

# Questions

- 1) Which of the following is not a type of database model?
  - a. Relational database model
  - b. Network database model
  - c. Hierarchical database model
  - d. Linear database model
- 2) Which of the following is not a component of the ACID properties of a transaction?
  - a. Atomicity
  - b. Consistency
  - c. Isolation
  - d. Durability
- 3) Which of the following SQL statements is used to add a new record to a table?
  - a. INSERT INTO
  - b. UPDATE
  - c. DELETE
  - d. SELECT
- 4) Which of the following is not a type of database index?
  - a. B-Tree index
  - b. Bitmap index
  - c. Hash index
  - d. Heap index
- 5) Which of the following is not a type of database constraint?
  - a. Primary key constraint
  - b. Foreign key constraint
  - c. Unique key constraint
  - d. Partition key constraint
- 6) Which of the following is not a characteristic of a relational database?
  - a. Data is stored in tables
  - b. Tables are related through keys
  - c. Data is stored in a hierarchical structure
  - d. Each column in a table has a unique name
- 7) Which of the following is not a type of SQL join?
  - a. Inner join
  - b. Outer join
  - c. Full join
  - d. Cross join

**8) Which of the following is not a function of a database management system?**

- a. Data storage
- b. Data retrieval
- c. Data analysis
- d. Data processing

**9) Which of the following is not a type of database backup?**

- a. Full backup
- b. Differential backup
- c. Incremental backup
- d. Relational backup

**10) Which of the following is not a type of database normalization?**

- a. First normal form (1NF)
- b. Second normal form (2NF)
- c. Third normal form (3NF)
- d. Fourth normal form (4NF)

**11) Which of the following is not a SQL data type?**

- a. INTEGER
- b. VARCHAR
- c. BOOLEAN

d. CHARACTER

**12) Which of the following SQL statements is used to modify existing records in a table?**

- a. INSERT INTO
- b. UPDATE
- c. DELETE
- d. SELECT

**13) Which of the following is not a benefit of using a database management system?**

- a. Improved data sharing
- b. Increased data security
- c. Reduced data redundancy
- d. Decreased data availability

**14) Which of the following is not a type of database schema?**

- a. Physical schema
- b. Logical schema
- c. External schema
- d. Relational schema

**15) Which of the following is not a type of database query language?**

- a. Structured Query Language (SQL)

- b. Data Manipulation Language (DML)
- c. Data Definition Language (DDL)
- d. Programming Language (PL)

**16) Which of the following is not a database model?**

- a. Relational model
- b. Hierarchical model
- c. Network model
- d. Linear model

**17) Which of the following is not a SQL aggregate function?**

- a. AVG
- b. SUM
- c. MAX
- d. SORT

**18) Which of the following is not a type of database constraint?**

- a. NOT NULL
- b. UNIQUE
- c. CHECK
- d. CASCADE

**19) Which of the following is not a type of database index?**

- a. B-tree index
- b. Hash index
- c. Bitmap index
- d. Relational index

**20) Which of the following is not a join type in SQL?**

- a. INNER JOIN
- b. OUTER JOIN
- c. CROSS JOIN
- d. UNION JOIN

**21) Which of the following is not a property of a relation in the relational data model?**

- a. Atomicity
- b. Consistency
- c. Integrity
- d. Normalization

**22) Which of the following is not a transaction property in a DBMS?**

- a. Atomicity
- b. Consistency
- c. Durability
- d. Concurrency

**23) Which of the following is not a type of database backup?**

- a. Full backup
- b. Incremental backup
- c. Differential backup
- d. Random backup

**24) Which of the following is not a type of SQL constraint?**

- a. PRIMARY KEY
- b. FOREIGN KEY

- c. DEFAULT
- d. INDEX

**25) In SQL, what is the difference between the HAVING and WHERE clauses?**

- a. HAVING is used for grouping results while WHERE is used for filtering rows.
- b. WHERE is used for grouping results while HAVING is used for filtering rows.
- c. Both clauses are used for filtering rows, but HAVING is used with aggregate functions.
- d. Both clauses are used for grouping results, but WHERE is used with aggregate functions.

