

Pointer Challenge 2019

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1- Choose The Correct Answer :

Output of following program?

```
#include <stdio.h>
void fun(int *ptr)
{
    *ptr = 30;
}

int main()
{
    int y = 20;
    fun(&y);
    printf("%d", y);

    return 0;
}
```

- ☐ A 20
- ☒ B 30
- ☐ C Compiler Error
- ☐ D Runtime Error

Assume that float takes 4 bytes, predict the output of following program.

```
#include <stdio.h>

int main()
{
    float arr[5] = {12.5, 10.0, 13.5, 90.5, 0.5};
    float *ptr1 = &arr[0];
    float *ptr2 = ptr1 + 3;

    printf("%f ", *ptr2);
    printf("%d", ptr2 - ptr1);

    return 0;
}
```

- ☒ A 90.500000 3
- ☐ B 90.500000 12
- ☐ C 10.000000 12
- ☐ D 0.500000 3

```
#include<stdio.h>
int main()
{
    int arr[] = {10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60};
    int *ptr1 = arr;
    int *ptr2 = arr + 5;
    printf("Number of elements between two pointer are: %d.",
           (ptr2 - ptr1));
    printf("Number of bytes between two pointers are: %d",
           (char*)ptr2 - (char*) ptr1);
    return 0;
}
```

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Assume that an int variable takes 4 bytes and a char variable takes 1 byte



Number of elements between two pointer are: 5. Number of bytes between two pointers are: 20



Number of elements between two pointer are: 20. Number of bytes between two pointers are: 20



Number of elements between two pointer are: 5. Number of bytes between two pointers are: 5



Compiler Error



Runtime Error

```
#include<stdio.h>
int main()
{
    int a;
    char *x;
    x = (char *) &a;
    a = 512;
    x[0] = 1;
    x[1] = 2;
    printf("%dn",a);
    return 0;
}
```

What is the output of above program?



Machine dependent



513



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Compiler Error

```
int main()
{
    char *ptr = "GeeksQuiz";
    printf("%cn", *&*ptr);
    return 0;
}
```

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- A** Compiler Error
- B** Garbage Value
- C** Runtime Error
- D** G

What will be the output of the program ?

```
#include<stdio.h>

int main()
{
    int i=3, *j, k;
    j = &i;
    printf("%d\n", i**j*i+j);
    return 0;
}
```

- A.** 30
- B.** 27
- C.** 9
- D.** 3

. What will be the output of the program ?

```
#include<stdio.h>

int main()
{
    int x=30, *y, *z;
    y=&x; /* Assume address of x is 500 and integer is 4 byte size */
    z=y;
    *y++=*z++;
    x++;
    printf("x=%d, y=%d, z=%d\n", x, y, z);
    return 0;
}
```

- A. x=31, y=502, z=502
- B. x=31, y=500, z=500
- C. x=31, y=498, z=498
- D. x=31, y=504, z=504**

Point out the compile time error in the program given below.

```
#include<stdio.h>

int main()
{
    int *x;
    *x=100;
    return 0;
}
```

- A. Error: invalid assignment for x
- B. Error: suspicious pointer conversion
- C. No error**
- D. None of above

Point out the error in the program

```
#include<stdio.h>

int main()
{
    int a[] = {10, 20, 30, 40, 50};
    int j;
    for(j=0; j<5; j++)
    {
        printf( "%d\n", a);
        a++;
    }
    return 0;
}
```

- A. Error: Declaration syntax
- B. Error: Expression syntax
- C. Error: LValue required
- D. Error: Rvalue required

Is there any difference between the following two statements?

```
char *p=0;
char *t=NULL;
```

- A. Yes
- B. No

Is this a correct way for NULL pointer assignment?

```
int i=0;
char *q=(char*)i;
```

- A. Yes
- B. No

What is (void*)0?

- A.** Representation of NULL pointer
- B.** Representation of void pointer
- C.** Error
- D.** None of above

In which header file is the NULL macro defined?

- A.** `stdio.h`
- B.** `stddef.h`
- C.** `stdio.h` and `stddef.h`
- D.** `math.h`

Is the NULL pointer same as an uninitialised pointer?

- A.** Yes
- B.** No

```
#include <stdio.h>

int main()
{
    int arri[] = {1, 2 ,3};
    int *ptri = arri;

    char arrc[] = {1, 2 ,3};
    char *ptrc = arrc;

    printf("sizeof arri[] = %d ", sizeof(arri));
    printf("sizeof ptri = %d ", sizeof(ptri));

    printf("sizeof arrc[] = %d ", sizeof(arrc));
    printf("sizeof ptrc = %d ", sizeof(ptrc));

    return 0;
}
```

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- A** sizeof arri[] = 3 sizeof ptri = 4 sizeof arrc[] = 3 sizeof ptrc = 4
- B** sizeof arri[] = 12 sizeof ptri = 4 sizeof arrc[] = 3 sizeof ptrc = 1
- C** sizeof arri[] = 3 sizeof ptri = 4 sizeof arrc[] = 3 sizeof ptrc = 1
- D** sizeof arri[] = 12 sizeof ptri = 4 sizeof arrc[] = 3 sizeof ptrc = 4

