

1. A computer program is a sequence of:
- A. ones and zeroes.
 - B. instructions and decisions.
 - C. primary and secondary storage.
 - D. processors and compilers.

Section	1.1 Computer Programs
Title	What is a computer program?
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2. Computers are machines that:

- A. are imprecise and slow.
- B. design computer programs.
- C. execute programs.
- D. carry out a very narrow range of tasks.

Section	1.1 Computer Programs
Title	What is a computer?
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3. Which of the following refers to a collection of programs that a computer executes?

- A. Compiler
- B. Software
- C. Instructions
- D. Source Code

Section	1.1 Computer Programs
Title	What term refers to a collection of programs?
type	mc
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section	1.1 Computer Programs
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4. Which of the follow statements is most correct?

- A. Computer programs are comprised of a large number of simple instructions.
- B. Computer programs are comprised of a large number of sophisticated instructions.
- C. Computer programs are comprised of a small number of simple instructions.
- D. Computer programs are comprised of a small number of sophisticated instructions.

Section	1.1 Computer Programs
Title	What are computer programs comprised of?
type	mc
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id	testbank-py-1-ch01-51

5. Which parts of the computer store program code?

- A. CPU
- B. Secondary storage
- C. Monitor
- D. Keyboard

Section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
Title	Which parts of the computer store program code?
type	mc

section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-04

6. Which of the following items is NOT considered hardware:

- A. a keyboard.
- B. a speaker.
- C. a program.
- D. a microphone.

Section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
Title	What is considered hardware
type	mc
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7. The Central Processing Unit is primarily responsible for:

- A. ensuring data persists when electrical power is turned off.
- B. enabling a human user to interact with the computer.
- C. interconnecting computers that are separated by distance.
- D. performing program control and data processing.

Section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
Title	What is a CPU?
type	mc
section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-06

8. Computers store both data and programs not currently running in:

- A. Primary storage.
- B. Central processing unit.
- C. Secondary storage.
- D. Transistors.

Section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
Title	Where are programs and data stored?
type	mc
section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
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9. Which of the following hardware devices is NOT considered an input device?

- A. Keyboard
- B. Monitor
- C. Mouse
- D. Microphone

Section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
Title	What is considered input hardware?
type	mc
section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-08

10. Which of the following hardware devices is NOT considered an output device?

- A. Speaker
- B. Monitor
- C. Printer
- D. Microphone

Section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
Title	What is considered output hardware?

type	mc
section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-09

11. When the computer begins to run a program,
- A. the program is moved from secondary storage to memory.
 - B. the program is moved from secondary storage to the network controller.
 - C. the program is moved from the CPU to memory.
 - D. the program is moved from the CPU to secondary storage.

Section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
Title	What happens when a program begins to run?
type	mc
from	testbank-py-1-ch01-10
section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
id	testbank-py-2-ch01-10

12. What part of the computer carries out arithmetic operations, such as addition, subtraction, multiplication and division?
- A. CPU
 - B. Network
 - C. Primary storage
 - D. Secondary storage

Section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
Title	What part of the computer performs arithmetic?
type	mc
from	testbank-py-1-ch01-11
section	1.2 The Anatomy of a Computer
id	testbank-py-2-ch01-11

13. In order to run Python programs, the computer needs to have software called a(n)?
- A. debugger
 - B. interpreter
 - C. windows
 - D. assembler

Section	1.3 The Python Programming Language
Title	Software needed to run Python on a computer?
type	mc
section	1.3 The Python Programming Language
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14. High-level programming languages were created to:
- A. Allow programmers to describe the solution to a problem one CPU instruction at a time
 - B. Make programming less error-prone and less tedious
 - C. Maximize the running time of programs
 - D. Translate CPU instructions into high-level instructions

Section	1.3 The Python Programming Language
Title	Why were high-level programming languages created?
type	mc
from	testbank-py-1-ch01-12
section	1.3 The Python Programming Language
id	testbank-py-2-ch01-12

15. What are two of the most important benefits of the Python language?
- A. Advanced mathematical equations and fast programs
 - B. Ease of use and fast programs

- C. Ease of use and portability
- D. Fast programs and smaller programs

Section	1.3 The Python Programming Language
Title	What are the benefits of Python?
type	mc
from	testbank-py-1-ch01-13
section	1.3 The Python Programming Language
id	testbank-py-2-ch01-13

16. Which of the following is **not** a benefit of the Python programming language compared to other popular programming languages like Java, C and C++?

