

# C Mathematical Questions

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### 1) What is the output of this C code?

```
1.  #include <stdio.h>
2.  #include <math.h>
3.  int main()
4.  {
5.      int i = 90;
6.      printf("%f\n", sin(i));
7.      return 0;
8.  }
```

- a) Compile time error
- b) Undefined behaviour
- c) 0.893997
- d) 1.000000

### 2) What is the output of this C code?

```
1.  #include <stdio.h>
2.  #include <math.h>
3.  int main()
4.  {
5.      unsigned int i = -1;
6.      printf("%f\n", fabs(i));
7.      return 0;
8.  }
```

- a) Compile time error
- b) 1
- c) -1
- d) None of the mentioned

### 3) Function fabs defined math.h header file takes argument of type integer.

- a) true
- b) false

- c) Depends on the implementation
- d) Depends on the standard

**4)  $\log(x)$  function defined in math.h header file is**

- a) Natural base logarithm
- b) Logarithm to the base 2
- c) Logarithm to the base 10
- d) None of the mentioned

**5) What is the output of this C code?**

```
1.  #include <stdio.h>

2.  #include <math.h>

3.  int main()

4.  {

5.      int i = 10;

6.      printf("%f\n", log10(i));

7.      return 0;

8.  }
```

- a) Compile time error
- b) 1.000000
- c) 2.302585
- d) None of the mentioned

**6) What types of inputs are accepted by mathematical functions?**

- a) short
- b) int
- c) float
- d) double

**Answer is d) double**

**7) In linux, apart from including math header file, the program is successfully executed by which of the following?**

- a) cc filename.c
- b) cc filename.c -lc
- c) cc -math filename.c
- d) cc -lm filename.c

**8) Which of the following is not a valid mathematical function?**

- a) frexp(x);
- b) atan2(x,y);
- c) srand(x);
- d) fmod(x);

**9) Which of the following mathematical function requires 2 parameter for successful function call?**

- a) fmod();
- b) div();
- c) atan2();
- d) All of the mentioned.

**10) Which mathematical function among the following does NOT require int parameters?**

- a) div(x, y);
- b) srand(x);
- c) sqrt(x);
- d) All of the mentioned.

**11) sin(x) returns**

- a) sine of x where x is in radians
- b) sine of x where x is in degree
- c) cosine of x where x is in radians
- d) cosine of x where x is in degree

**12) cos(x) returns**

- a) sine of x where x is in radians
- b) sine of x where x is in degree
- c) cosine of x where x is in radians
- d) cosine of x where x is in degree

**13) What is the output of this C code?**

1. #include <stdio.h>
2. #include <math.h>
3. int main()

```
4.  {  
5.      int k = pow(2, 3);  
6.      printf("%d\n", k);  
7.      return 0;  
8.  }
```

- a) 9
- b) 8
- c) -1
- d) 6

**14) What is the output of this C code?**

```
1.  #include <stdio.h>  
2.  #include <math.h>  
3.  void main()  
4.  {  
5.      int k = fabs(-87);  
6.      printf("%d\n", k);  
7.      return 0;  
8.  }
```

- a) -87
- b) 87
- c) 78
- d) error

**15) What is the output of this C code?**

```
1.  #include <stdio.h>  
2.  #include <math.h>  
3.  int main()  
4.  {  
5.      int k = sqrt(-4);
```

6.     printf("%d\n", k);
7.     return 0;
8.     }

- a) -2
- b) 2
- c) Compile time error
- d) NaN

**16) Which among the following mathematical function do not have a “double” return-type?**

- a) srand(x);
- b) ceil(x);
- c) floor(x);
- d) Both (b) and (c);

### **References:**

- 1)<http://www.sanfoundry.com/c-interview-questions-answers/>