

**1** Which is the correct way to start a new thread?

Select the one correct answer.

- (a) Just create a new Thread object. The thread will start automatically.
- (b) Create a new Thread object and call the method `begin()`.
- (c) Create a new Thread object and call the method `start()`.
- (d) Create a new Thread object and call the method `run()`.
- (e) Create a new Thread object and call the method `resume()`.

**2** When extending the Thread class to implement the code executed by a thread,  
which method should be overridden?

Select the one correct answer.

- (a) begin()
- (b) start()
- (c) run()
- (d) resume()
- (e) behavior()

**3** Which statements are true?

Select the two correct answers.

- (a) The class Thread is abstract.
- (b) The class Thread implements Runnable.
- (c) The Runnable interface has a single method named start.
- (d) Calling the method run() on an object implementing Runnable will create a new thread.
- (e) A program terminates when the last user thread finishes.

4 What will be the result of attempting to compile and run the following program?

<pre>public class MyClass extends Thread {     public MyClass(String s) { msg = s; }     String msg;     public void run() {         System.out.println(msg);     } }</pre>	<pre>public static void main(String[] args) {     new MyClass("Hello");     new MyClass("World"); }</pre>
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Select the one correct answer.

- (a) The program will fail to compile.
- (b) The program will compile without errors and will print Hello and World, in that order, every time the program is run.
- (c) The program will compile without errors and will print a never-ending stream of Hello and World.
- (d) The program will compile without errors and will print Hello and World when run, but the order is unpredictable.
- (e) The program will compile without errors and will simply terminate without any output when run.

**5** What will be the result of attempting to compile and run the following program?

<pre>class Extender extends Thread {     public Extender() { }     public Extender(Runnable runnable)     {super(runnable);}     public void run() {System.out.print(" Extender ");} }  public class Implementer implements Runnable {</pre>	<pre>    public void run()     {System.out.print(" Implementer ");}      public static void main(String[] args) {         new Extender(new Implementer()).start(); // (1)         new Extender().start(); // (2)         new Thread(new Implementer()).start(); // (3)     } }</pre>
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Select the one correct answer.

- (a) The program will fail to compile.
- (b) The program will compile without errors and will print |Extender| twice and |Implementer| once, in some order, every time the program is run.
- (c) The program will compile without errors and will print|Extender| once and |Implementer| twice, in some order, every time the program is run.
- (d) The program will compile without errors and will print |Extender| once and |Implementer| once, in some order, every time the program is run
- (e) The program will compile without errors and will simply terminate without any output when run.
- (f) The program will compile without errors, and will print |Extender| once and |Implementer| once, in some order, and terminate because of an runtime error.

**6** What will be the result of attempting to compile and run the following program?

<pre>class R1 implements Runnable {     public void run() {         System.out.print(Thread.currentThread().getNa me());     } }  public class R2 implements Runnable {     public void run() {         new Thread(new R1()," R1a ").run();</pre>	<pre>        new Thread(new R1()," R1b ").start();         System.out.print(Thread.currentThread().getNa me());     }     public static void main(String[] args) {         new Thread(new R2()," R2 ").start();     } }</pre>
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Select the one correct answer.

- (a) The program will fail to compile.
- (b) The program will compile without errors and will print |R1a| twice and |R2| once, in some order, every time the program is run.
- (c) The program will compile without errors and will print|R1b| twice and |R2| once, in some order, every time the program is run.
- (d) The program will compile without errors and will print |R1b| once and |R2| twice, in some order, every time the program is run.
- (e) The program will compile without errors and will print |R1a| once, |R1b| once, and |R2| once, in some order, every time the program is run.

7 What will be the result of attempting to compile and run the following program?

<pre>public class Threader extends Thread {     Threader(String name) {         super(name);     }     public void run() throws IllegalStateException {         System.out.println(Thread.currentThread().getN ame());     } }</pre>	<pre>        throw new IllegalStateException();     }     public static void main(String[] args) {         new Threader(" T1 ").start();     } }</pre>
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Select the one correct answer.

- (a) The program will fail to compile.
- (b) The program will compile without errors, will print |T1|, and terminate normally every time the program is run.
- (c) The program will compile without errors, will print|T1|, and throw an IllegalStateException, every time the program is run.
- (d) None of the above.

8 What will be the result of attempting to compile and run the following program?

<pre>public class Worker extends Thread {     public void run() {         System.out.print(" work ");     }     public static void main(String[] args) {         Worker worker = new Worker();</pre>	<pre>        worker.start();         worker.run();         worker.start();     } }</pre>
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Select the one correct answer.

- (a) The program will fail to compile.
- (b) The program will compile without errors, will print |work| twice, and terminate normally every time the program is run.
- (c) The program will compile without errors, will print|work| three times, and terminate normally every time the program is run.
- (d) The program will compile without errors, will print|work| twice, and throw an IllegalStateException, every time the program is run.
- (e) None of the above.



**9** Given the following program, which statements are guaranteed to be true?

```
public class ThreadedPrint {  
    static Thread makeThread(final String id,  
        boolean daemon) {  
        Thread t = new Thread(id) {  
            public void run() {  
                System.out.println(id);  
            }  
        };  
        t.setDaemon(daemon);  
        t.start();  
        return t;  
    }  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        Thread a = makeThread("A", false);  
        Thread b = makeThread("B", true);  
        System.out.print("End\n");  
    }  
}
```

Select the two correct answers.

- (a) The letter A is always printed.
- (b) The letter B is always printed.
- (c) The letter A is never printed after End.
- (d) The letter B is never printed after End.
- (e) The program might print B, End, and A, in that order.

**10** Given the following program, which alternatives would make good choices to synchronize on at (1)?

```
public class Preference {  
    private int account1;  
    private Integer account2;  
    public void dolt() {  
        final Double account3 = new Double(10e10);  
        synchronized(/* ____ (1) ____ */) {  
            System.out.print("dolt");  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Select the two correct answers.

- (a) Synchronize on account1.
- (b) Synchronize on account2.
- (c) Synchronize on account3.
- (d) Synchronize on this.

**11** Which statements are not true about the synchronized block?

Select the three correct answers.

- (a) If the expression in a synchronized block evaluates to null, a NullPointerException will be thrown.
- (b) The lock is only released if the execution of the block terminates normally.
- (c) A thread cannot hold more than one lock at a time.
- (d) Synchronized statements cannot be nested.
- (e) The braces cannot be omitted even if there is only a single statement to execute in the block.

**12** Which statement is true?

Select the one correct answer.

- (a) No two threads can concurrently execute synchronized methods on the same object.
- (b) Methods declared `synchronized` should not be recursive, since the object lock will not allow new invocations of the method.
- (c) Synchronized methods can only call other synchronized methods directly.
- (d) Inside a synchronized method, one can assume that no other threads are currently executing any other methods in the same class.