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Quiz 7

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You have 10 minutes to complete this quiz consisting of 2 pages and 6 questions. You may *not* use your notes and textbooks, nor may you use any calculators or other electronic devices. Circle the *best* answer for the multiple choice questions, and write the answer in the space provided for the other questions. Good luck!

- (1) [1 pt.] A stack can be implemented using just a queue? Is this statement true or false?
 - (a) True.
 - (b) False.
- (2) [1 pt.] A queue can be implemented using just a stack? Is this statement true or false?
 - (a) True.
 - (b) False.
- (3) [2 pts.] In C, what evaluation strategy is used to evaluate macros?
 - (a) Call by value.
 - (b) Call by reference.
 - (c) Call by name.
 - (d) Call by pointer.
- (4) [2 pts.] Which of the following statements is not true?
 - (a) Call by reference offers wider access to values than call by value.
 - (b) In C, call by reference can be simulated using pointers.
 - (c) C-style call by value is more time- and space-efficient than call by reference.
 - (d) In OCaml, call by reference is used internally to bind variables to values.

- (5) [2 pts.] Suppose the following statements are in a piece of C code:

```
float x[7] = {.1, .2, .3, .4, .5, .6, .7};  
float * p;  
p = x;
```

Then which of the following expressions would evaluate to false?

- (a) `p + 3 == x[3]`
 - (b) `*p == .1`
 - (c) `p[3] == x[3]`
 - (d) `p == &x[0]`
- (6) [2 pts.] In programming, what is a buffer overflow? Answer in one or two sentences.

Answer: A buffer overflow is an access to an array (or similar data structure) outside of its boundaries. A buffer overflow can cause various kinds of unexpected program behavior including program crashes and security breaches.