**26) Which of the following is not a type of database schema?**

- a. Physical schema
- b. Logical schema
- c. External schema

- d. Conceptual schema

**27) Which of the following is not a type of SQL subquery?**

- a. Scalar subquery
- b. Correlated subquery
- c. Nested subquery
- d. Circular subquery

**28) Which of the following is not a type of database normalization?**

- a. First normal form (1NF)
- b. Second normal form (2NF)
- c. Third normal form (3NF)
- d. Fourth normal form (4NF)

**29) Which of the following is not a type of database constraint?**

- a. FOREIGN KEY
- b. PRIMARY KEY
- c. DEFAULT
- d. TABLE KEY

**30) What is the purpose of a database index?**

- a. To store data in a compressed format
- b. To speed up data retrieval

- c. To enforce data integrity
- d. To provide an additional layer of security

**31) Which of the following is not a type of SQL query?**

- a. SELECT
- b. INSERT
- c. DELETE
- d. UPDATE

**32) In the relational data model, what is a foreign key?**

- a. A primary key of another table
- b. A unique identifier of a table
- c. A field that can store multiple values
- d. A field that establishes a relationship between tables

**33) Which of the following is not a type of database management system?**

- a. Hierarchical database management system
- b. Relational database

management system

- c. Network database management system
- d. Object-oriented database management system

**34) Which of the following is not a type of SQL join?**

- a. INNER JOIN
- b. OUTER JOIN
- c. CROSS JOIN
- d. ALL JOIN

**35) What is a transaction in a database?**

- a. A group of related tables
- b. A logical unit of work performed on a database
- c. A way to store data in a compressed format
- d. A type of data constraint

**36) What is the purpose of normalization in database design?**

- a. To reduce data redundancy and



improve data  
integrity

- b. To store data in a compressed format
- c. To speed up data retrieval
- d. To provide an additional layer of security

**37) What is the difference between a primary key and a foreign key in a database?**

- a. A primary key uniquely identifies a record, while a foreign key is used to establish relationships between tables.
- b. A primary key is a field in a table that stores multiple values, while a foreign key is a field that stores a single value.
- c. A primary key is used to store large binary objects, while a foreign key is

used to store text data.

- d. A primary key and a foreign key are the same thing in a database.

**38) Which of the following is not a type of database constraint?**

- a. NOT NULL
- b. UNIQUE
- c. DEFAULT
- d. GROUP BY

**39) What is the purpose of a view in a database?**

- a. To store data in a compressed format
- b. To provide an additional layer of security
- c. To speed up data retrieval
- d. To present a customized or filtered view of data from one or more tables

**40) What is a join in a database?**

- a. A data constraint used to ensure data consistency

- b. A way to insert new data into a table
- c. A way to combine data from two or more tables based on a common field
- d. A way to delete data from a table

**41) What is the purpose of a transaction log in a database?**

- a. To store a backup of the entire database
- b. To track all changes made to the database
- c. To store user credentials for database access
- d. To provide an additional layer of security

**42) What is the purpose of a primary key in a database table?**

- a. To ensure data consistency
- b. To provide a unique identifier for each row in the table

- c. To store large amounts of data
- d. To speed up data retrieval

**43) What is the difference between a clustered index and a non-clustered index?**

- a. A clustered index is sorted in ascending order, while a non-clustered index is sorted in descending order
- b. A clustered index stores the actual data rows of the table, while a non-clustered index stores only the index data
- c. A clustered index is used for searching and sorting, while a non-clustered index is used for data retrieval
- d. There is no difference between a clustered index and a non-clustered index

**44) What is a foreign key in a database table?**

- a. A key that is used to identify a unique row in the table
- b. A key that is used to reference another table
- c. A key that is used to speed up data retrieval
- d. A key that is used to store large amounts of data

**45) Which of the following is not a type of database constraint?**

- a. Primary key constraint
- b. Foreign key constraint
- c. Data type constraint
- d. Security constraint

**46) What is normalization in a database?**

- a. A process of organizing data in a database to eliminate redundancy and improve data integrity

