# Concurrency

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## **1** Predict the final value

1. One thread executes

$$v = 1;$$
  
 $v = v + 1;$ 

and another thread executes

$$v = 0;$$

What is the final value of v?

2. One thread executes

v = v + 1;

and another thread executes

$$v = v + 1;$$

If the initial value of v is 0, then what is the final value of v?

3. One thread executes

v = 0;

and another thread executes

v = Long.MAX\_VALUE;

How many different final values can v have?

### 2 **Printers**

1. Develop a Java class called **Printer** that is a **Thread** and prints its name 1000 times.

public class Printer extends Thread {

}

2. Develop an app that creates two **Printers** with names 1 and 2 and run them concurrently.

```
public class TwoPrinters {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
   }
}
```

3. Develop a Java class called **Printer** that implements **Runnable** and prints the thread's name 1000 times

```
public class Printer implements Runnable {
```

- }
- 4. Develop an app that creates two **Printers** (developed in 3.) with names 1 and 2 and run them concurrently.

```
public class TwoPrinters {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
   }
}
```

}

### **3** Incrementers

1. Develop a Java class called **Incrementer** that is a **Thread** and increments a shared static attribute named **value**, which is initialized to 0.

public class Incrementer extends Thread {

2. Develop an app that creates two **Incrementers** and run them concurrently. Assert that the final value of **value** is two.

```
public class TwoIncrementers {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
   }
}
```

}

#### 4 How many executions?

- 1. One thread prints 1 one. Another thread prints 1 two. How many different executions are there?
- 2. One thread prints 2 ones. Another thread prints 2 twos. How many different executions are there?
- 3. One thread prints 3 ones. Another thread prints 3 twos. How many different executions are there?
- 4. One thread prints 1000 ones. Another thread prints 1000 twos. How many different executions are there?
- 5. One thread executes n instructions. Another thread executes n instructions. How many different executions are there?
- 6. There are k threads. Each thread executes n instructions. How many different executions are there?