

MCA/D07
Software Engineering
MCA -104

Time : 3 Hours

MM:50

Note:- Attempt Five questions, selecting at least One Question from each unit.

UNIT-I

- 1 What is Prototyping? In what types of applications it should be used? How does it differ from spiral model? Also explain its advantages and disadvantages over spiral model.**
- 2(a) Explain briefly Putnam Model. What are limitations of this model?**
(b) Discuss why the no. of engineers required for a software project cannot be calculated as a simple dividing of effort estimate (in PM) by the nominal time estimate (in months).
- 3(a) What is the aim of software engineering? What does the discipline of software engineering? Discuss.**
(b) Define function points. Compare LOC and FP metrics. Compute the function points for a project for the following characteristics:
No. of using inputs : 40
No of using outputs : 2 times of inputs
No of enquires : ½ time of outputs.
No of files : NIL
No of external interfaces : 02
Assume all complexity factors are average.
- 4(a) Explain software complexity. List and explain the various factors responsible for software complexity. How complexity can drive through MaCab's rule?**
(b) What are the rules used for deriving a Gantt chart from a PERT chart, and vice-versa? How complete are our rules? Explain.
(c) Discuss various S/W quality factors.
- 5(a) What is Risk management? List out various risks in developing a project.**
(b) Discuss various S/w quality factors.
- 6 What is modular coupling? Discuss its various types. Why coupling should be minimum among modules and cohesion maximum within module?**

UNIT-III

- 7(a) What do you mean by fundamental of S/W testing? Explain with example.**
(b) Discuss various levels of testing.
- 8(a) Discuss the benefits of black-box testing and white-box testing. What are the different black-box and white-box testing techniques?**

- 9** **Why is S/w maintenance? Why maintenance is time consuming activity?
Discuss its various types.**
- 10** **Explain with example?**
- (a) Top down and Bottom up Design**
 - (b) Regression and Acceptance Testing**
 - (c) Testing and Debugging.**