

**Instructions:** OpSCAN forms will be passed out in class and collected at class on Thursday, Nov 14. No late opscans will be accepted.

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1. Which of the following statements could describe the base case of a recursive algorithm?
    - 1) The function returns its parameter value times the function performed on one-half its parameter value.
    - 2) If the parameter value is 100, the function returns zero.
    - 3) The function operates on floating point numbers.
    - 4) 1 and 2 only
    - 5) None of these
  2. Of the choices given in question 1, which could describe the general (recursive) case of a recursive algorithm?
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For questions 3 and 4, consider the following recursive function:

```
void PrintIt(int n) {  
    if (n != 0) {                // Line 1  
        cout << "Again" << endl; //      2  
        PrintIt(n - 1);         //      3  
    } else {  
        cout << n << endl;      //      4  
        return;                 //      5  
    }  
}
```

3. Which line(s) relate to the base case?
    - 1) lines 2 and 3
    - 2) lines 4 and 5
    - 3) There is no base case.
  4. Which line(s) relate to the general (recursive) case?
    - 1) lines 2 and 3
    - 2) lines 4 and 5
    - 3) There is no base case.
  5. Are there any values for  $x$  that would cause an infinite recursion if the call `PrintIt(x)` were made?
    - 1) Yes, if  $x > 0$
    - 2) Yes, if  $x < 0$
    - 3) Yes,  $x \geq 0$
    - 4) Yes,  $x \leq 0$
    - 5) No
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6. Given the recursive function below, what is the value of `Func(2)`?

```
int Func( int n ) {  
    if (n == 5)  
        return 5;  
    else  
        return ( 2 * Func(n + 1) );  
}
```

- 1) 5
- 2) 20
- 3) 40
- 4) 80
- 5) None--the result is infinite recursion
- 6) None of these

7. The following function sums the integers from `Low` through `Limit`, inclusive:

```
int Sum( int Low, int Limit ) {  
    if ( Low > Limit ) return 0;  
    if ( _____ )  
        return Limit;  
    else  
        return ( Low + Sum(Low + 1, Limit) );  
}
```

What should the missing condition in the `if` statement be?

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|----------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1) <code>Low == 1</code>   | 3) <code>Low == Limit</code>   | 5) <code>Low &lt; Limit</code> |
| 2) <code>Limit == 1</code> | 4) <code>Low &gt; Limit</code> | 6) None of these               |
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8. Given the recursive function:

```
void PrintArr(const int array[], int first, int last) {  
    if (first > last)  
        cout << "Done";  
    else {  
        PrintArr(array, first + 1, last);  
        cout << array[first];  
    }  
}
```

which code segment below produces the same output as the function call: `PrintArr(arr, 0, 5)` ?

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| 1) <pre>for (int i = 0; i &lt; 6; i++)<br/>    cout &lt;&lt; array[i];<br/>cout &lt;&lt; "Done";</pre>             | 4) <pre>for (int i = 5; i &gt;= 0; i--)<br/>    cout &lt;&lt; array[i];<br/>cout &lt;&lt; "Done";</pre> |
| 2) <pre>cout &lt;&lt; "Done";<br/>for (int i = 0; i &lt; 6; i++)<br/>    cout &lt;&lt; array[i];</pre>             | 5) <pre>cout &lt;&lt; "Done";<br/>for (int i = 5; i &gt;= 0; i--)<br/>    cout &lt;&lt; array[i];</pre> |
| 3) <pre>for (int i = 0; i &lt; 6; i++) {<br/>    cout &lt;&lt; array[i];<br/>    cout &lt;&lt; "Done";<br/>}</pre> | 6) None of these  |
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9. Given the recursive function below, what is the value of the expression `Sum(5)` ?

```
int Sum( int n ) {  
    if ( n < 8 )  
        return ( n + Sum(n) );  
    else  
        return 2;  
}
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|-------|-------|---|
| 1) 5  | 3) 20 | 5) None--the result is infinite recursion |
| 2) 13 | 4) 28 | 6) None of these                          |
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10. If the following function is called with a value of 2 for n, what is the resulting output?

```
void Quiz( int n ) {  
    if ( n > 0 ) {  
        cout << 0;  
        Quiz( n - 1 );  
        cout << 1;  
        Quiz( n - 1 );  
    }  
}
```

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| 1) 00011011 | 3) 10011100 | 5) 001101        |
| 2) 11100100 | 4) 01100011 | 6) None of these |

For questions 11 through 15, consider the following function, `isThere()`, and the associated helper function `ValueInList()`, which are intended to indicate whether a specified `Value` occurs in a given array holding `Size` elements:

```
bool isThere(int Value, const int Array[], int Size) {  
    return ValueInList(Value, Array, Size);  
}  
  
bool ValueInList(int Value, const int Array[], int Size) {  
    if (Size <= _____) // Line 1  
        return _____; // Line 2  
    else if (Array[Size-1] == _____) // Line 3  
        return _____; // Line 4  
    else  
        return ValueInList(Value, Array, _____); // Line 5  
}
```

11. How should the blank in Line 1 be filled?

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| 1) false | 3) 0     | 5) -1            |
| 2) true  | 4) Value | 6) None of these |

12. How should the blank in Line 2 be filled?

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| 1) false | 3) Size++   | 5) Value         |
| 2) true  | 4) Size - 1 | 6) None of these |

13. How should the blank in Line 3 be filled?

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| 1) Value | 3) Array[0] | 5) Array[Size]   |
| 2) true  | 4) false    | 6) None of these |

14. How should the blank in Line 4 be filled?

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| 1) false | 3) Value  | 5) Array[Size]   |
| 2) true  | 4) Size-1 | 6) None of these |

15. How should the blank in Line 5 be filled?

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|----------|-------------|------------------|
| 1) false | 3) Size++   | 5) Value         |
| 2) true  | 4) Size - 1 | 6) None of these |

For questions 16 through 20, consider the following recursive function, which is intended to print the data elements from a SList object (with member functions as specified in the notes) in reverse order. Note: we assume that there is an operator<< for the type Item.

