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FIFTH SEMESTER B.E(CSE)

End semester exam
Principles Of Programming Languages(CSE-303)
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TIME: 3 HOUR MAX. MARKS: 50

Instructions to Candidates

- Answer any five full questions
- Answer should be clear and concise in point form
- Missing data can be suitably assumed
- 1a) In C++, in presence of side effects the function evaluates to different results on same datasets which design principle does it violate? define that design principle.(3marks).
- 1b) The syntax of a language is cryptic which design principle does this aid? Define that design principle. (3marks).
- 1c) Write down while statement equivalent of the following statement.

If(e) s1 else s2 //where "e" evaluates to either zero or one.

(2marks).

1d) List the subdivisions of efficiency design principle.

(2marks).

- 2a) "Any expression can be used within the conditional statement". Which design principle the language supporting? Define that design principle. (3marks).
- 2b)Using the following grammar

 $E \rightarrow E + T \mid E * T \mid T$

 $T \rightarrow 0|1|2|3|4|5|6|7|8|9|(E)$

Draw a parse tree & abstract syntax tree for each of the following

i)5+4*3 ii)5*4+3

(5marks).

2c)Given the following Java declaration

short i=2:

the java compiler generates an error for the statement

i=i+i;

why?

(2marks).

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grammar.
      E \rightarrow E + E \mid E - E \mid E * E \mid E \% E \mid E \land E \mid (E) \mid num
      num → num digit | digit
      digit \rightarrow 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9
   Priority & associativity of the operators are as in language C++.
                                                                                     (5marks).
3b)Draw the symbol table structure at point1 for the following code.
     #include<stdio.h>
     struct
      { int a;
        char b;
        double c;
       x={8,'b',2.5};
      void p(void)
       {struct
            double a;
             int b;
             char c;
           x={1.2,5,'e'};
       /*point1*/ printf ("%f %d %c\n",x.a,x.b,x.c);
     main()
       p();
        return 0;
                                                                                     (5marks).
4a) Write an exception handler to handle division by zero error in C++ or Java. (3marks).
4b)Write iterative versions of quicksort and merge sort.
                                                                                    (7marks).
5a) Write complete algebraic specification for Boolean data type. Identify the
   constructors, selectors & predicates. Find out total number of axioms possible.
                                                                                     (7marks).
5b)prove that
    if-statement → if(expression)statement [else statement]
   is ambiguous. Disambiguate the above grammar.
                                                                                     (3marks).
6a) A tautology is a statement that is always true, no matter what the truth values of its
components. Use the truth table to show that false \rightarrow p is a tautology for any statement p.
                                                                                     (2marks).
6b)Write Scheme procedures to
    i)find factorial of a number.
   ii)find whether element is present in a list.
   iii)find the sum of two lists.
                                                                             ((2+3+3)marks).
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3a) Disambiguate the following grammar also give EBNF notation for the disambiguous