- A. Python encourages experimentation and rapid turn around
- B. Python has a cleaner syntax
- C. Python is easier to use
- D. Python programs run more quickly

Section	1.3 The Python Programming Language
Title	What are the benefits of Python compared to other programming languages?
type	mc
section	1.3 The Python Programming Language
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-52

17. What is wrong with the following code snippet:

```
num1 = 10
num2 = 20
num3 = 30
total = Num1 + Num2 + Num3
```

- A. Nothing, the variable `total` will be the sum of the three numbers
- B. Python is case sensitive so `Num1`, `Num2`, and `Num3` are undefined
- C. `total` must be initialized to zero first
- D. The numbers should be `10.0`, `20.0` and `30.0`

Section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
Title	What is wrong with the following code snippet?
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18. What is the difference between an editor and an interpreter?

- A. An editor allows program files to be entered and modified; an interpreter reads and executes program files
- B. An editor allows program files to be entered and modified; an interpreter produces an indexed database of terms and keywords
- C. An editor allows program files to be entered and modified; an interpreter produces an organized list of files
- D. An editor converts program files into an executable program; an interpreter allows program files to be entered and modified

Section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
Title	What is the difference between an editor and a compiler?
type	mc
section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
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19. What reads Python programs and executes the program instructions?

- A. editor

- B. CPU
- C. compiler
- D. interpreter

Section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
Title	What is used to execute a Python program?
type	mc
section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
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20. What extension is used for Python files?

- A. .Python
- B. .py
- C. .dat
- D. .txt

Section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
Title	What extension is used for Python source files?
type	mc
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21. By entering the command `python3`, the program runs in which mode?

- A. interactive mode
- B. print mode
- C. command mode
- D. backup mode

Section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
Title	What mode is invoked when the user enters "python" at the command prompt?
type	mc
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22. The Python compiler reads the file containing your source code and converts it to:

- A. machine code
- B. assembly code
- C. byte code
- D. virtual machine code

Section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
Title	What type of code is created by the Python compiler?
type	mc
section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
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23. What is the correct sequence of steps invoked by the Python Interpreter:

- A. source code -> virtual machine -> byte code -> compiler
- B. source code -> compiler -> byte code -> virtual machine
- C. compiler -> source code -> virtual machine -> byte code
- D. byte code -> virtual machine -> source code -> compiler

Section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
Title	What is the role of the Interpreter?
type	mc
section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
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24. An integrated development environment bundles tools for programming into a unified application.

What kinds of tools are usually included?

- A. A web browser
- B. An editor and an interpreter
- C. Presentation tools
- D. Source files and bytecode files

Section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
Title	What kind of tools can be found in an integrated development environment?
type	mc
from	testbank-py-1-ch01-15
section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
id	testbank-py-2-ch01-15

25. A Python interpreter is:

- A. a folder hierarchy
- B. a piece of hardware
- C. a piece of software
- D. a type of secondary storage

Section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
Title	What is a Python virtual machine?
type	mc
from	testbank-py-1-ch01-47
section	1.4 Becoming Familiar with Your Programming Environment
id	testbank-py-2-ch01-47

26. A collection of programming instructions that carry out a particular task is called a:

- A. program
- B. compiler
- C. function
- D. comment

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	What is a collection of programming instructions called?
type	mc
section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-24

27. To use or call a function, you need to specify:

- A. the function name and its arguments
- B. the function name only
- C. the function name and at least one argument
- D. the function name and a comment describing its use

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	How do you call a function?
type	mc
section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-25

28. A sequence of characters enclosed in quotes is called:

- A. a string
- B. a list
- C. a function
- D. an argument

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	What is a sequence of characters enclosed in quotes called?
type	mc

section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-26

29. Which of the following is considered a **string** in Python?

- A. `Today is Wednesday`
- B. `"Today is Wednesday"`
- C. `# Today is Wednesday #`
- D. `Today_is_Wednesday`

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	What is a string in Python?
type	mc
section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-27

30. What is wrong with the following code snippet?

```
print("Hello")
    print("World!")
```

- A. The print function cannot be called twice
- B. The print function is missing an argument
- C. Nothing, the program prints `Hello World` on the same line
- D. The second line should not be indented

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	What is wrong with the code snippet?
type	mc
section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
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31. What is printed by the following code snippet?

```
print(25 + 84)
```

- A. `2584`
- B. `109`
- C. `25 + 84`
- D. Nothing, this code snippet causes a compile time error

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	What is printed by a given code snippet?
type	mc
section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-29

