

## MODEL QUESTION PAPER

Master of Engineering/Technology (M.E./M.Tech) – Skill Assessment

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### Assessment Snapshot

- **Assessment Type: Model Question Paper**
  - **Assessment Mode: Online**
  - **Question Format: Objective Type (MCQs)**
  - **Total Number of Questions: 20**
  - **Pass Criteria: 75%**
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Degree	Specialization
Master of Engineering / Technology (M.E. / M.Tech)	Chemical Engineering
Master of Engineering / Technology (M.E. / M.Tech)	Electrical Engineering
Master of Engineering / Technology (M.E. / M.Tech)	Civil Engineering
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**MODEL QUESTION PAPER**  
**M.E. / M.Tech – Chemical Engineering**  
**20 MCQs with Answers**

**1. Which equation is most commonly used to model non-ideal gas behavior?**

- A. Boyle's Law
- B. Charles' Law
- C. Van der Waals equation
- D. Dalton's Law

 **Answer: C**

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**2. The Reynolds number is used to determine:**

- A. Heat transfer rate
- B. Flow regime
- C. Reaction kinetics
- D. Mass transfer coefficient

 **Answer: B**

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**3. In a shell-and-tube heat exchanger, the primary purpose of baffles is to:**

- A. Increase pressure
- B. Reduce corrosion
- C. Increase heat transfer efficiency
- D. Prevent leakage

 **Answer: C**

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**4. Which distillation method is suitable for separating heat-sensitive materials?**

- A. Simple distillation
- B. Fractional distillation
- C. Steam distillation
- D. Vacuum distillation

 **Answer: D**

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**5. The driving force for mass transfer in diffusion is:**

- A. Temperature gradient
- B. Pressure gradient
- C. Concentration gradient
- D. Velocity gradient

 **Answer: C**

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**6. Which catalyst property mainly affects reaction rate?**

- A. Density
- B. Surface area
- C. Color
- D. Thermal conductivity

 **Answer: B**

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**7. The Arrhenius equation relates reaction rate constant with:**

- A. Pressure
- B. Concentration
- C. Temperature
- D. Volume

 **Answer: C**

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**8. Which equipment is commonly used for gas–solid reactions?**

- A. Packed bed reactor
- B. Fluidized bed reactor
- C. Stirred tank reactor
- D. Bubble column

 **Answer: B**

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**9. The Prandtl number is the ratio of:**

- A. Momentum diffusivity to thermal diffusivity
- B. Thermal diffusivity to mass diffusivity

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- C. Mass diffusivity to momentum diffusivity
- D. Heat capacity to viscosity

 **Answer: A**

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**10. Which law governs molecular diffusion?**

- A. Fourier's Law
- B. Fick's Law
- C. Newton's Law
- D. Stokes' Law

 **Answer: B**

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**11. In absorption processes, the solute transfers from:**

- A. Liquid to gas
- B. Solid to liquid
- C. Gas to liquid
- D. Solid to gas

 **Answer: C**

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**12. A CSTR operates under which condition?**

- A. Plug flow
- B. Batch flow
- C. Perfect mixing
- D. Laminar flow only

 **Answer: C**

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**13. Which separation technique uses a semipermeable membrane?**

- A. Distillation
- B. Adsorption
- C. Filtration
- D. Reverse osmosis

 **Answer: D**

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**14. The main function of a compressor is to:**

- A. Increase temperature
- B. Increase pressure
- C. Reduce volume
- D. Increase density only

 **Answer: B**

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**15. Which corrosion type occurs due to concentration differences?**

- A. Uniform corrosion
- B. Pitting corrosion
- C. Galvanic corrosion
- D. Concentration cell corrosion

 **Answer: D**

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**16. The Damköhler number compares:**

- A. Heat and mass transfer
- B. Reaction rate and flow rate
- C. Pressure and velocity
- D. Diffusion and convection

 **Answer: B**

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**17. Which process is used for separating isotopes?**

- A. Crystallization
- B. Fractionation
- C. Diffusion
- D. Centrifugation

 **Answer: D**

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**18. Which parameter affects fluid viscosity the most?**

- A. Pressure
- B. Velocity

- C. Temperature
- D. Density

 **Answer: C**

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**19. In packed columns, flooding occurs when:**

- A. Gas velocity is too low
- B. Liquid flow stops
- C. Gas velocity is too high
- D. Packing material breaks

 **Answer: C**

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**20. Which reactor provides the highest conversion per unit volume for first-order reactions?**

- A. Batch reactor
- B. CSTR
- C. Plug flow reactor
- D. Fluidized bed reactor

 **Answer: C**

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**1. Which material is most commonly used for transformer cores?**

- A. Silicon steel
- B. Copper
- C. Aluminum
- D. Cast iron

 **Answer: A**

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**2. The main advantage of using HVDC transmission is:**

