
Initial Score (out of 100)

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In accordance with both the letter and spirit of the Honor Code, I have neither given nor received assistance on this examination.

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Make sure to write succinct answers to each question.

Question 1: (24 pts)

For each of the following statements, mark **True ("T")** or **False ("F")**:

1. _____ Most databases support native search.
2. _____ Using a search architecture with a middleware layer such as Lucene/Solr has a disadvantage of keeping two copies of the same data.
3. _____ One of the full-text search challenges is stemming, which tokenizes a string into multiple words.
4. _____ $d(a, c) \geq d(a, b) + d(b, c)$ is always true, where " d " is the edit distance function, and a , b , and c are three strings.
5. _____ A user-defined function (UDF) provides a mechanism for extending the functionality of the database server by adding a function that can be implemented in another programming language such as C/C++.
6. _____ Android should not kill a running activity even in the case where the operating system runs out of resources (e.g., CPU, memory).
7. _____ A connection pool is a set of database connections that can be reused by different requests.
8. _____ JMeter can be used to simulate a heavy workload to a Web server to test its reliability and performance.

Question 2: (14 pts)

Build an inverted index based on the three documents below. Sort items in alphabetical order.

doc 1: The cat ran.

doc 2: David wore the hat.

doc 3: David caught the cat.

Question 3: (12 pts)

Suppose two MySQL instances are connected using the replication technique covered in our lectures. Mark T(true) or F (false) for each of the following statements.

1. _____ These two instances have different responsibilities.
2. _____ Applications can update any of the two instances and read the changes from the other.
3. _____ Applications can read from any of the two instances.
4. _____ An update to every instance can be made visible to the other instance.

Question 4: (16 pts)

Briefly explain each of the following Android activity states.

ACTIVE _____

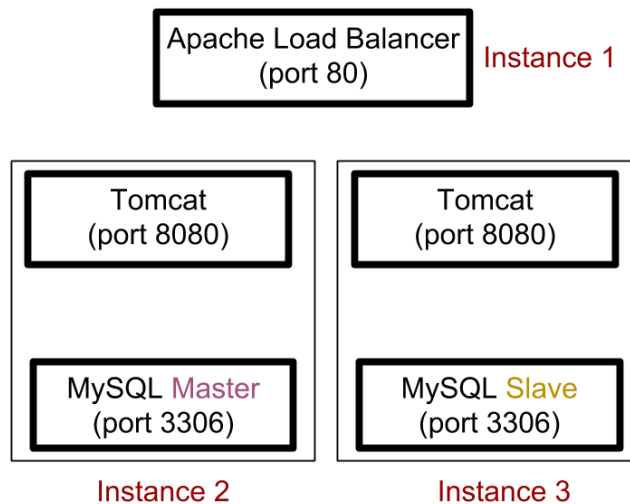
PAUSED _____

STOPPED _____

FINISH _____

Question 5: (10 pts)

Finish the following diagram for the Fabflix project 5 by adding links between the modules and the corresponding Read/Write operations.



Question 6: (12 pts)

Briefly explain the meaning of “Sticky session” in the load balancer used in project 5.

Question 7: (12 pts)

Ajax stands for “Asynchronous JavaScript And XML.” Briefly explain the meaning of each of the words:

- Asynchronous
- JavaScript
- XML

Question 1:

T T F F T F T T

Question 2:

cat: 1,3
caught: 3
david: 2,3
hat: 2
ran: 1
the: 1,2,3
wore: 2

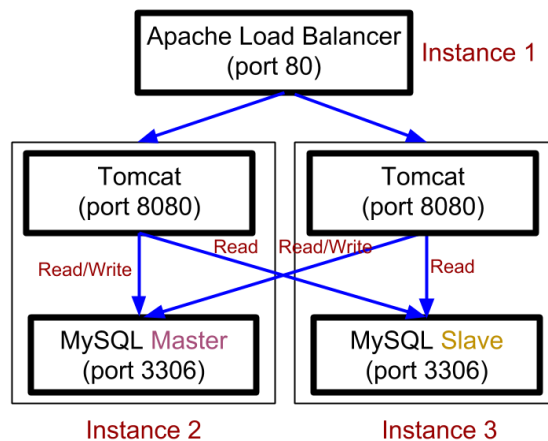
Question 3:

T F T F

Question 4:

STOPPED: The activity is completely hid by another activity and it is no longer visible to the user.
ACTIVE: The activity is in the foreground of the screen.
PAUSED: The activity has lost focus but is still visible and alive.
FINISH: The system drops the activity from memory by killing its process.

Question 5:



Question 6:

It is a persist session over several requests of the same client

Question 7:

Asynchronous: callback functions when the event occur
Javascript: programming language
XML: DOM-based structure object