

EXAMEN FINAL CISCO

ESTRUCTURA DE DATOS (73%)

Question 1

The following symbol may be (in certain circumstances) taken as an equivalent of:

```
1 | :>
2 |
```

a bracket

a tilde

a hash

☒ a parenthesis

Question 2

Which of the given examples is contemporary equivalent of the obsolete function declaration?

```
1 | void f(x) float x; { return x * x; }
2 |
```

☒ `float f(float x) { return x * x; }`

`void f() float x; { return x * x; }`

`void f(float) x; { return x * x; }`

`void f(x) float; { return x * x; }`

Question 3

The *ellipsis* (...) used in a function header, may be:

preceded by parameter of pointer type

surrounded by brackets

the first element on parameters list

☒ the only element on parameters list

Question 4

The so-called "**calling convention**" determines:

☒ the way in which the arguments are put on and cleared off the stack

the way in which the programmer builds functions' interface

the possible function names

the possible argument names

Question 5

A macro named `va_arg`, comes from:



`<stdarg.h>`

`<vargs.h>`

`<varg.h>`

`<args.h>`

Question 6

In the argument passing convention named "**stdcall**":

the invoker cleans the stack after return



the invokee cleans the stack before return

the stack is cleaned periodically by OS

the stack cleans its state itself

Question 7

What is the expected output of the following code?

```
1  #include <stdarg.h>
2  #include <stdio.h>
3  int f(int n, ...) {
4      va_list list;
5      va_start(list,n);
6      char c;
7      while(va_arg(list,int) != 0)
8          c = va_arg(list,int);
9      va_end(list);
10     return c;
11 }
12 }
13
14 int main(void) {
15     printf("[%c]\n", f('a','b','c','\0'));
16     return 0;
17 }
18
```



c

b

a

an empty line

Question 8

Each invocation of `va_start()` must be matched by:

- ☒ exactly one matching `va_end()` invocation
- ☐ at least one matching `va_end()` invocation
- ☐ not more than two matching `va_end()` invocations
- ☐ not more than one matching `va_end()` invocation

Question 9

The "endline translation" occurs when the file is opened with `O_TEXT` flag and takes place during:

- ☒ reads and writes
- ☐ writes only
- ☐ reads only
- ☐ `lseek()` function invocation

Question 10

Symbolic links are available in:

☒ both Linux/Unix and MS Windows

☐ neither in Linux/Unix nor MS Windows

☐ MS Windows only

☐ Linux/Unix only

Question 11

Which of the expressions can be used to discover that `read()` invocation reached end of file?

☒ `read(fd, t, sizeof(t)) == 0`

☐ `read(fd, t, sizeof(t)) > 0`

☐ `read(fd, t, sizeof(t)) == sizeof(t)`

☐ `read(fd, t, sizeof(t)) < 0`

Question 12

The file descriptor of value equal to `1`:

is connected to `stdin`

☒ is connected to `stdout`

is connected to `stderr`

is not connected and may be freely used

Question 13

The `lseek()` is able to move the file pointer beyond file's end.

☒ always true

always false

true if the file is not empty

true if the file is empty

Question 14

The "`st_dev`" field of "`struct stat`" in MS Windows environment reflects:

the drive number

device location

device vendor's name

☒ 32 bit long device identifier

Question 15

What should be placed instead of `<?>` to make the following snippet work properly?

```
1 | if( <?> access("input", W_OK) ) {  
2 |     puts("File could not be written");  
3 |     exit(1);  
4 | }  
5 |
```

☒ `0 ==`

`NULL ==`

`0 <`

`0 >`

Question 16

To store UNICODE code points the UTF-8 uses:

☒ varying number of bits

16 bits

32 bits

8 bits

Question 17

The `wcscpy()` function is:

☒ a "wide" version of `strcpy()`

used to invoke Python programs

used to invoke C# programs

not a member of any standard library

Question 18

What is the expected output of the following code?

```
1  #include <string.h>
2  #include <stdio.h>
3  int main(void) {
4      char p[] = "10101", *q;
5      int i = 0;
6      q = strtok(p, "0");
7      while(q) {
8          i++;
9          tq = strtok(NULL, "0");
10     }
11     printf("%d\n", i);
12     return 0;
13 }
14
```



