CS163 Programming Quiz 4

Open your quizspace and have a TA check it. For this quiz you are allowed only to look at previous quizzes in quizspace – you may NOT look at previous code submitted through checkin. Create a project called Q4B and a class called Q4B. Upload the following interface and implement the interface within the class:

http://www.cs.colostate.edu/~cs164/.Fall17/quizzes/Q4B/src/IQ4B.java

public String addStars (ArrayList<Character> str)

To solve addStars, you must use recursion. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD YOU USE A LOOP, an instance variable (non-static), or a Class variable (static). We will search for all as part of the grading, any loops or global variables that are found will result in a zero for the entire quiz.

This method takes a non-null ArrayList of characters and returns a string that consists of each of the characters in the ArrayList with stars in between them. In addition, these stars are added to the ArrayList. If the ArrayList is empty, an empty string is returned and no characters are added to the ArrayList.

Example (note – the ‘ and “ below are used to denote contents and are not part of the data):

If an ArrayList containing ‘a’, ‘b’, and ‘c’ is passed to the method, the method would have a return value of “a*b*c” back as a String. In addition, the ArrayList would now have 5 elements instead of 3 matching the characters in the return string and in the same order.

Submitting your assignment

When you have completed your code and unit tested it to your satisfaction, you should submit the final version Q4B.java file to the auto-grader for grading. Watch your time carefully – the final version submitted will be the one graded without exception. Be sure to check intermediate tested versions to maximize your possible points.