32. What is printed by the following code snippet?

```
print("The answer is", 25 + 84)
```

- A. `The answer is 2584`
- B. `The answer is 109`
- C. `The answer is 25 + 84`
- D. Nothing, this code snippet causes a compile time error

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	What is printed by a given code snippet?
type	mc
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33. What is printed by the following code snippet?

```
print("The answers are:", 4 + 3 * 2, 7 * 5 - 24)
```

- A. The answers are: 10 11
- B. The answers are: 14 11
- C. The answers are: 24 10
- D. Nothing, this code snippet causes a compile time error

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	What is printed by a given code snippet?
type	mc
section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-31

34. What is printed by the following code snippet?

```
print("25 + 84")
```

- A. 2584
- B. 109
- C. 25 + 84
- D. Nothing, this code snippet causes a compile time error

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	What is printed by a given code snippet?
type	mc
section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-32

35. What is printed by the following code snippet?

```
print>Hello)
```

- A. Nothing, an error is produced indicating that `Hello` is not defined
- B. `Hello`
- C. `'Hello'`
- D. `"Hello"`

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	What is printed by a given code snippet?
type	mc
section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-33

36. What is printed by the following code snippet?

```
print("Good", "Morning", "Class", "!")
```

- A. `GoodMorningClass!`
- B. `Good Morning Class!`
- C. `Good Morning Class !`
- D. nothing, this code produces a syntax error

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	What is printed by a given code snippet?
type	mc

section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-34

37. Which line in the following program is a comment line?

```
1: print("Your lucky number is...")
2: lucky = 7
3: # Display the lucky number
4: print(lucky)
```

- A. Line number 1
- B. Line number 2
- C. Line number 3
- D. Line number 4

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	What is the syntax for a comment line?
type	mc
from	testbank-py-1-ch01-22
section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
id	testbank-py-2-ch01-22

38. What is the purpose of a comment?

- A. A comment provides information to the virtual machine
- B. A comment provides information to the compiler
- C. A comment provides information to the programmer
- D. A comment provides information to the user running the program

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	What is the purpose of a comment?
type	mc
from	testbank-py-1-ch01-23
section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
id	testbank-py-2-ch01-23

39. Which of the following code segments will display **Hello World!** when it is run?

- A. `print("Hello ", " World!")`
- B. `print("Hello", "World!")`
- C. `print("Hello", "World", "!")`
- D. `print("Hello", ",", "World", "!")`

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	Which code segment displays the desired result?
type	mc
section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-53

40. When a function is called, the values placed in parentheses are referred to as:

- A. arguments
- B. keywords
- C. operators
- D. statements

Section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
Title	What are the parts of a function call?
type	mc
section	1.5 Analyzing Your First Program
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-54

41. What is another name for a compile-time error?

- A. Logic error
- B. Semantic error
- C. Syntax error
- D. Lexicographic error

Section	1.6 Errors
Title	What is another name for a compile-time error?
type	mc
section	1.6 Errors
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-35

42. Although the following code statement is valid, `print(10/0)`, what will happen when this code is executed?

- A. The program prints 0
- B. The error message `ZeroDivisionError: int division or modulo by zero` is displayed
- C. The program runs, but nothing is printed
- D. The error message `SyntaxError: EOL while scanning string literal`

Section	1.6 Errors
Title	What is another name for a compile-time error?
type	mc
section	1.6 Errors
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-36

43. The programmer, not the compiler, is responsible for testing a program to identify what?

- A. Undefined symbols
- B. Syntax errors
- C. Logic errors
- D. Out-of-memory errors

Section	1.6 Errors
Title	The programmer, not the compiler, is responsible for testing a program to identify?
type	mc
section	1.6 Errors
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-37

44. Which type of error is usually the most difficult to locate in your program?

- A. Indentation Error
- B. Logic Error
- C. Syntax Error
- D. Zero Division Error

Section	1.6 Errors
Title	Which type of error is most difficult to locate?
type	mc
section	1.6 Errors
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-55

45. What is it called when you describe the steps that are necessary for finding a solution to a problem in programming?

- A. algorithm
- B. compile
- C. interpret
- D. code

Section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
Title	What is it called when you describe the steps that are necessary for finding a solution to a problem in programming?

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46. The following pseudocode calculates the total purchase price for an item including sales tax, what is the missing last line?

Start by setting the total cost to zero.
Ask the user for the item cost.
Ask the user for the tax rate.
Set the item tax to item cost times tax rate.

