



Software Engineering
Assignment-8
TYPE OF QUESTION: MCQ/MSQ

Number of questions: 10

Total mark: 10 X 1 = 10

For each of the following questions one or more of the given options are correct. Choose the correct options.

QUESTION 1:

Consider the following sentence: “A square is a polygon”. From an analysis of the sentence, identify the relations between the two classes Square and Polygon that can be inferred from the sentence.

- a. Inheritance
- b. Association
- c. Aggregation
- d. Composition
- e. Dependency

Correct Answer: a. Inheritance

Detailed Solution:

“A square is a polygon” – represents “Is a” relationship. So, inheritance can be inferred from the sentence. So, option **a.** is correct.

QUESTION 2:

Consider the sentence: A college has many Students. Which one of the following best characterizes the relationship that exists between the **College** class and the **Student** class?

- a. Inheritance
- b. Specialization
- c. Association
- d. Composition
- e. Dependency

Correct Answer: c. Association

Detailed Solution:

A college has many students. Here college class and student class are associated with each other.



QUESTION 3:

Consider the following sentence: “100 paisa is one rupee”. From an analysis of the sentence, identify the relation between the two classes Paisa and Rupee that can be inferred from the sentence.

- a. Inheritance
- b. Association
- c. Aggregation
- d. Composition
- e. Dependency

Correct Answer: d. Composition

Detailed Solution:

“100 paisa is one rupee” – one rupee composed with 100 paisa. So, it represents composition, it is not “Is a” relationship.

QUESTION 4:

Consider the following sentence: “Students live in hostels”. From an analysis of the sentence, identify the relation between the two classes Student and Hostel that can be inferred from the sentence.

- a. Inheritance
- b. Association
- c. Aggregation
- d. Composition
- e. Dependency

Correct Answer: b. Association

Detailed Solution:

“Students live in hostels” --- here Student and Hostel are associated with each other. Student and Hostel are two entities here so it is a binary association.



QUESTION 5:

A collaboration diagram is used by the designers for its capability to effectively depict which one of the following types of information?

- a. The decision structure among the classes
- b. The looping structure
- c. The attribute values of the objects
- d. Structural information such as class association
- e. Times at which collaboration occurs among classes

Correct Answer: d. Structural information such as class association

Detailed Solution:

A **collaboration diagram**, also known as a communication **diagram**, is an illustration of the relationships and interactions among software objects in the Unified Modeling Language (UML). It also represents class associations. So, option **d.** is the correct option.

QUESTION 6:

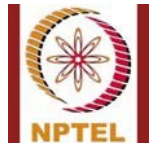
How is an external system represented in a use case diagram?

- a. By using a specific icon available for this purpose
- b. By using text description
- c. By using object constraint language (OCL)
- d. By stereotyping the actor icon
- e. By inheriting a special icon from the actor icon

Correct Answer: d. By stereotyping the actor icon

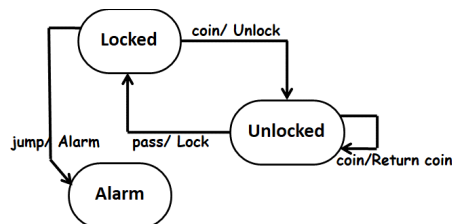
Detailed Solution:

External system used in a use case diagram by adding a stereotype in the actor icon. So, option d. is the correct option.



QUESTION 7:

Consider the following state chart diagram modelling the behaviour of a turnstile gate. Based on the modelled behaviour, what would happen if a coin is inserted into the turnstile gate when the turnstile gate is in the unlocked state?



- a. The turnstile gate allows one person to pass and remains in the unlocked state
- b. The turnstile gate sounds an alarm and remains in the unlocked state
- c. The turnstile gate remains in the unlocked state
- d. The turnstile gate returns the coin and remains in the unlocked state
- e. The turnstile gate returns the coin and becomes locked
- f. The turnstile gate becomes locked

Correct Answer: d. The turnstile gate returns the coin and remains in the unlocked state

Detailed Solution:

From the question figure we can observed that in Unlocked state if a coin inserted it will be return and the system will remain in the Unlocked state.



QUESTION 8:

Which of the following features of the state chart model are primarily responsible towards reduced number of states in the finite state modelling of a given problem?

- a. Nested states
- b. Concurrent states
- c. History state
- d. Broadcast messages
- e. Actions on state entry and exit

Correct Answer: a. Nested states, b. Concurrent states

Detailed Solution:

Nested states and concurrent states reduces the state explosion problem in state chart diagram. Therefore, it reduces the number of states in the finite state modelling.

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QUESTION 9:

Consider the following statement: “India shares borders with Pakistan, Bangladesh, and China.” Which one of the following is the best way to implement this in an object-oriented program?

- a. Define a unary association on Country class
- b. Let **Country** class implement the Border interface
- c. Define **Country** class as an aggregate of **Border** classes
- d. Define a dependency of **Country** class on **Border** class
- e. Define a quaternary association relation between the Countries **India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, and China**

Correct Answer: a. Define a unary association on Country class

Detailed Solution:

Here countries are divided by border. So, we can define a self-association in country class with association name 'Border.'



QUESTION 10:

In an informal (natural language) description of a programming problem, which parts of the description are likely represent objects?

- a. All of the nouns and all of the verbs.
- b. All of the verbs and some of the nouns.
- c. Some of the nouns.
- d. Some of the verbs
- e. Some of the nouns and some of the verbs

Correct Answer: c. Some of the nouns.

Detailed Solution:

A proper noun implies an object (instance of a class): CSE Dept, OOSD, etc. So, option c. Some of the nouns is the correct option.