

Computer Fundamentals

MCQ SET-21

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1. When did John Napier develop logarithm?
 - A. 1416
 - B. 1614
 - C. 1641
 - D. 1804
2. What type of memory is not directly addressable by the CPU and requires special software are called EMS (expanded memory specification)?
 - A. Extended
 - B. Expanded
 - C. Base
 - D. Conventional
3. Signals can be analog or digital and a computer that processes the both type of signals is known as
 - A. Analog computer
 - B. Digital Computer
 - C. Hybrid Computer
 - D. Mainframe Computer
4. Magnetic tape can serve as
 - A. Secondary storage media
 - B. Output media
 - C. Input media
 - D. All of the above
5. Number cruncher is the informal name for
 - A. Mini computer
 - B. Super computer
 - C. Microcomputer
 - D. Mainframe computer
6. Which of the following is a storage device?
 - A. Tape

- B. Hard Disk
- C. Floppy Disk
- D. All of the above

7. Which of the following is not a class of computers based on size?

- A. Mainframe Computers
- B. Mini Computers
- C. Micro Computers
- D. Super Computers

8. ASCII stands for

- A. American Standard Code for Information Interchange
- B. American Scientific Code for International Interchange
- C. American Standard Code for Intelligence Interchange
- D. American Scientific Code for Information Interchange

9. IBM 1401 computer was

- A. Mainframe Computer
- B. Mini Computers
- C. Micro Computers
- D. None of above

10. What does the disk drive of a computer do?

- A. Rotate the disk
- B. Read the disk
- C. Load a program from the disk into the memory
- D. Both b and c

11. MSI is the abbreviation of

- A. Medium Scale Integrated
 - B. Medium System Integrated
 - C. Medium Scale Intelligent
 - D. Medium System Intelligent
- 12. Through which device the main components of the computer communicate with each other?**
- A. Keyboard
 - B. System Bus
 - C. Monitor
 - D. Memory
- 13. A characteristic of card systems is:**
- A. Slowness in processing data
 - B. Using cards as records of transactions
 - C. Needing a larger DP staff
 - D. All of the above
- 14. The commonly used standard data code to represent alphabetical, numerical and punctuation characters used in electronic data processing system is called**
- A. ASCII
 - B. EBCDIC
 - C. BCD
 - D. All of above
- 15. Which was the computer conceived by Babbage?**
- A. Analytical Engine
 - B. Arithmetic Machine
 - C. Donald Kunth
 - D. All of above
- 16. Which of the following is not a class based on size?**
- A. Mainframe Computer

- B. Micro Computer
- C. Mini Computer
- D. Digital Computer

17. In latest generation computers, the instructions are executed.

- A. Parallel only
- B. Sequentially only
- C. Both sequentially and parallel
- D. All of above

18. Which of the following printing devices an output composed of a series of data?

- A. Wire matrix printer
- B. Band printer
- C. Wang image printer
- D. Both a and c

19. Mark I is also known as

- A. American Sequence Controlled Calculator
- B. Automatic Sequence Calculating Controller
- C. American Sequence Controlled Computer
- D. Automatic Sequence Controlled Calculator

20. Latency time is

- A. Time to spin the needed data under head
- B. Time to spin the needed data under track
- C. Time to spin data under sector
- D. All of above

21. Another word for a daisy wheel printer.

- A. Petal printer
- B. Golf ball printer
- C. Laser printer
- D. Line printer

22. ASCII and EBCDIC are the popular character coding systems. What does ASCII stand for?

- A. American Stable Code for International Interchange
- B. American Standard Case for Institutional Interchange
- C. American Standard Code for Information Interchange
- D. American Standard Code for Interchange Information

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24. What is the latest write-once optical storage media?

- A. Digital paper
- B. Magneto-optical disk
- C. WORM disk
- D. CD-ROM disk

25. Dot-matrix is a type of

- A. Tape
- B. Printer
- C. Disk
- D. Bus

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1.	B		11.	A		21.	B
2.	B		12.	B		22.	C
3.	C		13.	D		23.	A
4.	A		14.	D		24.	D
5.	B		15.	A		25.	B
6.	D		16.	D			
7.	D		17.	C			
8.	A		18.	D			
9.	A		19.	D			
10.	D		20.	A			