PRINCE OF SONGKLA UNIVERSITY FACULTY OF ENGINEERING

Department of Computer Engineering

Midterm Examination: Semester 1

Academic Year: 2004-2005

Date: 7th August, 2004

Time: 9.00 - 11.00 (2 hours)

Subject Number: 240-571

Room: R 300

Subject Title: Introduction to J2ME Programming

Lecturer: Aj. Andrew Davison

Exam Duration: 2 hours This paper has 2 pages.

Authorized Materials:

• Writing instruments (e.g. pens, pencils).

• Books (e.g. dictionaries) and calculators are **not** permitted.

Instructions to Students:

- Answer questions in English. Perfect English is not required.
- Attempt all questions.
- Write your answers in an answer book.
- Start your answer to each question on a new page
- Clearly number your answers.
- Any unreadable parts will be considered wrong.
- When writing programs, use good layout, and short comments; marks will not be deducted for minor syntax errors.
- The marks for each part of a question are given in brackets (...).

Question 1

(30 marks; 30 minutes)

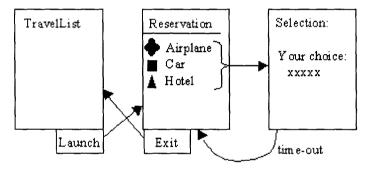
Explain in words, and with diagrams if possible, the following J2ME concepts. Do **not** include code in any of your answers.

- a) CDC (5)
- b) CDLC (8)
- c) MIDP (7)
- d) Optional Profiles (5)
- e) Draw a single diagram showing the relationships between the concepts in (a) (d). (5)

Question 2

(60 marks; 60 minutes)

Write a MIDlet which implements the following links diagram:



Each item in the reservation list is made up of an image and a string.

The "Selection" screen is an Alert object, which times out after a default period, and returns control to the reservation screen automatically. The "xxxxx" string will be "Airplane", "Car", or "Hotel", depending on the list selection in the "Reservation" screen.

Question 3

(30 marks; 30 minutes)

- a) Explain in words the MIDlet life cycle. (15)
- b) Briefly explain the various GUI classes that can be used as Items inside a Form. (15)

You should use code fragments and diagrams where possible.

Note: do not explain the CustomItem class.

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