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Online Assessment:

Correct Answer : +1

Wrong Answer: -0.25

The first part was an online test with different types of questions about topics like Data Structures, Operating Systems, Aptitude, and C programming. The DSA and operating system questions were easy for me, but I found the aptitude section a bit tricky. The C programming questions were important and I felt comfortable with them, though they took more time. I could solve almost all the DSA questions except one, and I managed the operating system and some of the aptitude questions too. Out of 25 C questions, I could answer around 20 due to lack of time. These questions were long and needed time. Unfortunately, because I didn't have enough time, I could only complete around 48 out of 60 questions.

Technical Round 1 :

The interview began with a quick introduction.

The interviewer asked questions based on the resume.

I discussed deploying my project on AWS EC2, and the interviewer checked all the project functionalities.

Because my projects used Spring, Hibernate, and Java, the interviewer noted that I had worked with higher-level languages, while they use C.

The interviewer then presented a coding question in C.

The task was to replace all occurrences of a given pattern in an original string with a new pattern.

I found this question easy in languages like C++ and Java, but it was more challenging in C.

The interviewer provided a main function and another function called from the main.

The provided code structure was such that the task needed to be done in-place.

After observing the structure of the provided driver code, I suggested a change due to certain issues in provided code.

The interviewer asked why I felt the need for a change.

I explained that since the original string occupied contiguous memory and the output could be longer, doing it in-place might not work well. Even using `realloc` to increase contiguous space doesn't guarantee the same start address after resizing.

The interviewer agreed to the change.

I presented three solutions: returning a new block pointer, passing `char **` instead of `char *`, and directly printing in the given function.

The interviewer allowed me to choose, and I opted for the third approach.

`s_length` : original string length

`p_length` : pattern length

`t_length` : new pattern length

In worst scenario output can occupy

`s_length * t_length (bytes)`

Worst case :

original string is : `aaaa`

pattern : `a`

new pattern : `aniket`

output would contain $4 * 6 = 24$ bytes

I dynamically allocated space of `s_length * t_length (bytes)` for the result using `malloc`.

Wrote code of the question then after placing `\0` at the end of output block shrinked the extra space left over in the output block using `realloc`.

Provided code was correct.

The interview shifted to computer network questions.

I was asked about protocols layer by layer, starting from the Application layer and reaching ICMP protocol at the Network layer.

When asked about ICMP, I gave a concise response due to limited knowledge.

To steer the interview, I started listing data link layer protocols.

Advice: If you know a bit about a fundamental question, try to guide the interview towards familiar topics to avoid cross-questioning.

The interview concluded with an invitation to ask questions about the company, and I posed a few inquiries.

Technical Round 2:

The interview began with a quick introduction. The interviewer asked me to present documentation and a Data Flow Diagram (DFD) of my project.

I mentioned that I hadn't prepared those due to my heavy college workload.

The interviewer then requested to see my source code and asked me to explain where the execution of the project begins.

Confidently, I elaborated on my project's code for more than 25 minutes.

In-between interviewer asked about used DBMS SCHEMA and SIZE OF ATTRIBUTES

Next, the interviewer inquired whether I had implemented exception handling and dealt with edge cases in my project.

I confirmed that I had.

The interviewer instructed me to execute my project and tested it with various edge cases.

Later, I was asked about the process of resolving IP addresses from source to destination.

I managed to provide a correct explanation for this.

The interviewer presented Java and C/C++ code snippets and asked me to predict their outputs.

The Java questions pertained to Multithreading, Method Resolution Rules, and Runtime Polymorphism.

The C/C++ questions involved Pointers, Loops, switch cases, and the use of 'break' statements.

I successfully answered these questions, even though the output prediction tasks proved to be quite challenging.

HR Round:

- 1) Introduce Yourself
- 2) Strength
- 3) Weakness
- 4) What are your skills?
- 5) What is your habit ?
- 6) Tell me about your family
- 7) What do you do whenever you feel low.
- 8) Have you ever experienced work load , share that experience
- 9) Why do you want to join our company
- 10) In which domain AIROHA works
- 11) Tell me about MediaTek
- 12) Tell me any 5 semiconductor companies
- 13) What is your dream company
- 14) What would you do if you have offers from other companies ? Would you leave our company or not .