

## POKHARA UNIVERSITY

Level: Bachelor  
Semester: Fall  
Programme: BE  
Course: Software Engineering Fundamentals (New)

Year : 2023  
Full Marks: 100  
Pass Marks: 45  
Time : 3hrs.

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.*

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks.*

*Attempt all the questions.*

1. a) What are the five values of extreme programming in agile and explain extreme programming (XP) in detail with necessary diagram. 8
- b) Define software metric. Given the data below, compute the function point value, effort and total cost of a project with the following information domain characteristics. 7

Number of user inputs: 37

Number of user outputs: 53

Number of user inquiries: 5

Number of files: 5

Number of external interfaces: 3

Assuming that the complexity of given software is simple, productivity of software developers is 25 FP/PM and their salary is Rs.1000 /PM

2. a) Define risk in the context of software development. Explain the importance of risk analysis and management in software projects. 7

**OR**

What do you mean by risk identification? Discuss risk refinement. Explain how risk refinement helps in analyzing and responding to potential risks.

- b) How does data flow diagram (DFD) help to acquire functional aspect of any system? Draw a DFD level 1 for online university examination system. 8

**OR**

A student has to login to university online portal in order to take the final examination. After successful login students can take only one subject exam at a time. Students are monitored by more than one invigilator during the examination time. Students should scan the final answer sheet and submit it to the university portal before they sign-out from the system.



From this scenario draw

- i. ER diagram. 4
- ii. DFD level 1 diagram 4

3. a) Explain the need of use cases and user stories while performing requirement analysis. Draw a use case diagram for an online library system. 7
- b) Why is software design important? Explain design principles and guidelines while designing any software projects. 8
4. a) What are different software architectures styles? Explain data flow and client server architectures with necessary diagrams. 7
- b) What is the importance of validation testing. Draw the control flow graph and calculate the cyclomatic complexity of the following function. 8

```
int fun(int x, int y) { — ①
    while (x != y) { — 2
        if (x > y) { — ③
            x = x - y;
            print "x is greater than y";
        } else { — ⑤
            y = y - x;
            print "y is greater than x";
        } — ⑦
    } — ⑧
}
```

5. a) Explain the terms verification and validation. Why regression testing and smoke testing are required while performing software integration? 7
- b) Define software quality assurance. Discuss the objectives and steps involved in conducting FTR. 8
6. a) What is software configuration management? Discuss the change control process in brief. 7
- b) Explain two important features of object-oriented system. Explain different layers of object-oriented design. 8
7. Write short notes on: (Any two) 2×5
  - a) Design patterns
  - b) Data Dictionary
  - c) 4Ps of Management Spectrum



# NEPAL COLLEGE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

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- Q.n 1.a Why do you think agile process of software development is considered better than conventional method of software development? Explain scrum process with suitable diagram. 7
- b Define empirical estimation technique? 8
- Given the data below, compute the function point value, effort and total cost of a project with the following information domain characteristics.
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- Assuming that the complexity of given software is complex, productivity of software developers is 25 FP/PM and their salary is Rs.1000 /PM
- Q.n 2.a Define the role of primary, secondary actors and use cases in use case diagram. 8
- b Draw use case diagram for online food delivery system. 7
- Define functional modeling. Explain how DFD helps to acquire functional model of any system 7
- Q.n 3.a Explain need of design while developing software. Explain data design with suitable example. 8
- b Explain the concept of modularity, structural partitioning and control hierarchy for effective software design. 7
- Q.n 4 Why do we need to calculate cyclomatic complexity of a code. Calculate the Cyclomatic Complexity of following snippet 7

While(condition) — ①

{ if(condition) — ②

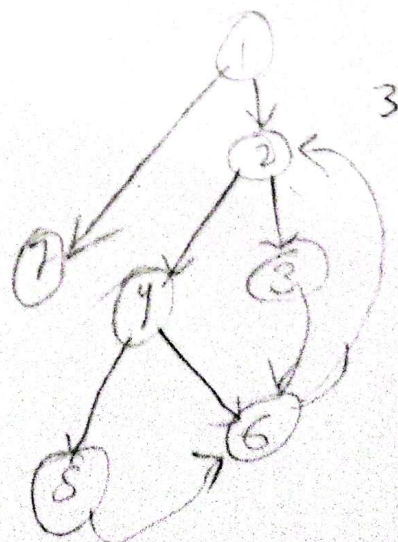
{ if body — ⑤

} else if (condition) — ④

{ else if body — ⑤

} value update — ⑥

}





- b. Mention the significance of software testing? Explain different types of software testing taking an example of each. 8
- Q.n 5.a. Define software configuration management. Difference between version control and change control. 8
- .b. What are the attributes for good quality software? Difference between international standard organization (ISO) and capability maturity model (CMM) 7
- Q.n 6.a. Explain the important features of object oriented software project (OOP). Explain different types of abstraction with an example. 8
- b. Differentiate between object oriented analysis (OOA) and object oriented design (OOD). 7
- Q.7 Write down short notes on any of two[2\*5 = 10]
- ✓a. Four Ps
  - b. Design Patterns
  - c. Software risks