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One-Answer Multiple Choice 45 Questions

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1. [70/209] If **cow** is a sub-directory that contains only the file **dog**, what happens after these commands:

```
touch pig ; mv ./cow/pig ./cow/dog
```

- a. the command fails because **dog** is not a directory
 - b. there is only the file named **pig** in the **cow** directory now
 - c. the command fails because the name **pig** does not exist
 - d. there is a second copy of the file **pig** in the file named **dog**
 - e. a new file named **pig** is created in **cow**
2. [96/211] If I am in directory **/home/pig** and **ox** is an empty sub-directory, what is true after this command line:
- ```
touch bar cow ; mv ./ox/./cow ./pig/dog
```
- a. the directory **pig** now contains a file named **dog**
  - b. the directory **ox/..** now contains a file named **dog**
  - c. the command fails because path **./ox/./cow** does not exist
  - d. the command fails because path **./pig/dog** does not exist
  - e. there is a second copy of the file **cow** in the file named **dog**
3. [100/210] If I am in directory **/home/pig** and **ox** is an empty sub-directory, what is true after this command line:
- ```
touch pig cow ; mkdir dog ; mv cow dog/ox
```
- a. the directory **ox** is still empty
 - b. the directory **ox** now contains a directory named **dog**
 - c. the command fails because **dog/ox** is not a directory
 - d. the directory **ox** now contains a file named **cow**
 - e. the directory **dog** now contains a file named **cow**

4. [107/211] If my current directory is **/cow**, which of these pathnames is equivalent to the pathname **/cow/x/y/z**?
- a. **../cow/y/z**
 - b. **../x/y/z**
 - c. **/x/y/z**
 - d. **x/./x/y/z**
 - e. **./cow/x/y/z**
5. [111/209] How many arguments and options are there to the command:
- ```
wc -w -c wc
```
- a. Four arguments: two are options and two are command names.
  - b. Three arguments, two of which are options.
  - c. Two arguments, one of which contains two options.
  - d. Three arguments, no options.
  - e. Two arguments, one of which is a double option and the other is a pathname.
6. [112/209] If I am in directory **/home/pig** and **ox** is an empty sub-directory, what is true after this command line:
- ```
touch pig cow ; mkdir dog ; mv cow ox/dog
```
- a. the directory **dog** now contains a file named **cow**
 - b. the command fails because **ox/dog** is not a directory
 - c. the directory **ox** now contains a file named **dog**
 - d. the directory **ox** now contains a file named **cow**
 - e. the directory **ox** is still empty
7. [117/211] If my current directory is **/home**, and my home directory is **/home/pig**, which command copies the password file into my home directory under the name **cow**?
- a. **cp ../home/pig/./etc/passwd ./pig/./cow**
 - b. **cp pig/./../etc/passwd ./pig/cow**
 - c. **cp ../../etc/passwd /pig/cow**
 - d. **cp pig/./etc/passwd ../home/pig/cow**
 - e. **cp ../etc/passwd ../pig/cow**
8. [129/211] If **cow** is a sub-directory that contains only the file **dog**, what happens after this command: **cp ./cow/./dog ./cow/./pig**
- a. the directory **cow** is now empty
 - b. there is a second copy of the file **dog** in the file named **pig**
 - c. the command fails because the name **./cow/./dog** does not exist
 - d. there is a second copy of the file **dog** in directory **cow**
 - e. the directory **cow** now contains only a file named **pig**

9. [130/211] If you type the command **wc**, which *CTRL* key will send an **EOF** and take you back to the command prompt?
- a. **^R** b. **^U** c. **^C** d. **^E** e. **^D**
10. [132/209] If I am in directory **/home/pig** and **ox** is an empty sub-directory, what is true after this command line:
- ```
touch pig cow ; mv ./ox/./cow ../pig/dog
```
- a. the command fails because path **./ox/./cow** does not exist  
 b. the directory **ox** now contains only a file named **dog**  
 c. the directory **ox/..** now contains a file named **dog**  
 d. there is a second copy of the file **cow** in the file named **dog**  
 e. the command fails because path **../pig/dog** does not exist
11. [134/206] If I am in directory **/home/pig** and **ox** is an empty sub-directory, what is true after this command line:
- ```
touch pig ./ox/cow ; mv ox/./cow ox/../../../../pig/dog
```
- a. the command fails because the path **ox/../../../../pig** does not exist
 b. the directory **ox** now contains only a file named **dog**
 c. the command fails because the path **ox/./cow** does not exist
 d. there is a second copy of the file **cow** in the file named **dog**
 e. the directory **ox** is still empty
12. [137/211] If my current directory is **/etc**, which of these pathnames is equivalent to the file name **/etc/passwd**?
- a. **./passwd** b. **./etc/passwd**
 c. **/passwd** d. **../etc/passwd**
 e. **../etc/passwd/.**
13. [138/210] In an empty directory, what happens after this command line:
- ```
touch 1 2 3 x y z ; mv 1 2 3
```
- a. the files **1**, **2**, and **3** are moved to the current directory  
 b. the files **1** and **2** are moved into the directory **3**  
 c. the files **1** and **2** are appended to the file **3**  
 d. an error message: **mv: target '3' is not a directory**  
 e. the files **1**, **2**, and **3** are moved to the directory **3**

