoney(Money mon) public {
        ...
    }
}
```

What is **m** in the code fragment above?

- ☐ A Money object
- ☐ An owned reference to a Money object
- ☐ An Owned object
- ☐ All of the above
- ☐ None of the above

What is the return type of the spendMoney function (if one exists)?

What is the return type of the receiveMoney function (if one exists)?

Assuming correct implementation, what is the Ownership status of **mon** at the **beginning** of the receiveMoney function?



Assuming correct implementation, what is the Ownership status of `mon` at the **end** of the `receiveMoney` function?

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Refer to the following code for the next two questions.

```
contract Share {

}

contract ShareHolder {
    Share share; // share is owned

    constructor() public {
        share = new Share();
    }

    function receiveShare( Share s) public { // TODO
        ...
    }

    // s is owned
    function checkShareValue(Share s) public {
        ...
    }
}
```



What comment goes in the `// TODO` above?

(note: `s` is a `Share` owned by another `ShareHolder` that is passed as a parameter to the `receiveShare` function, and will be set to the field `"share"`)

Please write your answer in the VSCode window (`code2.sol`). You may compile your code to check your answer.

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Refer to the following code for the next two questions.

```
contract Share {

}

contract ShareHolder {
    Share share; // share is owned

    constructor() public {
        share = new Share();
    }

    function receiveShare( Share s) public { // TODO
        ...
    }
}
```



```
// s is owned
function checkShareValue(Share s) public {
    ...
}
}
```

What is an equivalent way to comment about s in the checkShareValue function declaration?

- ☐ // s is shared
- ☐ // s is unowned initially but owned afterward
- ☐ // s is owned initially and owned afterward
- ☐ // s is unowned initially and unowned afterward
- ☐ None of the above

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Read the document "Ownership -- Variables". Once you are finished, answer the following questions. You may refer to the document as needed (and any previous ones).

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Refer to the following code for the next three questions.

```
contract Money {
    int public amount;
}

contract Wallet {
    Money m; // m is owned

    constructor() public {
        m = new Money();
    }

    function spendMoney() public {
        //...
    }

    // mon is owned at the beginning but unowned at the end
    // Returns an owned reference.
    function receiveMoney(Money mon) public returns (Money) {
        Money temp = m;
        m = mon;
        return temp;
    }

    // Returns an owned reference.
    function checkMoney() public returns (Money) {
        return m;
    }
}
```

What must be the ownership status of m after every function in Wallet?



What occurs in the receiveMoney function with regards to ownership? Is m's ownership status before the function begins the same as when it ends?

Is checkMoney's implementation consistent with its declaration, comment about ownership, and the surrounding code?

- ☐ No, you cannot return a field of a contract in a function
- ☐ Yes, the return type matches the type of m
- ☐ No, returning m makes it unowned, which doesn't match the ownership status of m's declaration
- ☐ Yes, m is of type owned, which matches the ownership status of m's declaration
- ☐ None of the above

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Write a constructor for the `Money` object so that it accepts an integer as a parameter and sets "amount" to that integer value.

Note: you will have to change the instantiation of m in Wallet for your code to compile. Please write your answer in the VSCode window (`code3.sol`). You may compile your code to check your answer.



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Read the document "Ownership -- Miscellaneous". Once you are finished, answer the following questions. You may refer to the document as needed (and any previous ones).

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Definitions of Money and Wallet contracts for the following questions.

```
contract Money {  
    int amount;  
  
    function getAmount() public returns (int) {  
        return amount;  
    }  
}
```

```
contract Wallet {  
    // m is owned  
    Money m;  
  
    constructor() public {  
        m = new Money();  
    }  
}
```



```

}

function spendMoney() public {
    ...
}

// mon is owned initially but unowned at the end.
// Returns an owned reference.
function replaceMoney(Money mon) public returns (Money) {
    Money temp = m;
    m = mon;
    return temp;
}
}

```

Refer to the following code for the next question. Assume the definitions of Wallet and Money are as shown above.

```

// w and m are both owned
function foo (Wallet w, Money m) {

    w.replaceMoney(m);
    w.spendMoney();
    w.replaceMoney(m);

}

```

What is the problem with the function "foo"? Give your answer in terms of ownership.



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Write a Person contract that has an owned reference to a Wallet object. Person should also have an `addMoney()` function that takes in a Money parameter and passes it to its Wallet's `replaceMoney()` function. `addMoney()` should return the Wallet's initial money that was replaced.

Please write your answer in the VSCode window (`code4.sol`). You may compile your code to check your answer.

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Read the document "Assets". Once you are finished, answer the following questions. You may refer to the document as needed (and any previous ones).

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Refer to the following code for the next two questions.

