

# DWITE '08 R1 #4 - What is this Roman Numeral

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**Time limit:** 1.0s    **Memory limit:** 64M

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## DWITE Online Computer Programming Contest, October 2008, Problem 4

Although today's use of Roman numerals is typically limited to movie titles or pages preceding the main part of a book (and thus are typically small), let's build a Roman-to-Decimal converter anyway. Just for the *LOLs*.

The input will contain 5 lines, Roman Numerals with values  $1 \leq N \leq 2000$ .

The output will contain 5 lines, decimal values of the input numbers.

For your reference, symbols are as follows:

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I 1
V 5
X 10
L 50
C 100
D 500
M 1000
```

Numbers in between the symbols are constructed by adding the symbols together ( **II** for 2); or subtracting, by placing a smaller symbol in front of a larger one ( **IV** for 4).

*Note:* be cautious that the numbers are slightly more complicated than simply adding the values of symbols in order. While **XI** **XII** **XIII** (11, 12, 13) are simple enough, **XIV** (14) breaks the patterns (that is, it is not  $10 + 1 + 5$ , but  $10 + (5 - 1)$ ).

## Sample Input

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IV
VIII
XIV
XCIX
MCMLXXXVIII
```

## Sample Output

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4  
8  
14  
99  
1988

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