



Use any programming language you're comfortable with for the following questions.

- 1) Describe the process by which typing <http://www.yahoo.com> in the address bar of your browser results in the Yahoo! homepage rendering. Please go into as much detail as possible.
- 2) What is the difference between latency and throughput?
 - a. What kind of application is particularly affected by throughput? How?
 - b. What kind of application is particularly affected by latency? How?
- 3) What is a deadlock?
 - a. What are some ways of preventing deadlocks?
- 4) In the context of a relational database, what is the difference between a clustered and a non-clustered index?
- 5) What does it mean for an application to be I/O bound vs CPU bound?
- 6) Write a method to calculate the maximum possible profit I could have made by buying low and selling high, given an array of mutual fund NAVs (end of day prices) for every day in a time interval. For example, for the array [7,24,8,15,2,20], the maximum profit would have been 18, by buying at 2 on day 5 and selling at 20 on day 6.
 - a) What is the run time complexity of your solution (Big-O notation)?
- 7) Write a program to simulate picking a marble out of a bag of colored marbles without replacement (marbles are not added back to the bag after selecting them). Assume we have 3 colors: red, green, and blue. Your program should print out the color of each marble selected until the bag is empty.



- a) What is the runtime complexity of your selectMarble method?
 - b) What is the runtime complexity of your entire program, from initialization, until the last marble is picked?
 - b) How would you change your program, if at all, if you had thousands of marbles?
 - c) How would you change your program, if at all, if you had thousands of colors?
- 8) Given a dictionary with 1,000 words (the words are in alphabetical order given it's a dictionary), write a program that prints all anagrams found. For example, using the following dictionary as input: ["ACT", "ANTS", "ART", "BAT", "BAR", "CAT", "DOOR", "RAT", "TAB", "TAR"] should print ACT: CAT, ART: RAT, TAR, BAT: TAB.
- 9) How would you design the game Battleship?
- a) What classes would you need?
 - b) What would the fire method look like?
 - i. How would I know if I hit or miss?
 - c) How would you determine whether a ship has been sunk?
 - d) Design a program that "plays" Battleship. What would its strategy be? Note: Use the fact that a computer is great at running **calculations** quickly

You should be able to complete this within two hours.