

DATA STRUCTURE & ALGORITHM

1. The minimum number of temporary variables needed to swap the contents of two variables is:

- (a) 1
- (b) 2
- (c) 3
- (d) 0

2. Consider the function:

```
find (int x, int y)
{ return((x < y) ? 0: (x - y)); }
```

Let a, b be two non-negative integers. The call find(a, find(a, b)) can be used to find the:

- (a) maximum of a, b
- (b) positive difference of a, b
- (c) sum of a, b
- (d) minimum of a, b

3. The following:

```
printf ("%f", 9/5);
```

prints:

- (a) 1.8
- (b) 1.0
- (c) 2.0
- (d) none of the above

4. If an integer needs two bytes of storage then maximum value of unsigned integer is:

- (a) $2^{16}-1$
- (b) $2^{15}-1$
- (c) 2^{16}
- (d) 2^{15}

5. If an integer needs two bytes of storage then maximum value of a signed integer is:

- (a) $2^{16}-1$
- (b) $2^{15}-1$
- (c) 2^{16}
- (d) 2^{15}

6. `printf("%d", printf("tim"));`

- (a) results in a syntax error
- (b) outputs tim3
- (c) outputs garbage
- (d) prints tim and terminates abruptly

7. If a b c is the input then the following program fragment results in:

```
char x, y, z;
printf("%d", scanf("%c %c %c", &x, &y, &z));
```

results in:

- (a) a syntax error
- (b) a fatal error
- (c) segmentation violation
- (d) printing of 3

8. Consider the statements:

```
putchar(getchar( ));
putchar(getchar( ));
```

if a

b

is the input, the output will be:

- (a) an error message
- (b) this can't be the input
- (c) ab
- (d) a b

9. Let a, b be two positive integers, which of the following options correctly relates / and %?

- (a) $b = (a/b) * b + a \% b$
- (b) $b = (a \% b) * b + a/b$
- (c) $a = (a/b) * b + a \% b$
- (d) $a = (a \% b) * b + a/b$

10. Consider the following program fragment:

```
char c= 'a'
while (c++ ≤ 'z')
    putchar (xxx);
```

if the required output is abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz then xxx should be:

- (a) c
- (b) c++
- (c) c-1
- (d) -c

11. If y is of integer type then the expressions:

$3 * (y-8)/9$ and $(y-8)/9 * 3$

- (a) must yield same value
- (b) must yield different values
- (c) may or may not yield the same value
- (d) none of the above

12. The statement:

```
if (my Ptr != NULL)
```

```
    *myPtr= NULL;
```

```
else
```

```
    *myPtr= NULL;
```

has the same effect as the statement(s):

- (a)

```
if (myPtr) * myPtr= NULL;
```

```
    else *myPtr= NULL;
```
- (b)

```
*myPtr= NULL;
```
- (c)

```
if (!myPtr) *myPtr= NULL;
```

```
    else *myPtr= NULL;
```
- (d) All of the above

13. The following code fragment:

```
int x, y= 2, z, a;
```

```
x= (y* =2) + (z= a =y);
```

```
printf("%d", x);
```

- (a) prints 8
- (b) prints 6
- (c) prints 6 or 8 depending on the compiler implementation
- (d) is syntactically wrong

14. If n has the value 3 then the output of statement:

```
printf("%d %d", n++, ++n);
```

- (a) is 3 5
- (b) is 4 5
- (c) is 4 4
- (d) is implementation dependent

15. $x- = y+1$; does the same as:

- (a) $x = x - y + 1$
- (c) $x = -x + y + 1$

- (b) $x = -x - y - 1$
- (d) $x = x - y - 1$

16. The expression $5 - 2 - 3 * 5 - 2$ will evaluate to 18, if:

- (a) $-$ is left associative and $*$ has precedence over $-$
- (b) $-$ is right associative and $*$ has precedence over $-$
- (c) $-$ is right associative and $-$ has precedence over $*$
- (d) $-$ is left associative and $-$ has precedence over $*$

17. `printf ("%c", 100);`

- (a) prints 100
- (c) prints garbage

- (b) prints the ASCII equivalent of 100
- (d) none of the above

18. The program fragment:

```
int i= 263;  
putchar (i)
```

- (a) prints 263
- (c) rings the bell

- (b) prints the ASCII equivalent of 263
- (d) prints garbage