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CS 161 Midterm Exam 2, Winter 2020

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Part I: True/False questions are worth 2 points; Multiple-choice questions are worth 3 points.

1. I want to store the number of guests who've responded to my graduation party invitation. The banquet hall seats 400 people. Which of these variable types would be the best choice?
 - A. `short`
 - B. `unsigned short **`
 - C. `int`
 - D. `unsigned int` <- partial credit (2/3 points)

2. **A:** (A: True, B: False) Every "new" statement should be followed somewhere by a "delete" statement.

3. What is the value of `z` after the loop ends?


```
int z;
for (z=10; z<15; z+=3)
  cout << z << endl;
```

 - A. 10
 - B. 13 <- Note that z gets updated at the end of each iteration, before the next z<15 check
 - C. 15
 - D. 16 **

4. **A:** (A: True, B: False) Given an array defined as


```
float dewpoint[3];
```

 and a function with prototype


```
void report(float* data);
```

 it is valid C++ to call


```
report(dewpoint);
```

5. What is the output of the following C++ statement:


```
cout << 14 + 10 / 4 - 2 << endl;
```

 - A. 4
 - B. 12
 - C. 14 **
 - D. 15

6. **A:** (A: True, B: False) A reference allows you to access or modify the value of another variable.

7. **B:** (A: True, B: False) A static 2D array in C++ is laid out in column-major order.

8. What is the smallest value that can be stored in a **signed short**?
 - A. $-2^{16}-1$
 - B. -2^{16}
 - C. $-2^{15}-1$
 - D. -2^{15} **

9. **A:** (A: True, B: False) A C-style string is a character array that includes a null terminator (`'\0'` character) to mark the end of the string.

10. **B:** (A: True, B: False) If a C++ program compiles successfully, it will have no memory leaks.

11. Given this declaration:

```
int* leaf = new int[3];
```

Which valid C++ statement will store the address of a pointer?

- A. `int* tree = &leaf;` <- `&leaf` is an `int**`, so this won't work
- B. `int* tree = leaf;`
- C. `int** tree = &leaf;` **
- D. `int** tree = leaf;`

12. What is the return type of `fun()`, given how it was called?

```
float rose;
double* d;
int arr = new int[3];
d = fun(3, arr);
```

- A. `int`
- B. `int*`
- C. `double`
- D. `double* **`
- E. `void`

13. **B:** (A: True, B: False) You can have the following two function prototypes in the same program:

```
void fun(int a, int b, int c);
int* fun(int a, int b, int c);
```

14. **B:** (A: True, B: False) To free the memory in a 2D array, these options are equivalent:

- | | |
|--|--|
| <pre>(1) for (int i=0; i<nrows; i++) delete [] arr[i]; delete [] arr;</pre> | <pre>(2) delete [] arr; for (int i=0; i<nrows; i++) delete [] arr[i];</pre> |
|--|--|

15. **B:** (A: True, B: False) A dangling pointer is the result of memory not being freed.

16. **A:** (A: True, B: False) This array contains 6 characters:

```
char label[] = { "Super" };
```

17. Select the option that generates a random number between 7 and 14 (inclusive).

- A. `rand()%7 + 14`
- B. `rand()%14 + 7`
- C. `rand()%8 + 7` **
- D. `rand()%7 + 8`

18. **A:** (A: True, B: False) `cin.getline(name, 10);` reads in 9 chars and adds '\0' to the end of the array.

19. Where is memory allocated for the right-hand side of the following statement:

```
int* holes = new int[5];
```

- A. Heap **
- B. Stack
- C. No new memory is allocated
- D. Invalid C++ code

20. Given the declaration `int hobbit = 10;` where is memory allocated for the right-hand side of the following statement:

```
int* wizard = &hobbit;
```

- A. Heap
- B. Stack <- partial credit (2/3 points)
- C. No new memory is allocated **
- D. Invalid C++ code

21. Which of the following statements contain invalid C++ code?

- A. `double arr[5];`
- B. `int s = new int; **`
- C. `char c[5];`
`char* ptr = c;`
- D. None of these are invalid.

22. After the following code executes, what is the value of `rose` if the user enters `-2.1`?

```
float rose;  
cin >> rose;  
if (rose < 0.3)  
    rose += 0.5;  
else if (rose < 0)  
    rose -= 0.5;  
else  
    rose = -rose;
```

- A. -2.6
- B. -2.1
- C. -1.6 **
- D. 2.1

23. How do you get the length of a C-style string called "galaxy"?

- A. `galaxy.length();`
- B. `len(galaxy);`
- C. `galaxy.len();`
- D. `galaxy.strlen();`
- E. `strlen(galaxy); **`

24. How many times does this loop iterate?

```
int q = 3;
while (q < 7)
    cout << q++ << endl;
```

- A. 3
- B. 4 **
- C. 5
- D. 7

25. Given an array declared as `double files[7][2]`; which of the following function declarations will **not** work with this array?

