

gst203 List of Questions

Latex formatted questions may not properly render

Q1 ___ is regarded as a group of propositions whose function is to make a claim about something

dissertation
law
argument
philosophy

Q2 Logos, the Greek word from which Logic derived does not mean ___

discourse
word
study
life

Q3 The Greek word for wisdom is ___

sophia
philosophy
philo
alethia

Q4 Philosophy is the only discipline that is ___ in nature

old
universal
scientific
atheistic

Q5 Aristotle holds that understanding philosophy entails mastering ___

other sciences
theology
God
atheism

Q6 The natural sciences broke away from philosophy in ___

18th century
19th century
17th century
20th century

Q7 ___ writings were regarded as Encyclopedia of philosophy by the medieval men

Plato
Pythagoras
Aristotle
Augustine

Q8 Anaximenes was the first to explain ___

cause of rainbow
eclipse of the sun

the regenerative power of music
that man evolved from fishes

Q9 Thales predicted ____ in 585 B.C

death of King Herod
Coming of Jesus
Global famine
Eclipse

Q10 Which of these was not among the pre-colonial regional capitals

Enugu
Kaduna
Lagos
Ibadan

Q11 In dividing Nigeria into Eastern and Western regions ____ was used as the boundary

Ndiukwuenu Forest
Ikom River
River Niger
River Benue

Q12 ____ regarded fire as the primary substance of all reality

Locke
Anaximander
Anaximenes
Heraclitus

Q13 Thales identified ____ as the primary substance of the universe

ashes
cold
water
sand

Q14 ____ is not among the sources of philosophy

curiosity
sense of wonder
desire for knowledge for its sake
idleness and poverty

Q15 The first standard comment about the nature and definition of philosophy was made by ____

Pythagoras
Isaac Newton
Plato
Aristotle

Q16 ____ had his philosophical training in Africa

Plato

Pythagoras
Augustine
Confucius

Q17 Western Philosophy originated in ____

Miletus
Rome
Athens
Sicily

Q18 "Honesty is my best policy" is an expression of ____

One's religious belief
One's philosophy of life
Declaration of one's honesty
Manifestation of one's righteousness

Q19 The hotel manager with a degree in food and nutrition is heard referring to herself as a philosopher. Her doing so is regarded as ____

impersonation
double assumption of identity
false identification
layman use of the term

Q20 Every philosopher define philosophy in his or her own way because philosophy is ____

old discipline
complex
hard
everyday wisdom

Q21 Deny the following statement: "I am a thief" ____

It is you that is a thief
No, I am not a thief
There is no single thief in my family
It is my father that was once a thief

Q22 ____ and ____ qualify a statement as logical

truth and observability
deniability and assertability
conditionality and proportionality
contradiction and inferability

Q23 In logic, another name for statement is ____

truth
proposition
fact of matter
conceptual analysis

Q24 ____ is not among the three divisions of formal logic

logic of propositions
logic of terms
logic of assumptions
logic of relations

Q25 ____ is the logical process exhibited in this statement: All lecturers are homosexuals

simple apprehension
judgement
intuition
reasoning

Q26 In logic, when the mind forms the concept of anything we say that ____ has taken place

judgement
intuition
reasoning
simple apprehension

Q27 Man's ability to think is regarded as ____

ethics
reason
sensibility
productivity

Q28 ____ is not a source of knowledge

gossip
intuition
reason
faith

Q29 ____ is not a branch of ethics

meta ethics
normative ethics
descriptive ethics
causative ethics

Q30 Another name for ethics is called ____

moral philosophy
materialism
character
empiricism

Q31 _____ is the concern of ethics

what is
what was
what ought to be
what will be

Q32 The saying that unexamined life is not worth living is attributable to ____

Manford
Aristotle
Socrates
Kukah

Q33 ____ branch of philosophy is regrded as theory of knowledge

physicalism
epistemology
metaphysics
logic

Q34 Aristotle named his book that deals with nature ____

versmeneutic
Oncology
Physics
De Anima

Q35 ____ is regrded as the study of first principles

ethics
metalogical deontic logics
politics
metaphysics

Q36 An argument that rests on probability is called ____

deductive argument
inductive argument
rational argument
empirical argument

Q37 Draw the conclusion of this argument: All lecturers will go to heaven; Dr Uthman is a lecturer; therefore____

Dr Uthman is an exception
Dr Uthman will go to heaven
I have seen a lecturer involved in evil
False, bad lecturers will not go to heaven

Q38 Deductive argument move from ____ to ____

up to down
general to particular
particular to general
from horizontal to perpedincular

Q39 Arguments are either deductive or ____

doxastic
imperative
inductive
argumentative

Q40 In standard argument conclusion is inferred from__

debate
premises
formality
symbolism

Q41 The fallacy that misrepresents a fact, and then goes ahead to attack that misrepresentation is called ____ fallacy

bandwagon
ad hominem
straw man
accusatory

Q42 "If you see any lecturer supporting the current administration, that person has been paid heavily." This is an example of ____ fallacy

ad hominem
straw man
bandwagon
accusatory

Q43 In informal fallacies ____ does not render an argument fallacious

at least one premise is false
emotions are appeal to
argument lacks structure
arguments are not about the thesis under consideration

