# CS520—Spring 2013—Homework 5 Wednesday February 27

## Question 1

Why does the maTe assembler have two passes? What is done on the first pass? What is done on the second pass?

## Question 2

Assemble the follow sequence of maTe instructions. Show the result as a series of 32-bit words in hex. Assume the first instruction is at address 540 (decimal).

```
aconst_null
 astore 0
  aconst_null
 astore 1
 newint 0
 astore 0
 newint 1
 astore 1
W.O:
 aload 0
 newint 13
 invokevirtual 14 2
 ifeq $W.1
 aload 0
 newint 1
  invokevirtual 4 2
 astore 0
  aload 0
 aload 1
  invokevirtual 8 2
 astore 1
 goto $W.0
W.1:
 newint 0
 areturn
```

## Question 3

Why do you think the Java Virtual Machine has a *istore* instruction as well as *istore\_0*, *istore\_1*, *istore\_2* and *istore\_3* instructions? What do these instructions do?

#### Question 4

Disassemble the following bytecode for a Java method:

```
1A 05 68 04 60 AC
```

## Question 5

What does the method of Question 4 compute?