

# Android MCQs

## Topic : Services

Certainly! Here are some multiple-choice questions (MCQs) related to the topic of services in Android:

1. What is an Android service?
  - a. A type of Android app
  - b. A standalone Android application
  - c. A component that performs background tasks
  - d. A user interface element

**\*\*Answer: c. A component that performs background tasks\*\***

2. Which of the following is NOT a type of Android service?
  - a. Foreground service
  - b. Background service
  - c. Intent service
  - d. Broadcast service

**\*\*Answer: d. Broadcast service\*\***

3. What is the primary purpose of a foreground service in Android?
  - a. To run tasks in the background indefinitely
  - b. To display a persistent notification to the user
  - c. To perform tasks only when the app is in the foreground

d. To handle broadcast messages

**\*\*Answer: b. To display a persistent notification to the user\*\***

4. Which method is used to start a service in Android?

- a. ``startActivity()``
- b. ``startService()``
- c. ``createService()``
- d. ``launchService()``

**\*\*Answer: b. ``startService()``\*\***

5. What is the recommended way to communicate between an Android service and an activity?

- a. Using global variables
- b. Using inter-process communication (IPC)
- c. Using explicit intents
- d. Using a bound service with a messenger

**\*\*Answer: d. Using a bound service with a messenger\*\***

6. Which method is called when a service is no longer needed and can be stopped?

- a. ``onCreate()``
- b. ``onStart()``
- c. ``onDestroy()``
- d. ``onStop()``

**\*\*Answer: c. ``onDestroy()``\*\***

7. What does the ``START_STICKY`` return value in ``onStartCommand()`` of a service indicate?

- a. The service should be stopped immediately.
- b. The service should be restarted if it's killed by the system.
- c. The service should run only when the app is in the foreground.
- d. The service should be bound to the calling component.

**\*\*Answer: b. The service should be restarted if it's killed by the system.\*\***

8. Which XML element in the AndroidManifest.xml file is used to declare a service?

- a. `<service>`
- b. `<activity>`
- c. `<component>`
- d. `<application>`

**\*\*Answer: a. `<service>`\*\***

9. What is the primary use of an IntentService in Android?

- a. To perform long-running operations on the main thread
- b. To perform background tasks on a separate worker thread
- c. To handle incoming phone calls and SMS messages
- d. To manage the application's user interface

**\*\*Answer: b. To perform background tasks on a separate worker thread\*\***

10. When should you use a foreground service over a background service?

- a. When the task is not critical
- b. When the task should continue running even if the app is not in the foreground
- c. When the task involves complex calculations
- d. When the task is short and can be completed quickly

**\*\*Answer: b. When the task should continue running even if the app is not in the foreground\*\***

Certainly! Here are some additional multiple-choice questions (MCQs) related to the topic of services in Android:

11. Which lifecycle method of a service is called when it is first created?

- a. ``onStartCommand()``
- b. ``onCreate()``
- c. ``onStart()``
- d. ``onBind()``

**\*\*Answer: b. ``onCreate()``\*\***

12. How can you stop a foreground service in Android?

- a. Use the ``stopForegroundService()`` method.
- b. Call the service's ``onStop()`` method.
- c. Unbind the service from the calling component.
- d. There is no way to stop a foreground service.

**\*\*Answer: a. Use the ``stopForegroundService()`` method.\*\***

13. Which service type is suitable for tasks that need to be completed even if the app is killed by the system due to memory constraints?

- a. Intent service
- b. Foreground service
- c. Bound service

d. Background service

**\*\*Answer: b. Foreground service\*\***

14. In Android, how can you communicate between different components within the same app using a service?

- a. Use the `startService()` method with explicit intents.
- b. Use the `bindService()` method and a messenger.
- c. Use a content provider.
- d. Use inter-process communication (IPC).

**\*\*Answer: b. Use the `bindService()` method and a messenger.\*\***

15. What is the primary difference between a started service and a bound service in Android?

- a. Started services can be bound to multiple components, while bound services can only be started once.
- b. Bound services are always run in the foreground, while started services run in the background.
- c. Started services are used for long-running background tasks, while bound services are used for short tasks.
- d. Bound services allow communication between components, while started services do not.

**\*\*Answer: d. Bound services allow communication between components, while started services do not.\*\***

16. Which method should be used to perform cleanup tasks and release resources when a service is no longer needed?

- a. ``onCreate()``
- b. ``onStartCommand()``
- c. ``onDestroy()``
- d. ``onStop()``

**\*\*Answer: c. ``onDestroy()``\*\***

17. What is the purpose of the ``onBind()`` method in a bound service?

- a. It is used to start the service.
- b. It is used to bind the service to a client component.
- c. It is used to create a new instance of the service.
- d. It is used to stop the service.

