

## Chapter 7 – Expressions and Assignment Statements

- 1) What are the main issues of expression semantics? Give four.
- 2) In programming languages, arithmetic expressions consist of four items. Name them.
- 3) An implementation of an arithmetic computation must cause two actions. What are those?
- 4) Given the following operators in C:

~, ++, ||, ?:, \*, &, <<, %, >, >, ^, ==

- a. Arrange the operators from highest to lowest precedence.
  - b. Identify the associativity of each operator.
- 5) Discuss a situation in which integer addition on a computer is:
    - a. not commutative.
    - b. not associative.
  - 6) Refer to code fragment A, determine the output after execution of `noel()`.
  - 7) What are two possible solutions to the problem of operand evaluation order and side effects?
  - 8) a. What is referential transparency?  
b. Illustrate an example of a C program that connects referential transparency and functional side effects.

```
A. #include<stdio.h>
int a;
int noel() {
    a = 17;
    return 3;
}
void main() {
    a = 5;
    a = a + noel() + a;
    printf("%d",a);
}
```

- 9) Discuss the safety issues of each kind of type conversions.
- 10) Discuss three errors in expressions.
- 11) Refer to code fragment B, determine the output.
- 12) Refer to code fragment C, determine the output.
- 13) Explain how the coercion rules of a language affect its error detection.
- 14) Discuss an issue of operator overloading.
- 15) Write a C code fragment that illustrates all the possible short circuit evaluation scenarios.

```
B. #include<stdio.h>
void main() {
    int chiz = 5, khent = 4, ean = 3;
    printf("%d",chiz>khent>ean);
}
```

```
C. #include<stdio.h>
void main() {
    int woogoe = 69;
    printf("%d,",++woogoe);
    printf("%d,%d,%d",woogoe++,++woogoe,-woogoe--);
}
```

## Chapter 8 – Statement-Level Control Structures

- 16) Define the following: a. control statements b. control structures
- 17) Why are multiple exits from control structures not considered a design issue?
- 18) What are the differences of C#'s switch implementation and that of C?
- 19) Derive an operational semantics description using goto and labels for the following with three different branches:
  - a. switch statement
  - b. nested if statement
- 20) Derive an operational semantics description using goto and labels for code fragment D.
- 21) What do the following in Python return?
  - a. `range(5)`
  - b. `range(30,20)`
  - c. `range(0,9,3)`
- 22) What are the issues in goto statements and state a suggested remedy in resolving such issues?
- 23) What are guarded commands?
- 24) Describe three specific programming situations that require a posttest loop.
- 25) Rewrite the pseudocode segment E using a loop structure in Python.

```
D. for (count1 = 0, count2 = 1.0;
    count1 <= 10 && count2 <= 100.0;
    sum = ++count1 + count2, count2 *= 2.5);
```

```
E. k = (j + 13) / 27
loop:
    if k > 10 then goto out
    k = k + 1
    i = 3 * k - 1
    goto loop
out: ...
```