

## QUESTION BANK

### Problem Solving in C (KCA-102)

#### UNIT -1

##### Short question

- Q.1 What is the use of flow chart?
- Q.2 What will be the output of the following code `for(i=1; i<10;i++); printf("%d", i);`
- Q.3 Difference between const and static keyword.
- Q.4 Explain the standard input/output function in C.
- Q.5 What do you mean by precedence and associativity of operators? Explain with a suitable example.

##### Long Question

- Q.6 Define algorithm. What are the attributes of a good algorithm?
- Q.7 Differentiate between compiler and interpreter.
- Q.8 Explain the various types of Data type and Storage classes?
- Q.9 Explain the standard input/output function in C.
- Q.10 What do you mean by type casting? Illustrate implicit type casting and explicit type casting with suitable example.

#### UNIT-2

##### Short question

- Q.11 How do-while loop is different from a while loop? Give the syntax and working of both the loops.
- Q.12 Discuss the recursion function.
- Q.13 Write a for loop that prints the numbers from 1 to 10 in ascending order.
- Q.14 Using the if-else statement, create a program that checks if a given number is even or odd and prints the result.
- Q.15 Write a program that uses a while loop to print the Fibonacci sequence up to the 10th term.

##### Long Questions

- Q.16 Write the syntax of switch statement and explain its working. Illustrate with a suitable example.
- Q.17 Give the difference between break () and continue () statement with proper example?

- Q.18** Explain if –statement and if-else-statement with proper example?  
**Q.19** Write a function to find factorial of a number.  
**Q.20** Write a program in C to print the pattern

A

A B

A B C

A B C D

A B C D E

### UNIT-3

#### Short Questions

- Q.21** Explain the concept of the "index" in an array. Why is it important?  
**Q.22** Explain how the pointer variable is declared and initialized. Explain pointer to pointer concept.  
**Q.23** Explain the difference between the strlen() and sizeof() functions when dealing with strings.  
**Q.24** Explain the concept of an "array of pointers" and provide a practical example.  
**Q.25** Discuss the differences between pointer arithmetic and array subscripting. Provide examples to illustrate.

#### Long question

- Q.26** Explain the relationship between pointers and arrays/strings. Discuss how pointers can be used to iterate through arrays and strings. Provide examples demonstrating the advantages of using pointers in these contexts.  
**Q.27** Describe the concept of function pointers. Provide examples illustrating their use and discuss scenarios where function pointers are particularly useful.  
**Q.28** Discuss commonly used string functions in C such as strlen, strcpy, strcat, and strcmp. Provide examples of their usage and discuss potential pitfalls or limitations.  
**Q.29** Implement a function that takes a pointer to a function as an argument and applies that function to each element of an array  
**Q.30** Implement a function to reverse a string in place (without using additional storage).

### UNIT-4

#### Short Questions

- Q.31** What is a structure in C programming, and how is it used to group related data items?  
**Q.32** How do you initialize, define, and declare a structure in C?

**Q.33** How is a union different from a structure, and what are its use cases in C programming?

**Q.34** What are the functions of Enumerated data types?

**Q.35** What is the purpose of storage classes in C programming, and how do they impact the lifetime and scope of variables?

### **Long Questions**

**Q.36** Explain the concept of nested structures in C. Provide examples to demonstrate how structures can be embedded within one another and discuss the advantages of using such structures.

**Q.37** Describe the role of pointers in C structures. Explain how pointers can be used to access and manipulate data within structures. Provide practical examples to support your explanation.

**Q.38** Discuss the role of the 'register' storage class in C programming. How does it affect variable storage and access, and in what scenarios would you choose to use the 'register' storage class? Provide practical examples to support your explanation.

**Q.39** Provide a comprehensive overview of storage classes in C, including their significance in memory management and the different types such as automatic, register, static, and external. Illustrate with examples to enhance understanding.

**Q.40** Describe operations that can be performed on unions and how unions contribute to optimizing memory utilization in certain programming situations.

## **UNIT-5**

### **Short Questions**

**Q.41** Differentiate between malloc and calloc in terms of their functionality and usage.

**Q.42** How does the realloc function contribute to dynamic memory management in C?

**Q.43** Explain the concept of a file pointer in C and how it is used in file handling operations.

**Q.44** Briefly describe the different file opening modes in C and provide an example for each.

**Q.45** What are the key data types commonly used in graphics programming in C, and how do they contribute to graphical representation?

### **Long Questions**

**Q.46** Discuss the need for dynamic memory allocation. Illustrate with examples to demonstrate the step-by-step process of allocating memory using malloc, calloc, and static emphasizing their distinctions.

**Q.47** Explain the significance of the free function in dynamic memory management and preventing memory leaks.

**Q.48** Detail the various file handling operations, including reading, writing, and updating files in C.

**Q.49** Explain how command-line arguments can be utilized for file handling in C programs and discuss the advantages of using command-line arguments for file handling.

**Q.50** How is the process of drawing and filling images distinct in graphics programming, and why is it significant?