

## MID-TERM EXAMINATION PAPER

**FACULTY : COMPUTER SCIENCE AND MULTIMEDIA**  
**COURSE : BACHELOR OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (HONS)**  
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**MODULE TITLE : SOFTWARE ENGINEERING**  
**DATE : 28<sup>th</sup> FEBURARY 2022**  
**TIME ALLOWED : 3 HOURS**  
**START : 6:30 AM – 9:30 AM**  
**SET : B**

### Instruction to candidates

1. This question paper has THREE (3) Section
2. Answer **ALL** questions in Section A, MCQ.
3. Answer **5** questions in Section B, MSAQ
4. Answer **2** questions in Section C, MEQ
5. No scripts or answer sheets are to be taken out of the Examination Hall.
6. For Section A, answer in the OMR form provided.

***Do not open this question paper until instructed.***

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

### SECTION A

## Multiple Choice Questions

(30\*1=30)

1. In computer operating system and utility programs are examples of
  - a. System software
  - b. Device drivers
  - c. Application software
  - d. Customized software
2. What is the main aim of software engineering?
  - a. Reliable software
  - b. Cost effective software
  - c. Reliable and cost effective software
  - d. None of the above
3. What is the first step in the software development life cycle?
  - a. System Design
  - b. Coding
  - c. System Testing
  - d. Preliminary Investigation and Analysis
4. Which of the following is not project management goal?
  - a. Keeping overall costs within budget
  - b. Avoiding customer complaints
  - c. Delivering the software to the customer at the agreed time
  - d. Maintaining a happy and well-functioning development team
5. A stakeholder is anyone who will purchase the completed software system under development.
  - a. True
  - b. False
6. Identify the disadvantage of Spiral Model.
  - a. Doesn't work well for smaller projects
  - b. High amount of risk analysis
  - c. Strong approval and documentation control
  - d. Additional Functionality can be added at a later date
7. Selection of a model is based on
  - a. Requirements
  - b. Development team & Users
  - c. Project type and associated risk
  - d. All of the mentioned
8. Project risk factor is considered in which model?
  - a. Spiral model
  - b. Waterfall model
  - c. Prototyping model
  - d. None of the above
9. Which of the following models is not suitable for accommodating any changes?
  - a. Prototyping Model
  - b. RAD model
  - c. Waterfall Model
  - d. Spiral Model
10. Pair programming is used in
  - a. Extreme Model
  - b. Object Oriented Model
  - c. Agile Model
  - d. Spiral Model

11. Agile Software Development is based on
  - a. Incremental Development
  - b. Iterative Development
  - c. Linear Development
  - d. Both Incremental and Iterative Development
12. In risk management process what makes a note of all possible risks that may occur in the project?
  - a. Manage
  - b. Monitor
  - c. Identification
  - d. Categorize
13. Which one of the following is not a step of requirement engineering?
  - a. Elicitation
  - b. Design
  - c. Analysis
  - d. Documentation
14. The process to gather the software requirements from client, analyze and document them is known as \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. Feasibility Study
  - b. Requirement Gathering
  - c. Requirement Engineering
  - d. System Requirements Specification
15. Which one of the following is a functional requirement?
  - a. Maintainability
  - b. Portability
  - c. Robustness
  - d. None of the mentioned
16. Mean Time To Repair (MTTR) is the time needed to repair a failed hardware module.
  - a. True
  - b. False
17. What are the signs that a software project is in trouble?
  - a. The product scope is poorly defined.
  - b. Deadlines are unrealistic.
  - c. Total cost is unknown
  - d. All of above
18. Find out which phase is not available in SDLC?
  - a. Coding
  - b. Testing
  - c. Maintenance
  - d. Abstraction
19. Which of them is functional requirement?
  - a. Work flow
  - b. Interoperability
  - c. Flexibility
  - d. Disaster recovery
20. Four types of change are encountered during the support phase. Which one of the following is not one that falls into such category?
  - a. Translation
  - b. Correction
  - c. Adaptation
  - d. Prevention
21. How is reliability and failure intensity related to each other?
  - a. direct relation
  - b. inverse relation
  - c. no relation
  - d. none of the mentioned
22. Actual programming of software code is done during \_\_\_\_\_ step in SDLC.

- a. Development
  - b. Maintenance and Evaluation
  - c. Design
  - d. Analysis
23. Which of the following is not a project manager's activity?
- a. project control
  - b. project design
  - c. project management
  - d. project planning
24. Changes are made to the system to reduce the future system failure chances is called \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. Preventive Maintenance
  - b. Adaptive Maintenance
  - c. Corrective Maintenance
  - d. Perfective Maintenance
25. Which phase is considered as software architecture phase?
- a. Design
  - b. Implementation
  - c. Development
  - d. Requirement gathering
26. What does Economic feasibility looks/determine at?
- a. Looks at performance aspects of the system
  - b. Looks at acceptances of the system within the organization
  - c. Looks at the technical aspects of the system
  - d. Determines whether the investment needed to implement the system will be recovered
27. The aim of software engineering is to produce software that is
- a. Fault-free
  - b. Delivered on time
  - c. Delivered within budget
  - d. All of these are the aims of software engineering.
28. What is the meaning of requirement elicitation in software engineering?
- a. Gathering of requirement
  - b. Understanding of requirement
  - c. Getting the requirements from client
  - d. All of the above
29. In Design phase, which is the primary area of concern?
- a. Architecture
  - b. Data
  - c. Interface
  - d. All of the mentioned
30. Which of these software engineering activities are not a part of software processes?
- a. Software dependence
  - b. Software development
  - c. Software validation
  - d. Software specification

## SECTION B

### Short Answer Questions

**Answer any five (5) questions out of eight (8) questions.**

**(5\*6=30)**

1. Explain the software and its characteristics in detail. [unit 1]

2. Discuss the main features of spiral model with example. [unit 2]
3. What is prototype model? Describe the activities of prototype model and also mention its drawbacks.[unit 3]
4. Explain pair programming. Enlist its advantage and disadvantages. [unit 3]
5. What is requirement engineering? Explain user and system requirement in details. [unit 4]
6. What is feasibility study? Discuss the importance of schedule feasibility. [unit 5]
7. Define software reliability with example. [unit 6]
8. Why is user interface design important in software engineering? [unit 7]

### **SECTION C**

#### **Long Answer Questions**

**Attempt any two (2) questions out of three (3) questions. (2\*20=40)**

1.
  - a. Explain requirement engineering process with example. [unit 5]
  - b. Differentiate between functional and non-functional requirements of software engineering requirements. [unit 4]
2.
  - a. Compare the main features of waterfall and incremental model with example. [unit 2]
  - b. Explain the metrics of software reliability. [unit 6]
3. Write short notes on:
  - a. Software Design
  - b. User requirement
  - c. Project Management tools
  - d. Software reuse

