

Sample Questions

Here are a few questions from an exam that I have used in the past. They are here so that you can better understand the form of the questions that will be on your exam. There is no guarantee that these questions will, or will not, be on your exam.

1. Which of the following can a database, table, or column name consist of?
 - a. letters
 - b. underscores
 - c. numbers
 - d. *All of the above
 - e. None of the above

2. You can use the same column name in more than one database table.
 - a. *True
 - b. False

3. The _____ column type allows you to define a series of acceptable values for a column, of which the column can any number.
 - a. ENUM
 - b. *SET
 - c. BLOG
 - d. None of the above

4. A two letter state abbreviation would be best stored in a column of type _____.
 - a. VARCHAR(2)
 - b. *CHAR(2)
 - c. VARCHAR
 - d. CHAR

5. A price of a product in an e-commerce site should be stored in what type of column?
 - a. ENUM
 - b. LONGTEXT
 - c. SET
 - d. *DECIMAL

Study Hints

As we discussed in class, the exam will focus on materials from the text book and the W3Schools SQL tutorial. Emphasis will be on topics and activities that we covered in class.

Best of luck!