

## Question 1

Given:

```
23. Object [] myObjects = {  
24. new Integer(12),  
25. new String("foo"),  
26. new Integer(5),  
27. new Boolean(true)  
28. };  
29. Arrays.sort(myObjects);  
30. for( int i=0; i<myObjects.length; i++) {  
31. System.out.print(myObjects[i].toString());  
32. System.out.print(" ");  
33. }
```

What is the result?

- A. Compilation fails due to an error in line 23.
- B. Compilation fails due to an error in line 29.
- C. A ClassCastException occurs in line 29.**
- D. A ClassCastException occurs in line 31.
- E. The value of all four objects prints in natural order.

## Question 2

Give:

```
11. public static Iterator reverse(List list) {  
12. Collections.reverse(list);  
13. return list.iterator();  
14. }  
  
15. public static void main(String[] args) {  
16. List list = new ArrayList();  
17. list.add(" 1"); list.add("2"); list.add("3");  
18. for (Object obj: reverse(list))  
19. System.out.print(obj + " ,");  
  
20. }
```

What is the result?

A. 3,2, 1,

B. 1, 2, 3,

C. Compilation fails.

D. The code runs with no output.

E. An exception is thrown at runtime.

### Question 3

Given:

```
11. public static Collection get() {  
12.     Collection sorted = new LinkedList();  
13.     sorted.add('B'); sorted.add("C"); sorted.add("A");  
14.     return sorted;  
15. }  
  
16. public static void main(String[] args) {  
17.     for (Object obj: get()) {  
18.         System.out.print(obj + " , ");  
19.     }  
20. }
```

What is the result?

A. A, B, C,

**B. B, C, A,**

C. Compilation fails.

D. The code runs with no output.

E. An exception is thrown at runtime.

#### Question 4

Given:

```
1. import java.util.*;  
2. public class Example {  
3.     public static void main(String[] args) {  
4.         // insert code here  
5.         set.add(new Integer(2));  
6.         set.add(new Integer(1));  
7.         System.out.println(set);  
8.     }  
9. }
```

Which code, inserted at line 4, guarantees that this program will output [1, 2]?

- A. Set set = new TreeSet();
- B. Set set = new HashSet();
- C. Set set = new SortedSet();
- D. List set = new SortedList();
- E. Set set = new LinkedHashSet();

## Question 5

Given:

```
1. import java.util.*;
2. public class PQ {
3.     public static void main(String[] args) {
4.         PriorityQueue<String> pq = new PriorityQueue<String>();
5.         pq.add("carrot");
6.         pq.add("apple");
7.         pq.add("banana");
8.         System.out.println(pq.poll() + ":" + pq.peek());
9.     }
10. }
```

What is the result?

- A. apple:apple
- B. carrot:apple
- C. apple:banana**
- D. banana:apple
- E. carrot:carrot
- F. carrot:banana**

## Question 6

Given:

```
1. import java.util.*;
2. public class WrappedString {
3.     private String s;
4.     public WrappedString(String s) { this.s = s; }
5.     public static void main(String[] args) {
6.         HashSet<Object> hs = new HashSet<Object>();
7.         WrappedString ws1 = new WrappedString("aardvark");
8.         WrappedString ws2 = new WrappedString("aardvark");
9.         String s1 = new String("aardvark");
10.        String s2 = new String("aardvark");
11.        hs.add(ws1); hs.add(ws2); hs.add(s1); hs.add(s2);
12.        System.out.println(hs.size()); } }
```

What is the result?

A. 0

B. 1

C. 2

**D. 3**

**E. 4**

F. Compilation fails.

G. An exception is thrown at runtime.

## Question 7

```
1. import java.util.*;
2. public class TestSet {
3.     enum Example { ONE, TWO, THREE }
4.     public static void main(String[] args) {
5.         Collection coll = new ArrayList();
6.         coll.add(Example.THREE);
7.         coll.add(Example.THREE);
8.         coll.add(Example.THREE);
9.         coll.add(Example.TWO);
10.        coll.add(Example.TWO);
11.        coll.add(Example.ONE);
12.        Set set = new HashSet(coll);
13.    }
14. }
```

Which statement is true about the set variable on line 12?

