

CS:1210 (22C:16) Quiz 12 (a)

You have 15 minutes to complete this quiz.

1. What is the output produced by the following function when it is called as `partition([6, 1, 9, 3, 2, 6, 1, 4], 0, 7)`

```
def partition(L, first, last):
    p = first

    for current in range(p+1, last+1):
        print L[first:p], L[p], L[p+1:current]
        if L[current] < L[p]:
            swap(L, current, p+1)
            swap(L, p, p+1)
            p = p + 1

    return p
```

2. This question is based on understanding the working of the following implementation of the quick sort algorithm.

```
def generalQuickSort(L, first, last):  
    if first < last:  
        p = partition(L, first, last)  
        generalQuickSort(L, first, p-1)  
        generalQuickSort(L, p+1, last)
```

Insert the statement

```
    print L[first:p], L[p], L[p+1:last+1]
```

just after the line of code `p = partition(L, first, last)` in the above function. What output do we get if make the call

```
    generalQuickSort([4, 1, 9, 3], 0, 3)
```