

Question Paper – for DESD course

Total Questions: 50 Duration: 60 Min.

1. Which from these will be executed faster in C?

- A. i++
- B. i+1
- C. cannot say
- D. both have same precedence

2. What is the output of the following program?

```
void main()
{
    extern int i;
    i=10;
    printf ("%d",i);
}
```

- A. 10
- B. Linker Error
- C. Compiler Error
- D. o

3. What may be the output of the following program?

```
#define foo(m, n) m ## n
int main()
{
    printf("%s\n", foo(k, l));
}
```

- A. k l
- B. kl
- C. Compile timer error
- D. Undefined behaviour

4. What may be the output of the following program?

```
#include <stdio.h>
struct p
{
    unsigned int x : 2;
    unsigned int y : 2;
};
int main()
{
    struct p p;
    p.x = 3;
    p.y = 4;
```

```
printf("%d\n", p.y);  
}
```

- A. 4
- B. 0
- C. Depends on compiler
- D. 2

**5. #include <stdio.h>
union temp**

```
{  
    int a;  
    float b;  
    char c;  
};  
union temp s = {1,2.5,'A'}; //REF LINE
```

Which member of the union will be active after REF LINE?

- A. a
- B. b
- C. c
- D. Such declaration are illegal

6. Which of the following ways below is a In order traversal?

- A. Root->left sub tree-> right sub tree
- B. Root->right sub tree-> left sub tree
- C. right sub tree-> left sub tree->Root
- D. left sub tree-> root->right sub tree

7. Key value pair is usually seen in

- A. Hash tables
- B. Heaps
- C. Both a and b
- D. Skip list

8. The time required in best case for search operation in binary tree is

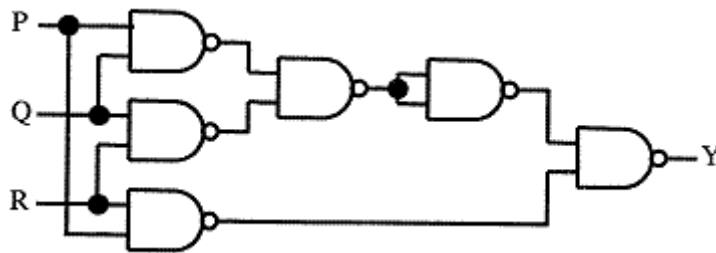
- A. $O(n)$
- B. $O(\log n)$
- C. $O(2n)$
- D. $O(\log 2n)$

9. Which of the following ways below is a pre order traversal?

- A. Root->left sub tree-> right sub tree
- B. Root->right sub tree-> left sub tree
- C. right sub tree-> left sub tree->Root
- D. left sub tree-> right sub tree->Root

- 10. According to the ARM Architecture Procedure Call Standard (AAPCS), what is the maximum number of arguments passed to a function to be considered most efficient?**
- A. 4 Arguments
 - B. 6 Arguments
 - C. 8 Arguments
 - D. 16 Arguments
- 11. In which type of processor following operation is possible?
memory++**
- A. RISC
 - B. CISC
 - C. RISC and CISC
 - D. Modified RISC
- 12. In the case of AVR ATmega 128 how many clock cycles does ADIW takes to execute ?**
- A. 1
 - B. 2
 - C. 3
 - D. Depends on argument
- 13. What does following assembler directive do?
.BYTE 10**
- A. Not valid assembler directive
 - B. Reserves 10 bytes of memory
 - C. Reserves 10 bytes of memory and initialize them by 0
 - D. Reserves 10 bytes of memory and initialize them by garbage
- 14. Which are synchronous interrupts in the case of AVR ATmega 128?**
- A. INT0 - INT3
 - B. INT4 - INT7
 - C. All interrupts are synchronous only
 - D. None
- 15. What is true for I2C protocol ?**
- A. I2C gives data integrity check
 - B. I2C doesn't give data integrity check
 - C. Data integrity check is involved in NACK
 - D. Data integrity is not required in I2C
- 16. In the case of AVR ATmega128 where can Z pointer point ?**
- A. Data memory
 - B. Program memory
 - C. Both A and B
 - D. Unpredictable

17. The output Y in the circuit below is always "1" when



- A. two or more of the inputs P, Q, R are "1"
- B. any odd number of the inputs P, Q, R is "0"
- C. any odd number of the inputs P, Q, R is "1"
- D. two or more of the inputs P, Q, R are "0"

18. A voltmeter is used:

- A. to measure current
- B. in series with the circuit
- C. to measure coulombs
- D. in parallel with the circuit

19. If the input to a comparator is a sine wave, the output is a

- A. ramp voltage
- B. sine wave
- C. rectangular wave
- D. sawtooth wave

20. In a transistor, collector current is controlled by:

- A. collector voltage
- B. base current
- C. collector resistance
- D. all of the above

21. The Boolean expression $Y = \overline{AB}$ is logically equivalent to what single gate?

- A. NAND
- B. AND
- C. NOR
- D. OR

22. A basic S-R flip-flop can be constructed by cross-coupling which basic logic gates?

- A. XOR or XNOR gates
- B. AND or OR gates
- C. NOR or NAND gates
- D. AND or NOR gates

23. The simplified SOP (Sum of Product) form of the Boolean expression

$(P + \bar{Q} + \bar{R}) \cdot (P + \bar{Q} + R) \cdot (P + Q + \bar{R})$ is

- A. $(\bar{P} \cdot Q + \bar{R})$
- B. $(P + \bar{Q} \cdot \bar{R})$
- C. $(\bar{P} \cdot Q + R)$
- D. $(P \cdot Q + R)$

