

C++ Quiz: Intermediate and Advanced Level

Instructions

Answer the following 30 questions to the best of your ability. Each question is designed to test your understanding of C++ at an intermediate to advanced level. You may use the C++ Standard Library where applicable.

Quiz Questions

- Q1.** What is the output of the following code snippet? Explain the behavior of the ‘std::vector’ in this case:

```
std::vector<int> v = {1, 2, 3};
for (auto it = v.begin(); it != v.end(); ++it) {
    if (*it == 2) {
        v.erase(it);
    }
}
```

- Q2.** How does the C++ compiler distinguish between function overloading and template specialization? Provide an example for each.

- Q3.** Consider the following code. Explain why it causes undefined behavior:

```
int* ptr = new int[5];
delete ptr;
```

- Q4.** What are the key differences between ‘std::unique_ptr’ and ‘std::shared_ptr’? Provide a situation where each would be appropriate.

- Q5.** What is the output of the following code? Explain why:

```
#include <iostream>
#include <vector>

int main() {
    std::vector<int> v(3, 10);
    v.reserve(10);
    std::cout << v.size() << " " << v.capacity() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}
```

- Q6.** Write a lambda function to sort a vector of `'std::pair<int, int>'` by the second element in descending order.
- Q7.** What is the purpose of `'std::enable_if'` in C++ templates? Provide an example of its usage.
- Q8.** Explain the difference between `'std::move'` and `'std::forward'`. In what scenarios is each used?
- Q9.** Analyze the following code. What will be the output, and why?

```
#include <iostream>
#include <thread>

void printMessage() {
    std::cout << "Hello from thread!\n";
}

int main() {
    std::thread t(printMessage);
    t.detach();
    return 0;
}
```

- Q10.** How does `'std::atomic'` ensure thread safety in multithreaded programs? Illustrate with a code example.
- Q11.** What are the differences between `'virtual'`, `'override'`, and `'final'` in C++? Provide a code example demonstrating their usage.
- Q12.** Explain the concept of `'perfect forwarding'`. Write a function template that demonstrates perfect forwarding.
- Q13.** Why are `'std::string'` iterators invalidated when the string is resized? Provide a code example illustrating this behavior.
- Q14.** What is the difference between `'std::map'` and `'std::unordered_map'` in terms of performance and usage? Provide an example.
- Q15.** Discuss the use and implications of `'volatile'` in C++.
- Q16.** Consider the following code snippet. What will be the output, and why?

```
#include <iostream>
class A {
public:
    A() { std::cout << "Constructor\n"; }
    ~A() { std::cout << "Destructor\n"; }
};

int main() {
```

```

        A* obj = new A[2];
        delete obj;
        return 0;
    }

```

Q17. What is the output of the following code? Explain:

```

#include <iostream>
class A {
    int x;
public:
    A(int val) : x(val) {}
    int getValue() const { return x; }
};

int main() {
    const A obj(10);
    std::cout << obj.getValue() << std::endl;
    return 0;
}

```

Q18. Implement a singleton class in C++ using modern C++ techniques.

Q19. Explain the difference between ‘new’, ‘malloc’, and ‘std::make_shared’.

Q20. Write a program to demonstrate the use of ‘std::weak_ptr’. How is it different from ‘std::shared_ptr’?

Q21. Why is ‘std::vector<std::atomic<int>>’ not allowed to be resized using ‘resize()’? Provide an example and explanation.

Q22. What are the implications of using ‘inline’ functions in C++? Provide an example where ‘inline’ may not behave as expected.

Q23. Write a C++ program to demonstrate the use of ‘std::condition_variable’.

Q24. Explain the differences between ‘emplace_back’ and ‘push_back’ in a ‘std::vector’. Provide examples.

Q25. Write a program to count the number of words in a given string using ‘std::istringstream’.

Q26. What is the difference between ‘std::optional’ and ‘std::variant’? Provide examples demonstrating their usage.

Q27. Implement a function template to calculate the dot product of two vectors in C++.

Q28. Write a program to find the longest common subsequence between two strings using dynamic programming.

Q29. What is the output of the following code, and why? Explain:

```
#include <iostream>
#include <string>

int main() {
    std::string s = "Hello";
    s += " World";
    std::cout << s << std::endl;
    return 0;
}
```