

## Questions on Prolog

### 1. Represent the following in Prolog:

1. Marcellus kills everyone who gives Mia a footmassage.  
`kills(marcellus, X) :- givesFootMassage(X, mia).`
2. Butch is a killer.  
`killer(butch).`
3. Mia and Marcellus are married.  
`married(mia, marcellus).`
4. Lily loves anything that is a fruit or vegetable.  
`loves (lily, X) :- fruit(X); vegetable(X).`
5. Lily mother of john .  
`mother(lily,john).`

### 2. How does Prolog respond to the following queries?

A)

```
cat(fubby).  
black_spots(fubby).  
dog(figaro).  
white_spots(figaro).
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owns(mary, Pet):- cat(Pet), black_spots(Pet).  
loves(Who, What):-owns(Who, What).
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?- cat(figaro).

False

?- loves(Who, What).

Who = mary, What = fubby

?- owns(mary, \_).

True

B)

owns(mary,pet(cat(fubby))).

?- owns(X,\_).

X= mary.

?- owns(mary,Z).

Z= pet(cat(fubby)).

3. Which of the following sequences of characters are Constant, which are variables, and which are Structure?

fOOD	Constant
Orangejuice	variable
variable23	Constant
orange_juice	Constant
'Delicious'	Constant
_food	variable
owns(X,pet(cat(fubby))).	Structure
'_food'	Constant
'big orange juice '	Constant
study(alex,python(programming_course,code123)).	Structure

#### 4. MCQ

1. In Prolog, knowledge is represented using:

- a) Variables
- b) Loops
- c) Facts and rules
- d) Functions

Answer: C

2. Which one of the following is not a variable?

- A) X\_yz
- B) g\_23A
- C) !\_Xyz
- D) B & C both.

Answer: D

3. ?- Y is  $3+2*4-1$ . This sentence result,

- a) Y= 19
- b) Y= 10
- c) Y is  $3+2*4-1$
- d) Non of the above

Answer: B

4. ?- X =  $3+2*4-1$ . This sentence result,

- a) X= 19
- b) X= 10
- c) X =  $3+2*4-1$
- d) Non of the above

Answer: C

5. Which one from the options would return true/yes for given prolog program?

```
boy(john,123).  
girl(jane,234).  
student(john,123).
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- A) ? - girl(jane,X).
- B) ?- boy('john',123).
- C) All of above.
- D) None of above.

Answer: B

6. likes (joe, fish).  
likes (joe, mary).  
likes (mary, fish).  
likes (albert, joe).

? - likes (Who, fish).

- A) Who = joe.
- B) Who = mary.
- C) Who = albert.
- D) Who = joe. ; Who = mary.

Answer: D

**\*\* For questions from 5 to 8**

bigger (elephant, horse).  
bigger (horse, monkey).  
bigger (horse, donkey).  
bigger (donkey, dog).  
bigger (donkey, monkey).

7. ? - bigger (donkey, Animal).
- A) Animal = horse
  - B) Animal = monkey
  - C) Animal = donkey
  - D) Animal = dog; Animal = monkey

Answer: D

8. bigger (horse, X), bigger (donkey, X).

- A) X = horse
- B) X = monkey
- C) X = donkey
- D) X = dog

Answer: B

9. ? - bigger (horse, \_).

- A) monkey
- B) donkey
- C) True
- D) False

Answer: C

10. ? - is\_bigger(X, dog) = is\_bigger(elephant, dog).

- A) X= elephant
- B) X= monkey
- C) X= donkey
- D) False

Answer: A

11. In Prolog, which symbol is used to represent the end of a query?

- a) !
- b) .
- c) :
- d) ?

Answer: B

12. love(jin, mary). and (mary, jin).

- a) Same direction
- b) Different direction
- c) Same meaning
- d) Different meaning
- e) Both B and D

Answer: E

13. owns(X,pet(cat(fubby))). The owns relation has :

- a) 1 object
- b) 2 objects
- c) 3 objects
- d) 4 objects

Answer: B