```

void RevPrint(SList& LL, ostream& Out) {
    if ( _____ ) return;           // Line 1: terminate recursion
    LL.goToTail();                       // Line 2
    Item toPrint;                         // Line 3
    _____;                          // Line 4: obtain data to print
    Out << toPrint << endl;              // Line 5
    _____;                          // Line 6: recursive case
}

```

16. How should the blank in Line 1 be filled?

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|------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 1) !LL.isEmpty() | 3) LL.Head != NULL    | 5) None of these |
| 2) LL.isEmpty()  | 4) Nothing goes there |                  |

17. How should the blank in Line 4 be filled? (The comment may not tell the whole story.)

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|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| 1) toPrint = LL.Get() | 3) LL.Delete(toPrint) | 5) None of these |
| 2) LL.Advance()       | 4) Nothing goes there |                  |

18. How should the blank in Line 6 be filled?

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|-----------------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| 1) return                   | 3) LL.RevPrint()     | 5) None of these |
| 2) return RevPrint(LL, Out) | 4) RevPrint(LL, Out) |                  |

19. Does the function RevPrint() have any unfortunate side effect on the list LL?

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| 1) Yes, it reverses the list.     | 3) Yes, it disconnects the list. | 5) None of these |
| 2) Yes, it leaves the list empty. | 4) No.                           |                  |

20. What would happen if the parameter LL were passed by value instead of by reference?

- 1) The function would not work correctly, but there would not be a runtime error.
- 2) There would be a runtime error.
- 3) The function would work correctly, but it would make one copy of the list (in addition to the original).
- 4) The function would work correctly, but it would make at least M copies of the list (in addition to the original), where M is the number of elements in the list.
- 5) Nothing goes here

For questions 21 and 22, consider the following recursive function:

```
int findFactorPower(int D, int N) {
    if ( (D <= 0) || (N < 0) ) return 0;    // catch invalid parameters

    int Times;                               // # of times D goes into N

    if ( N % D == 0 )                        // Does D go into N?
        Times = 1 + findFactorPower(D, N/D); // Count it and see if it
                                                // goes in again.
    else
        Times = 0;                           // Nope, don't check further.

    return Times;
}
```

21. How many recursive calls result from making the call: `findFactorPower(4, 48)` ?

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|------|------|------------------|
| 1) 0 | 3) 2 | 5) 4             |
| 2) 1 | 4) 3 | 6) None of these |

22. What is returned from the call: `findFactorPower(4, 48)` ?

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| 1) 0 | 3) 3 | 5) 12            |
| 2) 2 | 4) 4 | 6) None of these |

For questions 23 through 25, consider the Knapsack Problem stated in the course notes, and the recursive function given there for solving the problem. If there is a solution, it is a set of values; the function discovers the solution by performing a sequence of recursive calls until the goal sum is achieved, or is found to be impossible. Although the given function does not build a representation of the solution set, it could be easily modified to do so. In any case, the function does build the solution in a virtual sense, and each time the function is called it determines whether the set it is currently considering is a possible solution. Keeping that in mind... suppose that the function is called with an initial goal of 10, and the following array of "candidate" values:

```
int ray[5] = {3, 5, 7, 11, 13};
```

23. When the function is called initially (non-recursively), the solution set it is currently considering is:

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| 1) empty  | 4) {3, 5, 7}  | 7) {3, 5, 13}    |
| 2) {3}    | 5) {3, 7}     | 8) None of these |
| 3) {3, 5} | 6) {3, 5, 11} |                  |

24. One of the recursive calls will be made when the current candidate solution set is {3, 5, 13}. What is the candidate solution set when the next recursive call is made?

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|-----------|---------------|------------------|
| 1) empty  | 4) {3, 5, 7}  | 7) {3, 5, 13}    |
| 2) {3}    | 5) {3, 7}     | 8) None of these |
| 3) {3, 5} | 6) {3, 5, 11} |                  |

25. Suppose that the given function implementation is modified so that the recursive calls are managed as follows:

```
return ( Knapsack(ray, goal-ray[start], start+1, end) ||  
         Knapsack(ray, goal, start+1, end) );
```

The effect of the change is that:

- 1) The function will no longer reach the correct conclusion in any case.
- 2) The function will reach the correct conclusion if there is a solution, but fail if there is not.
- 3) The function will reach the correct conclusion if there is no solution, but fail if there is one.
- 4) The function will still reach the correct conclusion in all cases.
- 5) The function will require more recursive calls.
- 6) The function will require fewer recursive calls.
- 7) 4 and 5 only
- 8) 4 and 6 only
- 9) None of these