**\*\*Answer: b. It is used to bind the service to a client component.\*\***

18. Which service type is suitable for handling background tasks that are triggered by incoming broadcast intents?

- a. Intent service
- b. Foreground service
- c. Bound service
- d. Background service

**\*\*Answer: a. Intent service\*\***

19. In Android, how can you check if a service is running?

- a. Use the ``isServiceRunning()`` method.
- b. Query the service status using the ``ActivityManager``.

- c. Check the service's notification status.
- d. Use the `getServiceStatus()` method.

**\*\*Answer: b. Query the service status using the `ActivityManager`.\*\***

20. Which Android component is NOT associated with a service?

- a. Activity
- b. BroadcastReceiver
- c. ContentProvider
- d. Fragment

**\*\*Answer: d. Fragment\*\***

Certainly! Here are 50 multiple-choice questions (MCQs) related to List and RecyclerView in Android, including Custom ListView, Custom GridView, RecyclerView, and CardView:

**\*\*Custom ListView:\*\***

1. What is the primary advantage of using a Custom ListView in Android?

- a. Custom ListViews provide better performance than regular ListViews.
- b. Custom ListViews allow you to display complex layouts in list items.
- c. Custom ListViews are easier to implement than regular ListViews.
- d. Custom ListViews are a built-in Android component.

**\*\*Answer: b. Custom ListViews allow you to display complex layouts in list items.\*\***

2. Which adapter is commonly used with a Custom ListView to bind data to the list items?

- a. RecyclerViewAdapter
- b. ListViewAdapter
- c. ArrayAdapter
- d. CustomAdapter

**\*\*Answer: c. ArrayAdapter\*\***

**\*\*Custom GridView:\*\***

3. What is the main difference between a GridView and a RecyclerView in Android?

- a. RecyclerView is more suitable for grid layouts.
- b. RecyclerView provides better performance and flexibility.
- c. GridView is only used for simple layouts.
- d. RecyclerView cannot display images.

**\*\*Answer: b. RecyclerView provides better performance and flexibility.\*\***

4. In a Custom GridView, how can you specify the number of columns to be displayed?

- a. Use the `setNumColumns()` method.
- b. Specify it in the XML layout file.
- c. Use the `android:numColumns` attribute in the GridView element.
- d. It is not possible to change the number of columns in a GridView.



**\*\*Answer: c. Use the `android:numColumns` attribute in the GridView element.\*\***

### **\*\*RecyclerView:\*\***

5. Which layout manager is responsible for arranging items in a RecyclerView in a linear, vertical order?

- a. GridLayout
- b. LinearLayoutManager
- c. StaggeredGridLayoutManager
- d. FlexboxLayoutManager

**\*\*Answer: b. LinearLayoutManager\*\***

6. What is the purpose of the RecyclerView.Adapter class in Android?

- a. It defines the data model for the RecyclerView.
- b. It defines the layout for each item in the RecyclerView.
- c. It provides the data and binds it to the views in the RecyclerView.
- d. It handles user interactions with the RecyclerView.

**\*\*Answer: c. It provides the data and binds it to the views in the RecyclerView.\*\***

7. What is the advantage of using a RecyclerView over a ListView in Android?

- a. RecyclerViews are simpler to implement.
- b. RecyclerViews have built-in animations.

- c. RecyclerViews provide better performance and recycling of views.
- d. RecyclerViews can only display lists, not grids.

**\*\*Answer: c. RecyclerViews provide better performance and recycling of views.\*\***

8. Which method should you override in a RecyclerView.Adapter to create and return a ViewHolder object?

- a. `onCreateViewHolder()`
- b. `onBindViewHolder()`
- c. `getItemCount()`
- d. `getItemViewType()`

**\*\*Answer: a. `onCreateViewHolder()`\*\***

**\*\*CardView:\*\***

9. What is a CardView in Android?

- a. A layout element for displaying images.
- b. A view that displays a list of cards.
- c. A widget used to display structured content with shadows and rounded corners.
- d. A container for organizing child views in a grid.

**\*\*Answer: c. A widget used to display structured content with shadows and rounded corners.\*\***

10. How can you add a CardView to your Android layout?

- a. Use the `<card>` element in XML.
- b. Use the `<view>` element in XML.
- c. Use the `<androidx.cardview.widget.CardView>` element in XML.
- d. Use the `<layout>` element in XML.

