**PHP- Descriptive Question and answer:**

**Ch-1**

**Q1. Who is the developer of php and when it is fasts developed?**

Ans: Rasmus Lerdorf is the developer of php and it is fasts developed in 1995.

**Q2. What are the general language features of php?**

Ans: Practicality: It allows the user to build powerful applications even with a minimum of knowledge.

Power: It has the abily to interface with databases, manipulate from information, and create pages dynamically.

Possibility: It rarely bound to any single implementation solution.

Price: It is free of charge.

**Ch-2**

**Q3.What are the four configuration Directive scopes?**

Ans:PHP\_INI\_PERDIR, PHP\_INI\_USER, PHP\_INI\_SYSTEM, PHP\_INI\_ALL.

**Q4. What are the configurations files of php and apache?**

Ans:

PHP: php.ini.

Apache: apache.httpd.conf and .htaccess.

**Ch-3**

**Q5. Between echo () and print () functions which one is the faster and why?**

Ans. Echo () is faster because it returns nothing (value) where as print() returns value.

**Q6. Which functions is used to print the output in a variable?**

Ans. Sprint().

**Q7. What are type casting and juggling?**

Ans. Type casting: Converting values from one data type to another is known as type casting.

Juggling: Automatic conversion is known as type juggling.

**Q8. Which variable keeps its value after functions exits?**

Ans: Static variable keeps its value after functions exits because it does not lose its value when the function exits.

**Q9. What is constant? How can you declare a constant?**

A constant is a value that cannot be modified throughout the execution of a program.

Constant are declared by using the define () function.

**Q10.How for each loop works?**

Ans.

For each loop iterates until it gets value from the list. It is undefined how many times the loop will be iterated. This loop stripes each value from the array and moving the pointer closer to the end by each iteration.

**Q11. Which functions are used to add file in a script?**

Ans: The include () and require () functions are used to add a file to a script

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**Ans.** The general language features of php is given below:

* Practicality.
* Power
* Possibility
* Price

**2. Between echo() and print() functions which one is the faster and why?**

**Ans.** The echo() function is a tad faster than print() function, because it returns nothing, whereas print() will return 1 if the statement is successfully output.

**3. What is constant? How can you declare a constant.**

**Ans.** A constant is a value that cannot be modified throughout the execution of a program. Constants are particularly useful when working with values that definitely will not require modification, such as pi (3.141592).

**4. What is recursive function?**

**Ans.** Recursive functions that call themselves, offer considerable practical value to the programmer and are used to divide an otherwise complex problem into a simple case, reiterating that case until the problem is resolved.

**5. What are class and object?**

**Ans.** **Class:** a class describes all the attributes of objects, as well as the methods that implement the behavior of member of a class.

**Object:** an object is an entity that has attributes, behavior and identity. Objects are member of a class. Attributes and behavior of an object are defined by the class definition.

**6. What is property overloading?**

**Ans.** Property overloading continues to protect properties by forcing access and manipulation through public methods, yet allowing the data to be accessed as if it were public property.

**7. What are constructor and destructor?**

**Ans. Constructor:** a constructor is defined as a block of code that automatically executes at the time of object instantiation.

**Destructor:** we can use destructors to modify the object destruction process. Destructors are created like any other method but must be titled destruct.

**9. What is object cloning?**

**Ans.** Object cloning is the act making a copy of an object. As copy pointed out cloning in php is done by making a shallow copy of the object.

**10. What are the abstract classes?**

**Ans.** Abstract classes are the class where one or more methods are abstract but not necessarily all method has to be abstract. Abstract methods are the methods, which are declare in its class but not define. The definition of methods must be in its extending class.

**11. What are the interfaces?**

**Ans.** Interface is one type of class where all the methods are abstract. That means all the methods only declared but no defined. All the methods must be defined by its implemented class.

**12. Define exception?**

**Ans.** Exception handling is used to change the normal flow of the code execution if a specified error condition occurs. This condition is called an exception. Basically there are four important keywords which form the main pillars of exception handling: try, catch, and throw and finally.

**13. What is regular expression?**

**Ans.** Regular expressions provide the foundation for describing or matching data according to defined syntax rules. A regular expression is nothing more than a pattern of characters itself, matched against a certain parcel of text.

The syntax of regular expression is:

Variable\_name.method\_name (/searching\_word/modifiers,”parsed\_value”);

**15. What is the functionality of the function strstr and stristr?**

**Ans.** **Strstr():** The strstr() function returns the remainder of a string beginning with the first occurrence of a predefined string.

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**16. Why substr() is used?**

**Ans.** The substr() function returns the part of a string located between a predefined starting offset and length positions. Its prototype: string substr(string str, int start [in length]).

example:

**17. Why explode() is used?**

**Ans.** The explode() function splits a string into a series of substrings, with each string boundary determined by a specific separator. Its prototype: explode (string separator, string [int limit]).

**18. Difference between array\_merge() and array\_slice()?**

**Ans.** The array\_merge() function merges one or more arrays into one array. This function returns one array with the elements of all the parameters array.

