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Topic 1, A

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Question No : 1 - (Topic 1)

What is the value of B after executing the following code?

DCL A CHAR(10) INIT('12A4BABCAB');

DCL B BIN FIXED(31) INIT(0);

B = INDEX(A,'AB');

- **A**. 2
- **B.** 3
- **C.** 6
- **D**. 9

Answer: C

Question No : 2 - (Topic 1)

If the physical dataset referred to by DDIN has a record length of 200 and a RECFM of F, what happens after executing the following code?

DCL DDIN FILE RECORD INPUT;

DCL 1 INSTR,

2 A CHAR(150),

2 B CHAR(150);

OPEN FILE(DDIN);

READ FILE(DDIN) INTO(INSTR);

- A. When executed, one record will be read into buffer.
- **B.** At runtime, an error will occur because of mismatch of record length.
- **C.** At compile time, an error will occur because of mismatch of record length.
- **D.** When executed, nothing will be read into the buffer.



Answer: B

Question No: 3 - (Topic 1)

What is the result, if any, of executing the following code?

DCL B DEC FIXED(15,3) INIT(12345.12);

DCL C PIC '999999999' INIT (0);

C = B:

- A. There is no result, because B contains a decimal point.
- **B.** There is no result, because DEC FIXED cannot be assigned to PIC.
- **C.** The result in C is 12345 with 5 leading zeroes.
- **D.** The result in C is 1234512 with 3 leading zeroes.

Answer: C

Question No : 4 - (Topic 1)

Given the following code, what can be said about the scope of the variables in procedure P?

P: PROCEDURE;

B: BEGIN;

DCL K FIXED BIN (15);

END B;

D: DO;

DCL S CHAR (10);

END D;

END P:

- **A.** Variable S is known in the entire procedure.
- **B.** Variable K is known in the entire procedure.



- **C.** Variable S is not known in block B.
- **D.** Variable K is known in group D.

Answer: A

Question No : 5 - (Topic 1)

What would be printed to SYSPRINT after executing the following code?

DCL A DEC FIXED(15,3) INIT(1000.123);

DCL B PIC 'ZZZZ9V.999' INIT(0);

B = A + 2000.123;

UT SKIP LIST('THE VALUE OF B IS:' !! B);

A. THE VALUE OF B IS: 3000.246

B. THE VALUE OF B IS :03000.246

C. THE VALUE OF B IS: 3000.246

D. THE VALUE OF B IS: 3000246

Answer: A

Question No : 6 - (Topic 1)

What does the following code do, if anything?

RELEASE U;

- A. Release the memory used by the program U
- **B.** Reloads the program U into the memory
- C. Closes the file U
- **D.** Nothing because there is a syntax error.

Answer: A

Question No:7 - (Topic 1)



What happens to the STATIC variables in the program U, if anything, after executing the following code?

FETCH U;

CALL U;

RELEASE U;

FETCH U;

- **A.** STATIC variables cannot be used in program U.
- **B.** STATIC variables will have the values from the last time U was called.
- C. STATIC variables will have their INITIAL values.
- **D.** Nothing because there is a syntax error.

Answer: C

Question No:8 - (Topic 1)

What should be done, if anything, when the following compiler message appears? Multiple closure of blocks, one extra END statement assumed.

- A. Take out the extra END statement.
- **B.** Find the missing END statement and add it at the right place.
- **C.** PUT an extra END statement at the end of the program.
- **D.** Nothing needs to be done.

Answer: B

Question No: 9 - (Topic 1)

What happens after end of file has been reached in the following code, assuming the input file has more than 100 records?

