Programming Paradigms Report

Introduction

 This report investigates three programming paradigms: Procedural, Object-Oriented (OOP), and Event-Driven programming. Each paradigm has unique characteristics, use cases, and advantages.

Procedural Programming

- Follows a step-by-step approach using functions and procedures.
- Code is structured into blocks or routines.
- Focuses on process and logic flow.
- Used in applications like simple scripts, system utilities, and mathematical computations.

Example: C, Python (using functions), Pascal.

Object-Oriented Programming (OOP)

- Based on objects, which are instances of classes.
- Uses concepts like encapsulation, inheritance, and polymorphism.
- Helps in code reusability and scalability.
- Used in applications like GUI development, game development, and large-scale software systems.

Example: Java, C++, Python (OOP style).

Event-Driven Programming

- Program execution is determined by user actions or system events.
- Uses event listeners, handlers, and callbacks.
- Commonly used in UI-based applications, web development, and gaming.

 Example: JavaScript (browser events), Visual Basic, C# (Windows Forms).

Relationship Between Paradigms

- Procedural programming provides the foundation for structured coding.
- OOP builds upon procedural programming by introducing objects and reusability.
- Event-driven programming often incorporates OOP and procedural principles to handle user interactions and events.

Conclusion

 Each programming paradigm serves a specific purpose. Understanding their differences helps in choosing the right approach for different types of software development projects.