- A. The set variable contains all six elements from the coll collection, and the order is guaranteed to be preserved.
- B. The set variable contains only three elements from the coll collection, and the order is guaranteed to be preserved.
- C. The set variable contains all six elements from the coil collection, but the order is NOT guaranteed to be preserved.
- D. The set variable contains only three elements from the coil collection, but the order is NOT guaranteed to be preserved.**

## Question 8

Given:

1. `public class Score implements Comparable<Score> {`
2. `private int wins, losses;`
3. `public Score(int w, int l) { wins = w; losses = l; }`
4. `public int getWins() { return wins; }`
5. `public int getLosses() { return losses; }`
6. `public String toString() {`
7. `return "<" + wins + ", " + losses + ">";`
8. `}`
9. `// insert code here`
10. `}`

Which method will complete this class?

- A. `public int compareTo(Object o) { /*mode code here*/ }`
- B. `public int compareTo(Score other) { /*more code here*/ }`
- C. `public int compare(Score s1,Score s2){ /*more code here*/ }`
- D. `public int compare(Object o1,Object o2){ /*more code here*/ }`



### Question 9

A programmer has an algorithm that requires a `java.util.List` that provides an efficient implementation of `add(0,object)`, but does NOT need to support quick random access. What supports these requirements?

A. `java.util.Queue`

B. `java.util.ArrayList`

C. `java.util.LinearList`

D. `java.util.LinkedList`

### Question 10

Given:

```
11. public class Person {  
12.     private String name, comment;  
13.     private int age;  
14.     public Person(String n, int a, String c) {  
15.         name = n; age = a; comment = c;  
16.     }  
17.     public boolean equals(Object o) {  
18.         if(! (o instanceof Person)) return false;  
19.         Person p = (Person)o;  
20.         return age == p.age && name.equals(p.name);  
21.     }  
22. }
```

What is the appropriate definition of the `hashCode` method in class `Person`?

A. `return super.hashCode();`

B. `return name.hashCode() + age * 7;`

C. `return name.hashCode() + comment.hashCode() / 2;`

D. `return name.hashCode() + comment.hashCode() / 2 - age * 3;`

### Question 11

Given:

11. `public class Key {`

12. `private long id1;`

13. `private long id2;`

14.

15. `// class Key methods`

16. `}`

A programmer is developing a class `Key`, that will be used as a key in a standard `java.util.HashMap`. Which two methods should be overridden to assure that `Key` works correctly as a key? (Choose two.)

A. `public int hashCode()`

B. `public boolean equals(Key k)`

C. `public int compareTo(Object o)`

D. `public boolean equals(Object o)`

E. `public boolean compareTo(Key k)`

## Question 12

Given:

```
11. public class Person {  
12.     private name;  
13.     public Person(String name) {  
14.         this.name = name;  
15.     }  
16.     public boolean equals(Object o) {  
17.         if( !o instanceof Person ) return false;  
18.         Person p = (Person) o;  
19.         return p.name.equals(this.name);  
20.     }  
21. }
```

Which is true?

A. Compilation fails because the hashCode method is not overridden.

B. A HashSet could contain multiple Person objects with the same name.

C. All Person objects will have the same hash code because the hashCode method is not overridden.

D. If a HashSet contains more than one Person object with name="Fred", then removing another Person, also with name="Fred", will remove them all.

### Question 13

Given:

```
1. public class Person {  
2.     private String name;  
3.     public Person(String name) { this.name = name; }  
4.     public boolean equals(Person p) {  
5.         return p.name.equals(this.name);  
6.     }  
7. }
```

Which is true?

- A. The equals method does NOT properly override the Object.equals method.
- B. Compilation fails because the private attribute p.name cannot be accessed in line 5.
- C. To work correctly with hash-based data structures, this class must also implement the hashCode method.
- D. When adding Person objects to a java.util.Set collection, the equals method in line 4 will prevent duplicates.

### Question 14

Which two statements are true about the hashCode method? (Choose

two.)

- A. The hashCode method for a given class can be used to test for object equality and object inequality for that class.
- B. The hashCode method is used by the java.util.SortedSet collection class to order the elements within that set.
- C. The hashCode method for a given class can be used to test for object inequality, but NOT object equality, for that class.
- D. The only important characteristic of the values returned by a hashCode method is that the distribution of values must follow a Gaussian distribution.