Q44 Errors in reasoning are called ____

irrationality
fallacies
mindset
abberation

Q45 ____ is not among Haliday's function of language

heuristic
imagiative
regulatory
commissive

Q46 If you have ever heard of the book; "How to do things with words", kindly identify ____ as the author

Socrates
J. L. Austin
Wole Soyinka
Nelson Mandela

Q47 The abbreviation, L. A. D. means _____

Logic and Development
Linguistic Advancement Conference
Legal Advancement Digital

Language Acquisition Device

Q48 "It shall be well with you," the pastor thundered to the congregation. ____ function of language is at play here

- emotive function
- blessing function
- declarative function
- deductive function

Q49 Jamiu raised the veil that covered the face of his new bride, "I will be with you till the end of my life." ____ is the function of language expressed here

- expressive function
- informative function
- commissive function
- directive function

Q50 "I am writing my TMA 3 of GST203." ____ function of language is expressed here

- expressive function
- informative function
- commissive function
- directive function

Q51 ____ is a function of language

- echoistic function
- literary function
- normative function
- expressive function

Q52 The type of argument that proceeds from particular to the general is called

- deductive argument
- inductive argument
- voluntary argument
- sylogistic

Q53 ____ is the middle term of the following syllogism: All Kanuris live in the North East. Galadima is a Kanuri. Therefore, Galadima lives in the North East

- Galadima
- North East
- Kanuri
- Lives

Q54 All Nigerians are rich; Dr Eric Omazu is a Nigerian; Therefore, Dr Eric Omazu is rich

- I do not know whether Dr Eric Omazu is rich or not
- Therefore, Dr Eric Omazu is rich
- All Nigerians are rich
- Dr Eric Omazu is a Nigerian

Q55 All students cheat in exams; I am a student; Therefore, I cheat in exams ___ is the major premise of this statement

All students cheat in exams

I am a student

Therefore, I cheat in exams

I have never cheated in my exams

Q56 "The NOUN vice-chancellor is good" The predicate term of the proposition is ____

good

vice-chancellor

NOUN

unknown

Q57 An argument that contains three propositions is called ____

syllogism

induction

premises

conclusion

Q58 ___ is not a conclusion indicator

for the reason that

therefore

because

since

Q59 Evidence for holding a conclusion is called ____

justification

truth table

premise

inferred parts

Q60 ___ is not a logical sentence

You are stupid

My father is good

Mr Amos is a drunkard

Shut up

Q61 Categorical syllogism asserts or deny ____ between classes

relationship

premises

propositions

logic

Q62 "I am having my girlfriend for dinner," is a fallacy of ambiguity because

it conveys more than one meaning

I want to practice cannibalism on my girlfriend

I want to eat dinner with a girl who is not married to me

It is an euphemism for saying I will have sex with my girlfriend this evening

Q63 Every categorical syllogism contains ____

- one term
- two terms
- three terms
- four terms

Q64 ____ is the branch of ethics concerned with logic of ethical arguments

- normative ethics
- applied ethics
- meta ethics
- prescriptive ethics

Q65 The Greek word for knowledge is ____

- alithia
- apologia
- euthyphro
- episteme

Q66 "A is A" expresses ____ law of thought

- law of contradiction
- law of excluded middle
- identity
- inclusivity

Q67 Teachers are good. Adamu is a teacher. Therefore, Adamu is good. ____ is the major term of this categorical syllogism

- Teachers
- Good
- Adamu
- None of the above

Q68 The letter "P" in categorical syllogism represents ____

- Major term
- Middle term
- Minor term
- Inclusive term

Q69 The terms of a categorical syllogism does not include ____

- middle term
- inclusive term
- major term
- minor term

Q70 ____ is not a characteristics of a syllogism

- Has independent conclusion
- Has at least three propositions
- Has at least two propositions

Has one conclusion

Q71 "All students are good" is an example of ____
universal negative proposition
universal positive proposition
particular negative proposition
particular positive proposition

Q72 ____ and ____ are two types of affirmative
universal and particular
universal and essential
particular and essential
Particular and incubative

Q73 ____ type of definition has truth value
Heuristic definition
Lexical definition
theoretical definition
extensional definition

Q74 ____ is not a type of definition
Heuristic definition
Lexical definition
theoretical definition
extensional definition

Q75 My car is heavy. Therefore, the side mirrors to my car are heavy. This is an example of ____ fallacy
ad cumbum fallacy
fallacy of division
dubiousity fallacy
fallacy of composition

Q76 The art of attributing qualities of part of a whole to the whole is referred to as ____
ad cumbum fallacy
fallacy of division
dubiousity fallacy
fallacy of composition

Q77 "Let's eat grandma," is an example of ____ fallacy
fallacy of composition
fallacy of pity
fallacy of equivocation
fallacy of amphiboly

Q78 ____ is not an example of fallacy of ambiguity
fallacy of equivocation
fallacy of amphiboly

fallacy of pity
fallacy of composition

Q79 "We are going to deal with anyone who fails to vote Mr Ajayi in the upcoming election." This is an example of ____fallacy

ad baculum
straw man
argument against the man
tu quoque

Q80 "Pastor, you are advising me against armed robbery, were you not the one caught with Ogbuefi's wife?" This is an example of _____

abusive ad hominem
tu quoque ad hominem
circumstantial ad hominem
situational ad hominem

Downloaded from noungeeks.com