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Exceptions

Solutions for those exercises.¹

Questions

1. In computing, what is an exception?
 - A compilation error.
 - When a program user requires a special accommodation.
 - When a behaviour not supposed to happen occurs during execution.
 - A keyword.
2. When a program meets an unexpected behaviour, we say that it...
 - ... *raises* an exception.
 - ... *throws* an exception.
 - All of the above.
3. An exception can occur when...
 - ... a user enters for example the **string** "Test" when asked for a numerical value.
 - ... a division by 0 occurs.
 - ... the program tries to access an array outside of its index range.
 - All of the above.
4. A **try-catch** block...
 - ... executes all the code inside its **try** block, then all its code inside its **catch** block.
 - ... executes all the code inside its **try** block, then all its code inside its **catch** block if an exception was raised at any point.
 - ... executes only if an exception was raised in the program before.
 - ... executes the code inside its **try** block, and switches to its **catch** block if an exception was thrown.

¹<https://princomp.github.io/solutions/misc/exceptions>

- ... executes its **catch** block first, and then its **try** block if an exception was raised.

5. A **try-catch-finally** block...

- ... can have multiple **catch** block.
- ... can omit the **finally** block.
- ... can omit the **catch** block.
- All of the above.

Warm-up Exercise

1. Consider the following code:

```
using System;

class Program
{
    static void Main()
    {
        try
        {
            Console.WriteLine("Enter a number");
            int uInput =
                ↪ int.Parse(Console.ReadLine());
            int[] t = { 10 };
            int div = 0 / (uInput -1);
            int tAcces = t[uInput];
        }
        catch (IndexOutOfRangeException)
        {
            ↪ Console.WriteLine("IndexOutOfRangeException");
        }
        catch (DivideByZeroException)
        {
            ↪ Console.WriteLine("DivideByZeroException");
        }
        catch (FormatException)
        {
            Console.WriteLine("FormatException");
        }
        catch (ArgumentNullException)
        {
            ↪ Console.WriteLine("ArgumentNullException");
        }
    }
}
```

```
}  
  }  
}
```

(Download this code)²

- Determine which input would the user needs to enter to get “IndexOutOfRangeException”, “DivideByZeroException”, “FormatException” and “ArgumentNullException” displayed.
- Is there something the user could enter that would *not* raise any exception?

²<https://princomp.github.io/code/projects/TriggeringExceptions.zip>