BE-205(GS)

B. E. (First/Second Semester) EXAMINATION, June, 2011

(Common for all Branches) BASIC COMPUTER ENGINEERING

 $Time: Three\ Hours\ Maximum\ Marks: 70\ .\ Minimum\ Pass\ Marks: 22\ (D\ Grade)$

Note: Attempt one question from each Unit. All questions carry equal marks.

Unit—I

- 1. (a) What is the purpose of memory in a computer ? What are volatile and non-volatile memories ? Explain.
- (b) Discuss the application of computer in e-Business.

Or

- 2. (a) What is a bus in Computer System? What is bus width? If the number of bits in an instruction is 32 bits. What is the width of data bus?
- (b) Explain system and application software?

Unit-II

- 3. (a) What is operating system? Explain the functions of operating system.
- (b) Discuss the generation of computers.

Or

- 4. (a) Discuss the features and merits of OOPs.
- (b) Explain procedure oriented programming with example.

Unit-III

- 5. (a) Explain inheritance. Explain various types of inheritance with example.
- (b) Explain various structures in C 4- 4- with examples.

Or

- 6. (a) What is operator overloading? Explain it with examples.
- (b) What are constructors? Explain copy constructor with example.

Unit_IV

- 7. (a) Explain DBMS. Compare it with file oriented approach.
- (b) Explain what is data independence.

Or

- 8. (a) What are data models? Explain the importance of E-R model.
- (b) Explain the following keys:
 - (i) Primary keys
 - (ii) Candidate keys
 - (iii) Foreign key
 - (iv) Composite keys

Unit-V

- 9. (a) Explain OSI model.
 - (b) Write a note on the following:
 - (i) World Wide Web
 - (ii) Network security

Or

- 10. (a) Explain LAN, MAN and WAN.
- (b) What is peer to peer computing? How is it different from client-server computing?