14. [140/210] Which pathname almost always leads to the same file named: **/var/log/auth.log**?
- a. **/var/log/./auth.log**  
 b. **/var/log/auth.log/.**  
 c. **/var/./var/./log/./auth.log**  
 d. **.././var/log/auth.log**  
 e. **/var/./log/auth.log**
15. [141/211] In the output of the command **ls -a**, the one-character name **.** (one period or dot) signifies what?
- a. The current directory.  
 b. A current file.  
 c. A name with an unprintable character.  
 d. The parent directory.  
 e. The **ROOT** directory.
16. [141/211] What is the output of this successful command sequence?
- ```
cd /dog ; mkdir tmp ; touch foo ; pwd
```
- a. **/dog** b. **/tmp**
 c. **/dog/tmp/foo** d. **/dog/tmp**
 e. **/tmp/foo**
17. [144/211] Give the minimum number of directories in this pathname:
- ```
/a/b/c/d/e
```
- a. **3**      b. **6**      c. **5**      d. **2**      e. **4**
18. [146/210] If I am in directory **/home/pig** and **ox** is an empty sub-directory, what is true after this command line:
- ```
touch pig cow ./dog ; rm ./ox/./cow ../pig/dog
```
- a. the directory **pig** now contains a file named **dog**
 b. the command fails because the path **../pig/dog** does not exist
 c. the directory **ox** now contains a file named **cow**
 d. the command fails because the path **ox/./cow** does not exist
 e. the directory **ox** is still empty
19. [146/210] What command can you use to delete a directory that isn't empty?
- a. **del -r dir** b. **deldir -r dir**
 c. **mv -r dir** d. **rmdir -r dir**
 e. **rm -r dir**
20. [147/211] The option to **ls** that shows which names are directories is:
- a. **-l** b. **-1** c. **-d** d. **-i** e. **-a**

21. [150/208] If I am in directory `/home/pig` and `ox` is an empty sub-directory, what is true after this command line:
`touch pig cow ; mv ./ox/./cow ox/./dog`
- the command fails because the path `ox/./dog` does not exist
 - the directory `./pig` now contains a file named `dog`
 - the directory `ox` now contains only a file named `dog`
 - the command fails because the path `./ox/./cow` does not exist
 - there is a second copy of the file `cow` in the file named `dog`
22. [150/211] What happens after these commands are run in an empty directory: `date >cow ; cp cow dog`
- there is a copy of the file named `cow` in the file named `dog`
 - there is only the file named `dog` in the directory now
 - an empty file named `dog` is always created
 - the command fails because the name `dog` does not exist
 - the command fails because `dog` is not a directory
23. [151/210] In the output of the command `ls -a`, a dot (period) that *begins* a name signifies what?
- The current directory.
 - A current file.
 - A name with an unprintable character.
 - A name that is hidden.
 - The parent directory.
24. [152/209] What is the result of this exact command line:
`cat /cow dog`
- file `/cow` will be copied to `dog`
 - the contents of the files `/cow` and `dog` will be displayed
 - the two text strings `/cow` and `dog` will be displayed
 - the names of the pathnames `/cow` and `dog` will be displayed
 - all the files under directory `/cow` with the name `dog` will be displayed
25. [153/211] How do I search for the string `text` in the text display output from the `man` command?
- select "**S**earch" in the menu
 - `@text`
 - `/text`
 - `find text`
 - `search text`
26. [154/211] If you type the command `sleep 60`, which `CTRL` key will **interrupt** it and take you back to the command prompt?
- `^U`
 - `^I`
 - `^D`
 - `^R`
 - `^C`

