



M.Sc. Qualification Exam

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Time: 3 hrs.

Notes:

- **Answer All Questions.**
- **Answer in English.**
- **It is not allowed to consult any information during the exam, depend on your own knowledge and on the clarifications given by assistants.**

Q. Number	Mark (Numbering)	Mark (Written)
Q1		
Q2		
Q3		
Total		
Out of	100	

Q1	Answer with either <u>True</u> or <u>False</u> . (30 Marks) Do not use T, ✓, F, or ×. Use only True and False to represent your answers.	Answer
1.	In a counter-controlled while loop, it is not necessary to initialize the loop control variable.	
2.	Suppose that x, y, and z are int variables, and x = 10, y = 15, and z = 20. Then, the expression (x <= y - 2) && (y >= z) (z - 2 != 20) will be evaluated to true.	
3.	Suppose $A \subset S$. The complement of set A is the set containing all elements in A but not in S.	
4.	Stack can be used to perform recursion function.	
5.	The infix expression $(A / 2 - D) ^ (E + 4)$ is equivalent to $A 2 / D - E 4 + ^$.	
6.	The underflow in queue occur when front equal to rear.	
7.	An object may be defined within a function F1, in this case it is accessible by the function F1 and the main function.	
8.	Automatas $M1$ and $M2$ are said to be equivalent if and only if $(L(M1) \cap \overline{L(M2)}) \cup (\overline{L(M1)} \cap L(M2)) = \emptyset$.	
9.	A syntax analyzer is a program obtains a string of tokens from the lexical analyzer and verifies whether or not the string can be generated by a regular expression.	
10.	In linear data structure, each and every element has unique predecessor and unique successor.	
11.	The binary search is the standard algorithm for searching through a sorted sequence with $O(\log(n))$.	
12.	Related fields in a database are grouped to form a data record.	
13.	In DB, the full form of DDL is Dynamic Data Language.	
14.	Join operation does not require the participating tables to be union-compatible.	
15.	Software key-loggers are programs that silently capture all keystrokes, including passwords and sensitive information.	

16.	A macro virus is platform independent	
17.	RSA is a public key cryptographic algorithm. In case one loses the private key, it is possible to reconstruct it from the public key.	
18.	Physical is the logical or program address that the process uses. Whenever the CPU generates an address, it is always in terms of physical address space.	
19.	Any expert system should contain inference engine, knowledge base, and user interface.	
20.	"A ship is any vehicle that floats on water." can be represented by PROLOG rule as: ship(X):- vehicle(X), floats(X, water).	
21.	Artificial intelligence shows best on complex problems for which general principles don't help much.	
22.	Server may have dynamic IP provided by DHCP.	
23.	Email messages traffic can tolerate delay of packets.	
24.	P2P is a network edge model works without dedicated server.	
25.	Virtual machine is used to run more than one program on one computer.	
26.	Processes are concurrent if they are time dependent.	
27.	Starvation is a technique of improving the priority of process waiting in Queue for CPU allocation.	
28.	Macro Virus creates copies during replication that are functionally equivalent but have distinctly different bit patterns.	
29.	In execution phase, the virus places an identical copy of itself into other programs or into certain system area on the disk.	
30.	The DES function has four components.	

Q2	Choose the correct answer. (40 Marks) Use only A, B, C, and D to represent your correct choice.	Answer
1.	The set of positive integers is: A. infinite B. finite C. empty D. subset	
2.	The expression $(* (+ 2 2) (/ (* (+ 3 5) (/ 30 10)) 2))$ is evaluated to: A. 12 B. 96 C. 24 D. 48	
3.	In C++, a compound assignment operator is: A. += B. == C. != D. all of them	
4.	In C++, Which of the following is a logical operator: A. ! B. && C. D. all of them	
5.	Any recursive subprogram has: A. longer time to execute than traditional method. B. less space than iteration case. C. more statements than traditional method. D. all of them	
6.	Circular queue is used instead of queue to: A. reduce time of search. B. search from any location. C. reduce the wasted of storage. D. reduce the area of storage.	
7.	In evaluating suffix expressions: A. all operators have higher precedence than operands. B. And operation has same precedence as ' + ' and ' - '. C. all arithmetic operations are applied before relational operations. D. all of them	
8.	The underflow in queue occurs when: A. front equal to rear B. rear equal zero C. Front equals zero D. none of the them	
9.	Which of the following members of a class are accessible only from within member functions of the same class? A. all members B. public members C. private members D. none of them	
10.	In C++, Constructors are executed only when: A. they are called B. objects are declared C. class declared D. none of the them	
11.	In C++, Objects are variables of type: A. array B. class C. any user defined data type D. none of them	
12.	Which of the following members of a class are accessible by objects of that class? A. public B. private C. protected D. all of them	

