

**Quiz 2 Version A Model Solution**

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The quiz has 2+10 questions to bubble in.  
Keep the question sheet for your records.

1. I have spelled out and bubbled in correctly my first name, last name, and Purdue ID.

**A** True

**B** False

2. Your version of the quiz is Version A. Bubble in the version below. If you do not bubble in the version, your quiz score will be 0/10.

**A** Version A

**B** Version B

3. When rolling two dice and  $i$  represents the number from the first die and  $j$  represents the number from the second die, the variance of the random variable  $x(i,j) = i+j$  is:

**A**  $1/6$

**B** 5.83

**C** 2.92

**D** 3.5

Solution : B

4. The recurrence relation representing Towers of Hanoi is

**A**  $H_n = H_{n-1} + H_{n-2}$

**B**  $H_n = H_{n-1} + 1$

**C**  $H_n = nH_{n-1} + 1$

**D** None of the above

Solution : D

5. Is  $a_n = 4a_{n-2} + 9a_{n-4}$  a LHRCC?

**A** True

**B** False

Solution : A

6. Is  $a_n = (a_{n-2})^2 + na_{n-4} + 1$  a LHRCC?

**A** True

**B** False

Solution : B

7. A fruit bowl has apples, oranges, and pears. How many ways are there to select 5 pieces of fruit?. There are many pieces of fruits of each type in the bowl and the order of retrieved fruits does not matter.

**A** 15

**B** 21

**C** 30

**D** 5!

**E** None of the above

Solution : B

8. How many different strings can be made by reordering the letters of the word SUCCEESS?

**A** 1680

**B** 3360

**C** 6720

**D** 40320

**E** None of the above

Solution : A

9. What is the coefficient of  $x^{13}y^{15}$  in the expansion of  $(2x - 3y)^{25}$ ?

**A**  $c(25, 15)$

**B**  $c(25, 13)$

**C**  $c(25, 15)(2)^{15}(-3)^{(13)}$

**D** None of the above

Solution : D

Which of the following statements are correct? A is True and B is False.

10. A Turing machine can perform sorting

Solution : True

11. Among 100 people there are at least 20 who were born in the same month.

Solution : False

12.  $5!$  is the number of permutations of 5 playing cards selected at random from a deck of 52 cards.

Solution : False