24. Convert the binary number 1001.0010 to decimal.

- A. 125
- B. 12.5
- C. 9.0125
- D. 9.125

25. Which one of the following is not true?

- A. dynamic allocation of major numbers is not possible
- B. major number can not be shared among drivers
- C. both (a) and (b)
- D. none of the mentioned

26. If we use a driver for various device files, then

- A. minor number will be different for every device file
- B. minor number will be same for every device file
- C. minor number can not be allocated for any device file
- D. none of the mentioned

27. The connection between the device file and device driver is based on the

- A. name of device file
- B. number of device file
- C. both (a) and (b)
- D. none of the mentioned

28. In linux, a device driver can work without the

- A. major number
- B. minor number
- C. device file name
- D. none of the mentioned

29. Sysfs was originally called

- A. device driver filesystem
- B. kernel interface filesystem
- C. kernel filesystem
- D. none of the mentioned

30. What is sysfs?

- A. it is a virtual filesystem
- B. users use it to get the information about the running kernel
- C. it is used for exporting kernel objects.
- D. all of the mentioned

31. which one of the following is not true?

- A. any file of the sysfs can not be edited
- B. some files of the sysfs are writable for configuration of devices
- C. both (a) and (b)
- D. none of the mentioned

32. Sysfs represents the

- A. kernel objects
- B. Libraries
- C. API
- D. none of the mentioned

33. The directories of /sys directory

- A. are created at system startup when the subsystems register themselves with kobject core
- B. are created when any device is connects with the system
- C. are created at the time of kernel compilation
- D. none of the mentioned

34. To read/write attribute, which one of the following method is required?

- A. show
- B. store
- C. both (a) and (b)
- D. none of the mentioned

35. In the case of pipelining what is latency ?

- A. Latency = Number of pipelined stages
- B. Latency = Number of pipelined stages - 1
- C. Depends on architecture
- D. None

36. What does following instruction do in the case of ARM7?

- LDR r0,[r1],#4
- A. error
 - B. $r0 = [r1 + 4]$
 - C. $r0 = [r1]$
 - D. None

37. If Program counter points to data memory then ?

- A. No change in behaviour
- B. Unpredictable behaviour
- C. PC will automatically reset to program memory
- D. Data of microprocessor may get affected

38. Which of the following statement is true ?

- A. SPI is full duplex
- B. I2C is full duplex
- C. SPI is half duplex
- D. None

39. Which of the following computer memories is fastest?

- A. Cache
- B. Primary
- C. Mass storage
- D. Off line back up

40. What is the output of the following code?

```
#include <stdio.h>

int main() {
    int i = 10;
    printf("%d", i++);
    printf("%d", ++i);
    return 0;
}
```

- A. 10 11
- B. 11 12
- C. 10 12
- D. 11 11

41. What is the output of the following code?

```
int x = 5;
int *ptr = &x;
x = 10;
printf("%d", *ptr);
```

- A. 5
- B. 10
- C. Compilation Error
- D. Runtime Error

42. Von-Neumann architecture is

- A. Single Instruction Single Data
- B. Single Instruction Multiple Data
- C. Multiple Instruction Single Data
- D. Multiple Instruction Multiple Data

43. An N-bit processor has

- A: N-bit program counter
- B: N-bit address register
- C: N-bit ALU
- D: N-bit instruction register

44. Which method is used for resolving data dependency conflict by the compiler itself?

- A: Delayed load
- B: Operand forwarding
- C: Pre-fetch target instruction
- D: Loop buffer

45. What is the storage class for variable A in below code?

```
int main()
{
    int A;
    A = 10;
    printf("%d", A);
    return 0;
}
```

- A. extern
- B. auto
- C. register
- D. static

46. What is output of below code?

```
int main()
{
    char name[]="CDACKP";
    int len;
    int size;
    len = strlen(name);
    size = sizeof(name);
    printf("%d,%d",len,size);
    return 0;
}
```


}

- A. 6,6
- B. 6,7
- C. 7,7
- D. 0,0

47. What is the output of the following program

```
main()
{
    int ret;
    ret = fork();
    if (!ret)
    {
        ret = fork();
        printf("c");
    }
    else
    {
        ret = fork();
        ret = fork();
        printf("b");
    }
}
```

- A. ccbbbb
- B. ccbbccccbbbbb
- C. ccbb
- D. None of the above

48. What is the output of the following program? (Assuming that int is 4 bytes long)

```
int increment ( void)
{
    static int count = 0x0f;
    return count++;
}

int main() {
    int total;
    total = increment() - increment() * increment();
    printf( "%d", total);
    return 0;
}
```

- A. -290
- B -65537
- C -257
- D -240

49. What does following code performs?.

```
typedef struct node {
    int data;
    struct node *ptr;
} node;
node *abc(){
    node *b,*m,*f;
    b=NULL;
    m=head;
    f=m->ptr;
    if(head==NULL){
        return;
    }
    while(1){
        m->ptr=b;
        if(f==NULL) break;
        b=m;
        m=f;
        f=f->ptr;
    }
    head=m;
    return head;
}
```

- A. Reversing the list
- B. Traversing all nodes of the List
- C. Deleting nodes one by one
- D. Traversing alternative nodes of the List

50. Which one of the following best describes POSIX call wait()?

- A. Pauses for a given amount of time.
- B. Waits for parent process to resume or issue an I/O call.
- C. Waits for any child process to complete.
- D. Waits for any child process to issue an I/O call.