13.	Rotation clockwise 180° around z-axis is: A. reflection around $x = 0; y = 0$ B. reflection around $x = 0; z = 0$ C. reflection around $z = 0$ D. non of them	
14.	Which image embodies an infinite number of details? A. bitmap B. 8-bit C. 24-bit D. real world	
15.	A 3D point $(x = 2, y = 3, z = 1)$ is reflected around point $(x_0 = 1, y_0 = 3, z_0 = 2)$ to get: A. $(1, 2, 1)$ B. $(0, 3, 1)$ C. $(1, 3, 1)$ D. $(0, 2, 1)$	
16.	If a 2D point $(x = 2, y = 2)$ is passed through scaling $(S_x = 3, S_y = 2)$ around the point $(x_0 = 3, y_0 = 4)$, the new coordinates will be: A. $(0, 0)$ B. $(1, 1)$ C. $(2, 0)$ D. non of them	
17.	If a 2D point $(x = 2, y = 4)$ is reflected around point $(x_0 = 2, y_0 = 1)$ and then shifted by $(T_x = 5, T_y = 7)$, the new coordinates will be: A. $(7, 1)$ B. $(1, 2)$ C. $(7, 2)$ D. non of them	
18.	A legal expression in SQL is: A. Select null from employee; B. Select name from employee; C. Select name from employee where salary = NULL; D. None of them	
19.	The full form of DDL is: A. Dynamic Data Language B. Detailed Data Language C. Data Definition Language D. Data Derivation Language	
20.	Report generator used to: A. update files B. hard-print files C. data entry D. delete files	
21.	The ability of each party in a transaction to ascertain the identity of the other party best describes: A. encryption B. authentication C. digital signature D. message integrity.	
22.	Which of the following floods a network server or Web server with requests for information or other data in order to crash the network? A. a denial of service attack B. a Trojan horse C. Form D. a logic bomb	
23.	Informed search in AI is: A. Depth first search B. Breadth first search C. Best first search D. all of them	
24.	TSP with n cities has search space size equals: A. n^2 B. 2^n C. $2n$ D. $n!$	
25.	Designing a network to support only 200 users, needs subnet mask: A. 255.255.0.0 B. 255.255.255.0 C. 255.255.255.200 D. 255.224.0.0	

26.	Connecting a Hub and a Switch or two Switches needs Ethernet cable of type: A. rollover cable B. crossover cable C. straight cable D. optical cable	
27.	1-5 IPV4 address is: A. 8 bit B. 16 bit C. 32 bit D. 64 bit	
28.	Bridge in networks is used to: A. separate LANs B. connect LANs C. control network speed D. improve network speed	
29.	Interval between submission time and job completion is: A. waiting time B. turnaround time C. throughput D. response time	
30.	The CPU is allocated to the process with least CPU-burst time in: A. priority scheduling B. shortest job first scheduling C. round robin scheduling D. first come first serve	
31.	Not a fundamental process state is: A. ready B. terminated C. cooperated D. waited	
32.	A condition that leads to a deadlock is: A. mutual exclusion B. hold & wait C. no pre-emption D. all of them	
33.	OS enables cooperating processes to communicate with each other via: A. IPC B. FCFS C. SJF D. none of them	
34.	Hill-climbing search algorithm may stuck at: A. local optimum B. global optimum C. near optimum D. none of them	
35.	Degree of a vertex in a graph is number of: A. incident edges to it B. number of neighbor vertex to it C. number of connected vertex to it D. all of them	
36.	Network topology can be: A. mesh B. hybrid C. bus D. all of them	
37.	IPv4 address is at: A. transport layer B. network layer C. data link layer D. physical layer	
38.	Fiber cables have : A. single mode B. multi-mode C. no interference D. all of them	
39.	At which layer, Telnet protocol operates? A. application B. transport C. network D. physical	
40.	Which class of IP address is multicast? A. class A B. class B C. class C D. class D	

Q3. Answer each of the following (30 Marks)

1. Consider a system consisting of two processes, P_j and P_i , each accessing two semaphores, S and Q set to the value 1: What is the output if the processes executed concurrently?

P_j	P_i	Output
wait(S);	wait(Q);	
wait(Q);		
printf("hhhh");	printf("ffff")	
signal(S)		
signal(Q)	signal(Q)	

2. What is the output of the following program?

Program	Output
<pre> #include <iostream> using namespace std; void tryMe(int& v); int main() { int x = 8; for (int count = 1; count < 5; count++) tryMe(x); return 0; } void tryMe(int& v) { static int num = 2; if (v % 2 == 0) { num++; v = v + 3; } else { num--; v = v + 5; } cout << v << ", " << num << endl; } </pre>	

The following program contains errors. Correct them so that the output will be $w = 21$.

Incorrect	Correct
<pre>#include <iostream> using namespace std; const int SECRET = 5 main () { int x, y, w, z = 9; if z > 10 x = 12; y = 5; w = x + y + SECRET; else x = 12; y = 4; w = x + y + SECRET; cout << "w = " << w << endl; return 0; }</pre>	

3. Write a program code to compute the following n -terms series: $1 + 1 + 2 + 3 + 5 + 8 + 13 + \dots$

4. Write a program code to check if a number is prime or not.