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BPOPS103/203

First/Second Semester B.E./B.Tech. Degree Examination, Dec.2023/Jan.2024

Principles of Programming Using C

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

2. M : Marks , L: Bloom's level , C: Course outcomes.

Module – 1			M	L	C
Q.1	a.	Define a Computer. Explain the characteristics of a digital computer.	10	L1	CO1
	b.	Explain the basic structure of a C program with a neat diagram.	10	L1	CO1
OR					
Q.2	a.	With a neat diagram explain the steps in the execution of C program.	10	L1	CO1
	b.	Explain the input and output statements in C with examples for each.	10	L2	CO1
Module – 2					
Q.3	a.	Explain the various operators in C.	10	L2	CO1
	b.	Explain the different forms of if statement with flowcharts.	10	L1	CO2
OR					
Q.4	a.	Explain the switch statement with an example.	10	L2 L3	CO2
	b.	Explain break and continue statements with examples for each.	04	L2 L3	CO2
	c.	Write a C program to find the largest of 3 numbers using nested if statement.	06	L3	CO2
Module – 3					
Q.5	a.	Discuss in detail the parts of a user-defined function.	10	L2	CO3
	b.	Discuss the storage classes in C.	10	L2	CO3
OR					
Q.6	a.	Define recursion. Write a C program to find the factorial of 'n' using recursion.	05	L1 L3	CO3
	b.	What is an array? Explain the declaration and initialization of 1-D arrays.	05	L1 L2	CO3
	c.	Write a C program to perform Matrix Multiplication.	10	L3	CO3
Module – 4					
Q.7	a.	Write functions to implement string operations such as compare concatenate and string length. Convince the parameter passing techniques.	10	L3	CO4
	b.	Develop a program using pointers to compute, sum, mean and standard deviation of all the elements stored in an array.	10	L3	CO4
OR					
Q.8	a.	Define a pointer. Discuss the declaration of pointer variables.	05	L2	CO4
	b.	Discuss the various string handling functions in C.	10	L2	CO4
	c.	Write a C program to swap two numbers using call by reference technique.	05	L3	CO4
Module – 5					
Q.9	a.	Define a structure. Explain the types of structure declarations with examples for each.	10	L1	CO4
	b.	Implement structures to read, write and compute average marks and the students scoring below and above average in a class of 'N' students.	10	L3	CO4
OR					
Q.10	a.	Differentiate between structures and union.	06	L2	CO5
	b.	Define a structure by name DOB consisting of three members dd, mm and yy. Develop a C program that would read values to the individual member and display the date in the form dd/mm/yyyy.	06	L3	CO5
	c.	Explain the various file operations with syntax for each.	08	L2	CO5

Modified scheme

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Scheme & Solutions

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Subject Title: Principles of Programming Using C Subject Code: BPOP S103/203

Question Number	Solution	Marks Allocated
1a.	<p>Definition of computer 1m</p> <p>Characteristics of digital computer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Speed - Accuracy - Automation - Diligence - Versatile - Memory - Economical - IQ - Consistency - Flexibility 9m 	10m
b.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Comment Section 2. Preprocessor section 3. Definition section 4. Global Declaration 5. Main() function 6. User defined function <p>Structure - 5m Explanation - 5m</p>	10m
2a.	<pre> graph LR A[Source file] --> B((Compiler)) B --> C[Object files] C --> D((Linker)) E[Library files] --> D D --> F[Executable files] </pre> <p>Diagram 4m Explanation 6m</p>	10m

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2b.	<p>Input and Output statements printf() & scanf(), Explanation of printf() syntax, explanation with example 5m Explanation of scanf() syntax, explanation with example 5m</p>	10m
3a.	<p>Various operators in C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Arithmetic operators - Increment/Decrement - Relational operators - Assignment operators - Logical operators - Comma operator - Conditional operators - Bitwise operator - Special operator <p>Explanation of Any 5 with example 2*5m 10m</p>	10m
b.	<p>if Statement forms</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - if Statement (simple if) - if-else - if-else-if - nested if <p>Flow chart, Syntax with example 2.5*4m 10m</p>	10m
4a.	<p>Syntax with flowchart 5m Explanation with example 5m</p>	10m
b.	<p>break Statement syntax with example 2m continue Statement syntax with example 2m</p>	4m

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7b.	Program to compute sum - 2m mean - 2m Standard deviation - 4m complete program - 2m	10m
8a.	Definition of pointer - 1m Declaration of pointer with syntax & example - 4m	5m
b.	String handling functions in C - strlen() - strcpy(), strcat() - strcpy() - strcmp(), strchr() - strcmp() - strncmp() - strstr() - strncpy() Explanation of any 5 functions with syntax & example 2*5m	10m
c.	Program to swap two numbers using call by reference (pointers)	5m
9a.	Structure definition, 1m Structure syntax with example 5m typedef (typedef) structure syntax with example 4m	10m

Question Number	Solution	Marks Allocated
9b.	Program	10m
10a.	Any 3 difference b/w Structures & Union 2*3=6m	6m
b.	Program to display the date in the form of dd/mm/yyyy	6m
c.	File operations fread() fwrite() fopen() fclose() Explanation of each with syntax and example 2*4=8m	8m

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