- b. A process of backing up the entire database
- c. A process of optimizing the database for speed
- d. A process of encrypting sensitive data in the database

**47) What is the purpose of a view in a database?**

- a. To provide a logical representation of data from one or more tables
- b. To store frequently accessed data for fast retrieval
- c. To enforce referential integrity between tables
- d. To store intermediate results of complex queries

**48) Which of the following is not a property of a transaction in a database?**

- a. Atomicity
- b. Consistency



- c. Isolation
- d. Durability

**49) What is a stored procedure in a database?**

- a. A group of SQL statements that can be executed as a single unit
- b. A table that stores the results of a query
- c. A constraint that ensures data is unique within a column
- d. A view that combines data from multiple tables

**50) Which of the following statements about the ACID properties of transactions is false?**

- a. Atomicity ensures that a transaction is executed completely or not at all
- b. Consistency ensures that a transaction brings the database from one valid state to another

- c. Isolation ensures that a transaction's effects are not visible to other transactions until it is completed
- d. Durability ensures that the effects of a committed transaction persist even if there is a system failure

**51) What is a database index?**

- a. A physical file that stores the actual data rows of a table
- b. A logical structure that speeds up data retrieval by providing quick access to specific rows of a table
- c. A table that stores only the index data of a table
- d. A constraint that ensures data is unique within a column

**52) Which of the following is not a type of database model?**

- a. Relational
- b. Hierarchical
- c. Network
- d. Object-Oriented

**53) What is a primary key in a database?**

- a. A column or set of columns that uniquely identifies each row in a table
- b. A column that can contain only unique values
- c. A column that stores the results of a query
- d. A constraint that ensures data is unique within a column

**54) What is normalization in a database?**

- a. The process of breaking down a database into smaller, more manageable tables
- b. The process of combining tables

into larger, more complex tables

- c. The process of creating a backup copy of a database
- d. The process of creating indexes on columns for faster data retrieval

**55) Which of the following is not a benefit of using a database management system (DBMS)?**

- a. Increased data consistency and integrity
- b. Improved data security
- c. Simplified data access and retrieval
- d. Decreased storage capacity required for data

**56) What is a foreign key in a database?**

- a. A column or set of columns that uniquely identifies each row in a table

- b. A column that can contain only unique values
- c. A column that stores the results of a query
- d. A column that references the primary key of another table

**57) Which normal form eliminates repeating groups in a table?**

- a. First Normal Form (1NF)
- b. Second Normal Form (2NF)
- c. Third Normal Form (3NF)
- d. Fourth Normal Form (4NF)

**58) Which normal form eliminates transitive dependencies in a table?**

- a. First Normal Form (1NF)
- b. Second Normal Form (2NF)
- c. Third Normal Form (3NF)
- d. Fourth Normal Form (4NF)

**59) Which normal form eliminates multi-valued dependencies in a table?**

- a. First Normal Form (1NF)
- b. Second Normal Form (2NF)
- c. Third Normal Form (3NF)
- d. Fourth Normal Form (4NF)

**60) In which normal form is a table guaranteed to be free from all anomalies?**

- a. First Normal Form (1NF)
- b. Second Normal Form (2NF)
- c. Third Normal Form (3NF)
- d. Fourth Normal Form (4NF)

**61) Which normal form is rarely used in practice?**

- a. Fifth Normal Form (5NF)
- b. Sixth Normal Form (6NF)
- c. Seventh Normal Form (7NF)
- d. Eighth Normal Form (8NF)

**62) Which normal form requires that every determinant in a table is a candidate key?**

- a. First Normal Form (1NF)

- b. Second Normal Form (2NF)
- c. Third Normal Form (3NF)
- d. Fourth Normal Form (4NF)

**63) Which normal form is a higher level of normalization than Fourth Normal Form (4NF)?**

- a. Fifth Normal Form (5NF)
- b. Sixth Normal Form (6NF)
- c. Seventh Normal Form (7NF)
- d. Eighth Normal Form (8NF)

