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P.E.S. College of Engineering, Mandya - 571 401

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I/II Semester, B.E. - Semester End Examination; May/June - 2018

Computer Concepts and C Programming

(Common to All Branches)

Time: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer **FIVE** full questions, selecting **ONE** full question from each unit.

UNIT - I

- 1 a. Define algorithm. List out the advantages of an algorithm. 6
- b. Write a flow chart to find the roots of a quadratic equation. 7
- c. Define variable. List the rules that are followed to create a variable. Give an example for valid and invalid variable. 7
- 2 a. Define type conversion. Explain the different types of type conversions with examples. 6
- b. Write an algorithm to evaluate the following series : 7
- $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{3} + \frac{3}{4} + \frac{4}{5} + \dots$ upto N terms.
- c. Write the output of the following program :
- ```
#include<stdio.h>
main()
{
int a, b, d = -1, e = 5;
char c[20] = "PESCE MANDYA";
a = 3, b = 2;
a += a++ + a++ + ++a;
printf("%d", a);
b <<= 2;
printf(“ %d”, b);
d = d > 8 && e == 8;
printf(“%d”, d);
printf(“%d”, e = ++e == 6);
printf(“%9.7s”, c);
}
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#### UNIT - II

- 3 a. With syntax, explain formatted input and output functions. 10
- b. Write a program to calculate gross salary for the following conditions :  
(Gross Salary = BS + DA + HRA + Conveyance) :

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| Basic Salary (BS) | DA         | HRA       | Conveyance |
|-------------------|------------|-----------|------------|
| BS ≥ 5000         | 110% of BS | 20% of BS | 500        |
| 3000 < BS < 5000  | 100% of BS | 15% of BS | 400        |
| 3000 < BS < 2000  | 90% OF BS  | 10% of BS | 300        |
| BS < 2000         | 80% of BS  | 5% of BS  | 200        |

- 4 a. List out the differences between break and continue. 4
- b. Write a program to generate Fibonacci series. 8
- c. Write a program to find smallest digit in a given number. 8

**UNIT - III**

- 5 a. Define array. With example, describe the different ways of initializing an array. 10
- b. Write a program to find mean, variance and standard deviation for a given list of numbers. 10
- 6 a. Write a program to find the product of two matrices. 10
- b. List and explain various string handling functions. 10

**UNIT - IV**

- 7 a. Define function. Write the differences between actual parameters and formal parameters with example. 10
- b. Write a program to count and print the prime numbers exist in the given range using functions. 10
- 8 a. Differentiate between pass by value and pass by reference. 5
- b. Define pointer. With example, explain how to declare and initialize the pointer? 5
- c. Write a program to find largest element in an array using pointer. 10

**UNIT - V**

- 9 a. Define structure. Explain the syntax of structure and initialization of structure. Differentiate between structure and union. 10
- b. Write a program using structure to read the following details of a student :  
Name, Register number, Branch, Marks of five subjects for 100. Calculate the total percentage of marks for each student and sort the student information based on total percentage. 10
- 10 a. Define file. Explain the following functions with syntax : 12
  - i) fopen( )                      ii) fclose( )                      iii) fscanf( )
  - iv) fseek( )                      v) fgetc( )                      vi) ftell( )
- b. Write a program to concatenate two input files. 8

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