

# SOLUTIONS MANUAL



**Java PAL, Third Edition**  
**Chapter 2**  
**Answers to the Exercise Questions**

**Exercise 2-1**

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|----------|-----|--------------------|-----|----------|-----|
| 1. myAge | Yes | this_is_a_variable | Yes | NUMBER   | Yes |
| yourAge  | Yes | number             | Yes | \$number | Yes |
| float    | No  | lnumber            | No  | intNum   | Yes |
| May25    | Yes | number Two         | No  | Number   | Yes |
2. double  
double  
String  
double  
int

**Exercise 2-2**

1. `int productNumber;`  
`int numPets;`  
`double bootPrice;`  
`String favBook;`
2. `double rectangleSide = 5.1;`  
`int daysInNovember = 30;`  
`String myDogName = "Duchess";`  
`int numCredits = 15;`  
(This answer can vary depending on the number of classes.)

**Exercise 2-3**

1. `final double CAR_WASH_PRICE = 14.95;`  
`final int DAYS_IN_NOVEMBER = 30;`  
`final String MY_DOG_NAME = "Duchess";`  
`final int MAX_CREDIT_HOURS = 18;`

**Exercise 2-4**

1. The value of `answer1` is 27.  
The value of `answer2` is 104.  
The value of `answer3` is -1.  
The value of `answer4` is -1.  
The value of `answer5` is 30.  
The value of `answer6` is 5.

Precedence and associativity affect the order in which the operations are carried out thereby affecting the result.

### Exercise 2-5

1. Change the declaration to `double width1 = 18.5;`
2. Change the declaration to `double numGallons;`
3. Change the order of the two assignment statements as follows:  
`squareFeet = (width1 * height1 + width2 * height2) * 2;`  
`numGallons = squareFeet / 150;`
4. No, both variables are not needed because the height of the walls is the same.  
Make the following changes:  
Delete the second height variable (`height2`)  
Change the square feet calculation statement to the following:  
`squareFeet = (width1 * height1 + width2 * height1) * 2;`