1

2

2

the code falls in an infinite loop

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Question 19

What is the expected output of the following code?

```
1  #include <string.h>
2  #include <stdio.h>
3  int main(void) {
4      int i, *p = &i;
5      printf("%d\n", memcmp(&i, &p, 4));
6      return 0;
7  }
8
```



a number most probably different from zero

a number always less than zero

a number always greater than zero

the output is unpredictable

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Question 20

The result of the following expression:

```
1 | int n = '9' - '1';  
2 |
```

depends on encoding system used by specific hardware platform

is always 6

is always 7

☒ is always 8

Question 21

The memory block allocated by `malloc()` function:

☒ is filled with random values

is filled with `0xdeadbeef`

is filled with `0xFF`

is filled with zeros

Question 22

The value of the following expression:

```
1 | sizeof(wint_t) < sizeof(wchar_t)  
2 |
```

is always 0

is always 1

cannot be determined

☒ depends on target platform

Question 23

What is possible output of the following program?

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2  int main(int argc, char *argv[]) {
3      puts(*argv);
4      return 0;
5  }
6
```

☒ a line containing program name

☐ an empty line

☐ a random string

☐ zero

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Question 24

The string literal passed to `_Pragma` keyword is the subject of:

☒ destringization

☐ dereferencing

☐ defragmentation

☐ delliteration

Question 25

Which of the following `main()` function's headers is not valid?

☐ `int main(int argc, char *argv[], char ***env[])`

☒ `int main(int argc, char *argv[], char **env)`

☐ `int main(int argc, char *argv[], char *env[])`

☐ `int main(int argc, char *argv[])`

Question 26

The `_Bool` keyword, introduced by C11, denotes a type being an equivalent of:

unsigned `int`

unsigned `char`

☒ `boolean`

`void`

Question 27

Which of the following statements is true?

☒ trigraphs are recognized inside string literals, digraphs aren't

trigraphs are not recognized inside string literals, digraphs are

both trigraphs and digraphs are recognized inside string literals

both trigraphs and digraphs are not recognized inside string literals

Question 28

A variadic function is a function which:

☒ accepts varying number of arguments

accepts more than one invocation at a time

changes its name during program execution

changes its address during program execution

Question 29

The following symbol may be (in certain circumstances) taken as an equivalent of:

1

2

??'

a caret

☒ a tilde

a hash

a parenthesis

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Question 30

According to C11 standard, the `func` symbol is a:

parameterless macro

parameterized macro

☒ parameterless function

global variable

Question 31

The `spawn()` family functions:

always return to invoker

return to invoker in case of success

☒ return to invoker in case of error

never return to invoker

Question 32

A working process is identified by:

☒ its unique PID

name of program used to start the process

source device

user's name

Question 33

The term "**lock a mutex**" being used in P-threads terminology:

☒ means the same as "obtain a mutex" in MS Windows environment

means the same as "release a mutex" in MS Windows environment

means the same as "close a mutex" in MS Windows environment

is not used in any other environment

Assuming that the code was compiled and ran in Unix/Linux environment what is its expected output?

