

Each question is worth 1 pt unless noted otherwise. Total points = 20. This quiz is **OPEN** book and notes. Please do not use your computer. Choose the best answer.

1. Which of the following statements will **always return 0 rows** no matter what data is stored in the employees table?

- A.

```
SELECT employee_id, UPPER(last_name)
FROM employees
WHERE INITCAP(last_name) = 'Higgins';
```
- B.

```
SELECT employee_id, UPPER(last_name)
FROM employees
WHERE INITCAP(last_name) = 'HIggins';
```
- C.

```
SELECT employee_id, UPPER(last_name)
FROM employees
WHERE UPPER (last_name) = 'HIGGINS';
```
- D.

```
SELECT employee_id, UPPER(last_name)
FROM employees
WHERE last_name = 'Higgins';
```

2. Evaluate the following SELECT statement:

```
Select ROUND(35.937, 2)
FROM dual;
```

What value is returned?

- A. 36
- B. 35.9
- C. 35.94
- D. 35.937

3. Which of the following SQL statements is valid?

- A.

```
SELECT department_name FROM departments WHERE manager_id = NULL;
```
- B.

```
SELECT department_name FROM departments WHERE manager_id IS NULL;
```

- C. `SELECT department_name FROM departments WHERE manager_id = 'NULL';`
- D. `SELECT department_name FROM departments WHERE manager_id = "NULL";`
4. Assume that table BOOKS contains a column called PUBDATE that contains the published date. Which of the following SQL statements will return all books published after March 20, 1998?
- A. `SELECT * FROM books WHERE pubdate > 03-20-1998;`
- B. `SELECT * FROM books WHERE pubdate > '03-20-1998';`
- C. `SELECT * FROM books WHERE pubdate > '20-MAR-98';`
- D. `SELECT * FROM books WHERE pubdate > 'MAR-20-98';`
5. Which of the following characters or symbols is used to represent exactly one character during a pattern search?
- A. C
- B. ?
- C. _
- D. %
- E. none of the above
6. The department_id column is in both the EMPLOYEES table and the DEPARTMENTS table. Choose an appropriate join condition to add to this SELECT statement.
- ```
SELECT e.last_name, e.department_id, d.location_id
FROM employees e JOIN departments d
```
- A. `ON (e.department_id = d.department_id);`
- B. `ON (d.department_id = d.department_id);`
- C. `ON (e.department_name = d.department_id);`
- D. `ON (e.employee_id = d.department_id);`
7. Which statement will return all employees, even if they have not been assigned a department id yet?
- A. `SELECT e.last_name, d.department_id
FROM employees e SUPER JOIN departments d
ON (e.department_id = d.department_id);`

- B. `SELECT e.last_name, d.department_id  
FROM employees e RIGHT OUTER JOIN departments d  
ON (e.department_id = d.department_id);`
- C. `SELECT e.last_name, d.department_id  
FROM employees e LEFT OUTER JOIN departments d  
ON (e.department_id = d.department_id);`
- D. `SELECT e.last_name, d.department_id  
FROM employees e EQUIJOIN departments d  
ON (e.department_id = d.department_id);`

8. How many join conditions are needed if joining 3 tables?

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

9. If the PRODUCTS table contains seven records and the INVENTORY table has eight records, how many records would the following query produce?

`SELECT * from products CROSS JOIN inventory;`

(Hint: This produces a Cartesian product)

- A. 0
- B. 8
- C. 7
- D. 15
- E. 56

10. Evaluate the following statement:

```
SELECT last_name, salary,
 CASE job_id WHEN 'IT_PROG' THEN 1.10 * salary
 WHEN 'SA_REP' THEN 1.15 * salary
 ELSE salary END "Revised Salary"
FROM employees;
```

What column headings are displayed when this statement is run?

- A. LAST\_NAME    salary
- B. LAST\_NAME    SALARY
- C. LAST\_NAME    SALARY    REVISED\_SALARY
- D. LAST\_NAME    SALARY    Revised Salary

11. Refer to the SELECT statement in question 10. What is the Revised Salary for all IT Programmers (IT\_PROG)?
- A. Their salary
  - B. Their salary \* 1.10
  - C. Their salary \* 1.15
  - D. Unknown
12. Refer to the SELECT statement in question 10. What is the Revised Salary for all Stock Managers (ST\_MAN)?
- A. Their salary
  - B. Their salary \* 1.10
  - C. Their salary \* 1.15
  - D. Unknown
13. Which statement will display employee ids, last name and their manager id. If an employee does not have a manager, display "No manager".
- A. 

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name,
 manager_id
from employees;
```
  - B. 

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name,
 (TO_CHAR(manager_id), 'No Manager')
from employees;
```
  - C. 

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name,
 NVL(manager_id, 'No Manager')
from employees;
```
  - D. 

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name,
 NVL(TO_CHAR(manager_id), 'No Manager')
from employees;
```

14. Which statement will return all employees whose last name ends in a "t"?

- A. 

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name
WHERE last_name LIKE '%t'
FROM employees;
```
- B. 

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name
FROM employees
WHERE last_name LIKE '_t';
```
- C. 

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name
FROM employees
WHERE last_name LIKE '%t';
```
- D. 

```
SELECT employee_id, last_name
FROM employees
WHERE last_name IN '%t';
```

15. Evaluate the following SELECT clause. What is the order that the functions will be evaluated by the Oracle Server?

```
SELECT employee_id, NVL(TO_CHAR(commission_pct), 'No commision')
```

- A. Unknown
- B. Evaluates the NVL function first and then the TO\_CHAR function
- C. Evaluates the TO\_CHAR function first and then the NVL function
- D. Evaluates the NVL and TO\_CHAR functions at the same time

16. Write a SELECT statement to display the system date. Name the column TODAY.  
(2 pts)

17. Write a SELECT statement to display the *department\_name* from the DEPARTMENTS table and the *city* from the LOCATIONS table. These two tables share a common column called *location\_id*. (3 pts)