

CS10 Fall 2018 Quest Answers

Question 1: Which of the following is a *true statement* regarding Abstraction? **An abstraction barrier allows us to use something without needing to know how it is built.**

Question 2: What is $11_{16} - 11_2$? $11_{16} = 1*16 + 1*1 = 17_{10}$, $11_2 = 1*2 + 1*1 = 3_{10}$, so $17_{10} - 3_{10} = 14_{10}$.

Question 3: What does **Mystery** report, if B is a non-negative integer (i.e., 0, 1, 2, ...)?
1 gets added to A exactly B times, so $A + 1 + 1 + \dots + 1$ (B times) = $A + 1*B = A+B$

Question 4: What is your guess as to the *Domain* and *Range* of **Foo**?
The expression doesn't cause an error. **not** returns a Boolean so the domain of Foo is **Booleans**. **letter(1) of ()** takes a sentence (which is a superset of words which is a superset of numbers) so the range is **numbers, words and sentences**.

```
letter 1 of Foo not flangle
```

```
Mystery A B
repeat B
  set A to A + 1
report A
```

```
Test A B
if A
  report false
else
  report true
report not B
```

Question 5: If the output from **Test** is true, which can you say *for sure*? **The second report (i.e., the value of B) is ignored since the initial if A either returns false or true. So if it returned true, A must be false.**

Question 6: Which of the following are the same as the original **Test** block? **The block is effectively "not A" since Test returns true when A is false and false when A is true. Only not(A) or false is the same as not(A).**

```
Test A B
report not A or false
```

```
script variables temp
set temp to a
set a to b
missing code
```

Question 7: This script is intended to exchange the values of the variables **a** and **b** using the temporary variable **temp**. Which of the following can be used to replace **missing code** so

```
set b to temp
```

the script works as intended? (select ONE)

Question 8: If we were given three functions:

$$F(x) = x^2$$

$$G(x) = x - 7$$

$$H(x) = x + 5$$

...and you wanted to calculate:

$$(x - 7)^2 + 5$$

...how would you compose the three functions to get that? **H(F(G(x)))**, since "x-7" happens first, then squared, then x+5.

```
keep items such that P from map M over DATA
```

Question 9: We want to compute the following cascade of **map** with mapping function **M()** and **keep** with predicate **P()**, but someone "glues" the **map** and **keep** together in the wrong order! Let's try to change the inputs to **map** and **keep** to make it work. Which works, which can potentially cause a domain/range error, and which doesn't cause an error but is probably a wrong answer? **Imagine if DATA were "a list of lists of numbers (i.e., a 2D table of numbers)". M(x) is "item(1) of x" and P(x) is "x < 5". So the original code was meant to grab the first column of a table (i.e., first number from each inner list) and keep all the numbers from that column less than 5. It doesn't make sense to ask if a list is less than 5. Note that three of the options below have P() directly looking at a list, and in this example list < 5 is a Domain and Range (i.e., D&R) error.**

```
map M over keep items such that M P from DATA
```

D&R error because P is being run on DATA directly

```
map M over keep items such that P M from DATA
```

This works!

```
map P M over keep items such that P from DATA
```

D&R error because P is being run on DATA directly

```
map M P over keep items such that P from DATA
```

D&R error because P is being run on DATA directly