```
1  #include <sys/types.h>
2  #include <sys/wait.h>
3  #include <stdio.h>
4  #include <unistd.h>
5  int x = 0;
6  int main(void) {
7      if(fork()) {
8          wait(NULL);
9          printf("%d", x);
10         return 0;
11     } else {
12         x++;
13         return 0;
14     }
15 }
16
```



1

2

an empty line

Question 35

The `exec()` family functions:



return to invoker in case of error

never return to invoker

return to invoker in case of success

always return to invoker

Question 36

The shortest part of a double value is:

- ☒ sign
- ☐ exponent
- ☐ significand
- ☐ all parts have equal sizes

Question 37

The length of a double typed variable:

- ☒ is defined by IEEE754 standard
- ☐ is defined by the "C" language standards
- ☐ is user defined
- ☐ is hardware dependent

Question 38

The `FP_SUBNORMAL` flag marks a float value that:

- ☒ cannot be normalized
- ☐ has been successfully normalized
- ☐ has to be normalized
- ☐ exceeds any of IEEE defined limits

Question 39

Removing the letter 'f' from both literals used in the following expression:

- ☐ will change the value printed to `stdout`
- ☒ won't change the value printed to `stdout`
- ☐ will cause runtime error
- ☐ will make the expression syntactically incorrect

Question 40

To input a 64 bit unsigned int value as hex number some would use the following portable specifier:

- ☒ `SCNx64`
- ☐ `SCNuMAX`
- ☐ `PRIx64`
- ☐ `PRIdMAX`

Question 41

The normalized float value:

- ☒ has the highest significand's bit set to `1`
- ☐ has the highest significand's bit set to `0`
- ☐ has the highest exponent's bit set to `0`
- ☐ has the highest exponent's bit set to `1`

Question 42

The GMP library uses the `mpf_t` type to represent:

☒ multiprecision float values

multiprecision double values

multiprecision rational values

multiprecision integer values

Question 43

The UDP protocol:

☒ provides unreliable communication channel

does not provide any communication channel

is only able to transmit datagrams

provides reliable communication channel

Question 44

The so-called "**network order**" is identical to:

☒ big-endian order

little-endian order

native hardware platform order

target hardware platform order

Question 45

The `MSG_PEEK` flag is used in connection with:

- ☒ `recvfrom()`
- ☐ `bind()`
- ☐ `accept()`
- ☐ `socket()`

Question 46

The regular IP address consists of:

- ☒ 4 octets
- ☐ 8 octets
- ☐ 1 octets
- ☐ 2 octets

Question 47

Using WinSock, comparing to the BSD sockets:

- ☒ requires some additional initializations and terminations
- ☒ requires some addition initializations
- ☒ requires some additional terminations
- ☐ is exactly the same

Question 48

Which of the following is a proper `bind()` function header?



```
int bind(int sockfd, struct sockaddr *addr, socklen_t addrlen);
```

```
int bind(int sockfd, struct sockaddr *addr, socklen t *addrlen);
```

```
int bind(int sockfd, struct sockaddr addr, socklen t addrlen);
```

```
int bind(int sockfd, struct sockaddr addr, socklen t *addrlen);
```

Question 49

Resolving a host's name based on given IP address can be done by invoking:



```
gethostbyname()
```

```
getIP()
```

```
getservbyname()
```

```
getIPaddr()
```

Question 50

The following declarator declares the fun symbol as:

```
1 void (*fun)(int*, int*);  
2
```



a pointer to function returning void

a pointer to function returning pointer to void

a void pointer

a pointer to void

Question 51

The `setjmp()` function performs its return sequence:

☐ usually twice

☐ more than twice

☒ always once

☐ not more than once

Question 52

The following snippet:

```
1  int f(int i) {  
2      i++;  
3      if(i == 0) goto go_to;  
4      return i;  
5  }  
6  
7      int main(void) {  
8          f(0);  
9      go_to:  
10         return 0;  
11     }  
12
```

☐ will cause infinite loop

☐ will cause runtime error

☒ will cause compilation error

Question 53

Select the true statement:

- ☒ a variable may be `const` and `volatile` at the same time
- ☐ a `const-volatile` variable may be explicitly modified in the code containing its declaration
- ☐ a `const-volatile` variable must not be implicitly modified by the background process
- ☐ a compiler will try to store the `const-volatile` variable in CPU registers

Question 54

The following snippet:

```
1 | int const v = 1;  
2 | int const * const p = &v;  
3 |
```

- ☒ is fully correct
- ☐ will cause compiler error
- ☐ may cause compiler warning
- ☐ may cause runtime error

Question 55

The `volatile` specifier:

☒ forces the compiler to fetch the variable from memory each time it is read

☐ is obsolete

☐ tells the compiler to not use the variable

☐ suggests the compiler to store the variable in one of CPU registers

Question 56

A syntax used in the following snippet is named:

```
1 | double vec[3] = { [0] = 1.23, [2] = 3.21 };  
2 |
```

☒ designated initializer

☐ enumerated initializer

☐ indexed initializer

☐ inverted initializer