

7 A computer has an operating system.

(a) The operating system provides several functions.

(i) Tick (✓) **one** box to show which of these is **not** a function of the operating system.

A managing files

B providing an interface

C handling interrupts

D loading the bootstrap

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(ii) Identify **one** other function of an operating system.

Describe the purpose of this function.

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(b) Give the name of the set of instructions that are provided to the operating system to allow it to run.

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