

# Computer Fundamentals

## MCQ SET-9

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1. **UNIVAC is**
  - A. universal automatic computer
  - B. universal array computer
  - C. unique automatic computer
  - D. unvalued automatic computer
2. **ASCII and EBCDIC are the popular character coding systems. What does EBCDIC stand for?**
  - A. extended binary coded decimal interchange code
  - B. extended bit code decimal interchange code
  - C. extended bit case decimal interchange code
  - D. extended binary case decimal interchange code
3. **Computer is free from tiresome and boardoom. We call it.**
  - A. accuracy
  - B. reliability
  - C. diligence
  - D. versatility
4. **The ALU of a computer responds to the commands coming from.**
  - A. primary memory
  - B. control section
  - C. external memory
  - D. cache memory
5. **The main electronic component used in first generation computers was**
  - A. transistors
  - B. vacuum tubes and valves
  - C. integrated circuits

- D. none of above
- 6. What was the computer invented by Attanasoff and Clifford?**
- A. mark i
  - B. abc
  - C. z3
  - D. none of above
- 7. A high quality CAD system uses the following for printing drawing and graphs?**
- A. dot matrix printer
  - B. digital plotter
  - C. line printer
  - D. all of the above
- 8. Magnetic disks are the most popular medium for**
- A. direct access
  - B. sequential access
  - C. both of above
  - D. none of above
- 9. Which of the following produces the best quality graphics reproduction?**
- A. laser printer
  - B. ink jet printer
  - C. plotter
  - D. dot matrix printer
- 10. Software in computer**
- A. enhances the capabilities of the hardware machine
  - B. increase the speed of central processing unit
  - C. both of above
  - D. none of above



- 11. Abacus was the first**
- A. electronic computer
  - B. mechanical computer
  - C. electronic calculator
  - D. mechanical calculator
- 12. People often call \_\_\_\_\_ as the brain of computer system.**
- A. control unit
  - B. arithmetic logic unit
  - C. central processing unit
  - D. storage unit
- 13. Instruction in computer languages consists of**
- A. opcode
  - B. operand
  - C. both of above
  - D. none of above
- 14. A set of information that defines the status of resources allocated to a process is**
- A. process control
  - B. alu
  - C. register unit
  - D. process description
- 15. The first firm to mass-market a microcomputer as a personal computer was**
- A. ibm
  - B. super univac
  - C. radio shaks
  - D. data general corporation
- 16. John Napier invented Logarithm in**
- A. 1614

- B. 1617
- C. 1620
- D. none of above

**17. Multi user systems provided cost savings for small business because they use a single processing unit to link several.**

- A. personal computers
- B. workstations
- C. dumb terminals
- D. mainframes

**18. Which statement is valid about computer program?**

- A. it is understood by a computer
- B. it is understood by programmer
- C. it is understood user
- D. both a & b

**19. What is required when more than one person uses a central computer at the same time.**

- A. light pen
- B. mouse
- C. digitizer
- D. terminal

**20. What is a brand?**

- A. the name of companies that made computers
- B. the name of product a company gives to identify its product in market
- C. a name of class to indicate all similar products from different companies
- D. all of above

21. Today's computer giant IBM was earlier known by different name which was changes in 1924. What was that name?
- A. tabulator machine co.
  - B. computing tabulating recording co.
  - C. the tabulator ltd.
  - D. international computer ltd.
22. In which year was UK's premier computing event called ?The which computer? started?
- A. 1980
  - B. 1985
  - C. 1986
  - D. 1987
23. Which one of the following is known as Mid Range computers?
- A. workstation
  - B. microcomputers
  - C. personalcomputers
  - D. mini computers
24. Which of the following is the characteristics of a computer?
- A. word length
  - B. accuracy
  - C. speed
  - D. all of the above
25. Which one of the following is a natural language?
- A. basic
  - B. lisp
  - C. telon
  - D. none of the above



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