**\*\*Answer: c. Use the `<androidx.cardview.widget.CardView>` element in XML.\*\***

11. What is the purpose of the `cardElevation` attribute in a CardView?

- a. It sets the background color of the card.
- b. It specifies the elevation (shadow) of the card.
- c. It defines the layout of the card's content.
- d. It determines the card's width and height.

**\*\*Answer: b. It specifies the elevation (shadow) of the card.\*\***

12. Which Android library provides the CardView widget?

- a. Android UI Widgets Library
- b. Android Jetpack Library
- c. Android Design Support Library
- d. Android CardView Library

**\*\*Answer: c. Android Design Support Library\*\***

Certainly, here are more multiple-choice questions (MCQs) related to List and RecyclerView in Android:

### **\*\*Custom ListView:\*\***

13. In a Custom ListView, what is the purpose of the `getView()` method in the adapter?

- a. It creates a new view for each item in the list.
- b. It inflates the XML layout for each item.
- c. It binds data to a recycled or newly created view.
- d. It sets the height and width of each list item.

**\*\*Answer: c. It binds data to a recycled or newly created view.\*\***

14. How can you implement click events for items in a Custom ListView?

- a. Set an `OnClickListener` on the ListView itself.
- b. Set an `OnItemClickListener` on the ListView.
- c. Use a `View.OnClickListener` for each list item view.
- d. Create a custom listener interface.

**\*\*Answer: b. Set an `OnItemClickListener` on the ListView.\*\***

### **\*\*Custom GridView:\*\***

15. What is the purpose of the `GridView` element in XML layout files?

- a. To create a custom grid layout.
- b. To specify the number of columns in a GridView.
- c. To add images to a grid.
- d. To display a list of items in a grid format.

**\*\*Answer: d. To display a list of items in a grid format.\*\***

16. Which method in the `GridView` class is used to set an adapter for the GridView?

- a. `setAdapter()`
- b. `setGridAdapter()`
- c. `bindAdapter()`
- d. `attachAdapter()`

**\*\*Answer: a. `setAdapter()`\*\***

**\*\*RecyclerView:\*\***

17. What is the purpose of the `notifyDataSetChanged()` method in a RecyclerView.Adapter?

- a. It notifies the RecyclerView to rebind all its views.
- b. It refreshes the data source linked to the RecyclerView.
- c. It animates the removal of items from the RecyclerView.
- d. It updates the RecyclerView's layout manager.

**\*\*Answer: b. It refreshes the data source linked to the RecyclerView.\*\***

18. Which layout manager is used to create a staggered grid layout in a RecyclerView?

- a. LinearLayoutManager
- b. GridLayout

- c. StaggeredGridLayoutManager
- d. FlexboxLayoutManager

**\*\*Answer: c. StaggeredGridLayoutManager\*\***

19. What is the purpose of the `ItemDecoration` in a RecyclerView?

- a. To specify the layout for each item in the RecyclerView.
- b. To add spacing and decorations between items in the RecyclerView.
- c. To set the number of columns in a grid layout.
- d. To handle item click events.

**\*\*Answer: b. To add spacing and decorations between items in the RecyclerView.\*\***

20. In a RecyclerView, how can you implement different view types for different items?

- a. By using a different adapter for each view type.
- b. By setting the `viewType` attribute in the XML layout.
- c. By overriding the `getItemViewType()` method in the adapter.
- d. By creating a custom layout manager.

**\*\*Answer: c. By overriding the `getItemViewType()` method in the adapter.\*\***

**\*\*CardView:\*\***

21. What is the primary purpose of using CardView in a RecyclerView?

- a. To display images in a grid layout.
- b. To provide a shadow and rounded corners for each item.
- c. To define the data model for the RecyclerView.
- d. To create a custom layout manager.

**\*\*Answer: b. To provide a shadow and rounded corners for each item.\*\***

22. How can you customize the appearance of a CardView in Android?

- a. By directly modifying the CardView's layout XML file.
- b. By subclassing the CardView class and overriding its methods.
- c. By using a separate XML layout for the CardView's content.
- d. By changing the cardElevation attribute in XML.

**\*\*Answer: a. By directly modifying the CardView's layout XML file.\*\***

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**\*\*Custom ListView:\*\***

23. Which method is used to set a custom adapter for a ListView in Android?

- a. `setListAdapter()`
- b. `setCustomAdapter()`
- c. `setAdapter()`
- d. `bindAdapter()`

**\*\*Answer: c. `setAdapter()`\*\***

24. In a Custom ListView, what is the purpose of the `getItem()` method in the adapter?

- a. It returns the number of items in the list.
- b. It retrieves the data item associated with a specific position.
- c. It creates a new view for each item.
- d. It binds data to a recycled or newly created view.

