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Module : COM 2123 – Imperative Programming

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Instructions to candidates

This question paper consists of **FOUR (4)** questions. Answer **ALL** Questions.

Question 1 [40 Marks]

- a) Write an algorithm for finding N factorial and draw the corresponding flowchart [15]
- b) What is an operator? Explain arithmetic and relational operators with an example. [8]
- c) What data types would you use to represent the following items?
 - i. The number of employees in the department [2]
 - ii. The target sale by a salesman. [2]
 - iii. Name of the employee [2]
 - iv. The population of a city [2]
 - v. The height of the employee [2]
- d) Write a simple C++ Function to calculate the Compound interest rate of any given loan [8]
- e) What is the difference between Function overload and Function override [8]

Question 2 [25 Marks]

- a) Explain the difference between for and do-while loop with example [8]
- b) Write a short note on nested if-else statements in C++ program. [5]
- c) What do you understand by the term algorithm as used in programming? [4]
- d) Explain the use of break and continue with examples [8]

Question 3 [35 Marks]

- a) What is an array? Show by an example how one can initialise an array [8]
- b) Explain how to use a pointer in C++, use syntax and an example to demonstrate your explanation [10]
- c) Write a full C++ program to convert Kilometres into meters, the program should accept input from the user [17]

End of question paper

