QUIZ 1 - SOA, Web Service, and Distributed Infrastructure

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- 1. What is a service? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. A component
 - b. An identity
 - c. A module
 - d. A port
- 2. What is a "thin client" in the client-server architecture?
 - a. Client having minimal compute resources.
 - b. Application code execution hardly occurs on the client.
 - c. Client with the lowest privileges.
 - d. The client's screen is small in size, so it cannot display big contents.
- 3. What is "marshalling" in inter-process communication?
 - a. Providing a gueue where packets are placed while waiting to be served.
 - b. Protecting a server against malicious attacks.
 - c. Sending a warning to an unresponsive server.
 - d. Transforming an object to a data format suitable for transmission among heterogeneous hosts.
- 4. What can represent a service's logic? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. A task
 - b. A process
 - c. A bot
 - d. An agent
- 5. Which statement is INCORRECT about SOA?
 - a. It is a rebrand of Web services.
 - b. It is well-suited to bolster business automation.
 - c. It supports fast and cheap development of applications.
 - d. It is implementation-agnostic.
- 6. What are the data encoding standards commonly used in Web services? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. XML
 - b. SQL
 - c. JSON
 - d. HTTP
- 7. Which communication style supports many-to-many?
 - a. Publish/Subscribe
 - b. Store and Forward
 - c. Synchronous Messaging
 - d. Remote Procedure Call (RPC)
- 8. Goals of employing Web services include ... (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Enable the exploration to new business ventures.
 - b. Support application integration across business functions.
 - c. Extend the life of legacy systems.
 - d. Redefine the roles of existing applications.

- 9. Which element of a message contains key-value pairs?
 - a. Message properties
 - b. Message headers
 - c. Message body
 - d. Message list
- 10. Examples of simple Web services are ... (Select 3 correct answers)
 - a. News report
 - b. Courier reservation service
 - c. Inventory management service
 - d. Stock quote information
- 11. What are essential aspects of SOA? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Statelessness
 - b. Searchability
 - c. Tight coupling
 - d. Anonymity
- 12. Which are non-functional properties of a Web service? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Output formats
 - b. Mean time between failures
 - c. Price rate
 - d. Service endpoint
- 13.
- 14. [LO-1.1] Benefits of middleware are ... (Select 2 correct answers
 - a. Abstracting the hardware layer for the software layer
 - b. Bridging differences among servers
 - c. Delivering messages to multiple users
 - d. Simplifying the software developer's tasks

QUIZ 2 - XML SCHEMA

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QUIZ 3 - SOAP AND WSDL

- 1. Roles of SOAP intermediaries: (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Intercepting SOAP messages and converting them to locally defined objects.
 - b. Routing the SOAP messsages to the right destination host.
 - c. Helping the SOAP server to attain scalability.
 - d. Processing the header blocks of a SOAP message.
- 2. Which component converts SOAP messages to programming language specific objects required by the Web service?

- a. SOAP client
- b. SOAP server
- c. Web browser
- d. Web server
- 3. Through the online interactive service, the teacher sends a poll to the students. Which message exchange pattern is suitable for that service?
 - a. Request/response
 - b. Solicit/response
 - c. One-way
 - d. Notification
- 4. Benefits of WSDL 2.0 over WSDL 1.1: (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. More firewall friendly
 - b. More clarity
 - c. Simpler and easier to use
 - d. Compatibility support
- 5. Which statements are CORRECT about WSDL? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. The part elements are nested in the message element.
 - b. The message elements are nested in the operation element.
 - c. The operation elements are nested in the portType element.
 - d. The message elements are nested in the types element.
- 6. SOAP communication styles: (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. CORBA
 - b. Publish/Subscribe
 - c. Document
 - d. RPC
- 7. A service description is needed so that ... (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. the service can run correctly.
 - b. the service and its detailed processes can be explained by the developer.
 - c. the service can be assembled with other services.
 - d. the service can be published and discovered.
- 8. Which protocol can be used as the transport protocol for SOAP? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. HTTP
 - b. SMTP
 - c. UDP
 - d. TCP
- 9. Two parts of a WSDL document that can be defined separately but complement each other are ... (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Logical design
 - b. Concrete implementation
 - c. Abstract description
 - d. Detailed prescription
- 10. Which element of WSDL contains the service endpoint(s)?
 - a. service
 - b. port
 - c. binding
 - d. portType
- 11. What does a WSDL document describe? (Select 2 correct answers)

