- 1. What will be the state of a thread immediately after calling the start() method on a Thread object?
 - a. NEW
 - b. RUNNABLE
 - c. BLOCKED
 - d. TERMINATED
- 2. What will happen if a thread calls wait() on an object without owning its intrinsic lock?
 - a. The thread enters the WAITING state.
 - b. A java.lang.IllegalMonitorStateException is thrown.
 - c. The thread moves to the BLOCKED state.
 - d. Nothing; the thread continues execution.
- **3.** Consider the following program:

What will be printed at Line 1, Line 2, and Line 3?

- a. NEW, RUNNABLE, TERMINATED
- b. NEW, TIMED_WAITING, TERMINATED
- c. RUNNABLE, RUNNABLE, TERMINATED
- d. NEW, RUNNABLE, RUNNABLE

4. What happens when a thread acquires a lock on an object and attempts to acquire another lock on the same object?

```
class Example {
    synchronized void performTask() {
        synchronized (this) {
            System.out.println("Task performed.");
        }
    }
}
```

- a. A java.lang.lllegalMonitorStateException will be thrown.
- b. The thread will enter a deadlock situation.
- c. The code will execute without any issue.
- d. The program will terminate due to a stack overflow.
- **5.** What happens in the following code?

```
class Example {
   static final Object lock1 = new Object();
   static final Object lock2 = new Object();
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Thread t1 = new Thread(() -> {
            synchronized (lock1) {
                try { Thread.sleep(50); } catch (InterruptedException e) {}
                synchronized (lock2) {}
        });
        Thread t2 = new Thread(() -> {
            synchronized (lock2) {
                try { Thread.sleep(50); } catch (InterruptedException e) {}
                synchronized (lock1) {}
            }
        });
        t1.start();
        t2.start();
   }
}
```

- a. Both threads execute without issue.
- b. A deadlock will occur as both threads wait indefinitely.
- c. Thread t2 will finish execution first.
- d. The program will terminate immediately after execution.
- 6. What happens if a thread calls join() with a timeout, but the other thread does not finish within the specified timeout?

```
class Main {
   public static void main(String[] args) throws InterruptedException {
        Thread t = new Thread(() -> {
            try {
                Thread.sleep(5000);
            } catch (InterruptedException e) {}
        });
        t.start();
        t.join(1000);
        System.out.println("Main thread finished waiting.");
   }
}
```

- a. The main thread waits indefinitely.
- b. The main thread throws a java.lang.InterruptedException.
- c. The main thread continues after 1 second.
- d. The program will crash.
- 7. What is the state of a thread after it is interrupted while sleeping?
 - a. RUNNABLE
 - b. WAITING
 - c. TERMINATED
 - d. BLOCKED
- 8. What happens if an exception is thrown inside a synchronized block?
 - a. The lock is not released, and the second thread waits indefinitely.
 - b. The lock is released, allowing the second thread to execute.
 - c. A java.lang.lllegalMonitorStateException is thrown.
 - d. Both threads execute concurrently.
- **9.** What is the correct output of the following code?

```
class Main {
   public static void main(String[] args) throws InterruptedException {
        Object lock = new Object();
        Thread t1 = new Thread(() -> {
            synchronized (lock) {
                try {
                    lock.wait();
                    System.out.println("Thread 1 resumed");
                } catch (InterruptedException e) {}
```

```
}
});
Thread t2 = new Thread(() -> {
    synchronized (lock) {
        try {
            lock.wait();
            System.out.println("Thread 2 resumed");
        } catch (InterruptedException e) {}

});
t1.start();
t2.start();
Thread.sleep(100);
synchronized (lock) {
        lock.notifyAll();
}
}
```

- a. "Thread 1 resumed" followed by "Thread 2 resumed".
- b. "Thread 2 resumed" followed by "Thread 1 resumed".
- c. Both threads will resume execution, but the order is unpredictable.
- d. The program will deadlock.
- 10. Which of the following statements is true about the difference between Thread.sleep() and Object.wait()?
 - a. Both methods release the lock on the monitor object.
 - b. Thread.sleep() does not release the lock, but Object.wait() does.
 - c. Thread.sleep() releases the lock, but Object.wait() does not.
 - d. Both methods block the thread and release the lock.
- **11.** In the following program, can you think of a scenario in which the Final balance will be different from the expected balance? Explain!

```
class BankAccount {
    private int balance;
    public BankAccount(int initialBalance) {
        this.balance = initialBalance;
    public void deposit(int amount) {
        balance += amount;
    public void withdraw(int amount) {
        if (balance >= amount) {
            balance -= amount;
    public int getBalance() {
        return balance;
public class BankTransferBug {
    public static void main(String[] args) throws InterruptedException {
        BankAccount account = new BankAccount(100);
        Thread t1 = new Thread(() -> {
            for (int i = 0; i < 100; i++) {
                account.withdraw(10);
        });
        Thread t2 = new Thread(() -> {
            for (int i = 0; i < 100; i++) {
                account.deposit(10);
        });
        t1.start();
        t2.start();
        t1.join();
        t2.join();
        System.out.println("Final balance: " + account.getBalance());
    }
}
```

Under certain thread interleavings, the getBalance operation in withdraw and deposit may not see a consistent state due to a **data race**, leading to an incorrect final balance.