**64) Which normal form allows only one-to-one relationships between tables?**

- a. First Normal Form (1NF)
- b. Second Normal Form (2NF)
- c. Third Normal Form (3NF)
- d. Fourth Normal Form (4NF)

**65) Which normal form allows only one-to-many relationships between tables?**

- a. First Normal Form (1NF)
- b. Second Normal Form (2NF)
- c. Third Normal Form (3NF)
- d. Fourth Normal Form (4NF)

**66) Which normal form requires that there are no transitive dependencies or partial dependencies in a table?**

- a. First Normal Form (1NF)
- b. Second Normal Form (2NF)
- c. Third Normal Form (3NF)
- d. Fourth Normal Form (4NF)

**67) Which normal form allows only atomic values and no repeating groups or arrays of data?**

- a. First Normal Form (1NF)
- b. Second Normal Form (2NF)
- c. Third Normal Form (3NF)
- d. Fourth Normal Form (4NF)

**68) Which normal form is based on the concept of transitive dependencies?**

- a. First Normal Form (1NF)
- b. Second Normal Form (2NF)
- c. Third Normal Form (3NF)
- d. Fourth Normal Form (4NF)

**69) Which normal form allows non-key attributes to be dependent on other non-key attributes?**

- a. First Normal Form (1NF)
- b. Second Normal Form (2NF)
- c. Third Normal Form (3NF)
- d. Fourth Normal Form (4NF)

**70) Which normal form requires that every non-key attribute in a table is dependent on the primary key?**

- a. First Normal Form (1NF)
- b. Second Normal Form (2NF)
- c. Third Normal Form (3NF)

d. Fourth Normal Form (4NF)

**71) Which normal form allows for the elimination of redundant data by splitting a table into smaller, related tables?**

- a. First Normal Form (1NF)
- b. Second Normal Form (2NF)
- c. Third Normal Form (3NF)
- d. Fourth Normal Form (4NF)

**72) Which of the following operators in relation algebra returns only those rows that are common to two tables?**

- A. Union
- B. Intersection
- C. Difference
- D. Join

**73) Which of the following is an example of a valid projection operation in relation algebra?**

- A.  $\pi$  (Salary > 1000) (Employee)
- B.  $\pi$  (Department = "Sales" AND Salary > 5000) (Employee)



- C.  $\pi$  (EmployeeName, Department) (Employee)
- D.  $\pi$  (Manager IN (SELECT Manager FROM Department WHERE DepartmentName = "Sales")) (Employee)

**74) Which of the following is an example of a valid renaming operation in relation algebra?**

- A.  $\rho$  (DepartmentID, DepartmentName) (Department)
- B.  $\rho$  (Department.DepartmentID, Department.DepartmentName) (Department)
- C.  $\rho$  (EmployeeName AS Name) (Employee)
- D.  $\rho$  (SELECT \* FROM Department) (Department)

**75) Which of the following is an example of a valid difference operation in relation algebra?**

- A.  $R1 \cap R2$
- B.  $R1 \cup R2$
- C.  $R1 - R2$
- D.  $R1 \times R2$

**76. Which of the following operators in relation algebra**

**returns all the rows from two tables, eliminating any duplicates?**

- a. Union
- b. Intersection
- c. Difference
- d. Join

**77. Which of the following is an example of a valid join operation in relation algebra?**

- a.  $R1 \bowtie R2$
- b.  $R1 \cap R2$
- c.  $R1 - R2$
- d.  $R1 \times R2$

**78. Which of the following is an example of a valid full outer join operation in relation algebra?**

- a.  $R1 \bowtie R2$
- b.  $R1 \cap R2$
- c.  $R1 - R2$
- d.  $R1 \oplus R2$

**79. Which of the following is an example of a valid division operation in relation algebra?**

- a.  $R1 \div R2$
- b.  $R1 \cup R2$
- c.  $R1 - R2$
- d.  $R1 \times R2$

**80. Which of the following is an example of a valid transitive closure operation in relation algebra?**

- a.  $R^*$
- b.  $R1 \bowtie R2$
- c.  $R1 - R2$

d.  $R1 \times R2$

**81. Which of the following is an example of a valid grouping operation in relation algebra?**

a.  $\gamma$  (EmployeeName, Salary) (Employee)

b.  $\gamma$  (AVG(Salary)) (Employee)

c.  $\gamma$  (Department = "Sales") (Employee)

d.  $\gamma$  (EmployeeName) (Employee)

