

OS QUIZ

1. What does the following command do?
`$ systemctl enable dhcpd.service`
 - (a) Start dhcpd service
 - (b) Start the dhcpd service on every boot
 - (c) Start the dhcpd service as system call
 - (d) Add dhcpd as a system control service
2. Let's say we have a machine with 8GB of RAM, then....
 - (a) The size of swap must be less than 8 GB
 - (b) The size of swap must be more than 8GB
 - (c) Size of swap is preferred less than 8GB
 - (d) Size of swap is preferred more than 8GB
3. Pick the odd one out...
 - (a) Gnome
 - (b) Cinnamon
 - (c) Debian
 - (d) Enlightenment
4. If the desktop manager is GDM(Gnome Desktop Manager), then what must be the Desktop Environment?
 - (a) Gnome
 - (b) Cinnamon
 - (c) LXDe
 - (d) XFCE
5. In which format file system does linux install?
 - (a) ext4
 - (b) fat32
 - (c) fat16
 - (d) ntfs
6. If we have an X86_64 linux kernel installed on my system, which executable will work?
 - (a) 64 bit
 - (b) 32 bit
 - (c) 86 bit
 - (d) None of the above
7. Which of these institutes have linux mirror?
 - (a) IIT Delhi
 - (b) IIT KGP
 - (c) IIIT Hyderabad
 - (d) IIT Kanpur
8. Which of these are true?
 - (a) Windows 7 uses GPT for partition by default.
 - (b) GPT can be used to partition more than 2TB of space.
 - (c) MBR can be used to partition upto 2TB of space.
 - (d) None of the above

9. What did he create? (Linus Torvals)

- (a) Linux Kernel
- (b) Git
- (c) Linux Mint
- (d) Arch Linux

10. Which of these OS are virus free?

- (a) UNIX
- (b) Linux
- (c) Windows
- (d) None of the above

11. Linux is which kind of Operating System?

- (a) Mutli Tasking
- (b) Multi Users
- (c) Mutli Process
- (d) None of the above

12. Pick the odd one out..

- (a) vi
- (b) nano
- (c) pico
- (d) eclipse

13. Which of these options resembles the image?

- (a) `:(){ :|: & };;`
- (b) `#include <unistd.h> int main(void) { while(1) fork(); }`
- (c) `%0|%0`
- (d) None of the above



14. A man wants to upgrade a 32 bit machine of his. Knowing you are from IIIT H , he asks you what size of ram he should buy to add to his current configuration. Money is not constraint. He already has 2GB of RAM.

- (a) 2GB
- (b) 4GB
- (c) 8 GB
- (d) 16 GB

15. What size of file can be opened on a 4GB RAM system?

- (a) <4GB
- (b) >4GB
- (c) 8GB
- (d) None of the above

16. Who invented the first GUI in computers?

- (a) Apple
- (b) Microsoft
- (c) Xerox
- (d) IBM



17. What command do you use to create Linux file systems?

- (a) fdisk
- (b) mkfs
- (c) mount
- (d) fsck

18. Which of these files can be altered to change the boot menu order in grub?

- (a) /boot/grub/grub.cfg
- (b) /etc/grub.d/40_custom
- (c) /etc/grub.d/41_custom
- (d) /boot/grub/grubenv

19. Which of these can be used for tracking the library calls made by a program?

- (a) ltrace
- (b) strace
- (c) valgrind
- (d) None of the above

20. To give root permissions to a user, which file will you edit?

- (a) /etc/host.conf
- (b) /etc/sudoers
- (c) /usr/bin/users
- (d) /var/lib/AccountsService/users/<username>

21. Which of these commands can be used to check the processes running on the machine?

- (a) top
- (b) ps
- (c) pstree
- (d) who

22. Which process gets the pid 1?

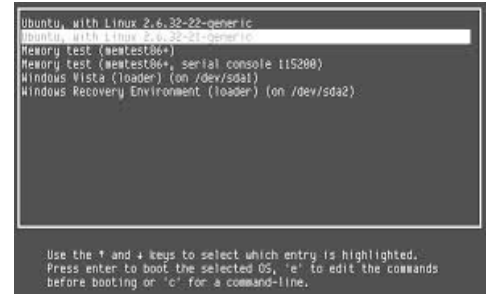
- (a) kthreadd
- (b) watchdog
- (c) init
- (d) cpuset

23. Leave the odd one out, check all others..

- (a) read(...)
- (b) write(...)
- (c) mmap(...)
- (d) printf(...)

24. Where is the OS kernel stored on an android based smart phone?

- (a) HDD
- (b) SSD
- (c) Flash ROM
- (d) None of the above



25. Which of these instructions should be privileged?

- (a) Start/Stop daemons
- (b) Turn off interrupts
- (c) Signal process of other users
- (d) Change ownership of files

26. A CPU-scheduling algorithm determines an order for the execution of its scheduled processes. Given n processes to be scheduled on one processor, how many different schedules are possible?

- (a) n
- (b) $n!$
- (c) $n(n-1)/2$
- (d) $\log(n)$

27. How many child processes are created including parent?

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int main{fork(); fork(); fork(); return 0;}
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- (a) 16
- (b) 8
- (c) 15
- (d) 7

28. Which address of RAM is accessed first at the time of boot?

- (a) 0xFFFFFFFF
- (b) 0xFFFFFFFF00
- (c) 0x0FFFFFFF
- (d) 0xFFFFFFFF0

29. If you are getting a mirror not found error while downloading something, which of these could be a problem?

- (a) You are behind a proxy server but did not configure your environment variables
- (b) You have set proxy.
- (c) Your internet connection is down.
- (d) None of the above

30. Suppose the cache is divided in 4 blocks. And the order of bringing in memory blocks is given as follows - 2 7 2 3 4 2 6 7 5. If Least Recently Used block is substituted if cache is full, what will the final memory blocks in cache be?

- (a) 2 7 3 5
- (b) 7 3 5 6
- (c) 2 6 7 5
- (d) Cannot be determined