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6. Select the most suitable computer type from a super computer, a laptop computer and a tablet computer, for the following applications: A - to process very large amounts of data that are continuously obtained through satellites B - for a writer to work on an essay during a vacation away from home C - for a travelling sales representative to enter item requests while visiting shops (1) A: laptop computer, B: super computer, C: tablet computer (2) A: laptop computer, B: tablet computer, C: super computer (3) A: super computer, C: tablet computer B: laptop computer, C: laptop computer (4) A: tablet computer, B: super computer, 7. Consider the following statement with blanks labelled (A) and (B): Which of the following combinations is suitable to fill the blanks labelled (A) and (B) respectively? (1) primary memory, registers (2) registers, primary memory (3) secondary memory, primary memory (4) secondary memory, registers 8. Which of the following are correct regarding transmission media? A - Unshielded Twisted Pair (UTP) cables are suitable to transmit data for long distances over 200 m. B - Fiber optic cables transmit data faster than UTP cables. C - Infrared data transmission is used in wireless keyboards to communicate with computers. (2) C only (I) B only (3) B and C only (4) all A, B and C 9. Which of the following statements are true? A - Binary form is used to store data and instructions in computers. B - 945 is a valid number both in the octal and hexadecimal number systems, C - 412_{\circ} is equivalent to 100001010_{\circ} . (1) A only (2) B only (3) A and C only (4) all A, B and C 10. Which of the following shows the given storage components in descending order of access speed? (1) cache memory, main memory, register, hard disk (2) hard disk, cache memory, register, main memory (3) register, cache memory, main memory, hard disk (4) register, main memory, hard disk, cache memory 11. If character 'E' is represented in the ASCII table as 69₁₀, what is the binary representation of character 'G' in the ASCII table? (1) 1000110 (2) 1000111 (3) 1001000 (4) 1001001 12. Which of the following contains only the tasks of an operating system? (1) payroll management, process management, file management (2) process management, database management, file management (3) process management, memory management, database management (4) process management, memory management, file management 13. Which of the following techniques can be used to increase the free space of a hard disk without deleting any existing files? (1) compression of existing files on the hard disk (2) copying some files in the hard disk to a flash drive (3) formatting of the hard disk

(4) partitioning of the hard disk

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• Questions 21 to 24 are based on the following partly shown database tables that are used to store data about books, students, and books reserved by students in a school library.

Table: Book (Contains the details of books and whether each book is reserved or not.)

Book_1D	Title	Reserved
B0001	Effective Writing	TRUE
B0002	Classic Short Stories	TRUE
B0003	Poem Writing	FALSE
B0004	Vocal Theory	TRUE

Table: Student (Contains details of all students in school and whether each student is a library member or not,)

Student_Name	Student_ID	Grade	Library_Member	
Piyal	1001	7	TRUE	
Kumar	1002	9	TRUE	
Ismail	1003	8	TRUE	
Sunil	1004	10	FALSE	
Sarath	1005	7	TRUE	

Table: Reservation (Contains details about books reserved by students.)

Student_ID	Reserved Date	Book_ID
1003	02/03/2019	B0002
1002	23/04/2019	B0001
1005	16/06/2019	B0004

21. How many *fields* are in the *Student* table? (1) 2 (2) 3 (3) 4

22. What would be an example of a foreign key in the database?

- (1) Book_ID in Reservation table (2) Grade in Student table
- (3) **Reserved** Date in *Reservation* table

23. What is the title of the book reserved by Kumar?

(1) Classic Short Stories (2) Effective Writing

- (3) Poem Writing
- **24.** A student gets the library membership and reserves a book. What tables need to be updated for this purpose?

(4) Title in Book table

(4) Vocal Theory

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- (1) Book table and Reservation table
- (2) Book table and Student table
- (3) Reservation table and Student table
- (4) Book table, Reservation table and Student table

25. Which of the following shows the correct order of testing a software system?

- (1) acceptance testing, integration testing, unit testing, system testing
- (2) system testing, integration testing, acceptance testing, unit testing
- (3) unit testing, acceptance testing, system testing, integration testing
- (4) unit testing, integration testing, system testing, acceptance testing
- 26. Every web page on the World Wide Web (WWW) has a unique identifier called the (1) email address. (2) hyperlink. (3) IP address. (4) URL.
- 27. Which of the following combinations contains only Internet related protocols?
 (1) FTP, HTML, HTTP, SMTP
 (2) FTP, HTML, HTTP, TCP/IP
 (3) FTP, HTTP, SMTP, TCP/IP
 (4) HTML, SMTP, TCP/IP, URL

