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**Q1. An operating system that can do multitasking means that .....**

- A. The OS can divide up work between several CPUs.
- B. Several programs can be operated concurrently
- **C. Multiple people can use the computer concurrently**
- D. All of the above

**Q2. Which of the following is a database of information about the windows operating system including customized settings and software installations?**

- **A. Registry**
- B. Changelog
- C. Performance Monitor
- D. None of the above

**Q3. You need to create new volumes and format a new disk you just installed on your Windows 7 computer. Which tool should you use?**

- A. Format
- B. Disk Utility
- **C. Disk Management**
- D. None of the above

**Q4. Which of the following commands should you use to delete files on a linux system?**

- A. Mv
- B. Expunge
- C. Delete
- **D. Rm**

**Q5. Which of the following is a valid permission in the Linux file system?**

- **A. Write**
- B. Change
- C. Modify
- D. Full Control

**Q6. In what mode can only one program be executed at one time?**

- A. Virtual Real
- B. Compatibility
- **C. Real**
- D. Protected

**Q7. The desktop operating system is also called a .....**

- A. Single user operating system
- **B. Client operating system**
- C. Multi user operating system
- D. Embedded operating system

**Q8. Which one is a 'text editor' for microsoft windows?**

- A. MS Word
- B. Ms Excel
- C. WordPad
- **D. Notepad**

**Q9. Which one is the default word processor for Microsoft Windows?**

- A. MS Word
- **B. WordPad**
- C. Ms Paint

- D. Notepad

**Q10. What is the maximum size of a word document created?**

- A. 1 MB
- B. 16MB
- C. 32 MB
- D. 999KB

**Q11. How many users can access a share folder simultaneously from a Windows XP Machine?**

- A. 8
- B. 10
- C. 9
- D. Unlimited

**Q12. Which function key needs to be press during reboot to enter in safe mode of a windows machine?**

- A. F8
- B. F2
- C. F1
- D. F9

**Q13. Which one is an example of connectionless protocols?**

- A. TCP
- B. UDP
- C. IPX/SPX
- D. Frame Relay

**Q14. A common boundary between two computer systems is known as .....**

- A. Intradiction
- B. Surface
- C. Interface
- D. None Of The Above

**Q15. Which one of the following is not a computer language?**

- A. BASIC
- B. C++
- C. JAVA
- **D. LOTUS**

**Q16. Network interface card (NIC) is generally used for?**

- A. Printing
- B. Deleting
- **C. Connectivity**
- D. Programming

**Q17. Which folder contains the recently viewed web pages content?**

- A. Explorer
- **B. Temporary Internet Files**
- C. History
- D. Windows

**Q18. Which one of the following is not a real-time operating system?**

- **A. Palm OS**
- B. VxWorks
- C. Windows CE
- D. RTLinux

**Q19. Which one of the following errors will be handle by the operating system?**

- A. Uniprogramming systems
- B. Unitasking systems
- **C. Uniprocessing systems**
- D. None of these

**Q20. In operating system, each process has its own .....**

- A. Open files
- B. Address space and global variables
- C. Pending alarms, signals and signal handlers
- **D. All of these**

**Q21. Which facility dynamically adds probes to a running system, both in user processes and in the kernel?**

- A. DLocate
- **B. DTrace**
- C. DMap
- D. DAdd

**Q22. The main function of the command interpreter is .....**

- **A. To get and execute the next user-specified command**
- B. To provide the interface between the api and application program
- C. To handle the files in operating system
- D. None of the above

**Q23. Which structure prohibits the sharing of files and directories?**

- A. One level structure
- B. Two level structure
- **C. Tree structure**
- D. None of these

**Q24. Access time is the highest in the case of .....**

- A. Swapping Devices
- B. Cache
- C. Floppy Disk
- **D. Magnetic Disks**

**Q25. Wild-card specifiers .....**

- A. Can be used when writing a file
- B. Are only used when printing the contents of files

- **C. Provide an easy way of finding groups of related files**
- D. Allow several files to be read simultaneously

**Q26. Which types of file organization are supported by Magnetic Tape?**

- **A. Contiguous Sequential File**
- B. Random Files
- C. Indexed Sequential File
- D. All of these

**Q27. System supports two types of file, which are .....**

- A. Text Files
- B. Executable Binary Files
- **C. Both (a) And (b)**
- D. None of the above

**Q28. Which of the following is a single-user operating system?**

- A. MAC
- **B. Ms-Dos**
- C. Windows
- D. None of the above

**Q29. Which of the following option is an example of a real-time operating system?**

- A. MAC OS
- B. MS-DOS
- **C. Process Control**
- D. Windows OS

**Q30. .... provides the interface to access the services of the operating system.**

- A. API
- B. Library
- **C. System call**
- D. Assembly instruction

**Q31. Which of the following is not a popular desktop operating system?**

- A. iOS
- B. Android
- **C. Mountain Lion**
- D. Windows Phone 8

**Q32. Which of the following was the first widely used multiuser, multitasking OS?**

- **A. Unix**
- B. MS-DOS
- C. Windows 3.0
- D. Mac System Software 6

**Q33. In linux a user can load or upload**

- A. I/O Modules
- B. I/O Devices
- C. File Base I/O
- **D. Kernal Modules**

**Q34. Aqua user interface was appeared with?**

- A. Shells
- **B. MAC OS**
- C. Windows
- D. Bourne shell

**Q35. Which of the following operating system does not implement multitasking truly?**

- A. Windows 98
- **B. MS DOS**
- C. Windows XP
- D. Windows NT

**Q36. Operating system manages .....**

- A. Memory
- B. Processor
- C. I/O Devices
- **D. All of the above**

**Q37. OS does not boot itself when a system is .....**

- A. Reset
- B. Restarted
- C. Powered on
- **D. Shutdown**

**Q38. Ubuntu desktop OS can also work as server but windows desktop OS does not support server.**

- **A. True**
- B. False

**Q39. the operating system manages interactions between hardware and software.**

- **A. True**
- B. False

**Q40. In windows operating system you can open notepad and paint application concurrently**

- **A. True**
- B. False

**Q41. Running a system in safe mode .....**

- A. prevents unauthorized access
- B. protects the system from viruses.
- **C. loads a minimum number of drivers.**
- D. All of the above

**Q42. Which of the following options is correct about the windows operating system?**

- A. Windows is based on character user interface (CUI)
- B. Windows is based on command line interface (CLI)
- **C. Windows is based on graphical user interface (GUI)**
- D. Windows is single user and single tasking operating system

**Q43. The multi-user Operating System is based on the concept of .....**

- A. Time-losing
- B. Time-gaining
- **C. Time-sharing**
- D. Time-spooling

**Q44. Selection of an operating system is known as .....**

- A. Site selection
- B. Product selection
- **C. Process selection**
- D. Equipment selection

**Q45. Example of open source operating system is .....**

- **A. Linux**
- B. Windows
- C. Android
- D. DOS

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