- A. Lower insulation cost
- B. Reduced corona loss
- C. No reactive power loss
- D. Higher short-circuit capacity

 **Answer: C**

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**3. The synchronous speed of an induction motor depends on:**

- A. Rotor resistance
- B. Supply voltage
- C. Supply frequency
- D. Load torque

 **Answer: C**

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**4. Power factor improvement in power systems is mainly required to:**

- A. Increase losses
- B. Reduce current
- C. Increase voltage
- D. Increase frequency

 **Answer: B**

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**5. In a DC generator, the function of the commutator is to:**

- A. Increase voltage
- B. Reduce sparking
- C. Convert AC to DC
- D. Control speed

 **Answer: C**

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**6. Which device is used for overvoltage protection in power systems?**

- A. Circuit breaker
- B. Fuse
- C. Lightning arrester
- D. Relay

 **Answer: C**

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**7. The slip of an induction motor at synchronous speed is:**

- A. 0
- B. 1
- C. Less than 1
- D. Greater than 1

 **Answer: B**

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**8. Which transformer connection is commonly used for step-up transformers?**

- A. Delta–Delta
- B. Delta–Star
- C. Star–Star
- D. Star–Delta

 **Answer: B**

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**9. The unit of electric field intensity is:**

- A. Volt
- B. Volt/meter

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- C. Ampere/meter
- D. Tesla

 **Answer: B**

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**10. Which control method is widely used for speed control of DC motors?**

- A. Rotor resistance control
- B. Frequency control
- C. Armature voltage control
- D. Pole changing

 **Answer: C**

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**11. In power system stability, transient stability refers to:**

- A. Small disturbances
- B. Steady-state operation
- C. Large sudden disturbances
- D. Voltage regulation

 **Answer: C**

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**12. Which component stores energy in a magnetic field?**

- A. Capacitor
- B. Resistor
- C. Inductor
- D. Diode

 **Answer: C**

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**13. The efficiency of a transformer is maximum when:**

- A. Copper loss = Iron loss
- B. Voltage is maximum
- C. Current is maximum
- D. Frequency is maximum

 **Answer: A**

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**14. Which type of motor is preferred for constant speed applications?**

- A. DC series motor
- B. DC shunt motor
- C. Stepper motor
- D. Universal motor

 **Answer: B**

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**15. Which fault is most severe in power systems?**

- A. Single line-to-ground
- B. Line-to-line
- C. Double line-to-ground
- D. Three-phase fault

 **Answer: D**

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**16. In AC circuits, resonance occurs when:**

- A.  $X_L = X_C$
- B.  $R = X_L$
- C.  $R = X_C$
- D.  $X_L > X_C$

 **Answer: A**

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**17. Which instrument measures electrical power?**

- A. Ammeter
- B. Voltmeter
- C. Wattmeter
- D. Energy meter

 **Answer: C**

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**18. The main function of a relay is to:**

- A. Generate power
- B. Measure voltage

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- C. Protect the system
- D. Improve power factor

 **Answer: C**

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**19. Which semiconductor device is used as a controlled switch?**

- A. Diode
- B. BJT
- C. SCR
- D. Zener diode

 **Answer: C**

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**20. Which method is used for starting large induction motors?**

- A. Direct-on-line starter
- B. Star–Delta starter
- C. Auto-transformer starter
- D. Rotor resistance starter

 **Answer: C**

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**MODEL QUESTION PAPER**  
**M.E. / M.Tech – Civil Engineering**  
**20 MCQs with Answers**

**1. Which test is used to determine the workability of concrete?**

- A. Compression test
- B. Slump test
- C. Tensile test
- D. Flexural test

 **Answer: B**

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**2. The primary purpose of reinforcement in concrete is to resist:**

- A. Compression
- B. Shear
- C. Tension
- D. Torsion

 **Answer: C**

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**3. Which soil type has the highest bearing capacity?**

- A. Clay
- B. Silt
- C. Sand
- D. Gravel

 **Answer: D**

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**4. The standard grade of cement most commonly used in RCC work is:**

- A. 33 grade
- B. 43 grade
- C. 53 grade
- D. Portland Pozzolana Cement

 **Answer: B**

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**5. In limit state design, the partial safety factor for load is generally:**

- A. 1.0
- B. 1.2
- C. 1.5
- D. 2.0

 **Answer: C**

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**6. Which foundation is suitable for black cotton soil?**

- A. Isolated footing
- B. Raft foundation
- C. Pile foundation
- D. Strip footing

 **Answer: C**

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**7. The modulus of elasticity of concrete depends mainly on:**

- A. Cement content
- B. Water–cement ratio
- C. Aggregate properties
- D. Age of concrete

 **Answer: C**

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**8. Which instrument is used for measuring horizontal angles in surveying?**