The array\_slice() function returns selected parts of an array. The array\_slice() function returns part of an array as specified by the start and length parameters. If start is a positive number, it means that the “slice” will start that many elements from the beginning of the array.

**19. What are the advantages of object-oriented programming?**

Ans. a) simplicity, b) modifiability c) re-usability d) extensibility e)catch errors at compile time rather than at runtime f)reduce large problems to smaller.

**20. What are the four configuration directive scopes?**

Ans. PHP\_INI\_PERDIR: directive can be modified within the php.ini, httpd.conf, or .htaccess files.

PHP\_INI\_SYSTEM: directive can be modified within the php.ini and httpd.conf.

PHP\_INI\_USER: directive can be modified within user scripts.

PHP\_INI\_ALL: directive can be modified anywhere.

**23. How many ways you can read a file?**

**Ans:** We can read a file using the following mode and Methods:-Methods- file() n

file\_get\_contents(), fgetcsv(), fgets(), fgetss(), fgetc(),fread(), readfile(), fscanf(). Mode- R, r+

, w+, a+, x+

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**26. What are the five property scopes?**

**Ans:-** PHP support five property scopes are:

1. Public
2. Private
3. Protected
4. Final
5. static

**27. What type of inheritance that PHP supports?**

**Ans:-**Class inheritance is PHP is accomplished by using the extends keyword. Inheritance and

Constructors is A parent class offers a constructor, it dose execute when the child class Instantiated.

**28. What are the abstract class and interface?**

**Ans:-** **Abstract :** Abstract classes are the class where one or more methods are abstract but not necessarily all method has to be abstract. Abstract methods are the methods, which are declare in its class but not define. The definition of methods must be in its extending class.

**Interface**: Interface is one type of class where all the methods are abstract. That means all the methods only declared but no defined. All the methods must be defined by its implemented class

**29. Different between get and post method?**

**Ans:-**Get Method have some limit like only 2kb data able to send for request but in POST

method unlimited data can we send.

Where we use GET method requested data show in url but not POST method so POST

method is secure for sending sensitive data.

**30. Difference between strops() and strrpos()?**

Ans: The stropos() function returns the position of the first occurrence of a string inside another string. If the string is not found, this function return false.

The strrpos() function finds the position of the last occurrence of a string inside another string.

**31. What is the difference between print and printf?**

Ans: The difference of print and printf are as the print statement is used output data passed to it, but the printf statement is used to output a blend of statement and dynamic information stored within one or several variable.

**32. What is super global variable? Write name of some superglobal variable?**

Ans: Supper global variables are predefined variable in PHP. These are accessible from anywhere. Name of some super global variable

HTTP-HOST, HTTP-ACCEPT, \_GET, \_POST

**33. What are the three object-oriented features?**

**Ans:-** The object oriented features are:

1. Encapsulation
2. Inheritance
3. Polymorphism

* **What are the functions used for file upload?**

**Ans:** PHP’s built-in file-upload functions: is\_uploaded\_file() and move\_uploaded\_file()

* **What is DNS?**

**Ans:** The Domain Name System (DNS) is what allows us to use domain names (e.g., *example.com*) in place of the corresponding IP address. The domain names and their complementary IP addresses are stored on domain name servers.

* **Mention five Internet services?**

**Ans:** There are five internet services like below:

Five internet services are HTTP, FTP, POP3, IMAP, and SSH. Each service commonly operates on a particular communications port.

* **Explain the parameters of PHP’s mail function.**

**Ans:** The prototype of mail function is:

boolean mail(string *to*, string *subject*, string *message* [, string *addl\_headers*[, string *addl\_params*]])

to- receiver email address

subject – message subject

message – message body

optional parameters contains header information

mail("test@example.com", "This is a subject", "This is the mail body", "From:admin@example.com\r\n");

* **Why HTTP is called stateless protocol?**

**Ans:** PHP is called *stateless* protocol, meaning that each request is processed without any knowledge of prior or future requests.

* **How many ways session handling can be done?**

**Ans:** Session handling can be done with two ways:

a. Cookies: When a user visits a web site, the server stores information about the user in a cookie and sends it to the browser, which saves it.

b. URL rewriting: SID is propagates automatically whenever the user clicks any local link.

* **What are the differences between primary key and unique?**

**Ans:**

i. Each record of the table is identified by Primary key whereas unique key can’t.

ii. Primary key doesn’t support null value but unique key support repeatable null value.

**Ch-15**

**Q1. Which form attribute is used for file upload?**

Ans: We use enctype form attribute for file upload.

**Q2. Which is the directive determine the maximum size of the uploaded file?**

Ans: upload\_max\_filesize.

**Q3. What are the five items of the $\_FILES Array?**

Ans:$\_FILES['userfile']['error'],

$\_FILES['userfile']['name'],

$\_FILES['userfile']['size'],

$\_FILES['userfile']['tmp\_name'],

$\_FILES['userfile']['type'].

