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New Grad Software Engineer Interview Sheet

Programming Questions

*Note: You are required to write the complete code of the problem and then discuss the approach and time/space complexity.

- 1. Print all the palindromic sub-strings in the given string.
- 2. How will you implement Queue using two Stacks.
- 3. Find if a given tree is a binary search tree or not.
- 4. Inorder/Preorder/Postorder traversal of a binary tree using recursion.
- 5. Check if a string of parentheses is valid without using a stack.
- 6. Given an integer array, find the nth largest number in the array.
- 7. Print level order traversal of a binary tree with alternate levels reversed.

Technical Questions

*Major focus areas include – Concepts of DBMS, OS, CN, Java

- 1. What is the difference between a process and a thread?
- 2. Types of databases, and give two examples of each.
- 3. ACID properties and explain them.
- 4. What are different normalisations, and explain each with examples?
- 5. Explain the layers and their functionalities of the OSI model.
- 6. What are the advantages and disadvantages of cloud computing?
- 7. Differences between Java and Python.
- 8. OOP Concepts with real-life examples.
- 9. What is Translation Lookaside Buffer (TLB)? Consequences of not using it?
- 10. Which operating system do you use? Describe its kernel type.
- 11. Difference between monolithic and microservices architecture; when to use monolithic?
- 12. Explain the OS booting process.
- 13. Explain SDLC and STLC.
- 14. What are virtual functions?
- 15. Explain the diamond problem in JAVA.
- 16. Difference between primary key and foreign key.
- 17. Explain multiprocessing, multitasking, and multiprogramming.
- 18. Types of schedulers in OS; which is most important?
- 19. How can you ensure data integrity in file system design?
- 20. What are the steps involved when a client sends data to a server?

HR/ Managerial Round Question

- 1. What are your thoughts about advancing to this round and how has been your day so far?
- 2. What are some latest technology trends that have fascinated you and what are potential improvements you would like to bring in those areas?
- 3. Can you envision improvements in online payment systems like Paytm and Google Pay?
- 4. Have you ever used flask? What are some of its advantages and disadvantages?
- 5. How will you design your own hashing algorithm?
- 6. What are your strengths and weaknesses?
- 7. What is cloud computing? Its advantages and disadvantages.