

Paper-I

System Analysis and Design

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 100

Note :- Attempt **FIVE** questions in all, selecting at least **ONE** questions from each Section. **All** questions carry **equal** marks.

SECTION-I

1. (a) Describe elements and characteristics of a Computer based system.
(b) Elaborate the Technical and Interpersonal skills required for a system analyst. 10×2
2. (a) Discuss briefly the basic parts of the preliminary investigation report.
(b) System management is a life long process. Comment. 10×2
3. (a) Describe in detail prototype iterative designing technique for a system development life cycle.
(b) Discuss the role of users in a syste. 10×2

SECTION-II

4. (a) Explain under what circumstance one uses an Interviewing technique rather than other data collection methods.
(b) Explain briefly the procedure used to construct questionnaires. 10×2

5. (a) What cost elements are considered in cost-benefit analysis? Describe procedure for cost benefit determination. 10x2
- (b) Data dictionary and DFDs (Data flow diagrams) are correlated Discuss. 10x2
6. (a) What is structured analysis ? Briefly review the tools used. How does it differ from traditional approach ?
- (b) List and illustrate the primary uses and elements of a decision table. 10x2

SECTION - III

7. Distinguish between :
- (a) Logical design and physical design
- (b) Module coupling and cohesion. 10x2
8. (a) What role does a CRT terminal play for input and output ? What is unique about on line data entry ?
- (b) Distinguish between snap out form and fan fold form. 10x2

SECTION-D

9. (a) Specify the purpose of system testing. What performance criteria are used for system testing? Discuss.
- (b) Distinguish between software modification and software system audit. 10x2
10. (a) It has been suggested that software should be considered before hardware. Do you agree ?
- (b) What are the major threats to system security ? Which one is the most serious and why ? 10x2