```
// Medicine is an asset
contract Medicine {

}

// Pharmacy is an asset
contract Pharmacy {
    // med is owned
    Medicine med;

    // Initially, m is owned; afterward, m is unowned.
    function getNewMedicine(Medicine m) public {
        med = m;
    }

    function throwAwayMedicine() public {
        // disown med
    }
}
```

What is the problem (if one exists) with the getNewMedicine function?

- ☐ med becomes Unowned, although it should be Owned at the end of the function
- ☐ m is stated as becoming an Unowned reference, but actually stays Owned
- ☐ The owning reference to m is lost
- ☐ The owning reference to the original Medicine object (med) is lost
- ☐ There is no error



What is the problem (if one exists) with the `throwAwayMedicine` function?

- ☐ An Owned reference cannot be disowned
- ☐ `med` is Unowned in the function, so it cannot be disowned
- ☐ `med` becomes Unowned after this function; this doesn't match its declaration
- ☐ Only a field can be disowned
- ☐ There is no error

How could you fix `getNewMedicine`? Describe your answer in words/pseudocode. Write N/A if there is no problem with the function.

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Read the document "States -- Introduction". Once you are finished, answer the following questions. You may refer to the document as needed (and any previous ones).

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A `Drink` can be hot, cold, or lukewarm. If the `Drink` is cold, it has an `IceCube` object. If it is hot, it has a `CupSleeve`. The `Drink` always has an integer value to keep track of its temperature, and always starts lukewarm.

Write the `Drink` contract with the necessary states and fields as described above.  
NOTE: You do NOT need to write a constructor for `Drink` (you can ignore this compiler error for now)

Please write your answer in the VSCode window (`code5.sol`). You may compile your code to check your answer.

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Describe the relationship between states and ownership in your own words.

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Read the document "States -- Manipulating State". Once you are finished, answer the following questions. You may refer to the document as needed (and any previous



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Refer to the following code for the next four questions.

```
contract Voter {
    string name;
    bool citizen;
    enum State { Eligible, Ineligible, Registered, FinishedVoting }
    State state;

    constructor(string n, bool citizenship) public {
        name = n;
        citizen = citizenship;
        if (!citizen) {
            state = State.Ineligible;
        }
        else {
            state = State.Eligible;
        }
    }

    // Transitions the voter from Registered to FinishedVoting.
    function vote() public {
        // TODO
    }

    // Transitions the voter from Eligible to either Registered or Inel
    function register() public {
        ...
    }
}
```



```
}  
}
```



What state(s) will a Voter be in after it is first instantiated?

What state(s) will a Voter be in after the function "register"?

What state(s) must a Voter be in to vote?

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Finish the `vote` function by transitioning the state of a `Voter` to the required state. Please write your answer in the VSCode window (`code6.sol`). You may compile your code to check your answer.

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Refer to the following code for the next two questions.

```
contract Candy {
}

contract Coin {
}

contract CoinBag {
    // Takes ownership of c.
    function deposit(Coin c) public {
        // Real implementation not shown; for now, just throw c away.
        // disown c;
    }
}

contract TinyVendingMachine {
    CoinBag coinBin;
    Candy inventory; // only when in Full state

    enum State {Full, Empty}
    State state;

    // Starts Empty.
    constructor () public {
        coinBin = new CoinBag();
        state = State.Empty;
    }

    // Transitions the receiver from Empty to Full.
    // Consumes ownership of c.
    function restock(Candy c) public {
```



```

        require(state == State.Empty, "Can only restock in Empty state.
        // TODO
    }

    // Returns Candy owned by the caller.
    function buy(Coin c) public returns (Candy) {
        require(state == State.Full, "Can only buy in Full state.");
        coinBin.deposit(c);
        Candy result = inventory;
        state = State.Empty;
        return result;
    }
}

```

Write code to complete the `buy` function declaration above.

Please write your answer in the VSCode window (`code7.sol`). You may compile your code to check your answer.

Complete the `restock` function above by transitioning the state of `TinyVendingMachine` to `Full`.

Please write your answer in the VSCode window (`code7.sol`). You may compile your code to check your answer.

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Read the documents "States -- Miscellaneous" and "States and Assets". Once you are finished, answer the following questions. You may refer to the document as needed



(and any previous ones).

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Which of the following can be passed as a parameter to the following function (assume **Money** is an **asset**):

```
// money is owned
function foo(Money money) {

}
```

You may choose more than one answer.

- ☐ Money m; // m is owned
- ☐ Money m; // m is unowned
- ☐ Money m; // m is shared
- ☐ None of the above

Which of the following can be passed as a parameter to the following function (assume **Money** is an **asset**):

```
// money is unowned
function foo(Money money) public {

}
```

You may choose more than one answer.

- ☐ Money m; // m is owned



- ☐ Money m; // m is unowned
- ☐ Money m; // m is shared
- ☐ None of the above

Which of the following can be passed as a parameter to the following function (assume **Money** is an **asset**):

```
// money is shared
function foo(Money money) public {
}
```

You may choose more than one answer.

- ☐ Money m; // m is owned
- ☐ Money m; // m is unowned
- ☐ Money m; // m is shared
- ☐ None of the above

Read the document "Using Solidity on a Blockchain." Once you are finished, answer the following questions. You may refer to the document as needed (and any previous ones).

Consider:

```
contract KangarooTracker {
    int public kangaroos;

    function f() {
        // Need to access 'kangaroos' field
    }
}
```

Which of the following will access the contents of the kangaroos field from f?

- ☐ kangaroos()
- ☐ getKangaroos()



- ☐ None of the above; only accessing 'kangaroos' directly works since no getter was defined above.

```
contract LightSwitch {  
    enum State { Off, On }  
    State state;  
}
```

Which of the following is a valid assignment to the state field?

- ☐ state = State(Off);
- ☐ state = State.Off;
- ☐ state = Off;