

Part I. (57 points) Solve each of the following problems. For the multiple choice problems, select the correct answer by placing an “X” in the box beside it.

Quick Reference

- `prices = {}` creates an empty dictionary
- `prices = {'apple':1, 'pear':2}` creates a non-empty dictionary
- `prices['apple']` returns the value that's mapped to by 'apple'
- `prices['apple'] = 5` maps the value 5 to 'apple'. Overwrites the previous value.
- `del prices['apple']` deletes the mapping with the key 'apple' from `prices`
- `len(prices)` returns the number of entries in `prices`
- `x in prices` checks whether the key `x` is in the dictionary `prices`
- `prices.keys()` returns a list of all the keys in the dictionary.
- `prices.values()` returns a list of all the values in the dictionary.

(1^{pt}) 1. What are the Python keywords used to construct a loop to iterate through a list?

- `foreach / in`
- `for / in`
- `def / return`
- `try / except`

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(1^{pt}) 2. Which method adds a new item to the end of an existing list?

- `add()`
- `push()`
- `append()`
- `forward()`

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(1^{pt}) 3. Which of the following Python functions converts a string to a list of characters?

- `split()`
- `join()`
- `string()`
- `list()`

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(1^{pt}) 4. Which of the following Python statements would print out the length of a list stored in the variable: `data`

- `print data.Len`
- `print len(data)`
- `print length(data)`
- `print data.length`

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- (1^{pt}) 5. For the following list, how would you print out 'Sally'?
- ```
friends = ['Joseph', 'Glenn', 'Sally']
```
- print friends[3]  
 print friends['Sally']  
 print friends[2]  
 print friends[2:1]
- (1<sup>pt</sup>) 6. What type of data is produced when you call the range() function?
- ```
x = range(5)
```
- A list of characters
 A list of words
 A string
 A list of integers
- (1^{pt}) 7. What does the following Python code print out?
- ```
a = [1, 2, 3]
b = [4, 5, 6]
c = a + b
print len(c)
```
- 6  
 15  
 [1, 2, 3]  
 [4, 5, 6]
- (1<sup>pt</sup>) 8. Which of the following slicing operations will produce the list [12, 3]?
- ```
t = [9, 41, 12, 3, 74, 15]
```
- t[:]
 t[2:4]
 t[1:3]
 t[12:3]
- (1^{pt}) 9. What will the following Python code print out?
- ```
friends = ['Joseph', 'Glenn', 'Sally']
friends.sort()
print friends[0]
```
- Glenn  
 Joseph  
 friends  
 Sally
- (1<sup>pt</sup>) 10. Which of the following Python functions deletes an element from a list?
- split()  
 push()  
 invalidate()  
 pop()

- (1<sup>pt</sup>) **11.** Which of the following Python functions breaks a string into a list of words?
- `join()`
  - `remove()`
  - `split()`
  - `extend()`
- (1<sup>pt</sup>) **12.** What is the purpose of the second parameter of the `get()` method for Python dictionaries?
- To provide a default value if the key is not found
  - An alternate key to use if the first key cannot be found
  - The value to retrieve
  - The key to retrieve
- (1<sup>pt</sup>) **13.** How are Python dictionaries different from Python lists?
- Python lists store multiple values, and dictionaries store a single value
  - Python lists can store strings, and dictionaries can only store words
  - Python lists are indexed using integers, whereas dictionaries can use strings as indexes
  - Python dictionaries are a collection, and lists are not a collection
- (1<sup>pt</sup>) **14.** What would the following Python code print out?
- ```
stuff = dict()
print stuff['candy']
```
- The program would fail with a traceback
 - 1
 - `candy`
 - 0
- (1^{pt}) **15.** What would the following Python code print out?
- ```
stuff = dict()
print stuff.get('candy', -1)
```
- The program would fail with a traceback
  - 1
  - `candy`
  - 0
- (1<sup>pt</sup>) **16.** What is a common use of Python dictionaries in a program?
- Computing an average of a set of numbers
  - Splitting a line of input into words using a space as a delimiter
  - Building a histogram counting the occurrences of various strings in a file
  - Sorting a list of names into alphabetical order
- (1<sup>pt</sup>) **17.** In the following Python code, what does the `for` loop iterate through?
- ```
x = dict()
for y in x:
```
- It loops through the values in the dictionary
 - It loops through the keys in the dictionary
 - It loops through all the dictionaries in the program
 - It loops through the integers in the range from zero through the length of the dictionary

