

Python with Parallel Programming Lab Exam questions by Praveen:

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I plan to give 4 questions(2 from each part, in 2hrs) to be attended by participants for lab exam.

If only 2 questions to be given for this batch, then my choice is:

Part 1 : Q4

Part 2 : Q1 or Q2

Attend 2 questions from part-1(20 marks) and 2 from part-2(20 marks)

☒ **Part 1: Python Lab Exam – Core Concepts**

Total Questions: any 2 in 4 | Duration: 1 Hour | Format: Hands-on Tasks

Covers: Core Python, OOP, File Handling, Modules, Data Structures, Flask, NumPy, Pandas, Data Viz, Regex

◆ Q1. NumPy

- Generate a 5x5 matrix of random integers.
- Compute transpose, determinant, and inverse (handle exceptions).

◆ Q2. Pandas EDA

- Load data.csv with Pandas.
- Display basic info, handle missing values, group by a categorical column.

◆ Q3. Data Visualization (Matplotlib + Seaborn)

- Load iris or tips dataset using Seaborn.
- Plot:
 - Histogram of a numeric column.
 - Boxplot comparing 2 categorical classes.
 - Heatmap of correlations.
- Save each plot as a PNG file.

◆ Q4. Pandas DataFrames : Given the following two Pandas DataFrames:

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import pandas as pd
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import numpy as np
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df1 = pd.DataFrame(  
    np.arange(1,26).reshape(5,5),  
    index=list('ABCDE'),  
    columns = ['Col1', 'Col2', 'Col3', 'Col4', 'Col5']  
)
```

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df2 = pd.DataFrame(  
    [  
        ['Praveen', 'Kumar', 44, 'Male'],  
        ['Ajay', 'Krishna', 54, 'Male'],  
        ['Shreya', 'Rathi', 32, 'Female'],  
        ['Vidya', 'Rao', 28, 'Female'],  
    ],  
    index = [101,102,103,104],  
    columns = [ 'First Name', 'Last Name', 'AGE', 'GENDER' ]  
)
```

Tasks (Perform all subparts):

◆ Part A – DataFrame df1 (Numeric Data)

- 1. Print the first 3 rows and last 2 columns using both label-based and position-based slicing.**

2. Display the sum of all values row-wise and column-wise. Add these as two new rows/columns named RowSum, ColSum.
3. Extract a sub-DataFrame containing:
 - Rows: 'B' to 'D' (inclusive)
 - Columns: 'Col2', 'Col3', 'Col4'
4. Create a line plot for all rows of df1, plotting values of 'Col1', 'Col2', 'Col3' using Matplotlib. Use different markers for each row.

◆ **Part B – DataFrame df2 (Categorical + Numeric Data)**

5. Display only the records where:
 - Gender is 'Female'
 - Age is less than 35
6. Add a new column 'Full Name' by combining 'First Name' and 'Last Name'.
7. Create a bar plot using Matplotlib or Seaborn:
 - X-axis: 'Full Name'
 - Y-axis: 'AGE'
 - Color bars based on 'GENDER' using hue in Seaborn.
8. Create a pie chart showing the gender distribution in df2.

✓ Part 2: Python Lab Exam – Parallel Programming

Total Questions: any 2 in 6 | Duration: 1 Hour | Format: Hands-on Tasks

Covers: Multiprocessing, Multithreading, AsyncIO, Distributed Python, GPU Programming, cupy, numba, pycuda

◆ Q1. Multiprocessing – Basics

Create a script to:

- Spawn two child processes.
- First prints even numbers from 1 to 50.
- Second prints odd numbers from 1 to 50.

◆ Q2. Multiprocessing – Pool & Map

- Use multiprocessing.Pool to calculate square of numbers from 1 to 10.
- Log results using map() and apply().

◆ Q3. Multithreading – Synchronization

- Simulate a bank account using threading.Lock() where multiple threads try to withdraw money.

◆ Q4. Queue-based Thread Communication

- Producer thread: generate 10 random numbers and put in Queue.
- Consumer thread: read from queue and calculate factorial.

◆ Q5. Process Communication

- Two processes exchange data using multiprocessing.Pipe.

◆ Q6. PyCUDA Programming

- Install PyCUDA (mock if GPU not available).
- Write a basic kernel for adding two vectors.