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 28. Which of the following combinations represents only the services of the Internet?
 (1) email, file sharing, remote access, streaming of media

 (2) email, file sharing, streaming of media, web browsers
 (3) file sharing, ITTML codes, remote access, search engines

 (4) remote access, search engines, streaming of media, web browsers
 (3) file sharing, ITTML codes, remote access, search engines

 (4) remote access, search engines, streaming of media, web browsers
 (3) col>,clb
 (1) cul>,clb

 (1) cul>,cdb
 (2) cul>,clc
 (3) col>,clb
 (1) cul>,clb

 (1) cul>,cdb
 (2) cul>,clc
 (3) col>,clb
 (1) cul>,clb

 (3) file sharing, itTML codes, remote access, search engines
 (4) cul>,clb
 (5) cul>,clb

 (3) Which of the following statements related to web page development are correct?
 A - The content shown in dynamic web pages.
 (1) A and B only
 (2) and C only
 (4) all A, B and C

 31. Which of the following tags can be used for HTML character formatting?
 (1)
$$\phi_{ab}$$
, clb>, cub>, cub>
 (2) ϕ_{ab} , db>, cub>, cub>
 (2) ϕ_{ab} , db>, cub>, cub>

 33. How many bits per pixel (bpp) are required to represent 32 colours?
 (1) ϕ_{ab} , db>, cub>
 (4) ϕ_{ab} , db>, cub>

 (1) ϕ_{ab} , db>, cub>, cub>
 (3) ϕ_{ab} , db>, cub>
 (4) ϕ_{ab} , db>

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37.	What, would following pse	be the output if a user udo-code segment?	inputs the numbers 4	, 5, 2, -1 one after the o	ther for the
	terminal = -1				
	$\mathbf{x} = 0$				
	REPEAT DISPLAY	"Enter number"			
		IF num>x THEN			
		x=num			
		ENDIF			
	UNTIL num= DISPLAY x	terminal			
	(1) –1	(2) 0	(3) 4	(4) 5	
38.	Consider the	following statements re	garding computer pro	grams:	
	A - Variab	oles can contain differen	nt values at different	times.	
	B - <i>Reserv</i> langua	<i>ved words</i> of a progra	mming language can	be used as variable na	<i>mes</i> in that
	Which of the	following is true with	respect to the above?		
I	(1) Only A is	correct.	(2) Only B is	correct.	
I	(3) Both A an	d B are correct.	(4) Both A an	d B are incorrect.	
3 9.	Consider the	following pseudo-code:			
	READ a, b, c				
	value = 0	T			
	IF (a>b) IHE	N (abc) THEN			
		value = a			
	El	LSE			
		value = c			
	ENDIE	NDIF			
	ENDIF DISPLAY value	3			
	If the values the displayed	input for the variables output?	<i>a</i> , <i>b</i> and <i>c</i> are 50, 3	0 and 70 respectively, wh	at would be
	(1) 0	(2) 30	(3) 50	(4) 70	
10.	If 0 and 1 reather two respectively the two respectively the two respectively and the two respec	spectively are given as ctive outputs at Y?	inputs for X in the f	ollowing logic circuit, wh	at would be
				- <i>Y</i>	
I	(1) A, B	(2) A, B	$(3) B, \overline{A}$	(4) B, A	
			* *		

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(v) Amara wants to create a folder (directory) structure to store files methodically in his computer. He wants separate folders for his study related files of the subjects Maths and Science. He also wants to store all his music files separately. He further wants to store all the photos that he had taken in 2018 and 2019 separately.

The following diagram shows the folders and sub-folders created by Amara. Write down the folder names indicated by the labels B-E choosing from the given list.



List : {2019, Music, Photos, Science, Studies}

(vi) Some formatting done to a word-processed text is shown below:

Randenigala (A) (B) (C) With a catchment area of 2,330 km², it is one of the *largest* reservoirs in Sri Lanka. Some of its measurements are as follows:

• Length of the dam – 485 m

• Surface area of the reservoir - 13.5 km²

Following are some tool icons of a word processing software:

Formatting icon	<i>a</i>]	a	ם	a	gP		1
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Identify the formatting tools, indicated by the labels $\mathbb{P} - \mathbb{V}$ required to do the formatting tasks indicated by the labels $\mathbb{A} - \mathbb{D}$. Write down the label of each formatting task and its matching tool icon label.