**82. Which of the following is an example of a valid aggregate function in relation algebra?**

a. MAX

b. OR

c. NOT

d. UNION

**83. Which of the following is an example of a valid rename operation in relation algebra?**

a.  $\rho$  (EmployeeName, Salary) (Employee)

b.  $\rho$  (AVG(Salary)) (Employee)

c.  $\rho$  (Department = "Sales") (Employee)

d.  $\rho$  (EmployeeName) (Employee)

**84. Which of the following is an example of a valid projection operation in relation algebra?**

a.  $\pi$  (EmployeeName, Salary) (Employee)

b.  $\pi$  (AVG(Salary)) (Employee)

c.  $\pi$  (Department = "Sales") (Employee)

d.  $\pi$  (EmployeeName) (Employee)

**85. Which of the following is an example of a valid selection operation in relation algebra?**

a.  $\sigma$  (EmployeeName, Salary) (Employee)

b.  $\sigma$  (AVG(Salary)) (Employee)

c.  $\sigma$  (Department = "Sales") (Employee)

d.  $\sigma$  (EmployeeName) (Employee)

**86. Which of the following operators is used to combine two or more conditions in a WHERE clause of a SELECT statement?**

a. AND

b. OR

c. NOT

d. XOR

**87. Which of the following clauses in the SELECT statement is used to filter rows based on a condition?**

a. FROM

b. WHERE

c. SELECT

d. GROUP BY

**88. Which of the following operators is used to specify a range of values in a WHERE clause of a SELECT statement?**

a. BETWEEN

b. LIKE

c. IN

d. NOT

**89. Which of the following operators is used to match a**

**pattern in a WHERE clause of a SELECT statement?**

- a. BETWEEN
- b. LIKE
- c. IN
- d. NOT

**90. Which of the following clauses in the SELECT statement is used to limit the number of retrieved rows?**

- a. FROM
- b. WHERE
- c. SELECT
- d. LIMIT

**91. Which of the following operators is used to specify multiple values in a WHERE clause of a SELECT statement?**

- a. BETWEEN
- b. LIKE
- c. IN
- d. NOT

**92. Which of the following SQL statements is used to add a new column to an existing table?**

- a. ALTER TABLE
- b. UPDATE
- c. DELETE
- d. SELECT

**93. Which of the following SQL statements is used to modify the structure of an existing table?**

- a. ALTER TABLE
- b. UPDATE
- c. DELETE

d. SELECT

**94. Which of the following clauses in the SELECT statement is used to group rows based on a condition that is not part of the result set?**

- a. HAVING
- b. WHERE
- c. SELECT
- d. GROUP BY

**95. Which of the following clauses in the SELECT statement is used to retrieve distinct values of a column or columns?**

- a. DISTINCT
- b. WHERE
- c. SELECT
- d. GROUP BY

**96. Which of the following clauses in the SELECT statement is used to calculate the difference between two dates or times?**

- a. DATEDIFF
- b. WHERE
- c. SELECT
- d. GROUP BY

**97. Which of the following SQL statements is used to retrieve the first n rows from a table?**

- a. SELECT TOP n
- b. SELECT n
- c. SELECT FIRST n
- d. SELECT LIMIT n

98. Which of the following SQL statements is used to delete all rows from a table?

- a. DELETE ALL
- b. TRUNCATE TABLE
- c. DELETE TABLE
- d. CLEAR TABLE

99. Which of the following clauses in the SELECT statement is used to create aliases for table or column names?

- a. AS
- b. WHERE
- c. SELECT
- d. GROUP BY

100. Which of the following operators is used to check if a value matches one of several values in a WHERE clause of a SELECT statement?

- a. BETWEEN
- b. LIKE
- c. IN
- d. EXISTS

ANSWERSHEET

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