DATA REPRESENTATION

PAPER 1

Section A

- 1) Explain the difference between **binary** and **decimal** number systems.
- 2) Describe the role of **binary prefixes** like KiB, MiB, and GiB.
- 3) Convert the binary number 1011101 to decimal.
- 4) Convert the hexadecimal number **2F3** to binary.
- 5) Define two's complement and its importance in binary arithmetic.
- 6) Explain the process of **binary addition** and provide an example.
- 7) How does **one's complement** differ from two's complement?
- 8) Explain the concept of **sign and magnitude** in binary.
- 9) Convert -23 into an 8-bit two's complement binary representation.
- 10) How does the ASCII character set differ from Unicode?
- 11) Explain the concept of **bit depth** in image representation.
- 12) Describe how **color depth** affects image quality.
- 13) Calculate the file size for a 640 x 480 image with a bit depth of 8 bits.
- 14) Explain the concept of **resolution** in bit-mapped images.
- 15) What is **sampling rate** in sound representation?
- 16) Describe **sampling resolution** and its impact on sound quality.
- 17) Explain the difference between **lossy** and **lossless** file compression.
- 18) Convert the hexadecimal A7 to decimal.
- 19) What are **vector graphics**, and how do they differ from bit-map images?
- 20) Convert the binary number 110011 to hexadecimal.
- 21) Describe the use of **ASCII** for encoding characters.
- 22) · Convert 11101101 from binary to decimal.
- 23) What is the primary purpose of **file compression**?
- 24) Write the ASCII code for the letter "A" in binary.
- 25) Convert the decimal number 45 to hexadecimal.
- 26) Define the term **pixel** and its role in digital images.
- 27) Explain the purpose of **Run-Length Encoding (RLE)**.
- 28) Describe the role of **bit depth** in sound files.
- 29) How does **Unicode** support multiple languages in computing?
- 30) Convert **57** in decimal to an 8-bit binary number.
- 31) Explain the importance of **color models** in digital images.

- 32) Describe the use of **kilobyte (KB)** in computer memory.
- 33) Convert 1100 1010 in binary to hexadecimal.
- 34) Explain the term **frame rate** in video files.
- 35) Define **bit rate** and its importance in audio quality.
- 36) What is the relationship between **bit depth** and image quality?
- 37) How does image resolution impact file size?
- 38) Describe **pixel density** and its effect on display clarity.
- 39) Explain the process of **sampling** in digital sound.
- 40) Convert the hexadecimal **1F4** to decimal.
- 41) How does **JPEG compression** reduce file size in images?
- 42) What is the **unit of measure** for data transfer speed?
- 43) Explain the process of **decimal to binary conversion**.
- 44) How are **audio files** stored in a computer?
- 45) Convert the hexadecimal **9C** to binary.
- 46) Define **metadata** and its role in digital files.
- 47) Describe the binary-coded decimal (BCD) system.
- 48) Explain color depth in relation to pixel color representation.
- 49) How does **MP3 compression** work for audio files?
- 50) Convert **10101010** from binary to hexadecimal?

Section B

- 1) Define **user-defined data types** and provide two examples.
- 2) Explain the concept of a **non-composite data type** with an example.
- 3) What is an **enumerated data type** and how is it used?
- 4) Describe the **pointer data type** and its use in memory referencing.
- 5) Define **serial file organization** and provide a real-world example.
- 6) What is **sequential file organization** and when is it useful?
- 7) Explain random file organization and its benefit in data retrieval.
- 8) Define a hashing algorithm in the context of file access.
- 9) What is **sequential access** and where is it commonly used?
- 10) Explain direct access and its advantage over sequential access.
- 11) Describe the role of the **key field** in sequential file organization.
- 12) Define binary floating-point representation.
- 13) Explain the terms mantissa and exponent in floating-point numbers.
- What does it mean to **normalize** a binary floating-point number?
- 15) Define **overflow** in binary floating-point representation.
- 16) Explain **underflow** in the context of binary numbers.
- 17) Describe a composite data type and provide an example.
- 18) What are **sets** in data representation, and how are they used?
- 19) Define **classes** in user-defined data types.
- Describe the **use of pseudocode** in declaring enumerated data types.
- How does **sequential file organization** handle new record additions?
- Explain hashing in random file organization with an example.
- Describe the purpose of **file access methods**.
- How does **serial file organization** store records?
- Define **Run-Length Encoding** in data compression.
- Describe the role of **ASCII values** in hashing algorithms.
- Explain open hash and closed hash for collision handling.
- What is the difference between **serial and sequential file access**?
- 29) Define two's complement and its use in binary arithmetic.
- 30) How does **overflow** occur in binary addition?
- 31) Explain **fixed-point representation** and its limitations.

- Define **normalization** and its significance.
- What is a **composite data type** in a programming language?
- Describe **set theory operations** such as intersection and union.
- Explain the use of **classes** and objects in programming.
- Describe the steps to **convert a floating-point number to binary**.
- What is the **binary point** in floating-point representation?
- Define **serial access** and provide an example.
- 39) How does **direct access** improve data retrieval?
- Explain **ASCII encoding** in a simple hashing algorithm.
- 41) What is **floating-point representation** in computing?
- 42) Describe **precision** in floating-point arithmetic.
- 43) Define two's complement notation for binary numbers.
- Explain the concept of **collision** in hashing.
- What is the purpose of **overflow area** in closed hashing?
- Describe the significance of **file indexing** in direct access.
- 47) Explain **binary division** with an example.
- 48) What does **pointer dereferencing** mean in programming?
- 49) Define the term **metadata** in file handling.
- Describe **precision** vs. **range** in floating-point systems?