(vii) Consider the following database table listing monthly sales and commissions of sales representatives:

Month	SalesRepID	TotalSales	Commission
January	1	Rs. 10,000	Rs. 100
January	2	Rs. 20,000	Rs. 200
February	1	Rs. 5,000	Rs. 50
February	2	Rs. 15,000	Rs. 150

Note: In the above table, SalesRepID represents the identifier of the sales representative.

(a) Which two fields should be chosen to make the primary key of the above table?

(b) Write down the most suitable data type for the:

(1) Month field

(2) TotalSales field

(viii) Following flowchart is used to input marks of three subjects. Then it calculates and displays the average of those marks, and the pass/fail status. To be considered for a pass, the average should be greater than or equal to 40.

Identify the correct statement for each of the labels D, O, B and S in the flowchart from the table given below. Write down each label and its matching statement number



Statement Number	Statement		
1	average = $(m1 + m2 + m3) / 3$		
2	DISPLAY "Fail"		
3	DISPLAY "Pass"		
4	Is average < 40?		



- (ix) Choosing from the two words given within parentheses, select the suitable word that should be used to fill in each blank of the following statements labelled O O. In your answer, write only the statement label and the selected word for the blank.
 - A tiny illuminated dot of white, black, or any other colour, which is displayed on a computer screen is called a (bitmap, pixel).
 - B In (raster, vector) graphics, the images are made up as a collection of lines.
 - © (Lossy, Lossless) compression reduces the quality of the image.
 - 0 (GIF, JPEG) is an example for a lossless file format.
- (x) Kamal sent an e-mail message to Hameed, Meena, Sharma and Gihan as shown by the email header given below.

To:	hameed,	meena
Cc:	sharma	
Bcc:	gihan	

- Write down whether the following two statements labelled (A) and (B) are True (T) or False (F). (In your answer, write the statement label and the T/F status.)
- (A) Gihan can see that Hameed is a recipient.
- B Sharma can see that Gihan is a recipient.

- 2. (i) Some information technology related risks (labelled (A D)) are given below.
 - (A) losing user files and folders due to a hard disk failure
 - (B) computer behaving abnormally after the use of a flash drive
 - © data in a computer connected to the Internet accessed remotely without authorization
 - D frequent power supply interruptions to a personal computer

Identify suitable solutions for the above risks from the labelled list $(\mathbb{P} - \mathbb{O})$ given below. Write down the risk label and the matching solution label.

- (ii) The 3R (Reduce, Reuse and Recycle) technique is well accepted for waste reduction. Explain this technique with respect to reducing e-waste.
- (iii) Write answers for the following:
 - (a) Write one way in which a person can protect a spreadsheet on his computer from unauthorized access. (Assume that the computer is not connected to the Internet.)
 - (b) A person cannot afford to buy commercial spreadsheet software for his computer. He has to use spreadsheet software often and he does not like the expense and the inconvenience of going to an ICT center each time for it. Suggest one thing that he could do fulfill his spreadsheet requirements.
 - (c) To facilitate student learning, a school principal wants to start a Learning Management System (LMS) in her school using an unused, new computer. Write down one benefit that students can obtain through this LMS.
 - (d) Explain how a student can include in his essay without plagiarizing, a part of the content of a website.
 - (e) A manager in a Colombo office wants to have a meeting with managers in Jaffna and Matara offices using a video conference. Write down the requirements that are needed in these locations in order to use this facility.
- (iv) An office wants to create a computer network using a hub, three computers (named server, computer A, computer B) and a printer using a star topology.
 Using named boxes for the devices (e.g., hub), draw a diagram to illustrate the above topology for the office.

3. Following are the partly shown tables of the relational database of a sports team management system in a school.

PlayerID	FirstName	LastName	StudentID
P1001	Saman	Perera	S1538
P1002	Raj	Selvam	S1201
P1003	Sharaf	Nazwar	S2735
P1004	Saman	Silva	S1465
P1005	Shane	Almaida	S2905
P1006	Nimal	Fernando	S1350
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Table: Player (Includes the descriptions of players)

TeamID	PlayerID	YearJoined
T 1	P1002	2013
TI	P1004	2014
Т2	P1003	2015
T2	P1005	2015
Т3	P1001	2014
Т3	P1006	2013
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TeamID	TeamName	AgeGroup	CaptainID
T1	Cricket	U19	P1002
T2	Cricket	U17	P1003
Т3	Volleyball	U19	P1002
Т4	Volleyball	U17	P1004
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Table: Team

(Contains the names and age categories of teams and their captains)

Table: Player_Team

(Contains the players of each team and their years of joining)

(Note: CaptainID is a valid PlayerID)

(i) (a) Write down the primary key of the Team table.

