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## December 2017 Semester End Main Examinations

Course: Data Structures  
Course Code: 15CS3DCDST

Duration: 3 hrs.  
Max Marks: 100  
Date: 14.12.2017

**Instructions:** Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing one from each Unit.

### UNIT 1

1. a) Define Stack, develop a C program to implement a stack using dynamic array whose initial capacity is 1 and array doubling is used to increase the stacks capacity whenever an element is added to a full stack. Implement the operations push, pop and display. 08
- b) Convert the infix expression  $((A+(B-C)*D)E+F)$  to postfix expression. Write the algorithm to evaluate the postfix expression and also trace the same postfix expression for given values.  $A=6, B=3, C=2, D=5, E=1, F=7$  08
- c) Write an algorithm for tower of Hanoi. Demonstrate for 3 disks 04

### UNIT 2

2. a) List and explain the functions supported by C for dynamic memory allocation with an example. 08
- b) Write functions to perform the following: 08
  - a. Create a linked list contains 4 nodes with data 10,20,30,40
  - b. Assume the list contains 3 nodes with data 10, 20, 30, insert a node with data 40 at end of list.
  - c. Insert a node with data 50 between the nodes having data values 10 and 20
  - d. Display the singly linked list
- c) Explain doubly linked list with a pictorial representation. Discuss the advantages of doubly linked list over singly linked list 04

### OR

3. a) Write a C program for demonstration of STACK using singly linked list 06
- b) Write a C function to create an ordered list and to search for a key item in the singly linked list. 06
- c) Write the node structure for linked representation of polynomial. Explain the algorithm to add two polynomials represented using linked list. give an example 08

### UNIT 3

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| 4. | a) | Define binary tree. State its properties. How it is represented using array and linked list? Give an example.  | 08 |
|    | b) | Show the binary tree with the arithmetic expression $A/B * C * D + E$ . Give the algorithm for inorder, preorder postorder traversals and show the result of these traversals. | 08 |
|    | c) | What is a binary search tree? Write an algorithm for recursive search or iterative search for a binary search tree.  | 04 |

### UNIT 4

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| 5. | a) | Discuss the advantages of threaded binary tree over binary tree and Explain types of threaded binary tree with example. | 06 |
|    | b) | Define B-Tree. Discuss the insert and search operations on B-Tree with example.   | 08 |
|    | c) | List the properties of Red-Black tree. Justify insert operation is different from Binary search tree.                   | 06 |

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| 6. | a) | Define AVL tree with an example. Briefly discuss the rotation operations are used to make a tree balanced                          | 08 |
|    | b) | List the properties of 2-3 Tree and also give the structure of 2-3 trees. Write a recursive function to search a key in 2-3 Trees. | 08 |
|    | c) | Explain the representational structure of Binomial Heaps.  | 04 |

### UNIT 5

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| 7. | a) | Write a C function for selection sort. Sort the following list using selection sort: 45, 20, 40, 5, 15, 25, 50. | 08 |
|    | b) | Define Hashing? Explain different methods of hashing functions.   | 06 |
|    | c) | Define Collision. Briefly discuss the various methods to resolve collision.                                     | 06 |

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