DCL INF FILE RECORD INPUT;

DCL INFIELD CHAR(100) BASED(P);

DCL P PTR;

DCL EOF BIT(1) INIT('0'B);



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ON ENDFILE(INF) BEGIN;
ALLOC INFIELD;
INFIELD = 'EOF REACHED';
END;
OPEN FILE(INF);
READ FILE(INF) SET(P);
DO WHILE(^EOF);
READ FILE(INF) SET(P);
EOF = '1'B;
END;
A. End of file will never be reached
B. INFIELD will have a value 'EOF REACHED' and the program ends
C. Infinite loop
D. Runtime error because there is no CLOSE statement
Answer: A
Question No : 10 - (Topic 1)
What is the most appropriate way to assign a value to variable A?
DCL A BIN FIXED(15);
A. A = '17';
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B. A = 17.29;

C. A = '1729'X;

D. A = 17;

Answer: D

Question No : 11 - (Topic 1)



What is the value of B, if any, after executing the following code?

DCL A CHAR(5) INIT('ABCDE');

DCL B CHAR(5) DEF A;

- A. NULL
- B. Blank
- C. 'ABCDE'
- **D.** It cannot be defined.

Answer: C

Question No: 12 - (Topic 1)

Given the following code, what SELECT code is NOT equivalent?

DCL (C, W, V) CHAR (1);

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SELECT (C);

WHEN ('A', 'B') PUT ('1');

WHEN ('C') PUT ('2');

WHEN (W) PUT ('3');

WHEN (V) PUT ('4');

OTHER PUT ('0ther');

END;

- **A.** SELECT (C); WHEN ('C') PUT ('2'); WHEN ('A', 'B') PUT ('1'); WHEN (W) PUT ('3'); WHEN (V) PUT ('4'); OTHER PUT ('0ther'); END;
- **B.** SELECT (C); WHEN ('A', 'B') PUT ('1'); WHEN ('C') PUT ('2'); WHEN (V) PUT ('4'); WHEN (W) PUT ('3'); OTHER PUT ('0ther'); END;
- **C.** SELECT (C); WHEN ('B', 'A') PUT ('1'); WHEN ('C') PUT ('2'); WHEN (W) PUT ('3'); WHEN (V) PUT ('4'); OTHER PUT ('0ther'); END;
- **D.** SELECT (C); WHEN ('A') PUT ('1'); WHEN ('B') PUT ('1'); WHEN ('C') PUT ('2'); WHEN (W) PUT ('3'); WHEN (V) PUT ('4'); OTHER PUT ('0ther'); END;

Answer: B



Question No: 13 - (Topic 1)

What is the result of executing the following code?

DCL A CHARACTER (4) INIT('10.5');

DCL B DEC FIXED(7,1) INIT(10.5);

B = A + B;

- A. CONVERSION is raised.
- B. ERROR is raised.
- C. No condition is raised and the value of B is 21.
- **D.** No condition is raised and the value of B is 20.5

Answer: D

Question No: 14 - (Topic 1)

The following code calls an external function procedure. Which program matches the entry declaration?

DCL F FLOAT;

DCL X CHAR(1);

DCL FUN ENTRY (FIXED BIN (15), FLOAT) RETURNS (CHAR(1));

X = FUN(1, F);

- **A.** FUN: PROCEDURE (K, F) RETURNS (CHAR(1));DCL K FIXED BIN (15);DCL F FLOAT;END;
- **B.** FUN: PROCEDURE (K, F) RETURNS (CHAR(1));DCL K FIXED BIN (31);DCL F FLOAT;END;
- **C.** FUN: PROCEDURE (K, F) RETURNS (CHAR(1));DCL K FIXED DEC (15);DCL F FLOAT;END;
- **D.** FUN: PROCEDURE (K, F) RETURNS (FIXED BIN (15));DCL K FIXED BIN (15);DCL F FLOAT:END:

Answer: A



Question No : 15 - (Topic 1)

What will be output by the following program?

TEST: PROC OPTIONS(MAIN);

DCL A CONTROLLED FIXED BIN(31);

ALLOC A;

ALLOC A;

CALL SUB(A);

PUT SKIP LIST(ALLOCN(A));

SUB: PROC(B);

DCL B CONTROLLED FIXED BIN(31);

ALLOC B;

FREE B;

ALLOC B;

FREE B;

ALLOC B;

END;

END;

A. 2

B. 3

C. 4

D. 5

Answer: B

Question No : 16 - (Topic 1)