(b) Write down the possible primary keys available in the Player table,

- (ii) Which table(s) need(s) to be updated to accommodate the following changes?
 - (a) A new student, *Piyal Alwis* (StudentID: S4205), is admitted to the school and joins the U17 Cricket team in 2019.
 - (b) Nimal Fernando is appointed the captain of the U19 Volleyball team.
- (iii) (a) Write down the new record(s) to be added to the relevant table(s) for the change mentioned in part (ii) (a). Use the format: tablename → (field1, field2, ...) for each record.
 (Note: Assume that Piyal Alwis is assigned the PlayerID P1120)

Note. Assume that Fiyat Atwis is assigned the Flayerin 11120)

(b) In 2019, the school starts an Under 17 (U17) Football team (TeamID: T7) and appoints Shane Almaida as the captain. Write down the new record(s) to be added to the relevant table(s) for the above change. Use the format: tablename → (field1, field2, ...) for each record.

(Note that Shane Almaida is currently playing in the U17 Cricket team.)

(iv) Which tables are to be joined to write a query to find the name of the U19 Cricket captain?

- 4. (i) Consider the following statements with blanks labelled O E. Identify the most suitable term to fill each blank from the list given below. Write down the statement label and the matching term.
 - (A) determines the correspondence between domain names and IP addresses on the Internet.
 - (B) is used to transfer large files from one computer to another over the Internet.

 - D is the top level domain of the domain name www.nie.lk.
 - (E) could be used to find out web pages whose URLs are not known.
 - E separates the user name and domain name of an email address,
 - List : {# symbol, @ symbol, DNS service, FTP, HTTP, ICMP, IP address, IP service, lk, nie.lk, Search engines, SMTP, URL}
 - (ii) Choosing from the examples given in the list, write down the correct example for each of the labelled items (a) to (b) given below. You are only required to write the label and the corresponding example.
 - (A) web browser
 - ^(B) programming language for dynamic web content creation
 - © web authoring tool
 - D content management system

List : {Joomla, Kompozer, Mozilla Firefox, Pascal, PHP}

(iii) The HTML source of the web page shown in Figure 1 is given in Figure 2 with certain missing tags labelled ① to ①.



Figure 1: The web page

<html> <(1)> <title> Dengue fever </title> <(1)> <body> <2><center>Dengue fever. What is it and how to stop it?</center></2> <center><3 src="dengue.jpg" width="130" height="100" alt="Mosquito Photo"></center> <center>Stop Dengue!</center> \ll align = "center"> Dengue fever is a mosquito borne viral infection that causes a flu-like illness. </**4**> <4 align = "center">It can worsen into severe dengue and become deadly if not treated well <4>(4) align = "center"> Currently about one-third of the world's population is at risk of contracting dengue fever. $\langle 4 \rangle$ <5><6>Dengue fever signs, symptomsFive prevention tips</6></5> <5><7> < 8> High fever Swollen lymph glands Muscle, joint and abdominal pains Nose bleeding Li> Excessive vomiting </8>> <(7)> <(7)> <(9)> Eliminate standing water Use good mosquito repellent Clean and monitor gradens well Vear protective clothing Use Guppi fish in ponds </9> </7>></5>> <center><h3>For more information: <a (1)="https://www.health.lk"> Dengue prevention</h3> </center> <body> </html> Figure 2: The HTML Source code Select the correct tags for the labels (1)-(1) of Figure 2 from the list given below. Write down each label number and the corresponding HTML tag.

List: {h2, head, href, img, ol, p, td, th, tr, ul}

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5. Consider the following spreadsheet segment which consists of marks obtained by 40 students in a class for their three subjects at a school term test. Students' marks for Subject 1, Subject 2 and Subject 3 are shown in columns C, D and E respectively. This spreadsheet is used to compute the Z-score for each subject of each student and the final Z-score for each student.