- A. Set the total cost to the item cost plus the tax rate.
- B. Set the total cost to the item cost times the tax.
- C. Set the total cost to the item cost plus the tax.
- D. Set the total cost to the item tax.

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1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
What is the missing pseudocode?
mc
1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
testbank-py-1-ch01-39

47. What is the purpose of the following algorithm, written in pseudocode?

num = 0
Repeat the following steps 15 times
 Ask user for next number
 If userNum > num
 num = userNum
Print num

- A. To print out the 15 numbers
- B. To find the smallest among 15 numbers
- C. To search for a particular number among 15 numbers
- D. To find the highest among 15 numbers

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1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
What is the purpose of this algorithm?
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testbank-py-1-ch01-40

48. Which of the following is NOT an example of an algorithm?

- A. A recipe to make chocolate chip cookies
- B. A grocery list
- C. Instructions for changing a flat tire
- D. Steps required to calculate the amount of paint required to paint a room

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1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
Which of the following is NOT an example of an algorithm?

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id	testbank-py-1-ch01-41

49. Which of the following pseudocode statements represents a decision?

- A. For each number in a sequence...
- B. While the balance is > 0
- C. total cost = unit cost + tax
- D. if total cost > 15

Section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
Title	Which of the following pseudocode statements represents a decision statement?
type	mc
section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-42

50. A sequence of steps that is unambiguous, executable, and terminating is called:

- A. a logarithm
- B. a programming task
- C. an algorithm
- D. pseudocode

Section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
Title	What is a list of steps that are unambiguous, executable, and terminating called?
type	mc
section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
id	testbank-py-1-ch01-50

51. Which of the following pseudocode statements represents a repetition statement?

- A. if total cost > 15
- B. set i equal to 3
- C. total cost = unit cost + tax
- D. while the balance is > 0

Section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
Title	Which of the following pseudocode statements represents a repetition statement?
type	mc
from	testbank-py-1-ch01-43
section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
id	testbank-py-2-ch01-43

52. Which of the following statements is **NOT** correct?

- A. Pseudocode should be unambiguous.
- B. Pseudocode should be executable.
- C. Pseudocode should be properly formatted.
- D. Pseudocode should be terminating.

Section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
Title	Which of the following is NOT important when writing pseudocode?
type	mc
from	testbank-py-1-ch01-44
section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
id	testbank-py-2-ch01-44

53. Imagine that you are planning to buy a new cell phone. After doing some research, you have determined that there are two different cell phones that will meet your needs. These cell phones have different purchase prices and each mobile service provider charges a different rate for each minute that the cell phone is used. In order to determine which cell phone is the better buy, you need to develop an algorithm to calculate the total cost of purchasing and using each cell phone. Which of the following

options lists all the inputs needed for this algorithm?

- A. The cost of each cell phone and the rate per minute for each cell phone
- B. The cost of each cell phone and the number of minutes provided with each cell phone
- C. The cost of each cell phone, the rate per minute for each cell phone, and the number of minutes provided with each cell phone
- D. The cost of each cell phone, the rate per minute for each cell phone, and the number of minutes you would use the cell phone

Section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
Title	Which inputs do you need to calculate cost of purchasing/using cell phone?
type	mc
from	testbank-py-1-ch01-45
section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
id	testbank-py-2-ch01-45

54. Consider the following pseudocode. What does it produce?

Create a list of consecutive integers from two to n (2, 3, 4, ..., n).

Initially, let p equal 2.

Repeat the following steps until p is greater than n:

Remove all of the multiples of p less than or equal to n from the list.

If the list contains a number greater than p

Find the first number remaining in the list greater than p.

Replace p with this number.

Otherwise set p equal to n + 1

- A. All even numbers up to n
- B. All factorial numbers up to n
- C. All odd numbers up to n
- D. All prime numbers up to n

Section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
Title	Software needed to run Python on a computer?
type	mc
from	testbank-py-1-ch01-48
section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
id	testbank-py-2-ch01-48

55. Consider the following pseudocode. What does it produce?

Set a = 0

Set b = 0

Set c = 1

Set d = 1

Report the value of d

Repeat until a equals 10

Set d = b + c

Set b = c

Set c = d

Add 1 to a

Report the value of d

- A. 1 1 2 3 5 8 13 21 34 55 89
- B. 1 1 3 5 7 9 11 13 15 17 19 21
- C. 1 1 3 6 9 12 15 18 21 24 27 30
- D. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11

Section	1.7 Problem Solving: Algorithm Design
Title	What does this algorithm produce?
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