- A. Dumpy level
- B. Theodolite
- C. Plane table
- D. Auto level

 **Answer: B**

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**9. The most suitable cement for marine structures is:**

- A. Ordinary Portland Cement
- B. Rapid hardening cement

- C. Low heat cement
- D. Sulphate resistant cement

 **Answer: D**

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**10. The term “creep” in concrete refers to:**

- A. Shrinkage due to drying
- B. Time-dependent deformation under constant load
- C. Elastic deformation
- D. Sudden failure

 **Answer: B**

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**11. Which type of stress develops due to bending?**

- A. Compressive stress only
- B. Tensile stress only
- C. Shear stress only
- D. Both tensile and compressive stress

 **Answer: D**

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**12. The factor of safety is defined as the ratio of:**

- A. Working load to ultimate load
- B. Ultimate load to working load
- C. Yield stress to working stress
- D. Breaking stress to allowable stress

 **Answer: B**

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**13. Which type of dam is suitable for narrow valleys with strong rock foundation?**

- A. Earth dam
- B. Gravity dam
- C. Arch dam
- D. Buttress dam

 **Answer: C**

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**14. In transportation engineering, camber is provided to:**

- A. Increase speed
- B. Reduce vehicle wear
- C. Drain off rainwater
- D. Improve aesthetics

 **Answer: C**

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**15. Which method is used to improve soil bearing capacity?**

- A. Soil stabilization
- B. Soil erosion
- C. Soil excavation
- D. Soil classification

 **Answer: A**

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**16. The unit weight of water is approximately:**

- A. 9.81 kN/m<sup>3</sup>
- B. 10 kN/m<sup>3</sup>
- C. 1000 kN/m<sup>3</sup>
- D. 1 kN/m<sup>3</sup>

 **Answer: A**

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**17. Which test determines the shear strength of soil?**

- A. Atterberg limits test
- B. Proctor test
- C. Direct shear test
- D. Permeability test

 **Answer: C**

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**18. In structural analysis, a statically determinate structure is one in which:**

- A. Number of unknowns > equations
- B. Number of unknowns = equations

- C. Number of unknowns < equations
- D. No unknowns exist

 **Answer: B**

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**19. The main function of a retaining wall is to:**

- A. Support vertical loads
- B. Prevent soil erosion
- C. Retain lateral earth pressure
- D. Improve drainage

 **Answer: C**

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**20. Which IS code deals with the design of reinforced concrete structures?**

- A. IS 456
- B. IS 800
- C. IS 875
- D. IS 1893

 **Answer: A**

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## MODEL QUESTION PAPER

M.E. / M.Tech – Mechanical Engineering

20 MCQs with Answers

1. Which law of thermodynamics defines the conservation of energy?

- A. Zeroth law
- B. First law
- C. Second law
- D. Third law

 Answer: B

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2. The efficiency of a Carnot engine depends on:

- A. Working substance
- B. Engine speed
- C. Temperature limits
- D. Pressure ratio

 Answer: C

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3. In a steam turbine, the function of the nozzle is to:

- A. Increase pressure
- B. Increase velocity
- C. Reduce temperature
- D. Increase volume

 Answer: B

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4. Which cycle is used in gas turbine power plants?

- A. Rankine cycle
- B. Otto cycle
- C. Diesel cycle
- D. Brayton cycle

 Answer: D

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**5. The primary function of a flywheel is to:**

- A. Increase power
- B. Reduce vibrations
- C. Store energy
- D. Increase torque

 **Answer: C**

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**6. Which material property indicates resistance to sudden impact?**

- A. Hardness
- B. Toughness
- C. Ductility
- D. Brittleness

 **Answer: B**

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**7. Which bearing is used to support axial loads?**

- A. Journal bearing
- B. Ball bearing
- C. Thrust bearing
- D. Roller bearing

 **Answer: C**

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**8. In machining, which operation is used to produce internal threads?**

- A. Turning
- B. Drilling
- C. Tapping
- D. Boring

 **Answer: C**

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**9. The coefficient of performance (COP) of a refrigerator is defined as:**

- A. Work output / heat input
- B. Heat rejected / work input

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- C. Heat absorbed / work input
- D. Work input / heat absorbed

 **Answer: C**

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**10. Which process is used to improve surface hardness?**

- A. Annealing
- B. Normalizing
- C. Case hardening
- D. Tempering

 **Answer: C**

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**11. The function of a governor in an engine is to:**

- A. Control fuel consumption
- B. Control engine speed
- C. Control temperature
- D. Control torque

 **Answer: B**

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**12. Which type of stress is induced due to torsion?**

- A. Tensile stress
- B. Compressive stress
- C. Shear stress
- D. Bending stress

 **Answer: C**

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**13. The most efficient heat transfer mode is:**

