

Part 1:

Q1:

A:

i. Imperative: The program is a sequence of commands, running a program is the execution of the commands, one after the other.

Examples: Java, C++, Python, assembly.

ii. Procedural: The syntax of the language allows code to be defined as a procedure, so that it can be read from different places in the code.

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iii. Functional: The program is an expression, or a series of expressions, not a sequence of commands. Running the program is a calculation of the expression(s), i.e. finding its value, rather than executing the commands.

B:

In the beginning, languages evolved from a language with only a sequence of commands, with the need to write the same commands to make a specific addition or simple change, to a programming language with variables, data structures, and loops, and then programming languages improve over by adding layers of abstraction in the form of procedures, well-defined contracts and can encapsulate local variables.

C:

The functional paradigm improves over the procedural paradigm by discouraging the use of shared state and mutation, which makes testing, formal verification, and concurrency easier.

Q2:

```
type Product = {
  name: string;
  price: number;
  discounted: boolean;
}
const getDiscountedProductAveragePrice = (inventory: Product[]): number => {
  const discountedProducts = inventory.filter(product => product.discounted);
  const discountedPrices = discountedProducts.map(product => product.price);

  if (discountedPrices.length === 0) {
    return 0;
  }

  const discountedPriceSum = discountedPrices.reduce((acc, price) => acc + price, 0);
  return discountedPriceSum / discountedPrices.length;
}
```

Q3:

(a) $\langle T \rangle (x: T [], y: (value: T) \Rightarrow \text{boolean}) \Rightarrow \text{boolean}$

(b) $(x: \text{number} []) \Rightarrow \text{number}$

(c) $\langle T \rangle (x: \text{boolean}, y: T []) \Rightarrow T$

(d) $\langle T, U \rangle (f: (b: T) \Rightarrow U, g: (a: \text{number}) \Rightarrow T) \Rightarrow (x: \text{number}) \Rightarrow U$