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COMPUTER SCIENCE

[Honours]

PAPER –III

Full Marks : 100

Time : 4 hours

*The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks
Candidates are required to give their answers in their
own words as far as practicable*

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary

[NEW SYLLABUS]

GROUP – A

Answer any two questions : 15 × 2

1. (a) What is semaphore ? Briefly describe how critical section problem can be solve using binary semaphore. 2 + 6

(Turn Over)

- (b) What is paging ? Why it is used ? 2 + 2
- (c) State briefly, the difference between spooling and buffering. 3
2. (a) What is parameterized constructor ? Give an example. 4
- (b) A friend function can not be used to overload the assignment operator '='. Explain why ? 3
- (c) Describe the iterative waterfall model to develop a software. 6
- (d) How is polymorphism achieved at compile time ? 2
3. (a) What are the differences between verification and validation ? 3
- (b) What is hashing ? What is the need for hashing ? Explain open addressing technique to resolve hash clashes. 2 + 2 + 3
- (c) Explain the term 'Quality Assurance'. 5

4. (a) Define linkedlist. What is overflow and underflow ? Illustrate your answer. 2 + 3
- (b) What do you mean by internal and external sort ? Give examples. 2
- (c) What is the difference between an array and a linked list ? 2
- (d) Briefly describe Radix Sort technique by using an example. 6

GROUP – B

Answer any five questions : 8 × 5

5. (a) Define Time and space complexity of an algorithm. 3
- (b) Suppose $p(n) = a_0 + a_1n + a_2n^2 + \dots + \dots + a_m.n^m$, a_i 's are constants. Prove that $p(n) = O(n^m)$. 5
6. (a) What is process control block (PCB) ? Describe the information, the PCB contains, associated with a specific process. 1 + 3

- (b) What are the differences between long-term and a short-term scheduler? 2
- (c) What do you mean by threads? 2
7. (a) Define queue. How a circular queue is implemented in a linear array? 1 + 3
- (b) What are advantages and disadvantage of recursion? Give an example. 4
8. Write non-recursive algorithm for inorder traversal of a binary tree. 8
9. (a) What is starvation? Explain the techniques to avoid starvation during scheduling. 2 + 2
- (b) What is swapping? Define external fragmentation. 2 + 2
10. (a) Build a heap from the following list of numbers : 4
- 44, 30, 50, 20, 60, 55, 77, 55
- (b) Suppose the following sequence list the

nodes of a binary tree T in preorder and
inorder, respectively : 4

Preorders : G, B, Q, A, C, K, F, P, D, E, R, H

Inorder : Q, B, K, C, F, A, G, P, E, D, H, R

11. (a) Explain destructor with an example. 4

(b) What are in-line function ? Explain with an
example. 4

12. (a) What do you mean by context switching ? 2

(b) Consider the following processes to be
executed using Round-Robin algorithm
with a time slice = 2ms, and context switching
time = 0 ms. Find the average turn around
time and average waiting time. 6

<u>Process</u>	<u>Arrival Time(ms.)</u>	<u>Next Burst(ms.)</u>
P_0	0	10
P_1	1	6
P_2	3	2
P_3	5	6

GROUP – C

Answer any five of the following : 4 × 5

13. Write an algorithm that will delete last node from a circular linked list. 4
14. Write the differences between static linkage and dynamic linkage. 4
15. Write difference between Testing and Debugging. 4
16. Describe any one visibility specifier to a class member with suitable example. 4
17. What are the difference between logical DFD and Physical DFD ? 4
18. What is virtual function ? Give example. 4
19. Write an algorithm to evaluate an arithmetic expression using stack. 4
20. "A safe state is not a deadlock state. Conversely

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a deadlock state is an unsafe state Not all unsafe states are deadlock". – Justify your answer. 4

[*Internal Assessment* : 10 Marks]
