

**MCA (8-9)/D-14**  
**SYSTEM PROGRAMMING AND COMPILER**  
**CONSTRUCTION**  
**Paper-MCA-504**

Time Allowed 1 3 Hours] [Maximum Marks : 80

Note: Attempt five questions in all, selecting at least one question from each Unit. Q. No. 1 is compulsory.

**Compulsory Question**

1. (a) What is Dangling-Else Ambiguity?
- (b) What is Reentrant code?
- (c) Define System software.
- (d) Discuss LEX in brief.
- (e) Write a note on shift-reduce conflict in LR parsing.
- (f) What is Pseudo Op~code?
- (g) What is common sub-expression elimination? Use suitable example.
- (h) Explain the Conversion process of NFA to DFA.

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**UNIT-I**

2. (a) What are the basic functions performed by a Loader? Discuss. 7
- (b) The process of fixing up a few forward reference should involve less overhead than making a complete second pass of the Source Program. Why don't all assemblers use the one-pass technique for efficiency? Discuss. 7
3. (a) What do you understand by recursive and nested macro calls? Explain recursive macro expansion. Use suitable examples. 7
- (b) What do you understand by Relocatable programs? What is self-relocating program? Write a note on relocating loader. 7

**UNIT-II**

4. (a) What is the difference between context-sensitive and context-free Grammar? Explain. 7
  - (b) What is an Ambiguous Grammar? Explain using suitable example. 7
  5. (a) Write production for decimal constant with or without a Fractional part. 7
  - (b) What language does the following Grammar generate? Justify your answer. 7
- S->SS+ |SS\* 1 a.

**UNIT—III**

6. What is the difference between top-down and bottom- up parsing? Explain the operator precedence parsing using suitable examples. 14
7. What do you understand by recursive descent parsing? Construct recursive-descent parsers for the following Grammars :  $S \rightarrow aSb \mid ab$ . 14

**UNIT-IV**

8. (a) What are the issues in the Design of a Code Generator? 7
  - (b) Discuss the use of control flow and Data flow analysis in Optimizations. 7
  9. Construct the Directed A'cyclic Graph for the following basic block : 14
- $a[i] = b, *_p = c, d = a[i], e = *_p = a[i]$ .
- The assumptions are :
- (a) p can point anywhere
  - (b) p can point only to b or d.