- A. `int sort(double a[7][2]);`
- B. `int sort(double a[][2]);`
- C. `int sort(double a[7][1]); **`

26. What does this code segment print:

```
short mouse = -5;
short* cat = &mouse;
(*cat)--;
cout << mouse << endl;
```

- A. -6 **
- B. -5
- C. -4
- D. a memory address
- E. error: will not compile

27. What does this code segment print:

```
int list[5] = {};
*(list + 2) = 500;
cout << list[2] << "," << list << endl;
```

- A. 0, 500
- B. 500, 0 0 500 0 0
- C. 500, a memory address **
- D. a memory address, 500
- E. 500, 0

28. Given this code fragment:

```
int matrix[2][3];
int k = 3;
for (int i=0; i < 2; i++)
    for (int j=0; j < 3; j++)
        matrix[i][j] = k++;
```

The value of `matrix[1][2]` is:

- A. 2
- B. 3
- C. 5
- D. 8 **

29. Choose the best replacement for the blank to allow this code fragment to compute the minimum value of an array called `bestsellers`.

```
short bestsellers[] = {5, 7, 10, 3, 14};
int min_index = 0;
for (int i=1; i<5; i++)
    if (bestsellers[i] < bestsellers[min_index])
        _____;
cout << "Min bestsellers: " << bestsellers[min_index] << endl;
```

A. `i = min_index;`
 B. `min_index = i; **`
 C. `bestsellers[i] = bestsellers[min_index];` <- overwrites contents
 D. `bestsellers[min_index] = i;`

30. What will this code print out:

```
int n_kids = 7, n_people = 5;
if (n_people > 3) {
    int n_kids = n_people * 2;
    n_people -= 2;
}
cout << n_people << ", ";
cout << n_kids << endl;
```

A. 3, 7 **
 B. 3, 10 <- check scope of `n_kids`. Which variable are we printing?
 C. 5, 7
 D. 7, 3

31. B: (A: True, B: False) The dereference operator `*` takes precedence over the indexing operator `[]`. I am throwing out this question (it will not be included in your grade). Do study it for the final, though!

Part II: Short Answer. (19 pts)

32. (2 pts) Let `sunburn`, `sun`, and `burn` be three Boolean variables. Write a C++ assignment statement that will set `sunburn` to true if either `sun` or `burn` is true (no conditional statement).

`sunburn = sun || burn;`

33. (4 pts) What is the output of the following code?

```
void update(float& p, float* q, float r) {
    p = r * 2.5;
    (*q)++;
    r = *q + p;
}
int main() {
    float hop = 5, skip = 3, jump = 1;
    update(hop, &skip, jump);
    cout << hop << " " << skip << " " << jump << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

2.5 4 1

34. (4 pts) What is the output of the following code?

```
short score[2][3];

for (int i=0; i<2; i++)
    for (int j=0; j<3; j++)
        score[i][j] = (i + j + 3) * 2;

for (int i=0; i<2; i++) {
    for (int j=0; j<3; j++)
        cout << score[i][j] - j << " ";
    cout << endl;
}
```

```
6 7 8
8 9 10
```

35. (6 pts) Fill in the blanks with valid C++ to achieve the goals indicated in the comments.

```
int peter = 7;

int& paul = peter; /* create a reference to peter */

int* mary = &peter; /* create a pointer to peter */

*mary = -7;          /* use mary to change peter to -7 */

paul++;              /* use paul to increment peter */
```

36. (4 pts) Write down a **question (and its answer)** that you think would be an appropriate addition to this test. Questions will be judged by their **relevance** to course content and **non-triviality**. Answers will be graded by their **accuracy**.

Question:

Answer:

Part III: Extra Credit. (+4 pts possible)

37. (up to 2 pts) What will the following code output?

```
float p[] = {1.1, 2.1, 3.2, 4.5};
float* q = &(p[3]) - 1;
cout << q[0] << ", "
      << q[1] << endl;
```

```
3.2,4.5
```

38. (up to 2 pts) What positive input(s) would give an output of 5?

```
int input;
cin >> input;
if (input < 10 && input % 3 == 1)
    cout << input - 2 << endl;
else
    cout << input + 2 << endl;
```

```
3 or 7
```