

CST8102 – Operating System Fundamentals (Linux)

Midterm #2

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1) Login as root, to change the login shell to **/bin/csh** for **user100**, you type_____.

- A. `useradd -s /bin/csh user100`
- B. `ehco $SHELL`
- C. `SHELL=/bin/csh user100`
- D. `usermod -s /bin/csh user100`
- E. All of the above

2) Login as root, to create a user account based on the following:

username: user200

home directory: /home/user200home (*create the user's home directory if it does not exist*)

initial group: root

What is the command that should be used?

- A. `useradd user200`
- B. `useradd -d /home/user200home user200`
- C. `useradd -d /home/user200home -m -g root user200`
- D. `useradd -d /home/user200home -m -G root user200`
- E. None of the above

3) If **user300** is a valid account and the home directory is **/home/user300**, the command **usermod -d /home/user300home user300** will_____

- A. Only change the home directory of **user300** in file **/etc/passwd**
- B. Create a new directory named **user300home** in **/home**
- C. Create a new directory named **user300home** in **/home**, and make the necessary change to **/etc/passwd**
- D. Create a new directory named **user300home** in **/home**, and make the necessary change to **/etc/passwd**, and delete the previous directory **/home/user300**
- E. None of the above

4) Which of the following command deletes **user400** from **/etc/passwd** and remove **user400**'s home directory and any files stored in it?

- A. `userdel user400`
- B. `userdel -r user400`
- C. `usermod -r user400`
- D. `usermod -d user400`
- E. None of the above

5) What is the file that stores encrypted user passwords?

- A. /etc/passwd
- B. /etc/group
- C. /etc/shadow
- D. /etc/inittab
- E. None of the above

6) Identify the command that is used to delete an existing group in Linux?

- A. groupdel
- B. gpasswd
- C. groupmod
- D. userdel
- E. None of the above

7) Which of the following options for **useradd** command can be used to prevent Linux from creating a group with the same name as username?

- A. -N
- B. -s
- C. -d
- D. -m
- E. None of the above

8) Which of the following command can be used to verify if **user500** has been created in the system?

- A. ls /home
- B. ls /root
- C. cat /etc/passwd|grep user500
- D. cat /etc/group|grep user500
- E. None of the above.

Login as root, run the following commands and answer question 9 to 13:

```
groupadd group1
groupadd group2
useradd -m user1
useradd -G group1 -m user2
useradd -G group1,group2 -m user3
useradd -g group2 -G user2 -m user4
gpasswd -a user4 group1
gpasswd -d user3 group2
groups user3
```

9) Who is a member of group1?

- A. user1, user2 and user3
- B. user2, user3 and user4
- C. user2 and user4
- D. user3 and user4
- E. None of the above

10) Who is a member of group2?

- A. user2
- B. user3
- C. user4
- D. user3 and user4
- E. None of the above

11) Who is a member of group user2?

- A. user2
- B. user1 and user2
- C. user2 and user4
- D. user3 and user4
- E. None of the above

12) What is the output produced by command: *groups user3?*

- A. user3: user3 group1
- B. user3: group1 group2
- C. user3: user3
- D. user3: user3 group1 group2
- E. None of the above

13) To make **user4** the administrator of **group1**, you login as root and type_____.

- A. usermod user4 group1
- B. gpasswd -A user4 group1
- C. useradd -g group1 user4
- D. groupadd group1 user4
- E. None of the above

14) Which of the following uses the bash shell for the command interpreter in a script?

- A. `/bin/bash`
- B. `#!/bin/bash`
- C. `!/bin/bash`
- D. `#!/bin/bash`
- E. None of the above

15) What special variable is used to determine the exit status of a previously executed command?

- A. `$#`
- B. `$0`
- C. `$?`
- D. `$9`
- E. None of the above

16) You use the _____ symbol to mark the beginning of a comment in a script.

- A. `#`
- B. `$`
- C. `!`
- D. `>`
- E. None of the above

17) To redirect standard output and error of **script1** to a file named **outerr.txt**, use the _____ command.

- A. `script1 1> outerr.txt`
- B. `script1 2> outerr.txt`
- C. `script1 &> outerr.txt`
- D. `script1 > /dev/null`
- E. None of the above

18) _____ is the operator that is used when you want one command to execute only if another command executes successfully.

- A. `*`
- B. `||`
- C. `&&`
- D. `>`
- E. None of the above

19) _____ is the symbol used to separate commands in a list, which are executed sequentially.

