# **Exercises**

- \$\text{\$color} = \text{array('white', 'green', 'red'')}\$
  Write a PHP script which will display the colors in the following way:
  Output:
  white, green, red,
  - green
  - red
  - white

- 2. \$x = array(1, 2, 3, 4, 5);
  Delete an element from the above array. After deleting the element, integer keys must be normalized.
  - PHP Code:

```
1. <?php
2. $x = array(1, 2, 3, 4, 5);
```

```
3. var_dump($x);
4. unset($x[3]);
5. $x = array_values($x);
6. echo '
7. ';
8. var_dump($x);
9. ?>
```

# 1. Write a PHP script to sort the following associative array:

```
array("Sophia"=>"31","Jacob"=>"41","William"=>"39","Ramesh"=>"40") in
```

- a) ascending order sort by value
- b) ascending order sort by Key
- c) descending order sorting by Value
- d) descending order sorting by Key

```
<?php
echo "
Associative array: Ascending order sort by value
$array2=array("Sophia"=>"31","Jacob"=>"41","William"=>"39","Ramesh"=>"
40"); asort($array2);
foreach($array2 as $y=>$y value)
echo "Age of ".$y." is : ".$y_value."
}
echo "
Associative array: Ascending order sort by Key
$array3=array("Sophia"=>"31", "Jacob"=>"41", "William"=>"39", "Ramesh"=>"
40"); ksort($array3);
foreach($array3 as $y=>$y value)
echo "Age of ".$y." is : ".$y value."
}
echo "
Associative array: Descending order sorting by Value
$age=array("Sophia"=>"31", "Jacob"=>"41", "William"=>"39", "Ramesh"=>"40"
arsort($age);
foreach($age as $y=>$y value)
echo "Age of ".$y." is : ".$y value."
}
echo "
Associative array: Descending order sorting by Key
$array4=array("Sophia"=>"31","Jacob"=>"41","William"=>"39","Ramesh"=>"
40"); krsort($array4);
foreach($array4 as $y=>$y_value)
echo "Age of ".$y." is : ".$y value."
}
?>
```

2. \$color = array(4 => 'white', 6 => 'green', 11=> 'red');
Write a PHP script to get the first element of the above array.

## **Sample Solution:**

### PHP Code:

```
<?php

$color = array(4 => 'white', 6 => 'green', 11=> 'red');
echo reset($color)."\n";
?>
```

3. Write a PHP script to print "second" and Red from the following array. Sample Data:

```
color = array ("color" => array ("a" => "Red", "b" => "Green", "c" => "White"), "numbers" => array (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6), "holes" => array ("First", 5 => "Second", "Third"));
```

# **Sample Solution:**

```
<?php
```

```
$color = array ( "color" => array ( "a" => "Red", "b" => "Green", "c"
=> "White"),

"numbers" => array ( 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 ),

"holes" => array ( "First", 5 => "Second", "Third"));
echo $color["holes"][5]."\n"; // prints "second"
echo $color["color"]["a"]."\n"; // prints "Red"
?>
```

4. Write a PHP script to sort the following array by the day (page\_id) and username.

Sample Solution:

```
//convert timestamp to date
function convert timestamp($timestamp){
    $limit=date("U");
    $limiting=$timestamp-$limit;
    return date ("Ymd", mktime (0,0,$limiting));
}
//comparison function
function cmp ($a, $b) {
    $1=convert timestamp($a["transaction_id"]);
    $k=convert timestamp($b["transaction_id"]);
    if($k==$1){
        return strcmp($a["user_name"], $b["user name"]);
    }else{
        return strcmp($k, $1);
//sort array
usort($arra, "cmp");
//print sorted info
while (list ($key, $value) = each ($arra)) {
    echo "\$arra[$key]: ";
    echo $value["transaction id"];
    echo " user name: ";
    echo $value["user_name"];
    echo "\n":
}
?>
```

5. Write a PHP script to trim all the elements in an array using array\_walk function.

Sample Solution:

```
<?php
$colors = array( "Red ", " Green", "Black ", " White ");
print_r($colors);
array_walk($colors, create_function('&$val', '$val = trim($val);'));</pre>
```

```
print_r($colors);
?>
```

6. Write a PHP program to identify the email addresses which are not unique.

## **Sample Solution:**

#### PHP Code:

```
<?php
function array not unique($my array) {
     $same = array();
     natcasesort($my array);
     reset ($my_array);
     $old key = NULL;
     $old value = NULL;
     foreach ($my array as $key => $value) {
          if ($value === NULL) { continue; }
          if ($old_value == $value) {
               $same[$old_key] = $old_value;
$same[$key] = $value;
          $old_value = $value;
          $old_key = $key;
return $same;
}
$test array = array();
$test_array[1] = 'xyz@example.com';
$test_array[2] = 'dse@example.com';
$test_array[3] = 'xyz@example.com';
$test_array[4] = 'mno@example.com';
print_r(array_not_unique($test_array));
?>
```

7. Write a PHP script to remove nonnumeric characters except comma and dot.

Sample string: '\$123,34.00A'

#### PHP Code:

```
<?php

$str1 = "$12,334.00A";

echo preg_replace("/[^0-9,.]/", "", $str1)."\n";

?>
```

8. Write a PHP script to remove all characters from a string except a-z A-Z 0-9 or " ".

Sample string: abcde\$ddfd @abcd )der]

#### PHP Code:

```
<?php
$string = 'abcde$ddfd @abcd )der]';
echo 'Old string : '.$string.'';
$newstr = preg_replace("/[^A-Za-z0-9 ]/", '', $string);
echo 'New string : '.$newstr."\n";
?>
```

9. Write a PHP script to remove new lines (characters) from a string.

Sample strings: "Twinkle, twinkle, little star,\nHow I wonder what you are.\nUp above the world so high,\nLike a diamond in the sky.";

# Sample Solution:

```
$\str = "Twinkle, twinkle, little star,\nHow I wonder what you are.\nUp
above the world so high,\nLike a diamond in the sky.";
echo preg_replace('/\s+/', ' ', trim(\$str))."\n";
?>
```