- (1^{pt}) **18.** What are the keys in the following Python dictionary? `d = {'john':40, 'peter':45}`
- 'john' and 'peter'
 - 'john', 40, 45, and 'peter'
 - 40 and 45
 - 40 and 'peter'
- (1^{pt}) **19.** What will be the output of the following Python code?
- ```
d = {'john':40, 'peter':45}
print 'john' in d
```
- True
  - None
  - False
  - This program fails with a traceback
- (1<sup>pt</sup>) **20.** What will be the output of the following Python code?
- ```
d = {'john':40, 'peter':45}
print d['john']
```
- 45
 - 'peter'
 - 40
 - 'john'
- (1^{pt}) **21.** Given the dictionary: `prices = {'banana':4, 'apple':2, 'orange':1.5, 'pear':3}`
How would you look up the price of an apple?
- `prices['apple']`
 - `prices.retrieve(apple)`
 - `keyCorrespond{apple}`
 - `getValue('apple')`
- (1^{pt}) **22.** Given the dictionary: `stock = {'banana':6, 'apple':0, 'orange':32, 'pear':15}`
How would you subtract 1 from the stock of orange?
- `[orange].reduce(1)`
 - `stock.orange.minus.1`
 - `stock['orange'] -= 1`
 - orange subtraction 1
- (1^{pt}) **23.** Given the dictionary: `cheese = {'swiss':3, 'cheddar':7, 'gouda':4}`
Which of the following statements checks whether or not 'swiss' is in the dictionary `cheese`?
- `cheese.containsValue(swiss)`
 - `cheese -> swiss`
 - `cheese valueExcluding(cheddar, gouda)`
 - `'swiss' in cheese`

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(2pts) 24. What is the output of the following code:

```
numbers = ['zero', 'one', 'two']
numbers[0] = 'zilch'
print numbers
```

Answer:

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(2pts) 25. What is the output of the following code:

```
listA = [3, 5, 7]
listB = [8, 10, 12]
listC = listA + listB
print listC
```

Answer:

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(2pts) 26. What is the output of the following code:

```
food = {'pizza':3}
food['fries'] = 10
print food
```

Answer:

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(2pts) 27. What is the output of the following code:

```
treasure = {'gold':50, 'silver':100}
print 'gold' in treasure
```

Answer:

2 pts

(2pts) 28. What is the output of the following code:

```
breakfast = {'coffee':2, 'eggs':4, 'bacon':7}
if breakfast['eggs'] > 3:
    print 'Yum!'
else
    print 'Still hungry!'
```

Answer:

2 pts

(2pts) 29. What is the output of the following code:

```
inventory = {
    'pocket':'lint',
    'canteen':'water',
    'pouch':'flint',
    'backpack':['shovel', 'bedroll', 'rope']
}
print inventory['backpack']
```

Answer:

2 pts

(3pts) 30. What is the output of the following code:

```
inventory = {
    'gold':500,
    'pouch':'flint',
    'backpack':['shovel', 'bedroll', 'rope']
}
print 'silver' in inventory
print len(inventory)
print inventory['pouch']
```

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(2^{pts}) **31.** What is the output of the following code:

```
fortune = {'gold':500}
fortune['gold'] += 50
print fortune
```

Answer:

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(2^{pts}) **32.** What is the output of the following code:

```
inventory = {
    'gold' : 500,
    'backpack' : ['xylophone', 'dagger', 'bedroll']
}
inventory['backpack'].sort()
print inventory['backpack']
```

Answer:

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(2^{pts}) **33.** What is the output of the following code:

```
grocery = {'kiwi':5, 'grape':12}
del grocery['kiwi']
print grocery
```

Answer:

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(3^{pts}) **34.** Write a function `listintersect(alist, blist)` that takes two lists, `alist` and `blist` as parameters. Return a list that gives the intersection of the two lists, that is, a list of elements that are common to both lists. For example, calling `listintersection([1, 3, 5], [5, 3])` should return `[3, 5]`. Note: the ordering of your outputs does not matter, that is, `[3, 2]` is the same as `[2, 3]`.

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- (3^{pts}) **35.** Write a function `middle(L)` which takes a list `L` as its argument, and returns the item in the *middle* position of `L`. (In order that the middle is well-defined, you should assume that `L` has odd length.) For example, calling `middle([8, 0, 100, 12, 1])` should return `100`, since it is positioned exactly in the middle of the list.

3 pts

- (3^{pts}) **36.** Consider the following two dictionaries that model a simple grocery store. `prices` gives the cost of each item, and `stock` indicates the quantity of each item in the store.
- ```
prices = {'banana':4, 'apple':2, 'orange':1.5, 'pear':3}
stock = {'banana':6, 'apple':0, 'orange':32, 'pear':15}
```
- Write a program that calculates the total value of all the items in the store. *Hint:* Find a way to multiply `prices` and `stock`.

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(4<sup>pts</sup>) **37.** Consider the following dictionary that models a student's grade report.

```
albert = {
 'name' : 'albert',
 'homework' : [99, 98, 100],
 'quizzes' : [89, 95],
 'tests' : [91, 93]
}
```

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Also, consider the following function that computes the average of a list:

```
def average(numbers):
 return sum(numbers) / len(numbers)
```

Write a program that computes a student's final grade using a *weighted average*. The weights should be defined as follows:

- Homework is worth 20%.
- Quizzes are worth 30%.
- Tests are worth 50%.

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