E. The hashCode method is used by the java.util.HashSet collection class to group the elements within that set into hash buckets for swift retrieval.

### Question 15

```
1. import java.util.*;
2. class KeyMaster {
3.     public int i;
4.     public KeyMaster(int i) { this.i = i; }
5.     public boolean equals(Object o) { return i == ((KeyMaster)o).i; }
6.     public int hashCode() { return i; }
7. }
8. public class MapIt {
9.     public static void main(String[] args) {
10.         Set<KeyMaster> set = new HashSet<KeyMaster>();
11.         KeyMaster k1 = new KeyMaster(1);
12.         KeyMaster k2 = new KeyMaster(2);
13.         set.add(k1); set.add(k1);
14.         set.add(k2); set.add(k2);
15.         System.out.print(set.size() + " : ");
16.         k2.i = 1;
17.         System.out.print(set.size() + " : ");
18.         set.remove(k1);
19.         System.out.print(set.size() + " : ");
20.         set.remove(k2);
21.         System.out.print(set.size());
22. }
```

23. }

What is the result?

A. 4:4:2:2

B. 4:4:3:2

C. 2:2:1:0

D. 2:2:0:0

E. 2:1:0:0

F. 2:2:1:1

G. 4:3:2:1

### Question 16

Consider the following class:

```
public class IntPair
{
    private int a;
    private int b;
    public void setA(int i){ this.a = i; }
    public int getA(){ return this.a; }
    public void setB(int i){ this.b = i; }
    public int getB(int b){ return b; }
    public boolean equals(Object obj)
    {
        return ( obj instanceof IntPair && this.a == ((IntPair) obj).a );
    }
    public int hashCode()
```

```
{  
    //1  
}  
}
```

Which of the following options would be valid at //1?

Select 4 correct options

**a** return 0;

**b** return a;

**c** return a+b;

**d** return a\*a;

**e** return a/2;

### Question 17.

Consider the following class:

```
public class IntPair
```

```
{  
    private int a;  
    private int b;  
    public void setA(int i){ this.a = i; }  
    public int getA(){ return this.a; }  
    public void setB(int i){ this.b = i; }  
    public int getB(){ return b; }  
    public boolean equals(Object obj)  
    {  
        return ( obj instanceof obj && this.a == ((IntPair) obj).a && this.b == ((IntPair) obj).b );  
    }  
}
```

```
}  
  
public int hashCode()  
  
{  
  
    //1  
  
}  
  
}
```

Which of the following options would NOT be valid at //1?

Select 1 correct option.

- a return a;
- b return a\*b;
- c return a+b;
- d return b;
- e None of these is invalid.**

### Question 18.

Which of the following are valid implementation of equals() method of a class TestClass?

1.

```
public boolean equals(TestClass tc)  
  
{  
  
    return this == tc;  
  
}
```

2.

```
public boolean equals(TestClass tc)  
  
{  
  
    return this != tc;
```



```
}
```

3.

```
public boolean equals(Object tc)
```

```
{
```

```
    return this == tc;
```

```
}
```

4.

```
public boolean equals(Object tc)
```

```
{
```

```
    if( tc instanceof TestClass && this.someVar == ( (TestClass)tc).someVar )
```

```
    {
```

```
        if(this != tc) return true;
```

```
        else return false;
```

```
    }
```

```
    else return false;
```

```
}
```

Select 1 correct option.

a 1

b 2

**c 3**

**d 4**

e None of these.

### Question 19.

Which of the following statements are correct regarding the equals() method?

Select 1 correct option.

- a It must be symmetric but need not be transitive.
- b It must be reflexive but need not be transitive.
- c It must be symmetric and transitive but not reflexive.
- d If passed a null, it must return false.**
- e None of these.

### Question 20.

Given:

```
public static Iterator reverse(List list) {  
    Collections.reverse(list);  
    return list.iterator();  
}  
  
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    List list = new ArrayList();  
    list.add("1"); list.add("2"); list.add("3");  
    for (Object obj: reverse(list))  
        System.out.print(obj + ", ");  
}
```

What is the result?

- A. 3, 2, 1,**
- B. 1, 2, 3,
- C. Compilation fails.**

D. The code runs with no output.

E. An exception is thrown at runtime.