

### Python Programming Sample Questions





#### Multiple Choice Questions(MCQs)

- 1. Is Python case sensitive when dealing with identifiers?
  - a) yes
  - b) no
  - c) machine dependent
  - d) none of the mentioned
- 2. Which of the following is an invalid variable?
  - a) my\_string\_1
  - b) 1st\_string
  - c) foo
  - d) \_
- 3. Which of the following cannot be a variable?
  - a) \_\_\_init\_\_\_
  - b) in
  - c) it
  - d) on
- 4. Which is the correct operator for power( $x^y$ )?
  - a) X^y
  - b) X\*\*y
  - c) X^^y
  - d) None of the mentioned



- 5. Which one of these is floor division?
  - a) /
  - b) //
  - c) %
  - d) None of the mentioned
- 6. What will be the output of the following Python expression if x=456?

#### print("%-06d"%x)

- a)000456
- b)456000
- c)456
- d) error
- 7. What will be the output of the following Python expression if x=22.19?

#### print("%5.2f"%x)

- a)22.1900
- b)22.00000
- c)22.19
- d) 22.20
- 8. Which of the following formatting options can be used in order to add 'n' blank spaces after a given string 'S'?
  - a) print("-ns"%S)
  - b) print("-ns"%S)



- c) print("%ns"%S)
- d) print("%-ns"%S)
- 9. Which of the following commands will create a list?
  - a) list1 = list()
  - b) list1 = []
  - c) list1 = list([1, 2, 3])
  - d) all of the mentioned
- 10. Suppose listExample is ['h','e','l','o'], what is len(listExample)?
  - a) 5
  - b) 4
  - c) None
  - d) Error
- 11. Suppose list1 is [2445,133,12454,123], what is max(list1)?
  - a) 2445
  - b) 133
  - c) 12454
  - d) 123
- 12. Suppose list1 is [4, 2, 2, 4, 5, 2, 1, 0], Which of the following is correct syntax for slicing operation?
  - a) print(list1[0])
  - b) print(list1[:2])
  - c) print(list1[:-2])
  - d) all of the mentioned



13. Which of the following is a Python tuple?

- a) [1, 2, 3]
- b) (1, 2, 3)
- c)  $\{1, 2, 3\}$
- d) {}
- Tuples can't be made keys of a dictionary.
  - a) True
  - b) False
- 15. Is the following Python code valid?

>>> b=a.update(4,)

$$a=(1,2,3,4)$$

$$b=(1,2,3,4)$$

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- d) No because wrong syntax for update() method
- 16. Which of the following statements create a dictionary?
  - a)  $d = \{\}$
  - b) d = {"john":40, "peter":45}
  - c) d = {40:"john", 45:"peter"}
  - d) All of the mentioned
- 17. Suppose d = {"john":40, "peter":45}, to delete the entry for "john"



what command do we use?

- a) d.delete("john":40)
- b) d.delete("john")
- c) del d["john"]
- d) del d("john":40)
- 18. Suppose d = {"john":40, "peter":45}. To obtain the number of entries in dictionary which command do we use?
  - a) d.size()
  - b) len(d)
  - c) size(d)
  - d) d.len()
- 19. What is called when a function is defined inside a class?
  - a) Module
  - b) Class
  - c) Another function
  - d) Method
- 20. Which of the following is the use of id() function in python?
  - a) Id returns the identity of the object
  - b) Every object doesn't have a unique id
  - c) All of the mentioned
  - d) None of the mentioned
- 21. How many keyword arguments can be passed to a function in a single function call?



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- b) one
- c) zero or more
- d) one or more
- 22. How are keyword arguments specified in the function heading?
  - a) one-star followed by a valid identifier
  - b) one underscore followed by a valid identifier
  - c) two stars followed by a valid identifier
  - d) two underscores followed by a valid identifier
- 23. In \_\_\_\_\_ copy, the base address of the objects are copied. In \_\_\_\_\_ copy, the base address of the objects are not copied.
  - a) deep. shallow
  - b) memberwise, shallow
  - c) shallow, deep
  - d) deep, memberwise
- 24. What is the base case in the Merge Sort algorithm when it is solved recursively?
  - a) n=0
  - b) n=1
  - c) A list of length one
  - d) An empty list
- 25. Which module in Python supports regular expressions?



- a) re
- b) regex
- c) pyregex
- d) none of the mentioned
- 26. What does the function re.search do?
  - a) matches a pattern at the start of the string
  - b) matches a pattern at any position in the string
  - c) such a function does not exist
  - d) none of the mentioned
- 27. What is Instantiation in terms of OOP terminology?
  - a) Deleting an instance of class
  - b) Modifying an instance of class
  - c) Copying an instance of class
  - d) Creating an instance of class
- 28. Which of the following is false about protected class members?
  - a) They begin with one underscore
  - b) They can be accessed by subclasses
  - c) They can be accessed by name mangling method
  - d) They can be accessed within a class
- 29. When will the else part of try-except-else be executed?
  - a) always
  - b) when an exception occurs
  - c) when no exception occurs





- d) when an exception occurs in to except block
- 30. Can one block of except statements handle multiple exception?
  - a) yes, like except TypeError, SyntaxError [,...]
  - b) yes, like except [TypeError, SyntaxError]
  - c) no
  - d) none of the mentioned.