- A. Conduction
- B. Convection
- C. Radiation
- D. Depends on medium

 **Answer: D**

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**14. Which welding process uses a non-consumable electrode?**

- A. MIG welding
- B. TIG welding
- C. Arc welding
- D. Gas welding

 **Answer: B**

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**15. In IC engines, knocking is caused by:**

- A. Late ignition
- B. Pre-ignition
- C. Auto-ignition of fuel
- D. Excess air

 **Answer: C**

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**16. The purpose of a clutch is to:**

- A. Increase speed
- B. Increase torque
- C. Engage and disengage power
- D. Reduce vibration

 **Answer: C**

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**17. Which machine element is used to transmit power between parallel shafts?**

- A. Belt drive
- B. Bevel gear
- C. Worm gear
- D. Screw

 **Answer: A**

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**18. In refrigeration, the refrigerant should have:**

- A. High boiling point
- B. Low latent heat

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- C. High latent heat
- D. High viscosity

 **Answer: C**

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**19. Which test is used to measure hardness?**

- A. Izod test
- B. Charpy test
- C. Brinell test
- D. Tensile test

 **Answer: C**

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**20. Which power plant has the highest overall efficiency?**

- A. Thermal power plant
- B. Nuclear power plant
- C. Diesel power plant
- D. Combined cycle power plant

 **Answer: D**

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## MODEL QUESTION PAPER

M.E. / M.Tech – Computer Science Engineering

### 20 MCQs with Answers

**1. Which data structure is used to implement recursion?**

- A. Queue
- B. Stack
- C. Linked List
- D. Tree

 **Answer: B**

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**2. The time complexity of binary search is:**

- A.  $O(n)$
- B.  $O(\log n)$
- C.  $O(n \log n)$
- D.  $O(1)$

 **Answer: B**

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**3. Which protocol is used for secure communication over the internet?**

- A. HTTP
- B. FTP
- C. SMTP
- D. HTTPS

 **Answer: D**

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**4. In object-oriented programming, encapsulation refers to:**

- A. Code reuse
- B. Hiding implementation details
- C. Multiple inheritance
- D. Function overloading

 **Answer: B**

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**5. Which scheduling algorithm may cause starvation?**

- A. FCFS
- B. Round Robin
- C. Priority scheduling
- D. SJF (non-preemptive)

 **Answer: C**

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**6. The primary key in a database is used to:**

- A. Sort records
- B. Allow duplicate values
- C. Uniquely identify records
- D. Link two databases

 **Answer: C**

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**7. Which normal form removes partial dependency?**

- A. 1NF
- B. 2NF
- C. 3NF
- D. BCNF

 **Answer: B**

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**8. Which algorithm is used for finding the shortest path in a graph?**

- A. DFS
- B. BFS
- C. Dijkstra's algorithm
- D. Kruskal's algorithm

 **Answer: C**

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**9. In computer networks, latency refers to:**

- A. Data transfer rate
- B. Packet loss

- C. Delay in data transmission
- D. Network bandwidth

 **Answer: C**

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**10. Which type of memory is non-volatile?**

- A. RAM
- B. Cache
- C. Register
- D. ROM

 **Answer: D**

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**11. Which machine learning technique is used for classification?**

- A. K-means clustering
- B. Linear regression
- C. Decision tree
- D. Apriori algorithm

 **Answer: C**

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**12. Which SQL command is used to remove a table completely?**

- A. DELETE
- B. REMOVE
- C. DROP
- D. TRUNCATE

 **Answer: C**

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**13. Deadlock occurs when:**

- A. CPU utilization is high
- B. Processes wait indefinitely for resources
- C. Memory is insufficient
- D. Disk I/O is slow

 **Answer: B**

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**14. Which programming paradigm focuses on functions and immutability?**

- A. Object-oriented
- B. Procedural
- C. Functional
- D. Logic

 **Answer: C**

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**15. Which encryption technique uses the same key for encryption and decryption?**

- A. RSA
- B. ECC
- C. Asymmetric encryption
- D. Symmetric encryption

 **Answer: D**

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**16. Which data structure is best suited for implementing priority queues?**

- A. Stack
- B. Queue
- C. Heap
- D. Array

 **Answer: C**

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**17. The role of an operating system is to:**

- A. Compile programs
- B. Manage hardware and software resources
- C. Provide internet access
- D. Run only system programs

 **Answer: B**

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**18. Which sorting algorithm has the best average-case time complexity?**

- A. Bubble sort
- B. Insertion sort

- C. Quick sort
- D. Selection sort

 **Answer: C**

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**19. Which cloud service model provides infrastructure like virtual machines?**

- A. SaaS
- B. PaaS
- C. IaaS
- D. FaaS

 **Answer: C**

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**20. Which concept ensures data consistency in databases?**

- A. Normalization
- B. Indexing
- C. ACID properties
- D. Data mining

 **Answer: C**

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