	A	8	C	D	NE(F.	G	H.	045
1	1 Index Student		10	Marks			Z-Score	J	Final
2	No.	Name	Subject 1	Subject 2	Subject 3	Subject 1	Subject 2	Subject 3	Z-score
3	1	Kamal	27	34	43	-1.1081	-1.0146	-0.4915	-0.8714
4	2	Raju	45	50	62	0.0382	0.0879	0.8284	0.3182
5	3	Rauf	34	40	60	-0 6623	-0.6012	0.6895	-0.1913
6	4	Krishna	66	70	70	1.3756	1.4660	1 3842	1.4086
41	39	Roshan Khan	84 40	73	85	2.3565	1.6417	2.1601	2.0528
41	39	Roshan	84	73	85	2,3565	1.6417	2.1601	2.0528
	Average	marks	_						
43	of the s	bject	44,8750	44,8500	51.2000				
44 45	SD value of the se	e ubject	16.6027	14.7101	15.6471		Highest Z-so	core	2.0528
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- (i) Write down the formula that should be entered in cell C43 to calculate the average mark for Subject 1 in the form of =function1(cell1:cell2)
- (ii) If this formula is copied to cells D43 and E43, write down the formula that will appear in cell D43.
- (iii) The Z-score for a subject of a student can be calculated by using the following formula: Z-score = (student's marks for the subject – average marks for the subject) / SD value of the subject
 - The SD values required for each subject are given in cells C44, D44 and E44 respectively.
 - (a) Write down the formula that should be entered to cell F3 to calculate Kamal's Z-score for Subject 1.

Note that this formula is to be copied to calculate the Z-scores for Subject 1 of all other students too.

- (b) If this formula is copied to cell range F4 to F42, write down the formula that will appear in cell F42 which shows Khan's Z-score for Subject 1.
- (iv) The final Z-score of a student is the average of the three Z-scores for the subjects. Write down the formula to calculate the final Z-score value of Kamal in cell I3 using only the functions COUNT and SUM.
- (v) Assuming that student Z-score values for the three subjects and the final Z-score for all students have been calculated, write down a formula that should be entered in cell 144 to find the highest final Z-score value in the form of =function2(cell3:cell4).

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6. (i) Following table shows five stages of the systems development life cycle (SDLC) with an activity for each stage

Stage of SDLC	Activity
Identification of requirements	(A)
B	Designing interfaces
Ô	Writing the computer programs
Testing and debugging	0
B	Adding new features to the system

Identify the suitable choice for each of the labels (A - B) from the labelled list (P - T) given below. Write down each label in the table and its matching choice label.

List : $\{\mathbb{O} - Coding the solution, \mathbb{Q} - Designing the solution, \mathbb{R} - Integration testing, \mathbb{S} - Interviewing,$ $(\overline{U}$ - Maintenance of the system}

(ii) The book shop in your school operates with a computer-based information system. When a student goes to buy stationery, the clerk enters the item code and the quantity of each item the student wants to buy. The system then calculates the total cost for each item and the total bill value. Then the system displays the final bill on the screen and prints it.

Using the above scenario answer the following questions.

- (a) Write down one input
- (b) Write down one process.
- (c) Write down one output.
- (iii) Identify the correct term from the given labelled list $(\widehat{\mathbb{P}} \widehat{\mathbb{T}})$ for each of the following scenarios labelled (A - D). Write down the scenario label and the matching term label,
 - (A) Sunil is developing a library management system and told the teacher that she will not be able to use any part of the system until the entire system is fully developed.
 - (B) After completion of a small information system for the school canteen, Azma decided to stop the existing system and operate the new system.
 - © After monitoring the new student information system initially introduced to Grade 6 classes, the Principal plans to introduce the system to the other classes of the school.
 - D The initial system was developed with two input screens and one report. Based on the user feedback two more input screens and reports were added to the system. More features are to be added based on further user feedback.
 - **List** : $\{\mathbb{P} direct \ deployment, \ \mathbb{Q} iterative \ software \ development, \ \mathbb{R} phased \ deployment,$ $(S - pilot \ deployment, (T) - waterfall \ model)$
- (iv) List two benefits of a computer-based information system over a manual information system.



two sides of equal length is called an isosceles triangle. A triangle with all sides of different lengths is called a scalene triangle.

The following flowchart with labels \mathfrak{D} , \mathfrak{O} , \mathfrak{B} determines if a given triangle is an equilateral, isosceles or a scalene triangle.

