School of Infocomm C227 Computer System Technologies AY2023 Semester 1



Lesson 7 – Paper Quiz (Open Book - No Internet)		
Student ID:	Time: 30 Mins	
Student Name:	Total Marks: /20	

Section A- Multiple Choice Questions. Choose ONLY ONE (1) correct option. (2 *1=2 marks)

- The number of instructions or operations a processor can execute per second is referred as ______.
 - a. Instruction processor
 - b. Bandwidth
 - c. Clock speed
 - d. Frequency
- 2. Which ONE of the following is an **ADVANTAGE** of having a multi-core CPU in a computer system?
 - a. Increase the time taken to complete a process
 - b. Reduce electricity consumption
 - c. Reduce heat generation within the chassis
 - d. Reduce processes waiting time

Answer	:	

Section B – Multiple Response Questions. Choose TWO (2) answers for each question (2*2=4 marks)

- 3. Which **TWO** of the following statements are **TRUE** about Registers?
 - a. It is the high-speed memory located within the CPU.
 - b. Stores copies of most frequently used data
 - c. Perform fetch-decode-execute-store
 - d. It is a non-volatile memory
 - e. Slower and less expensive than secondary storage
- 4. Which **TWO** of the following statements are **NOT** the key function(s) of an operating system?
 - a. It performs general housekeeping tasks for the computer such as deletion of unwanted files and file compression.
 - b. It manages the available memory for the system.
 - c. It creates a chart in Microsoft Excel using the data from Microsoft Access and incorporates the chart into Microsoft Word document.
 - d. It manages the computer system's peripheral and hardware devices.
 - e. It keeps tracks of processor and status of process.



Section C: Practical Quiz (14 marks)

Question 5 (12 marks)

Due to the space constraint, you have added a new hard disk of size 2GiB to your system as shown below. **Login as student user then switch to the root** user to answer all questions in this section with reference to the new hard disk.

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Disk /dev/sdb: 2 GiB, 2147483648 bytes, 4194304 sectors
Disk model: VMware Virtual S
Units: sectors of 1 * 512 = 512 bytes
Sector size (logical/physical): 512 bytes / 512 bytes
I/O size (minimum/optimal): 512 bytes / 512 bytes
Disklabel type: dos
Disk identifier: 0x6d8447d9
```

Write down the commands and steps to create one primary partitions /dev/sdb2 of size **500MB** in the new hard disk and update the Linux kernel on the changes in the partition table and mount the partition /dev/sdb2 to the folder /Quiz/test2 with ext4 format.

Need to write all steps required to generate the screenshot provided below.

Steps to be included are:

- I. Command to partition the new disk.
- II. Sequence of steps in creating a partition using the utility command (eg:- m)
- III. Update the Linux kernel.
- IV. Creating mount directory
- V. Making file system
- VI. Mounting

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Partition the new disk:
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fdisk /dev/sdb (2 marks)

Create first partition:

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n \rightarrow p \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow +500M + w (3 marks)
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Update Linux Kernel:

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partprobe /dev/sdb (1 mark)
or
```

partprobe

Creating mount directory correctly. Accept all correct answer – 2 marks



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mkdir -p /Quiz/test5 (or)

mkdir /Quiz
mkdir /Quiz/test5

Making file system - 2 marks
mkfs.ext4 /dev/sdb2 (or)
mkfs -t ext4 /dev/sdb2

Mounting correctly - 2 marks
mount /dev/sdb2 /Quiz/test2
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Question 6

What are the TWO advantages of having multiple partitions in a hard disk drive? (2 marks)

- separates OS + application software from user data files.
- dual boot.