27. [155/210] The shell expands a leading tilde (`~`) in a pathname (e.g. `~/cow`) to be:
- the directory `/root`
 - the **ROOT** directory
 - the parent directory
 - the current directory
 - your **HOME** directory
28. [156/211] In an empty directory, what happens after this command line:
`mkdir 1 2 3 x y z ; mv x y z`
- the directories `x`, `y`, and `z` are moved to the current directory
 - the directories `x`, `y`, and `z` are moved to the directory `z`
 - the directories `x` and `y` are moved into the directory `z`
 - the directories `x` and `y` are appended to the directory `z`
 - an error message: `mv: target 'z' is not a directory`
29. [158/210] In the output of `ls -a`, the two-character name `..` (two periods, or dot-dot) signifies what?
- The current directory.
 - The **ROOT** directory.
 - The parent directory.
 - It begins every name that is hidden.
 - A file or directory with double links.
30. [162/211] Given the pathname `/var/log/auth.log`, the *basename* of this pathname is:
- `var`
 - `log`
 - `auth.log`
 - `/var/log`
 - `auth`
31. [163/211] If `cow` is a sub-directory that contains only the file `dog`, what happens after this command: `mv ./cow/dog ./cow/./pig`
- the directory `cow` is now empty
 - the directory `cow` now contains only a file named `pig`
 - there is a second copy of the file `dog` in the file named `pig`
 - the command fails because the name `pig` does not exist
 - the command fails because the name `./cow/dog` does not exist
32. [163/209] In a manual page **SYNOPSIS** section, square brackets (`[]`) mean:
- something that is repeated
 - something that is optional
 - an arithmetic expression
 - a GLOB pattern matching a list
 - no special meaning

33. [167/211] What happens when you try to change to the parent directory of **ROOT**, e.g. `cd / ; cd ..`
- the shell issues an error message and does not change
 - you go to the parent directory containing your **C:** drive
 - the shell issues a warning, but changes to the parent
 - the shell current directory is still **ROOT**
 - the shell asks you to retype the invalid directory
34. [168/211] What happens after these commands are run in an empty directory: `date >cow ; mv cow dog`
- the command fails because **dog** is not a directory
 - the command fails because the name **dog** does not exist
 - an empty file named **dog** is always created
 - there is only the file named **dog** in the directory now
 - there is a copy of the file named **cow** in the file named **dog**
35. [170/211] If **cow** is a sub-directory that contains only the file **dog**, what happens after this command: `mv ./cow/./dog ./cow/./pig`
- the command fails because the name **pig** does not exist
 - the directory **cow** now contains only a file named **pig**
 - the command fails because the name `./cow/./dog` does not exist
 - there is a second copy of the file **dog** in the file named **pig**
 - the directory **cow** is now empty
36. [171/211] The option to **ls** that shows hidden names is:
- h**
 - i**
 - l**
 - 1**
 - a**
37. [171/211] What is the result of this exact command line:
`echo /cow dog`
- the two text strings `/cow` and `dog` will be displayed
 - the names of the pathnames `/cow` and `dog` will be displayed
 - all the files under directory `/cow` with the name `dog` will be displayed
 - the contents of the files `/cow` and `dog` will be displayed
 - file `/cow` will be copied to `dog`
38. [171/211] Which **CTRL** key will erase a full line of typing in a terminal window?
- ^R**
 - ^I**
 - ^D**
 - ^U**
 - ^C**

39. [173/210] In a manual page **SYNOPSIS** section, ellipsis (three dots) (`...`) mean:
- something that is repeated
 - no special meaning
 - something that is optional
 - the parent directory
 - a hidden directory
40. [173/211] Which of these commands always returns you to your account **HOME** directory?
- `cd`
 - `cd /home`
 - `cd ..`
 - `cd /home/..`
 - `cd home`
41. [175/208] Which command line copies a directory and preserves timestamps?
- `cp -r -p d1 d2`
 - `mv -rp d1 d2`
 - `copydir -p d1 d2`
 - `copydir -r d1 d2`
 - `dircopy -pr d1 d2`
42. [175/211] Did you read all the words of the test instructions on page one?
- Taip** (Yes - Lithuanian)
 - Igen** (Yes - Hungarian)
 - Jes** (Yes - Esperanto)
 - Sim** (Yes - Portuguese)
 - Tak** (Yes - Polish)
43. [176/211] The command that creates a directory and all parent directories is:
- `mkdir -r x/y/z`
 - `touch x/y/z`
 - `mkdir -p x/y/z`
 - `rm -r x/y/z`
 - `rmdir -r x/y/z`
44. [178/211] Simplify this pathname:
`../../../../var/./log/../../../../var/lib/../../../../lib/./vim/.`
- `/var/log/lib/vim`
 - `/var/lib/vim`
 - `/lib`
 - `/lib/vim`
 - `/var/log/lib`
45. [209/211] What command can you use to delete an empty directory?
- `mkdir`
 - `deldir`
 - `delete`
 - `rmdir`
 - `erase`