**Q4. What are the functions used for file upload?**

Ans: PHP offers two functions specifically intended to aid in the file-upload process, is\_uploaded\_file() and move\_uploaded\_file().

**Q5. What does define by UPLOAD\_ERR\_INI\_SIZE and UPLOAD\_ERR\_FORM\_SIZE error message?**

Ans: UPLOAD\_ERR\_INI\_SIZE: A value of 1 is returned if there is an attempt to upload a file whose size exceeds the value specified by the upload\_max\_filesize directive.

UPLOAD\_ERR\_FORM\_SIZE: A value of 2 is returned if there is an attempt to upload a file whose size exceeds the value of the max\_file\_size directive, which can be embedded into the HTML form.

**Ch-16**

**Q1. What is DNS?**

Ans: The Domain Name System.

**Q2. Mention five Internet services?**

Ans. HTTP, FTP, POP3, IMAP, and SSH, SMTP

**Q3. Explain the parameters of PHP’s mail function.**

Ans. Function-boolean mail(string *to*, string *subject*, string *message* [, string *addl\_headers* [, string *addl\_params*]])

The mail() function can send an e-mail with a subject and a message to one or several recipients. We can tailor many of the e-mail properties using the addl\_headers parameter; you can even modify our SMTP server’s behavior by passing extra flags via the addl\_params parameter.

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Basically need three parameters like that,

String to = website name

String subject = message subject

String message = message body

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Ans: There are two ways session handling can be done

* Cookies
* URL rewriting

**CH-16**

**1. Explain the parameters of PHP’s mail function.**

**Answer:**

The PHP mail () function is used to send emails from inside a script.

**Prototype:**

boolean mail(string to, string subject, string message [, string addl\_headers [, string addl\_params]])

Example:<?php

mail("client@example.com","This is a subject","This is the mail

body","from:admin@example.com\r\n"); ?>

**2. What is query caching?**

**Answer:** Query caching, available with the version 4.0.1 release, greatly improves the performace of selection queries by storing query results in memory and retrieving those results directly, rather than repeatedly querying the database for the same result set.

**3. How does the session data store in computer?**

**Answer:** Session data can be stored in four ways:

1. Within flat failes (files),

2. Within volatile memory (mm),

3. Using the SQLite database (sqlite), or

4. Through user-defined functions (user).

**4. Name five internet services that commonly operates on a particular communications port.**

**Answer:** 1. HTTP - Hyper Text Transfer Protocol

2. FTP - File Transfer Protocol

3. POP3 - Post Office Protocol

4. IMAP - Internet Message Access Protocol

5. SSH - Secure Shell

**5. What do you mean by directory service.**

**Answer:** Directory Service: It offers system administrators, developers, and end users alike a consistent, efficient, and secure means for viewing and managing resources such as people, fles, printers, and applications.

**6. What do you mean by web service?**

**Answer:**

Web service: Web services are typically application programming interfaces (APIs) or web APIs that are accessed via Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP) and executed on a remote system hosting the requested services.

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**Answer: RSS** ( *Really Simple Syndication*) is a family of web feed formats used to publish frequently

updated works—such as blog entries, news headlines, audio, and video—in a standardized format: XML.

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**33. What are the PHP's authentication variables? -**

**Answer:** PHP uses two(2) predefined variables to authenticate a user: 1.$SERVER['PHP\_AUTH\_USER'] 2. $SERVER['PHP\_AUTH\_USER']. These variables store the username and password value. Both variables must be varified at the start of every restricted page.

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**Answer:** We can write into a file using the following mode and Methods: Methods- fwrite() with fopen, file\_put\_contants(). Mode- r+, W, w+, A, a+, X, x+

**#. Difference between get and post method?.**

**Answer:** GET Method: get method is used for submitting small amount of data. Data shows in the URL, so it is not secure.

POST Method: post method is used for submitting small amount of data. Data does not

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**Answer:** 1. SMTP=string, Scope:PHP\_INI\_ALL 2. sendmail\_from=stirng, Scope:PHP\_INI\_ALL 3. sendmail\_path=string, Scope:PHP\_INI\_SYSTEM 4. smtp\_port=integer, Scope:PHP\_INI\_ALL 5. mail.force\_extra\_parameters=string, Scope:PHP\_INI\_SYSTEM

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Example:

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?>

**#.How do you retrive internet service port number in php?**

**Answer:** The getservbyname() function returns the port number of a specified service.

Prototype:

int getservbyname(string service, string protocol)

Example:

<?php echo "HTTP's default port number is: ".getservbyname("http","tcp");

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**#.How do you encrypt data in php hash function? Use md5() function.**

**Answer:** The md5() function uses MD5, a third-pary hash algorithm often used for creating digital signatures. HD5 is considered to be a one-way hashing algorithm, which means there is no practical way to dehash data that has been hashed using md5().

Prototype: string md5(string str)

Example: <?php

$val="secret"; $hash\_val=md5($val); echo $hash\_val; ?>

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