

## Question - 1

### REST Basics

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Easy

REST is an architecture to provide access to data over a network through an API. Which of the following are true?

☒ REST is strictly a client-server interaction type meaning that the client performs requests and the server sends responses to these requests.

☐ REST is a server-server interaction meaning that both sides can make requests and send responses to requests.



In REST architecture, a properly designed access endpoint should not specify actions as a part of the resource URI. Instead, actions should be specified using appropriate protocol methods such as GET, POST, PUT, and DELETE over HTTP.

☐ REST responses are not capable of specifying any caching related information regarding the accessed resource. Caching must be resolved with other mechanisms.

## Question - 2

### REST API Response

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REST API

Medium

Consider the following RESTful API endpoint and response.

```
GET /api/books?sort=desc&limit=10&offset=20 HTTP/1.1
Accept: application/json
```

```
{
  "count": 100,
  "next": "/api/books?sort=desc&limit=10&offset=30",
  "previous": "/api/books?sort=desc&limit=10&offset=10",
  "results": [
    {
      "id": 1,
      "title": "To Kill a Mockingbird",
      "author": "Harper Lee",
      "publication_date": "1960-07-11",
      "genre": "Novel"
    },
    {
      "id": 2,
      "title": "1984",
      "author": "George Orwell",
      "publication_date": "1949-06-08",
      "genre": "Dystopian Fiction"
    },
    {
      "id": 3,
      "title": "Brave New World",
```

```
"author": "Aldous Huxley",
"publication_date": "1932-06-11",
"genre": "Dystopian Fiction"
}
]
}
```

Which of the following statements is true about the endpoint and response?

- ☐ The endpoint is using a custom HTTP method. The response is paginated and sorted by the publication\_date field in ascending order.
- ☐ The endpoint is using a standard HTTP method. The response is paginated and sorted by the title field in descending order.
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Question - 3

Architectural Constraints of REST

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REST API

Select the Architectural Constraints of REST API:

- ☒ Uniform interface
- ☒ Stateless
- ☒ Cacheable
- ☒ Layered system

Question - 4

API Testing I

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API

Medium

Identify the true statement(s) about API testing:

- ☐ Tests hardware
- ☒ Verifies the functionality and reliability of APIs
- ☒ Tests software
- ☒ Verifies the security and performance of APIs
- ☐ Does not verify the functionality and reliability of APIs

Question - 5

What's in an API?

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API

Hard

Select the true statement(s) about APIs:

- ☐ API stands for "Application Programming Interchange"
- ☒ An API is a set of established procedures for building software and applications
- ☒ API stands for "Application Programming Interface"
- ☒ An API provides the means to develop applications that interact with specific hardware using a given programming language
- ☐ Linux Standard Base is an API

## Question - 6

### APIs in Express JS

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Javascript

Medium

ExpressJS

Node.js

What is the console output when the GET request is sent to *http://localhost:5000/* using a web browser?

```
const express = require("express");
const app = express();

app.use((req, res, next) => {
  setTimeout(() => {
    console.log(`${req.method} request received.`);
  }, 3000);
});

app.get("/", (req, res) => {
  setTimeout(() => {
    console.log("You sent a GET request");
  }, 1000);
});

app.post("/", (req, res) => {
  res.send("You sent a POST request.");
});

app.listen(5000, () => {
  console.log("Server started on port 5000.");
});
```

- ☐ "Server started on port 5000."
- ☒ "GET request received."
- ☐ "You sent a GET request." and "GET request received."
- ☐ "GET request received." and "You sent a GET request."