- 1. Which of the following is the file system that provides standard file services to clustered servers to implement a unified file system?
- 2. What is the correct technical term in OOP for computer programs to perform a specific task for an object?
- 3. Which of the following elements is/are specific to creating a BI system, in contrast with an operational or production system?
- 4. _____ applications are used to perform what-if analysis, make predictions and facilitate decision making using sophisticated statistical and mathematical techniques.
- 5. Which of the following is/are (a) real term(s) used to describe digital storage capacity?
- 6. What is/are (a) source(s) of data for BI systems?
- 7. What is the correct technical term in OOP for storing the values of properties of an object?
- 8. A distributed database has a single processing computer and all the datasets are present on that system. What kind of distributed database is that?
- 9. Which of the following is/are (a) category/categories of business intelligence systems?
- 10. What is the term used for a presentation of a measure with associated dimensions in OLAP?
- 11. When data are extracted from a production database to add to a BI database, which of the following statements is/are correct?
- 12. Why do planners interested in the NoSQL movement choose to use non-relational databases?
- 13. Which of the following is/are (an) example of sources of big data?
- 14. What is a key factor pushing system managers to implement virtualization for their BI systems?
- 15. How do BI systems differ from production systems?
- 16. A distributed database has two or more processing computers and each computer has a unique subset of all the datasets needed. What kind of distributed database is that?

- 17. A database is constantly updated by users, not by periodic batch jobs. Which is the appropriate technical term to describe that database?
- 18. What is the meaning of the acronym HDFS in discussions of distributed databases?
- 19. Which of the following is the largest storage capacity?
- 20. What was the purpose of using RFM analysis in your textbook's example involving customers?
- 21. What is the meaning of the acronym RFM in the phrase RFM Analysis used in your textbook?
- 22. A database is used for unstructured analytical data processing. Which is the appropriate technical term to describe that database?
- 23. A denormalized design that allows for variablelength records in a database is called a ____.
- 24. Enormous datasets generated by Web applications such as search tools and social networks are currently being called _____.
- 25. In discussions of BI systems, what does the acronym OLAP stand for?
- 26. A database is used for both current and historical data. What is the appropriate technical term to use for that database?
- 27. What is the correct technical term in OOP for data items particular to an object?
- 28. In discussions of OLAP, what is the term for a data item of interest?
- 29. What does one call a data structure that has methods and properties?
- 30. Which of the following elements is/are (a) component(s) of a data warehouse?
- 31. In discussions of OLAP, what is the term for a characteristic of a measure?
- 32. A distributed database has two or more processing computers and each computer has a complete copy of the entire database needed. What kind of distributed database is that?
- 33. A hypervisor is running on a computer along with several user-application programs running separately. This is a _____ environment for the VM.

- 34. What is the name of the software that allows us to create VMs in an existing operating system?
- 35. A hypervisor is running on a computer with no other user-application programs running separately. This is a _____ environment for the VM.
- 36. When subsets and different formats of information from data warehouses are put into separate, smaller databases, what are those smaller units called?
- 37. What does the acronym OOP mean in discussions of programming and databases?
- 38. A database tends to be used primarily for structured transaction processing. Which is the appropriate technical term to describe that database?

- 39. A corporate network has several important systems (e.g., email, Web, DBMS, e-commerce) running on servers in external sites run by other firms. What kind of environment is this?
- 40. A database has its data updated in large periodic batch jobs. Which is the appropriate term to describe that database?
- 41. What does the acronym VM mean in discussions of computing today?
- 42. A database uses up-to-date data that can change from moment to moment. Which is the appropriate technical term to describe that database?
- 43. A distributed database has two or more processing computers and each computer has a particular subset of all the datasets needed including copies of certain datasets but not others. What kind of distributed database is that?

