

Quiz 1

Initial Score (out of 100)

Name

Student ID

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

Signature _____

Make sure to write succinct answers to each question.

Question 1: (15 points)

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

1. _____ The "executeUpdate()" function can be used to send a SQL statement to update the specified database.
2. _____ The HTTP protocol is a stateful protocol.
3. _____ In JDBC, the user can set a time limit on how long the client can wait for a query to return.
4. _____ The JDBC driver for a database should be provided by the vendor of the operating system.
5. _____ A query result cursor allows the JDBC client to iterate through the results of a query.

Question 2: (15 points)

GET and POST are two commonly used methods for an HTTP request/response between a client and a server. For each of the following properties, mark the corresponding method(s) with this property ("**GET**", "**POST**", or "**Both**").

Property	GET/POST
The request can be cached	
The request should be used when dealing with sensitive data.	
The request has a length restriction.	
The request should be used only to retrieve data.	
The request cannot be bookmarked.	

Question 3: (15 points)

In the following table, fill in the "Technique" column using one the three options:

JSP, Java Servlet, Javascript

Property	Technique
A Java program running on the Tomcat server.	
Combines static HTML text with Java servlet code	
Code running inside a Web browser.	

Question 4: (15 points)

List two possible ways to implement pagination in your Fabflix project, as discussed in class. For each of them, discuss its two advantages and two disadvantages.

Question 5: (10 points)

Write down the basic steps for using JDBC to query a DBMS system.

Question 6: (10 points)

Explain how a session in Java servlet is implemented “under the hood” between a Web browser and the Tomcat Web server as discussed in class.

Question 7: (10 points)

Suppose you want to add a “Recently Clicked” feature to your Fabflix project. In other words, you want to enable a user to see a list of movies that he/she has clicked on in the past two months. How do you implement this feature?

Question 8: (10 points)

What is the benefit from enabling MySQL logging?

Question 1: (15 points)

1. ___**T**___ (3 points)
2. ___**F**___ (3 points)
3. ___**T**___ (3 points)
4. ___**F**___ (3 points)
5. ___**T**___ (3 points)

Question 2: (15 points)

GET/POST
GET (3 points)
POST (3 points)
GET (3 points)
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POST (3 points)

Question 3: (15 points)

Technique
Java Servlet (5 points)
JSP (5 points)
Javascript (5 points)

Question 4: (15 points)

Method 1, using SQL "offset limit"; (4 points)

- + **Advantages: Less data for each query to retrieve (or up to date data); Not much memory needed at the Web server** (2 points)
- **Disadvantages: More queries to DB; Longer query delay** (2 points)

Method 2, using Web session caching to store the results of a single query;
(4 points)

- + **Advantages: reduces the overhead on the DB server, Increase response time**(2 points)
- **Disadvantages: Memory needed at the Web server**(1 point)

Question 5: (10 points)

(The student is allowed to group some of these steps into one step.)

- Load the driver** (1.5 points)
- Define the Connection URL** (1.5 points)
- Establish the Connection** (1.5 points)
- Create a Statement object** (1.5 points)
- Execute a query** (1.5 points)

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Process the result (1.5 points)

Close the connection (1 point)

Question 6: (10 points)

The first time the browser sends a request to the server(3 points), **the server generates a cookie and sends it back to the client**(3 points). **In each following request, the client needs to attach the cookie to identify itself**(4 points).

Question 7: (10 points)

The server maintains a table to store all movie clicks of each user(4 points). **Each time a user clicks a movie link, the web server program adds a record to the table**(3 points). **When the web page is accessed, the web server queries the database to get the recent views and display them to the user**(3 points).

Question 8: (10 points)

The benefit from enabling MySQL logging is to monitor every SQL query that hits the database(5 points), **in order to debug and improve the performance**(5 points).