String Length using pointers

PROGRAM:

```
#include<stdio.h>
main()
{
    char s[25],*t;
    int len=0;
    printf("Enter a string\n");
    scanf("%s",&s);
    t=s;//copying base address of string
```

Comple The Code Here

```
    printf("length of string is %d\n",len);
}
```

Output:

```
Enter a string
Hello
length of string is 5
```


Consider the following C code

```
int main()
{
    int a = 300;
    char *b = (char *)&a;
    *++b = 2;
    printf("%d ",a);
    return 0;
}
```

Consider the size of `int` as two bytes and size of `char` as one byte. Predict the output of the following code . Assume that the machine is little-endian.

- A** 556
- B** 300
- C** Runtime Error
- D** Compile Time Error

Assume `int` is 4 bytes, `char` is 1 byte and `float` is 4 bytes. Also, assume that pointer size is 4 bytes (i.e. typical case)

```
char *pChar;
int *pInt;
float *pFloat;

sizeof(pChar);
sizeof(pInt);
sizeof(pFloat);
```

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What's the size returned for each of `sizeof()` operator?

- A** 4 4 4
- B** 1 4 4
- C** 1 4 8
- D** None of the above

In the below statement, `ptr1` and `ptr2` are uninitialized pointers to `int` i.e. they are pointing to some random address that may or may not be valid address.

```
int* ptr1, ptr2;
```

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- A** TRUE
- B** FALSE

Assume that the size of int is 4.

```
#include <stdio.h>
void f(char**);
int main()
{
    char *argv[] = { "ab", "cd", "ef", "gh", "ij", "kl" };
    f(argv);
    return 0;
}
void f(char **p)
{
    char *t;
    t = (p += sizeof(int))[-1];
    printf("%sn", t);
}
```

A ab

B cd

C ef

D gh

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main()
{
    int a[][3] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
    int (*ptr)[3] = a;
    printf("%d %d ", (*ptr)[1], (*ptr)[2]);
    ++ptr;
    printf("%d %dn", (*ptr)[1], (*ptr)[2]);
    return 0;
}
```

A 2 3 5 6

B 2 3 4 5

C 4 5 0 0

D none of the above

What is the output of the following C code? Assume that the address of x is 2000 (in decimal) and an integer requires four bytes of memory.

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main()
{
    unsigned int x[4][3] = {{1, 2, 3}, {4, 5, 6},
                           {7, 8, 9}, {10, 11, 12}};
    printf("%u, %u, %u", x+3, *(x+3), *(x+2)+3);
}
```

- A** 2036, 2036, 2036
- B** 2012, 4, 2204
- C** 2036, 10, 10
- D** 2012, 4, 6

```
#include "stdio.h"
int main()
{
    void *pVoid;
    pVoid = (void*)0;
    printf("%lu", sizeof(pVoid));
    return 0;
}
```

Pick the best statement for the above C program snippet.

- A** Assigning (void *)0 to pVoid isn't correct because memory hasn't been allocated. That's why no compile error but it'll result in run time error.
- B** Assigning (void *)0 to pVoid isn't correct because a hard coded value (here zero i.e. 0) can't assigned to any pointer. That's why it'll result in compile error.
- C** No compile issue and no run time issue. And the size of the void pointer i.e. pVoid would equal to size of int.
- D** sizeof() operator isn't defined for a pointer of void type.

What will be output of the following program? Assume that you are running this program in little-endian processor.

```
#include<stdio.h>

int main() {
    short a = 320;
    char * ptr;
    ptr = (char * ) & a;
    printf("%d", * ptr);
    return 0;
}
```

- ☒ A 1
- ☐ B 320
- ☐ C 64
- ☐ D Compilation error

2- What is

- a- `Int * ptr [10]`.
- b- `Double (*ptr)[38]`.
- c- `Short ** arr [5][10]`.
- d- `Struct book (*ptr[8]) (void)`.

3-It's time for CODING:

1-

C Program to Count Number of Words in a given Text or Sentence

This is a C Program to Count the Number of Words in a given text or Sentence.

Problem Description

This program takes a string as input and count the number of words in the input string.

Note :

Recomended To Use this sentence to scan the string with the space without any problem

```
scanf("%[^\n]s", s);
```

2-

C Program to Accepts two Strings & Compare them

This is C program which accepts two strings & compare them.

Problem Description

This program accepts two strings as input and compares them.

1. **3-** Write a C program to copy one string to another using pointers.

4- Write a program in C to count the number of vowels and consonants in a string using a pointer.

5- Write a c code to make a calculator function that will take 3 argument and making summation for him but I will send the argument as any data type and the output will be as the input data type:

The key:

Void SUM (void * First , void * Second , int Flag);

If : Flag ==1

First and Second will return the int sum of him;

If : Flag ==2

First and Second will return the float sum of him;

If : Flag ==3

First and Second will return the double sum of him;

“MAKE IT WORK THEN OPTIMIZE”