- A. ;
- B. <
- C. >>
- D. &&
- E. None of the above

Answer question 20 to 24 based on the following array:

```
cst8102=(test1:15% test2:15% final:30% labs:30% online:10%)
```

20) What is the output of the following command?

```
echo ${cst8102[1+3]}
```

- A. test1:15%
- B. test2:15%
- C. final:30%
- D. labs:30%
- E. online:10%

21) What is the output of the following command?

```
echo ${#cst8102[*]}
```

- A. 4
- B. 5
- C. 6
- D. 7
- E. None of the above

22) What is the output of the following command?

```
echo ${#cst8102[2]}
```

- A. final:30%
- B. test2:15%
- C. 9
- D. 10
- E. None of the above

23) What is the output of the following command?

```
echo ${cst8102[*]}
```

- A. test1:15% test2:15% final:30% labs:30% online:10%
- B. Test2:15%
- C. test2:15%
- D. final:30%
- E. None of the above

24) What is the output of the following command?

```
echo ${cst8102[1]}|cut -d: -f2
```

- A. test2:15%
- B. 15%
- C. final:30%
- D. 30%
- E. None of the above

25) What is the output of the following statement?

```
echo "\$(pwd)"
```

- A. current directory
- B. pwd
- C. \$(pwd)
- D. syntax error
- E. None of the above

26) What is the output of the following statement?

```
echo `Linux is an "open-source" operating system.`
```

- A. Linux is an "open-source" operating system.
- B. Linux is an open-source operating system.
- C. Linux is an 'open-source operating' system.
- D. `Linux is an "open-source" operating system.`
- E. None of the above

27) What must you type in order for child shells to be able to use functions created in the parent shell?

- A. `env <function name>`
- B. `export -f <function name>`
- C. `set <function name>`
- D. just the name of the function
- E. None of the above

28) What is the vim command to save changes with a filename you specify?

- A. `:wq`
- B. `:w!`
- C. `:w filename`
- D. `:q filename`
- E. None of the above

29) Typing _____ followed by a phrase searches FORWARD for the phrase in **vim**.

- A. `?`
- B. `%`
- C. `/`
- D. `G`
- E. None of the above

30) The command that will set an option so a search or substitute ignores case in **vim** _____.

- A. `:set hls`
- B. `:set ic`
- C. `:set noic`
- D. `:ignore case`
- E. None of the above

31) Process priority could be changed by using _____ command.

- A. `fg`
- B. `bg`
- C. `ps`
- D. `nice`
- E. None of the above

32) What is the output of the following statements?

```
a=20;b=50
{ a=40;b=100; }
(a=5;b=10)
echo $a $b
```

- A. 20 50
- B. 60 150
- C. 5 10
- D. 40 100
- E. None of above

33) The following **echo** statement will execute _____ time(s).

```
for ((num=1; num<10; num++ ))
do
    echo $num
done
```

- A. 0
- B. 1
- C. 9
- D. 10
- E. None of the above

34) What is the result of executing the following statements?

```
for animal in cat dog bear
do
    echo $animal
done
```

- A. The words “cat”, “dog”, and “bear” are displayed on the screen on separate lines
- B. The word “animal” is displayed on the screen
- C. The words “cat”, “dog”, “animal”, and “bear” are displayed on the screen in one line
- D. Nothing is displayed
- E. None of the above

35) The following **echo** statement will execute _____time(s).

```
((t=0))
while [ $t -eq 10 ] && [ $t -ge 0 ]
do
    echo "Blue ocean!"
done
```

- A. 0
- B. 1
- C. 2
- D. an infinite number of
- E. None of the above

36) What is the result of executing the following statements?

```
((g=5))
until [ $g -lt 1 ]
do
    echo $g
    ((g--))
done
```

- A. The numbers 5,4,3,2, are displayed on the screen on separate lines
- B. The numbers 5,4,3,2,1 are displayed on the screen on separate lines
- C. The numbers 4,3,2,1,0 are displayed on the screen on separate lines
- D. Nothing occurs because there is a syntax error
- E. None of the above

37) What value of the variable name **total** will be displayed after executing the following statements?

```
((total=0))
for ((num1=1; num1<=3; num1++))
do
    for ((num2=1; num2<=2; num2++))
    do
        for ((num3=10; num3>=1; num3--))
        do
            ((total++))
        done
    done
done
done
echo $total
```

- A. 20
- B. 30
- C. 60
- D. 120
- E. None of the above

38) What value of the variable name **c** will be displayed after executing the following statements?

```
((x=1))
((c=0))
while [ $x -le 5 ]
do
    ((y=4))
    until [ $y -le 1 ]
    do
        ((y--))
        echo $x $y
        ((c++))
    done
    ((x++))
done
echo "The number of times looped is: " $c
```

- A. 5
- B. 10
- C. 15
- D. 20
- E. None of the above

39) What is the result of executing the following statements?

```
((x=5))
function function1 ()
{
    local x=10
    echo $x
}
echo $x
function1
((x=x+10))
echo $x
```

- A. The numbers 5, 10, 15 are displayed on the screen on separate lines
- B. The numbers 10, 5, 10 are displayed on the screen on separate lines
- C. The numbers 5, 10, 20 are displayed on the screen on separate lines
- D. The numbers 10, 10, 15 are displayed on the screen on separate lines
- E. None of the above

40) What is the output of executing the following script file named **display_it**?

```
#!/bin/bash

function shownum ()
{
    echo $3 $2 $1
}
shownum $1 $2 $3
```

\$ display_it 2 4 6

- A. 2 4 6
- B. 6 4 2
- C. 4 6 2
- D. 2 6 4
- E. None of the above

