

ESC 101: Fundamentals of Computing				Major Quiz 2		Date: 01 – 04 - 2019	
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Total 55 Marks

Instructions:

1. This question paper contains a total of 4 pages (7 printed side of paper).
2. Write your roll number on every sheet of this booklet.
3. Write final answers neatly with a blue/black pen in the given boxes.
4. **Answers written outside the box will NOT be graded.**

Q. 1. Write TRUE or FALSE against the given statements (1 x 10 = 10 Marks)

1	If we allocate a memory of 100 bytes using a single malloc call, we can free 50 bytes from this block using free().	FALSE
2	Size of a union variable is equal to sum of all the sizes of constituent variable in the union.	FALSE
3	When a structure is passed as an argument to a function, it is passed by reference .	FALSE
4	When an array is passed as an argument to a function, it is passed by reference.	TRUE
5	Let int a[10] be an array, then the pointer b, initialized as, int *b = a++ will point to a[1].	FALSE
6	Malloc returns a pointer to a memory location which is of the type void*.	TRUE
7	Size of int pointer is 4 bytes, char pointer is 1 byte and long pointer is 8 bytes.	FALSE
8	An 2D array (int a[10][10]) must have a contiguous block of (10*10*sizeof(int)) bytes in the memory.	TRUE
9	We can use free to release memory of a statically declared array. (For eg. int a[10]; free(a);).	FALSE
10	A segmentation fault refers to a situation when your program tries to access/modify memory location not allocated to it.	TRUE

Q. 2. Multiple Choice Question (Single Correct Only) (2 x 5 = 10 Marks)

1. During memory allocation, automatic memory allocation and static memory allocation respectively use

- A) stack and heap []
- B) heap and stack []
- C) heap and heap []
- D) stack and stack [●]**

2. The function free() can be used on which of the following types of memory

- A) statically allocated memory []
- B) dynamically allocated memory [•]
- C) automatically allocated memory []
- D) both (b) & (c) []

3. Which of the following can cause segmentation faults

- A) dereferencing a dangling pointer [•]
- B) printing the value of a dangling pointer []
- C) modifying the value of a dangling pointer []
- D) both (a) & (c) []

4. Linked lists are FASTER than arrays for which of the following operations. Assume that only the head of the linked list and the name of the array are given.

- A) inserting an element (pointer to the node after which insertion is to be done is given) [•]
- B) searching for an element []
- C) modifying an element given its position from the start/head []
- D) all of the above []

5. Which of the following statements is correct?

- A) array name variables cannot be reassigned [•]
- B) having a return statement in a void function can cause a run time error []
- C) calloc() returns a integer pointer to the memory area allotted which has all its values assigned zero []
- D) none of the above []

Q. 3. Multiple Choice Question (Multiple Correct)

(3 x 5 = 15 Marks)

1. Consider the following 2 Dimensional array int a[20][20]; Choose all the option(s) which is equivalent to a[5][10].

- A) (*(a + 5) + 10) []
- B) (*(a + 5) + 10) [•]
- C) (*(a + 5))[10] [•]
- D) **(a + 5*20 + 10) []
- E) (*(a + 5*20 + 10) [•]

2. Consider the following structure and the following two instantiations.

```
struct student {  
    char *name;  
    int class;  
    int roll_number;  
}
```

Instantiations:

```
struct student *s = (struct student*) malloc(sizeof(student));  
struct student t;
```

Choose the correct option(s) w.r.t. above instantiations of struct student.

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- A) s will point to a memory block of size = 2*sizeof(int) + sizeof(char*). [•]
- B) s.roll_number will access the roll_number field of the student structure instantiation s. []
- C) t.roll_number will access the roll_number field of the student structure instantiation t. [•]
- D) s->name will access the name field of the student structure instantiation s. [•]
- E) t->name will access the name field of the student structure instantiation t. []

3. Consider the following string: char a[100] = "THE ANSWER IS\0 42"; Choose all the correct option(s):

- A) strlen(a) is equal to 13. [•]
- B) printf("%c", *a); will print: T [•]
- C) After strcat(a, a), printing a will print THE ANSWER ISTHE ANSWER IS [•]
- D) Memory used by array a is equal to 13*sizeof(char) []
- E) Printing a[50] may give segmentation fault. []

4. Consider a singly linked list with 10 elements. Where each node is designed as follows.

```
struct node {  
    struct node *next;  
    int value;  
}
```

Choose the correct option(s) with respect to above linked list.
Assume that we DON'T have the head pointer, unless stated otherwise.