- a. Data formats and procotols to access the service
- b. Terms and conditions that a user must agree upon before accesing the service
- c. The list of operations of the service
- d. The location to get more details about the service
- 12. In an HTTP message, where should a SOAP message be contained?
 - a. Header
 - b. Body
 - c. Object
 - d. Request
- 13. Downsides of SOAP: (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Closed standards
 - b. Stateless
 - c. Not supporting serialization by reference
 - d. Unscalable
- 14. Which element of a SOAP message must exist one and only one?
 - a. Body entry
 - b. Body
 - c. Header block
 - d. Header
- 15. The patient wants to know his/her doctor's schedule from the hospital service. Which message exchange pattern is suitable for that service?
 - a. One-way
 - b. Solicit/response
 - c. Notification
 - d. Request/response
- 16. Which element renamings occur in WSDL 2.0? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. The portType element to interface
 - b. The port element to endpoint
 - c. The binding element to extends
 - d. The description element to definitions
- 17. What are described in the service implementation? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Location of the service
 - b. Concrete protocol and data format
 - Data types used by the service
 - d. Incoming and/or outgoing parameter data
- 18. Elements in Abstract Service Description of WSDL: (Select 2 correct answers:
 - a. definitions
 - b. service
 - c. portType
 - d. message
- 19. Which communication style is used in this SOAP message?

- a. CORBA
- b. Publish/Subscribe

- c. RPC
- d. Document
- 20. What is the *de facto* language for describing the contract that a service exposes to its clients?
 - a. CDL
 - b. BPEL
 - c. WSDL
 - d. SOAP
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QUIZ 4 - REST AND JSON

- 1. Which statement is INCORRECT about REST?
 - a. REST is rather resource-centric than message-centric.
 - b. REST was first introduced in Roy Fielding's dissertation.
 - c. REST defines a few procotols that run on top of HTTP.
 - d. REST is lighter and more concise than SOAP.
- 2. What are characteristics of a JSON String? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. A sequence of ASCII characters
 - b. May contain multiple values separated by commas
 - c. May contain two-character escape sequences
 - d. Enclosed by quotation marks
- 3. Besides digits, what characters may be accepted in JSON numbers? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Infinity token
 - b. Minus sign
 - c. Decimal point
 - d. Extra leading zeros
- 4. Which ones are structural characters in JSON? (Select 3 correct answers)
 - a. ; (semicolon)
 - b. {} (braces)
 - c. [] (brackets)
 - d. , (comma)
- 5. The minimum and maximum numbers of values in a JSON array are ...
 - a. one and only one
 - b. zero and unbounded
 - c. one and unbounded
 - d. zero and one
- 6. Which statement is INCORRECT about the resource representation?
 - a. The resource representation is solely determined by the server.
 - b. The resource representation is placed in the payload of the HTTP response returned to the client application.
 - c. Relationships between resources (objects) in the data model are represented when they are sent to the client.
 - d. A resource representation reflects the state of a resource at a particular time.
- 7. JSON (JavaScript Object Notation) was inspired by ...
 - a. HTML Script
 - b. ECMAScript
 - c. JavaScript
 - d. Shell Script

- 8. Which URI structures are recommended? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. http://foo.service.com/purchase orders/{id}
 - b. http://foo.service.com/orders/foate/forder-id
 - c. http://foo.service.com/purchase orders/{PO}
 - d. http://foo.service.com/POs/{items}
- 9. Which HTTP method is used to modify a resource (in a RESTful web service)?
 - a. GET
 - b. POST
 - c. PUT
 - d. DELETE
- 10. What are the benefits of statelessness in web services? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. It supports scalability to handle increasing demands.
 - b. It reduces the bandwidth required to serve the client.
 - c. It removes the need to synchronize session data with another application/service.
 - d. It encourages the client to involve in processing web services.
- 11. Whitespace characters in JSON are ... (Select 3 correct answers)
 - a. Vertical tabulation
 - b. Carriage return
 - c. Line feed
 - d. Space
- 12. Code points that must be escaped in JSON strings are ... (Select 3 correct answers)
 - a. solidus
 - b. hex digits representing any Unicode code point
 - c. delete
 - d. quotation mark
- 13. Which statements are CORRECT about JSON? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. JSON can be used for data interchange between different systems and platforms.
 - b. JSON is dependent on Java and its related technologies.
 - c. JSON represents numbers as sequences of digits.
 - d. JSON can specify the meaning of data it contains.
- 14. Which HTTP methods should NOT include a payload? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. PUT
 - **b.** DELETE
 - C. POST
 - d. GET
- 15. The structure of a URI should be ... (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Understandable
 - b. Straightforward
 - c. Predetermined
 - d. Composable
- 16. Which statement is INACCURATE about the issue of stateful vs stateless service?
 - a. Stateless services require clients to send complete and independent requests.
 - b. Stateful services are harder to design and build than the stateless ones.
 - c. Stateless services perform better than stateful ones.
 - d. Stateful services transfer the onus to maintain states to the client applications.
- 17. Standard HTTP headers for content negotiation: (Select 3 correct answers)
 - a. Accept-MIME
 - **b.** Accept-Language
 - C. Accept

d. Accept-Encoding

18. Referring to the following snippet:

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[
    "nrp": "c14200001",
    "name": "Sarah Summers"
},
{
    "nrp": "c14200002",
    "name": "Bill Winters"
}
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- 19. What does it contain?
 - a. A dictionary of two objects
 - b. An array of objects
 - c. Two objects with two name/value pairs
 - d. A list of strings