**\*\*Answer: b. It retrieves the data item associated with a specific position.\*\***

**\*\*Custom GridView:\*\***

25. What is the purpose of the `onItemClickListener` property in a GridView?

- a. It defines the layout for each item in the grid.
- b. It specifies the number of columns in the GridView.
- c. It handles click events on grid items.
- d. It sets the elevation of the grid.

**\*\*Answer: c. It handles click events on grid items.\*\***

26. In a Custom GridView, what is the role of the `getView()` method in the adapter?

- a. It creates a new view for each item in the grid.
- b. It retrieves the data item associated with a specific position.
- c. It defines the layout for each item in the grid.
- d. It sets the number of columns in the GridView.



**\*\*Answer: a. It creates a new view for each item in the grid.\*\***

**\*\*RecyclerView:\*\***

27. Which method is used to set a layout manager for a RecyclerView in Android?

- a. `setLayoutManager()`
- b. `setLayout()`
- c. `setRecyclerViewManager()`
- d. `setGridManager()`

**\*\*Answer: a. `setLayoutManager()`\*\***

28. In a RecyclerView, what is the purpose of the `onBindViewHolder()` method in the adapter?

- a. It creates a new view for each item in the list.
- b. It retrieves the data item associated with a specific position.
- c. It binds data to a recycled or newly created view holder.
- d. It sets the number of columns in the RecyclerView.

**\*\*Answer: c. It binds data to a recycled or newly created view holder.\*\***

**\*\*CardView:\*\***

29. What is the primary purpose of using a CardView within a RecyclerView?

- a. To display a list of items with dividers.
- b. To provide a card-like layout with shadows and rounded corners.

- c. To create a grid layout with custom spacing.
- d. To handle item click events.

**\*\*Answer: b. To provide a card-like layout with shadows and rounded corners.\*\***

30. How can you customize the background color of a CardView?

- a. By modifying the ``cardBackgroundColor`` attribute.
- b. By setting a custom background image.
- c. By using a ``CardColor`` class.
- d. By overriding the ``setCardBackgroundColor()`` method.

**\*\*Answer: a. By modifying the ``cardBackgroundColor`` attribute.\*\***

31. In a CardView, what does the term "cardElevation" refer to?

- a. The width of the card.
- b. The number of columns in the card.
- c. The shadow depth of the card.
- d. The corner radius of the card.

**\*\*Answer: c. The shadow depth of the card.\*\***

32. Which Android library provides the CardView widget?

- a. Android UI Widgets Library
- b. Android Jetpack Library
- c. Android Design Support Library
- d. Android CardView Library

**\*\*Answer: c. Android Design Support Library\*\***

Certainly, here are more multiple-choice questions (MCQs) related to List and RecyclerView in Android:

**\*\*Custom ListView:\*\***

33. What is the purpose of the `ListView` widget in Android?

- a. To display a single item in a list.
- b. To display multiple items in a horizontal grid.
- c. To display a scrollable list of items.
- d. To display a tabular layout.

**\*\*Answer: c. To display a scrollable list of items.\*\***

34. Which layout manager is commonly used with a ListView in Android?

- a. LinearLayoutManager
- b. GridLayout
- c. ListLayoutManager
- d. None of the above

**\*\*Answer: d. None of the above (ListView does not use layout managers like RecyclerView).\*\***

**\*\*Custom GridView:\*\***

35. How do you specify the number of columns in a GridView in XML?

- a. Use the `android:numColumns` attribute.
- b. Use the `android:layout\_columns` attribute.
- c. Use the `android:gridColumns` attribute.
- d. Use the `android:columns` attribute.

**\*\*Answer: a. Use the `android:numColumns` attribute.\*\***

36. Which adapter is commonly used with a GridView in Android to bind data to the grid items?

- a. GridViewAdapter
- b. ArrayAdapter
- c. RecyclerViewAdapter
- d. None of the above

**\*\*Answer: b. ArrayAdapter\*\***

**\*\*RecyclerView:\*\***

37. What is the purpose of the `ItemAnimator` in a RecyclerView?

- a. To set the layout of each item.
- b. To provide animations for item changes in the RecyclerView.
- c. To control the elevation of the items.
- d. To set the background color of the RecyclerView.

**\*\*Answer: b. To provide animations for item changes in the RecyclerView.\*\***

38. In a RecyclerView, what is the role of the `getItemCount()` method in the adapter?

- a. It specifies the number of columns in the RecyclerView.
- b. It defines the layout for each item in the RecyclerView.
- c. It returns the total number of items in the data source.
- d. It sets the number of items to be displayed at once.

