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& Answers

## Version: 7.0

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### Question: 1

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Given the following data at WORK.DEMO:

PTID	Sex	Age	Height	Weight
457892	M	14	69.0	112.5
464389	F	13	56.5	84.0
478865	F	13	65.3	98.0
483476	F	14	62.8	102.5
493847	M	14	63.5	102.5
500029	M	12	57.3	83.0
513842	F	12	59.8	84.5
515151	F	15	62.5	112.5
522396	M	13	62.5	84.0
534787	M	12	59.0	99.5
536777	F	11	51.3	50.5
546823	F	14	64.3	90.0
556677	F	12	56.3	77.0
565699	F	15	66.5	112.0
578222	M	16	72.0	150.0
635445	M	12	64.8	128.0

Which SAS program prints only the first 5 males in this order from the data set?

A.

```
proc sort data=WORK.DEMO out=out;  
  by sex;  
run;  
proc print data= out (obs=5);  
run;
```

B.

```
proc print data=WORK.DEMO(obs=5);  
  where Sex='M';  
run;
```

C.

```
proc print data=WORK.DEMO(where=(sex='M'));  
  where obs<=5;  
run;
```

D.

```
proc sort data=WORK.DEMO out=out;  
  by sex descending;  
run;  
proc print data= out (obs=5);
```

run;

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**Answer: B**

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**Question: 2**

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Which SAS program will apply the data set label 'Demographics' to the data set named DEMO?

- A.  
data demo (label='Demographics');  
set demo;  
run;
- B.  
data demo;  
set demo (label='Demographics');  
run;
- C.  
data demo (label 'Demographics');  
set demo;  
run;
- D.  
data demo;  
set demo;  
label demo= 'Demographics';  
run;

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**Answer: A**

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**Question: 3**

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The following SAS program is submitted:  
proc sort data=SASUSER.VISIT out=PSORT;  
by code descending date cost;  
run;

Which statement is true regarding the submitted program?

- A. The descending option applies to the variable CODE.
- B. The variable CODE is sorted by ascending order.
- C. The PSORT data set is stored in the SASUSER library.
- D. The descending option applies to the DATE and COST variables.

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**Answer: B**

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**Question: 4**

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What information can be found in the SAS Dictionary tables? (Choose two.)

- A. datasets contained within a specified library
- B. values contained within a specified format
- C. variables contained within a specified dataset
- D. values contained within a specified variable

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**Answer: A, C**

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**Question: 5**

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Given the following data set:

subjid	trt	result	dttime	age
1		CR	0	56
2	A	PD	1	52
3	B	PR	1	47
4	B	CR	2	29
5	1	SD	1	39
6	C	SD	3	21
7	C	PD	2	90
1	A	CR	0	43
3	B	PD	1	56

The following output was generated from PROC PRINT.

Obs	subjid	trt	result	dttime	age
1	1		CR	0	56
2	2	A	PD	1	52
3	3	B	PR	1	47
4	4	B	CR	2	29
5	5	1	SD	1	39
6	6	C	SD	3	21
7	7	C	PD	2	90

Which program was used to prepare the data for this PROC PRINT output?

- A.  
proc sort data=one out=two;  
  by subjid;  
run;
- B.  
proc sort data=one out=two nodupkey;  
  by subjid;  
run;
- C.  
proc sort data=one out=two nodup;  
  by subjid;  
run;

D.

```
proc sort data=one out=two nodupkey;
  by subjid trt;
run;
```

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**Answer: B**


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**Question: 6**


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This question will ask you to provide a line of missing code.  
The following SAS program is submitted:

```
proc freq data=dist;
  <insert code here>
run;
```

to create the following output:

The FREQ Procedure  
Table of site by group

site	group			
Frequency				
Percent				
Row Pct	Trt1	Trt2	Trt3	Total
-----+-----+-----+-----+				
SITEA	15	56	172	243
	2.80	10.47	32.15	45.42
	6.17	23.05	70.78	
-----+-----+-----+-----+				
SITEB	24	74	194	292
	4.49	13.83	36.26	54.58
	8.22	25.34	66.44	
-----+-----+-----+-----+				
Total	39	130	366	535
	7.29	24.30	68.41	100.00

Which statement is required to produce this output?

- A. TABLES site\*group /nocol;
- B. TABLES site\*group /norow;
- C. TABLES site\*group;
- D. TABLES site\*group /nocol norow;

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**Answer: A**


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**Question: 7**

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Which statement correctly adds a label to the data set?

- A.  
DATA two Label="Subjects having duplicate observations";  
set one;  
run;
- B.  
DATA two;  
Label="Subjects having duplicate observations";  
set one;  
run;
- C.  
DATA two;  
set one;  
Label dataset="Subjects having duplicate observations";  
run;
- D.  
DATA two(Label="Subjects having duplicate observations");  
set one;  
run;

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**Answer: D**

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**Question: 8**

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Given the following data set:

SUBJID	GENDER	AGE	TRT
4	M	63	3
4	M	63	1
5	F	72	4
1	F	45	1
3	M	57	2
2	F	39	1
3	M	57	2

The following output data set was produced:

SUBJID	GENDER	AGE	TRT
3	M	57	1
3	M	57	1
4	M	63	2
4	M	63	0
5	F	72	3

Which SAS program produced this output?

- A.  
proc sort data=one(where=(age>50)) out=two;  
by subjid;  
run;
- B.  
proc sort data=one(if=(age>50)) out=two;  
by subjid;  
run;
- C.  
proc sort data=one out=two;  
where=(age>50);  
by subjid;  
run;
- D.  
proc sort data=one out=two;  
if age>50;  
by subjid;  
run;

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**Answer: A**

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### Question: 9

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CORRECT TEXT

The following question will ask you to provide a line of missing code.

The following program is submitted to output observations from data set ONE that have more than one record per patient.

```
proc sort data=one out=two;  
  by subjid;  
run;  
data two;  
  set two;  
  <insert code here>  
  if (first.subjid ne 1 or last.subjid ne 1) then output ;  
run ;
```

In the space below, enter the line of code that will correctly complete the program (Case is ignored. Do not add leading or trailing spaces to your answer.).

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**Answer: BYSUBJID;  
BYSUBJID;**

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### Question: 10

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Given the data set WORK.BP with the following variable list:

#	Variable	Type	Len	Label
1	DIABP	Num	8	Diastolic Blood Pressure
2	PTNO	Char	4	Patient Number
3	SYSBP	Num	8	Systolic Blood Pressure

The following SAS program is submitted:

```
ods select ExtremeObs;  
proc univariate data=WORK.BP;  
  var DIABP;  
  id PTNO;  
run;
```

Which output will be created by the program?

☐ A.

Extreme Observations			
Lowest		Highest	
Value	Obs	Value	Obs
68	190	119	51

☐ B.

Extreme Observations					
Lowest			Highest		
Value	PTNO	Obs	Value	PTNO	Obs
68	6007	190	119	2710	51

☐ C.

Extreme Observations			
Lowest		Highest	
Value	Obs	Value	Obs
62	129	112	60
63	8	114	4
63	133	114	147
65	22	115	287
68	190	119	51

☐ D.

Extreme Observations					
Lowest			Highest		
Value	PTNO	Obs	Value	PTNO	Obs
62	5023	129	112	3020	60
63	1890	8	114	1701	4
63	5029	133	114	5109	147
65	2201	22	115	8077	287
68	6007	190	119	2710	51

- A. Option A  
 B. Option B  
 C. Option C  
 D. Option D

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**Answer: D**

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