

EXERCISE

Tick (✓) the correct option.

- 1. The device invented in China used for performing simple calculations.
 - (a) Abacus
 - (b) Napier's Bones
 - (c) Pascaline
 - (d) Difference Engine
- 2. It was the first mechanical calculator invented in 1642.
 - (a) Tabulating Machine
 - (b) Napier's Bones
 - (c) Pascaline
 - (d) Mark I
- 3. An arrangement of _____ was used in first generation computers.
 - (a) vacuum tubes
 - (b) microprocessor
 - (c) AI
 - (d) transistors
- 4. It is a fourth generation computer.
 - (a) IBM 360
 - (b) ENIAC
 - (c) IBM PC
 - (d) IBM 1401
- 5. Which of the following are the characteristics of computers?
 - (a) Diligence
 - (b) Versatility
 - (c) Accuracy
 - (d) All of these

Fill the blanks with appropriate words.

- 1. ABACUS was made up of a wooden rack with rods, each having beads.
- 2. Analytical Engine was the first mechanical computer that performed complex mathematical calculations.
- 3. UNIVAC I is an example of first generation computer.
- 4. Third generation computers used Integrated Circuit.
- 5. Fifth generation computers are based on Artificial Intelligence.
- 6. ENIAC was the first general purpose electronic computer.

ENIAC, Artificial Intelligence, Integrated Circuits, UNIVAC I, Analytical Engine, Abacus

Tick (✓) for the correct statements and cross (X) for the wrong ones.

- 1. Napier's Bones was a calculating device invented by Sir John Napier.
- 2. Herman Hollerith invented the Difference Engine in 1822.
- 3. UNIVAC I was the first computer to handle both numeric and text data.
- 4. Punched cards were used in the first generation computers only.



D. Match the computer generations with their respective technologies.

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| 1. First Generation | • | (a) Microprocessor |
| 2. Second Generation | • | (b) Integrated Circuits |
| 3. Third Generation | • | (c) Artificial Intelligence |
| 4. Fourth Generation | • | (d) Vacuum Tubes |
| 5. Fifth Generation | • | (e) Transistors |
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Chapter - 1

Evolution of Computer

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1960 to 1960

First Generation of Computer (1945 to 1956)

→ Vacuum tubes

Features: —

1) Thousands of vacuum tubes.

2) Consumed lots of Power.

3) Generate large amount of heat.

4) Large in Size.

5) Very expensive.

6) Used machine language.

7) Punched Cards & Paper tapes.

Second Generation of Computer (1956 to 1963)

→ Transistors

Features: —

- 1) Used transistor.
- 2) Small and faster than 1st generation.
- 3) Cheaper and more reliable.
- 4) More energy efficient.
- 5) Still generated lots of heat.

Third Generation of Computer (1965 to 1970)

→ Integrated Circuits (IC)

Features :-

- 1) Used integrated Circuits (IC).
- 2) Smaller and Faster.
- 3) Cheaper than 2nd generation.
- 4) Accessed using keyboard, Monitor.

(Q)

What are characteristics of Computer?

Ans \Rightarrow Characteristics of computer :-

① Speed \Rightarrow Computer can complete any kind of Calculation in a few seconds because computer is a super fast machine.

② Accuracy \Rightarrow Computer is very accurate about its result. Each calculation performed by computer is 100%.

③ Versatility \Rightarrow Computer is versatile device because it can perform a variety of task.

④ Storage \Rightarrow Computers have high storage capacity due to which they can store large amounts of data.

⑤ Security \Rightarrow The biggest feature of Computer is that it provides us high security.

Security : (B) (C)

- ⑥ Diligence \Rightarrow Computer is a machine that can do any work 24×7 without being tired non-stop without fault.

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Answer the following question:-

(Q1) What is an abacus? What invented it?

Ans → Abacus was the first calculating invented in China used to perform Addition; Subtraction multiplication and division.

(Q2) Write a note on difference engine and analytical engine.

Ans → Difference engine was an automating calculating machine used to prepare table and calculate complex problems.

Analytical engine was first mechanical computer that perform complex mathematical calculation

(Q3) Write any three features of first generation computers.

Ans → Features of first generation computer:-

(a) Expensive

(c) Slow Speed

(b) Consumed more power

(04)

Differentiate between third generation and fourth generation computers.

Ans ⇒

Third generation	fourth generation
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Small size	Compact size
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 faster | more faster | Costly | less costly | Less storage | Greater Storage |

(05)

What do you mean by artificial intelligence?

Ans ⇒

Artificial Intelligence means it think what comes in our mind by computer.

(06)

Explain any three characteristics of computers

Ans ⇒

Characteristics of computer are :-

(a)

Speed in Processing

(b)

Accuracy in result.

(c)

Storage capacity.

(d)

Do not get tired.

(e)

Multiprocessing is a process of executing two or more programs simultaneously in a computer.

Two or more softwares running simultaneously.

Simultaneous processing.

Which you will not notice in it.