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## Quiz 1

## **Answer Key**

Answers other than the below may be possible.

## **Getting Strings.**

- 0. Version 1 declares s as a pointer but doesn't initialize it to the address of an actual block of memory. The variable thus contains a "garbage value" that is not likely an address to which scanf is allowed to write, and so the program might segfault.
- 1. If a user inputs more than 49 characters, version 2 might segfault because <code>scanf</code> will write beyond the boundaries of s, which is an array of size 50, which is only large enough for a 49-char string plus '\0'.
- 2. If a user inputs more than 49 characters, version 3 might segfault just like version 2. And version 3 might also segfault if malloc happens to return NULL, since version 3 does not check the function's return value before having scanf write to s.
- 3. Whereas version 2 uses 50 bytes on the stack, version 3 uses 50 bytes on the heap.

## Small Bytes.

4.

type	bytes	
node	8	
node*	4	
string	4	
struct node*	4	
student	8	

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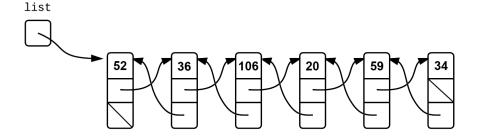
#### HTTP 1/1.

- 5. If the server can successfully respond to a client's request for some URL, it responds with 200 since all is indeed OK.
- 6. If a server recognizes a client's request for some URL but would like to redirect the client to some other URL, it responds with 302.
- 7. If a server is unable to access some file requested by a client (e.g., because it doesn't have permission, as via chmod), it responds with 403.
- 8. If a server is unable to find some file requested by a client (e.g., because it doesn't exist, or its name is misspelled), it responds with 404.
- 9. http://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc2324
- 10. If a server is improperly configured (e.g., because of a typo in some configuration file) or if there's a syntax error in some file that needs to be interpreted (e.g., a PHP file), it responds with 500.

#### **Double Trouble.**

```
12. void remove(int n)
     {
         node* ptr = list;
         while (ptr != NULL)
             if (ptr->n == n)
             {
                 if (ptr == list)
                     list = ptr->next;
                     if (list != NULL)
                          list->prev = NULL;
                 }
                 else
                 {
                     ptr->prev->next = ptr->next;
                     if (ptr->next != NULL)
                          ptr->next->prev = ptr->prev;
                      }
                 free (ptr);
                 return;
             ptr = ptr->next;
         }
    }
```

13.



#### World Wide What.

14. The browser first looks up the <u>IP address</u> of www.facebook.com by checking its own cache and then asking the local operating system as needed, which in turn contacts a <u>DNS</u> server as needed. The browser then sends an <u>HTTP</u> request to <u>port</u> 443 of that address via a nearby <u>router</u>, which relays the request to that address. Upon receipt of the request, Facebook responds with the <u>HTML</u> that composes Facebook's home page.

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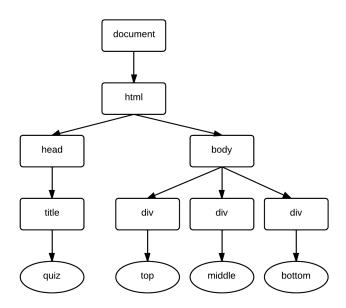
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#### Tradeoffs.

- 16. An upside is that user is informed of errors faster, since server doesn't need to be contacted. A downside is that JavaScript can be disabled, so an adversary could still send invalid data to the server.
- 17. An upside is that a linked list can grow and shrink dynamically, whereas an array is of fixed size. Downsides include: a linked list requires more memory (to store pointers); and a linked list does not offer random access (as for binary search).
- 18. Upsides include: PHP has many more functions built into it, which makes it easier to solve problems quickly; and PHP does not need to be compiled, which saves a step. A downside is that programs written in PHP, an interpreted language, are often slower to execute.
- 19. An upside is that SQL databases can be searched more efficiently than CSVs thanks to indexes. A downside is that a SQL database typically require a server, which involves additional complexity.
- 20. An upside is that a trie allows for constant-time lookups (or at least O(k), where k is the length of a key), whereas a hash table with separate chaining theoretically only allows for O(n), where n is the number of keys in the structure. A downside is that a trie uses a significant amount of memory, even though much of the space (allocated for pointers) tends to be unused.

#### DOM, DOM DOM DOM.

21.



#### Attack!

22. If an adversary provides more bytes than were anticipated for bar via argv[1], some of which collectively represent executable code, and the adversary successfully overwrites some "return address" on the program's stack with the address of that executable code, then a program might be tricked into executing it by "returning" to it from foo.

```
23. void foo(char* bar)
{
      char c[12];
      if (bar != NULL)
      {
         int n = strlen(bar);
         if (n < 12)
         {
            memcpy(c, bar, n);
         }
      }
}</pre>
```

#### Itsa Mario again?

#### woof am back.

25. <!DOCTYPE html>

```
<html>
    <head>
        <script src="http://code.jquery.com/jquery-latest.min.js"></script>
        <script>
            $ (document) .ready(function() {
                $("#inputs").submit(function() {
                    var value = $("#name").val();
                    if (value != "")
                        alert("Hello, " + value + "!");
                    return false;
                });
            });
        </script>
        <title>quiz</title>
    </head>
    <body>
        <form id="inputs">
            <input id="name" type="text"/>
            <input id="button" type="submit" value="Greet"/>
        </form>
    </body>
</html>
```

## MyOhMySQL.

26.

Name	Туре	Null	Default
number	bigint	Νο	None
balance	decimal	No	100.00

- 27. UPDATE accounts SET balance = balance 20
- 28. SELECT number FROM accounts WHERE balance > 1000
- 29. DELETE FROM accounts WHERE balance = 0

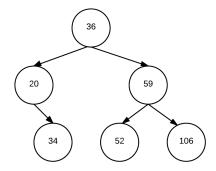
## Queue Guide.

```
30. bool enqueue(int n)
{
    if (q.size == CAPACITY || n < 0)
    {
        return false;
    }
    q.numbers[(q.size + q.front) % CAPACITY] = n;
    q.size++;
    return true;
}

31. int dequeue(void)
{
    if (q.size == 0)
    {
        return -1;
    }
    q.size--;
    int n = q.numbers[q.front];
    q.front = (q.front + 1) % CAPACITY;
    return n;
}</pre>
```

## Pssst, BST.

32.



```
33. typedef struct node
{
    int n;
    struct node* left;
    struct node* right;
}
node;

34. void traverse(node* root)
{
    if (root == NULL)
    {
        return;
    }
        traverse(root->left);
        printf("%i\n", root->n);
        traverse(root->right);
}
```