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QUIZ 5 - ini api

QUIZ 6 - Microservices

- 1. In terms of composability, what benefits may microservices give? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Microservices may be opened up for access by external partners or customers.
 - b. Microservices may be functionally reused for other purposes and applications.
 - c. Microservices may be replicated in another platform and consumed in different ways.
 - d. Microservices may be bonded together to strengthen the application's robustness.
- 2. What does SOA lack of? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Many problems still linger on communication protocols, middleware, and the absence of clear guidance.
 - b. No agreement in the industry on how to implement it properly.
 - c. It is only a concept and no materialization whatsoever this far.
 - d. The idea is too complex to understand and to execute.

- 3. What are the guidelines to decompose a system's application into bounded contexts? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. In a nested fashion, separating it according to the organizational structure.
 - b. Making sure that the nested services are always visible to the consumers.
 - c. Splitting it sparingly, or else it breaks apart.
 - d. Breaking it all the way down as needed.
- 4. How does the deployment of a microservice-based application differ from that of a monolithic application? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Change to a line of code requires just the affected microservice to be deployed.
 - b. Change to a line of code requires just the affected part of the monolithic application to be deployed.
 - c. Change to a line of code requires the entire microservices to be deployed.
 - d. Change to a line of code requires the whole monolithic application to be deployed.
- 5. Advantages of autonomous services are ... (Select 2 correct answers)
 - Easily replaceable
 - b. More resilient to attack
 - c. Isolated failure
 - d. Increased collaboration
- 6. Is it alright to create the bounded contexts along technical boundary?
 - a. Yes, it perfectly makes sense.
 - b. No, it would be problematic.
 - c. No, it does not make sense.
 - d. Yes, but it should not be the main determinant.
- 7. How do microservices differ from shared libraries? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. The shared libraries may become a point of coupling.
 - b. Technology heterogeneity is preserved in microservices.
 - c. The shared libraries naturally support system resiliency.
 - d. In microservices, the system's application can be decomposed into smaller components.
- 8. Why is heterogeneity in technology useful?
 - a. Getting the right technology for every task.
 - b. Understanding the technology trends.
 - c. Enabling diverse collaboration.
 - d. Avoiding vendor lock-in.
- 9. What are the advantages of small services? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Cheap to build
 - b. Well defined
 - c. Highly portable
 - d. Easy to debug
- 10. How should scaling be carried out with microservices?
 - a. Burst the on-demand microservices in cloud.
 - b. Run parts of every microservice on smaller, less powerful hardware.
 - c. Replicate only the required microservices.
 - d. Scale the entire microservices as a whole.
- 11. With microservices, is mixing in different technologies risky?
 - a. Yes, mixing technologies brings complexity and overhead.
 - b. Yes, it demands high investment.
 - c. No, it is irrelevant.
 - d. No, due to the microservice's size, the risk is much reduced.
- 12. How is resilience provided by microservices?

- a. Redundancy and replication are the keys to a resilient system.
- b. Multiple bulkheads need to be intentionally built in the microservice-based system.
- c. Service boundaries are logical bulkheads to address the system's failure.
- d. Every failed microservice has to be quickly and manually isolated from the rest of the system.
- 13. What characterize an evolutionary architect? (Select 3 correct answers):
 - a. Changing the system's technical vision continually.
 - b. Conveying the system's technical vision.
 - c. Collaborating to carry out the system's technical vision.
 - d. Balancing all the trade-offs in making decisions.
- 14. What are characteristics of microservices? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Modular monolith
 - b. High cohesion
 - c. Loose coupling
 - d. Isolated environment
- 15. How can communications between microservices be seen in parallel with business concepts?
 - a. To avoid chatty interfaces, communications between microservices must be limited to only passing important business ideas.
 - b. The same business terms and forms, sent around the organization, should be reflected in the microservices' interfaces.
 - c. The interfaces of microservices should drive how the organization's business is developed.
 - d. New business ideas should be advanced beyond what the microservices can offer
- 16. What are some of the things that need more attention to leverage on the benefits of microservices? (Select 2 correct answers)
 - a. Adopting microservices wholeheartedly by following the guidelines.
 - b. Ensuring scalability and resilience of the system.
 - c. Fast developing the microservices to avoid bottlenecks among teams.
 - d. Better dealing with deployment, testing, and monitoring.
- 17. How can tight coupling be prevented with bounded contexts?
 - a. Ensuring that internal-only representations are not exposed unnecessarily in the shared model.
 - b. Making sure that the internal and external representations are different to each other.
 - c. Devising a dedicated model in each bounded context to predict external bounded contexts that may couple too tightly.
 - d. Limiting the external representations to a certain number of bounded contexts.