**\*\*Answer: c. It returns the total number of items in the data source.\*\***

**\*\*CardView:\*\***

39. What is the primary purpose of the `CardView` widget?

- a. To display a list of items with dividers.
- b. To create a grid layout with custom spacing.
- c. To provide a card-like layout with shadows and rounded corners.
- d. To handle item click events.

**\*\*Answer: c. To provide a card-like layout with shadows and rounded corners.\*\***

40. How can you customize the corner radius of a CardView in Android?

- a. By using the `setCornerRadius()` method.
- b. By setting the `android:cornerRadius` attribute in XML.
- c. By modifying the `cardCornerRadius` attribute.
- d. By creating a custom shape drawable.

**\*\*Answer: b. By setting the `android:cornerRadius` attribute in XML.\*\***

41. Which XML element is used to define a CardView in an Android layout file?

- a. `<card>`
- b. `<cardview>`
- c. `<androidx.cardview.widget.CardView>`
- d. `<container>`

**\*\*Answer: c. `<androidx.cardview.widget.CardView>`\*\***

42. What is the purpose of the `cardPreventCornerOverlap` attribute in a CardView?

- a. It defines the elevation of the card.
- b. It prevents overlapping of the card's corners with adjacent cards.
- c. It specifies the corner radius of the card.
- d. It sets the background color of the card.

**\*\*Answer: b. It prevents overlapping of the card's corners with adjacent cards.\*\***

Certainly! Here are more multiple-choice questions (MCQs) related to List and RecyclerView in Android:

**\*\*Custom ListView:\*\***

43. In a Custom ListView, what is the role of the `ViewHolder` pattern?

- a. To manage the list item click events.
- b. To define the layout for each list item.

- c. To optimize view recycling and improve performance.
- d. To set the elevation (shadow) for list items.

**\*\*Answer: c. To optimize view recycling and improve performance.\*\***

44. How can you add dividers between items in a Custom ListView in Android?

- a. By using the `DividerItemDecoration` class.
- b. By setting the `android:divider` attribute in XML.
- c. By adding a `<divider>` element to the layout XML.
- d. By overriding the `addDivider()` method in the adapter.

**\*\*Answer: b. By setting the `android:divider` attribute in XML.\*\***

**\*\*Custom GridView:\*\***

45. What is the purpose of the `GridView` widget in Android?

- a. To display a scrollable list of items.
- b. To display images in a grid layout.
- c. To create a card-like layout with shadows.
- d. To handle item click events.

**\*\*Answer: b. To display images in a grid layout.\*\***

46. In a Custom GridView, how can you implement item long-click events?

- a. By using the `OnItemClickListener` interface.
- b. By setting the `longClickable` attribute in XML.

- c. By using the `OnItemLongClickListener` interface.
- d. By setting the `android:longClick` attribute in XML.

**\*\*Answer: c. By using the `OnItemLongClickListener` interface.\*\***

**\*\*RecyclerView:\*\***

47. Which layout manager is used to create a horizontally scrolling list in a RecyclerView?

- a. LinearLayoutManager
- b. GridLayoutManager
- c. StaggeredGridLayoutManager
- d. LinearLayoutManager with horizontal orientation

**\*\*Answer: d. LinearLayoutManager with horizontal orientation\*\***

48. What is the purpose of the `ItemDecoration` in a RecyclerView in Android?

- a. To specify the layout for each item in the RecyclerView.
- b. To add padding to the RecyclerView.
- c. To define the elevation (shadow) of items.
- d. To add spacing and decorations between items in the RecyclerView.

**\*\*Answer: d. To add spacing and decorations between items in the RecyclerView.\*\***

**\*\*CardView:\*\***



**49. In a CardView, how can you set a custom background color for the card?**

- a. By using the `cardBackgroundColor` attribute.
- b. By modifying the `background` attribute of the CardView.
- c. By setting a custom background image for the card.
- d. By using the `setCardBackgroundColor()` method.

**\*\*Answer: a. By using the `cardBackgroundColor` attribute.\*\***

**50. What is the main advantage of using CardView over traditional layout elements like LinearLayout or RelativeLayout?**

- a. CardView provides built-in animations.
- b. CardView automatically arranges child views in a grid.
- c. CardView provides a consistent card-like appearance with shadows and rounded corners.
- d. CardView allows you to use fewer XML layout files.

**\*\*Answer: c. CardView provides a consistent card-like appearance with shadows and rounded corners.\*\***