

Ch 5_Quiz

Multiple Choice Questions (10%)

1. Which of the following is not a means of repeating a block of instructions?
 A. Pretest loop B. Posttest loop C. Recursion D. Assignment statement
2. The insertion sort algorithm is an example of an algorithm in which of the following classes?
 A. $\Theta(\log_2 n)$ B. $\Theta(n)$ C. $\Theta(n \log_2 n)$ D. $\Theta(n^2)$
3. The binary search algorithm is an example of an algorithm in which of the following classes?
 A. $\Theta(\log_2 n)$ B. $\Theta(n)$ C. $\Theta(n \log_2 n)$ D. $\Theta(n^2)$
4. Pre-conditions, post-conditions, and loop invariants are examples of which of the following?
 A. Pseudocode B. Iterative structures C. Assertions D. Recursion
5. Which of the following is a loop invariant at the point at which the test for termination is performed in the following loop structure?
 while $X < 5$:
 $X = X + 2$
 A. $X > 5$ B. $X < 5$ C. $X \geq 5$ D. $X \leq 5$

Fill-in-the-blank/Short-answer Questions (90%)

1. What sequence of values will be printed when the following instructions are executed? (8%)

```
X = 5
if X < 7:
    print 6
else:
    print 4
    X = 4
if X < 5:
    print 3
else:
    print 2
```

Ans: 6
2

2. What sequence of values will be printed when the following instructions are executed? (8%)

```
X = 5
while (X < 7):
    print(X)
    X = X + 1
print(X)
while (X > 2):
    print(X)
    X = X - 2
```

Ans: 5 6 7 7 3

3. At most, how many entries in a list of 5000 names will be interrogated when using binary search algorithm? (8%)

$2^k = 5000$, $2^{10} = 1024$, $2^{11} = 2048$, $2^{12} = 4096$, $2^{13} = 8192$

4. At most, how many entries in a list of 5000 names will be interrogated when using sequential search algorithm? (8%)

5000 # Ans: 5000

5. Which of the sequential or binary search algorithms would find the name Kelly in the list more quickly? (8%)

John, Kelly, Lewis, Maurice, Nathan, Oliver, Pat, Quincy, Roger, Stan, Tom

Ans: Sequential

6. Suppose the binary search algorithm was being used to search for the entry Tom in the list

Nathan, Oliver, Pat, Quincy, Rodger, Stan, Tom

- A. What would be the first entry in the list to be considered?

Quincy (5%)

- B. What would be the second entry in the list to be considered?

Stan (5%) Stan