

**MCA/1<sup>ST</sup> SEM/SURPRISE TEST II/MCA1102/2023**  
**PROGRAMMING WITH PYTHON**  
**(MCA1102)**

**Time Allotted: 25 min**

**Marks: [2 + 4 + 4] = 10**

1. Argue in favour of or against the following statements:

(i) A dictionary can have a list as a key or a value.

(ii) A dictionary can have any tuple as a key.

*[(CO2)(Analyse/IOCQ)]*

2. Explain with apposite example(s) the difference between shallow copy and deep copy of a list.

*[(CO2)(Understand/LOCQ)]*

3. Workout the output of the following:

(i)     myStr = "MCA students"[1: :3][ : :-1]  
        print(myStr)

(ii)     students = {'roll': 66, 'marks': [66, 99, 88]}  
          students.update({'roll': 77, 'age': 22})  
          print(students)

(iii)    setA = {1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 9}  
          setB = {2, 3, 5, 7, 11}  
          setC = setA.symmetric\_difference(setB)  
          Members of SetC are \_\_\_\_\_.

(iv)     marks = (95, 97, 84, 63, 89, 77)  
          comp, \*elective, major, minor = marks  
          print(major, minor, elective[ : 2], comp)

*[(CO2)(Apply/IOCQ)]*

**Course Outcome:**

After the completion of the course students will be able to

- C01    Develop simple Python programs using Python statements and expressions.
- C02    Demonstrate use of lists, tuples, sets and dictionaries to represent compound data.
- C03    Explain control flow and functions in Python for solving problems.
- C04    Articulate object-oriented programming concepts such as encapsulation, inheritance and polymorphism as used in Python.
- C05    Illustrate the commonly used operations involving file systems handling in Python.
- C06    Explore Python libraries like NumPy, Matplotlib and Pandas for mathematical functions, visualization, and data access.

\*LOCQ: Lower Order Cognitive Question; IOCQ: Intermediate Order Cognitive Question; HOCQ: Higher Order Cognitive Question