- A. If we have a pointer to 4th element, we can delete 5th element. [•]
- B. If we have a pointer to 5th element, we can delete 4th element. []
- C. If we have head pointer, head->value will be equal to value of the first element. [•]
- D. If we have head pointer, size of the head pointer will be equal to sizeof(char*). [•]
- E. If we have head pointer, head + 1 will point to the second element of the list. []

5. Consider the following code snippet. Choose all the correct option(s).

```
int main() {  
    int a = 10, b = 20;  
    int *pa = &a, *pb = &b;  
    int **ppa = &pa, **ppb = &pb;  
  
    printf("%d\n", (*pa)*(*pb));           // (1)  
    ppa = ppb;  
    printf("%d\n", (*pa)*(**ppa));         // (2)  
    printf("%d\n", (*ppa == *ppb));        // (3)  
    *pa = b;  
    printf("%d\n", (**ppa != *pa));        // (4)  
}
```

- A) 200 will be printed at line (1) [•]
- B) 200 will be printed at line (2) [•]
- C) 1 will be printed at line (3) [•]
- D) 1 will be printed at line (4) []
- E) None of the above []

Q. 4: Write the output for the following programs.

(5 x 2 = 10 Marks)

1. MAGIC SQUARE

```
#include <stdio.h>

void function(int size, int a[][3]){
    int sqr = size * size;
    int i = 0, j = 1, k;
    for (k = 1; k <= sqr; ++k) {
        a[i][j] = k;
        i--;
        j++;

        if (k % size){
            if (j == size) j -= size;
            else if (i < 0) i += size;
        }
        else {
            i += 2;
            j--;
        }
    }
    for (i = 0; i < size; i++){
        for (j = 0; j < size; j++){
            printf("%d ", a[i][j]);
        }
        printf("\n");
    }
    printf("\n");
}

int main( ){
    int arr[3][3];
    function(3, arr);
    return 0;
}
```

OUTPUT

8 1 6
3 5 7
4 9 2

2. RECURSIVE DISPLAY

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```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

typedef struct node{
    int data;
    struct node *next;
}node;

void print1(node * );
void print2(node * );

void insert_new_node (node ** head_ref, int new_data){
    node * new_node = (node *) malloc(sizeof(node));
    new_node -> data = new_data;
    new_node -> next = (*head_ref);
    (*head_ref) = new_node;
}

void print1(node *head){
    if (head == NULL) return;
    print2(head -> next);
    printf("%d ", head -> data);
}

void print2(node *head){
    if (head == NULL) return;
    printf("%d ", head -> data);
    print1(head -> next);
}

int main (){
    node *head = NULL;
    insert_new_node (&head, 1);
    insert_new_node (&head, 2);
    insert_new_node (&head, 3);
    insert_new_node (&head, 4);
    printf ("List : ");
    print1(head);
    return 0;
}
```

OUTPUT

List : 3 1 2 4

Q. 5: Fill in the blanks with appropriate code in the following programs.
Assume appropriate includes.

(5 x 2 = 10 Marks)

1. Given an area of $n \times m$. You have infinite number of tiles of size $2^i \times 2^i$ where $i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ so on. The task is to find minimum number of tiles required to fill the given area with tiles.

```
#include<stdio.h>

int minTilesRequired(int n , int m){
    if (n == 0 || m == 0) return 0;
    else if (n%2 == 0 && m%2 == 0)
        return minTilesRequired(____A____, ____B____);
    else if (n%2 == ____C____ && m%2 == 1)
        return (n + minTilesRequired(n/2, m/2));

    else if (n%2 == ____D____ && m%2 == 0)
        return (m + minTilesRequired(n/2, m/2));

    else
        return (n + m - 1 + minTilesRequired(n/2, m/2));
}

int main()
{
    int n,m;
    scanf("%d%d",&n,&m);
    printf("%d", minTilesRequired(n,m));
    return 0;
}
```

A: **n / 2**

B: **m / 2**

C: **0**

D: **1**

2. In computer science, a **STACK** is an abstract data type that serves as a collection of elements with two principal operations, **PUSH** which adds an element to the collection and **POP** which removes the most recently added element that was not yet removed. This makes the stack a Last-In-First-Out (LIFO) data structure. In a LIFO data structure, the last element added to the stack will be the first one to be removed.

```
typedef struct node{
    int data;
    struct node *next;
}node;
node *head = NULL;

void push(int value){
    node *tmp = (node*)malloc(sizeof(node));    //(A)
    tmp -> data = value;
    tmp -> next = head;                        //(B)
    head = tmp;
}
int pop(){
    node *tmp = head;
    int n = tmp->data;                          //(C)
    head = head->next;
    free(tmp);
    return n;
}
void display(node *head){
    if(head == NULL) printf("NULL\n");
    else{
        printf("%d ", head -> data);
        display(head->next);                    // (D)
    }
}
int main(){
    push(10);
    push(20);
    push(30);
    display(head);
    pop();
    display(head);
    return 0;
}
```