For example:

- 1. Thread t1 reads the current balance as 100.
- 2. Before t1 subtracts 10, Thread t2 adds 10, making the balance 110.
- 3. t1 proceeds to subtract 10, leaving the balance as 100, effectively ignoring the deposit operation.

- 1. What happens if you override the run method in a Thread class but call the run() method directly instead of start()?
 - a. A new thread will be created and start executing the run method.
 - b. The run method will execute in the same thread that called it.
 - c. A RuntimeException will be thrown.
 - d. A compile-time error will occur.
- 2. What happens if a thread is waiting for a monitor and the monitor becomes available?
 - a. The thread moves to the RUNNABLE state.
 - b. The thread moves to the BLOCKED state.
 - c. The thread moves to the TERMINATED state.
 - d. The thread immediately acquires the monitor and starts execution.
- 3. What is the correct way to check if a thread has been interrupted during its execution?
 - a. Thread.isInterrupted()
 - b. Thread.currentThread().isInterrupted()
 - c. Thread.checkInterrupt()
 - d. Thread.currentThread().interrupted()s
- **4.** Consider the following program:

What will be the output?

- a. "Running..." printed continuously.
- b. "Interrupted" will be printed after some "Running...".
- c. The program will terminate without any output.
- d. A java.lang.InterruptedException will be thrown.
- 5. What will be the state of a thread after it calls wait() on an object?
 - a. WAITING
 - b. BLOCKED
 - c. RUNNABLE
 - d. TERMINATED
- **6.** What will happen in the following scenario?

```
class Example {
   synchronized static void methodA() {
        System.out.println(Thread.currentThread().getName() + " is in methodA.");
        try { Thread.sleep(1000); } catch (InterruptedException e) {}
   synchronized void methodB() {
        System.out.println(Thread.currentThread().getName() + " is in methodB.");
}
public class Main {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Example obj1 = new Example();
        Example obj2 = new Example();
        Thread t1 = new Thread(() -> obj1.methodA());
        Thread t2 = new Thread(() -> obj2.methodB());
       t1.start();
       t2.start();
   }
}
```

- a. Both threads execute concurrently.
- b. t1 waits for t2 to finish because both methods are synchronized.
- c. t2 waits for t1 to finish because both methods are synchronized.
- d. Both threads execute without interfering with each other.
- 7. What is the output of the following code snippet?

```
class Example {
   private final Object lock1 = new Object();
   private final Object lock2 = new Object();
   void method1() {
        synchronized (lock1) {
            System.out.println("Lock1 acquired by method1");
            try { Thread.sleep(100); } catch (InterruptedException e) {}
            synchronized (lock2) {
                System.out.println("Lock2 acquired by method1");
        }
   void method2() {
        synchronized (lock2) {
            System.out.println("Lock2 acquired by method2");
            try { Thread.sleep(100); } catch (InterruptedException e) {}
            synchronized (lock1) {
                System.out.println("Lock1 acquired by method2");
        }
   }
   public static void main(String[] args) {
        Example example = new Example();
        Thread t1 = new Thread(example::method1);
        Thread t2 = new Thread(example::method2);
        t1.start();
       t2.start();
   }
}
```

- a. Both threads execute successfully and print all messages.
- b. Deadlock occurs, and the program hangs.
- c. Only method1 executes, as method2 waits indefinitely.
- d. A java.lang.lllegalMonitorStateException is thrown.
- 8. What happens when wait() is called on an object, but no thread calls notify() or notifyAll() on the same object?
 - a. The waiting thread continues after a default timeout.
 - b. The waiting thread remains in the WAITING state indefinitely.

- c. The thread throws a java.lang.InterruptedException after some time.
- d. The JVM terminates the program due to a deadlock.
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 - c. Thread.sleep() releases the lock, but Object.wait() does not.
 - d. Both methods block the thread and release the lock.
- 10. What happens if a thread tries to synchronize on a null object?

```
public class Main {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Object lock = null;
        synchronized (lock) {
            System.out.println("In synchronized block.");
        }
    }
}
```

- a. Both methods release the lock on the monitor object.
- b. Thread.sleep() does not release the lock, but Object.wait() does.
- c. Thread.sleep() releases the lock, but Object.wait() does not.
- d. Both methods block the thread and release the lock.
- a. The code compiles and runs without issues.
- b. A java.lang.NullPointerException is thrown.
- c. The thread waits indefinitely.
- d. The JVM crashes due to an invalid monitor.
- **11.** In the following program, can you think of a scenario in which the Final balance will be different from the expected balance? Explain!

```
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       });
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            for (int i = 0; i < 100; i++) {
                account.deposit(10);
            }
       });
        t1.start();
        t2.start();
        t1.join();
        t2.join();
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