# TECNIA INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED STUDIES <br> NAAC Accredited Grade 'A' Institute <br> <br> Department of Information, Communication \& Technology <br> <br> Department of Information, Communication \& Technology BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS - BCA 

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Course: Programming for Problem solving (ESC 103)
Maximum Marks: 100; Duration: 03 hours

| Q. No | Questions | Marks | CO | BL | PI |
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| 1(a) | Explain the steps involved in solving a problem using computer. | 08 | C01 | L2 | 1.4.1 |
| 1(b) | Write an algorithm to find roots of a quadratic equation ax2 +bx $+c=0$ reading the values of $a, b$ and $c$. | 12 | CO2 | L3 | 1.4.1 |
| 2(a) | Compare if-else-if and switch statement giving examples for their relevant use. | 08 | CO2 | L2 | 1.4.1 |
| 2b | Write a C program that reads a given integer number and checks whether it a palindrome. A palindrome is a number that has same value even when it is reversed. Eg: 12321 is a palindrome. | 12 | CO3 | L3 | 1.4.1 |
| 3 a | Compare the working of three looping constructs of C language giving their syntax. | 08 | CO3 | L2 | 1.4.1 |
| 3b | ```What does the following program do? #include <stdio.h> int main() { char ch; int vent = 0, ccnt=0; for ( ch = getchar(); ch != '\n'; ch=getchar()){ if(ch=='a' \| | ch=='e' | | ch=='i' || ch=='o' | | ch=='u' | | ch=='A' | | ch=='E' | | ch==''' | | ch=='O' | | ch=='U') vcnt++; else if((ch >= 'a' && ch <= 'z') || (ch >= 'A' && ch <= 'Z')) ccnt++; } printf( " %d %d\n", vcnt, ccnt); }``` Rewrite the above program using while and switch constructs. | 12 | CO4 | L4 | 1.4.1 |
| 4a | Compare call by value and call by reference with relevant examples. | 8 | CO3 | L2 | 1.4.1 |
| 4b | Write a C function to find the largest and smallest in a given list of integers of size $n$ using call by reference: void min max (int list[], int n, int *min, int *max); | 12 | CO3 | L3 | 1.4.1 |
| 5a | Explain at least four file handling operations available in C language giving their syntax. | 4 | CO3 | L2 | 1.4.1 |
| 5b | Identify the bug in the following function written to return the swapped values of two integer variables given: |  |  |  |  |
|  | ```int swap( int *x, int *y) { int *temp; temp = x, x=y, y = temp; }``` | 6 | CO5 | L4 | 1.4.1 |
| 5c | Define a structure to store time with three components hours, mins and seconds. Write a modular C program to compute the time taken by an athlete to complete a marathon reading the start and end time of his run. | 10 | CO3 | L3 | 1.4.1 |

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## MODEL QUESTION PAPER FOR END SEMESTER EXAMINATION

Course Name: Programming for Problem Solving
Duration: 3 hrs. ; Max. Marks: 100

## Instructions:

a) Attempt five questions selecting ONE from each section. Question 9 (Section E) is compulsory.
b) All the questions carry equal marks.
c) Draw neat diagrams wherever applicable.

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| Section-A |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1. | a) | What is an algorithm? Explain the characteristics of an algorithm. | 2+6 | 1,2 | 2 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
|  | b) | Write an algorithm to find angle between hour and minute hands of a clock at a given time. | 7 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
|  | c) | Is it mandatory to declare main () function with return type as void or int. What will be the effect if there is no return type declared for main () function? | 3+2 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
| OR |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2. | a) | What is the difference between definition and declaration in $C$ ? When a user writes "int x ;" is it treated as declaration or definition in C . | 3+2 | 2,4 | 3 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
|  | b) | Write a program in C to find largest of 3 positive integer numbers using conditional operators. | 7 | 3 | 3 | 1,2 | 1.4.1, |
|  | c) | What is meant by iterative statements? What are the different types of iterative statements in C ? | 8 | 1,2 | 3 | 1 | 2.2.4 |
| Section-B |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3. | a) | Bob has placed $N$ objects in a row which are marked with a number equal to their weight in Kg . He wants to check whether the objects are in increasing order of their weights or not. Write a C program to help Bob. | 12 | 3 | 3,6,7 | 1,2 | 1.4.1, |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2.2.4 |
|  | b) | Differentiate between Big-O and Big-Omega notation. | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
|  | c) | What is the role of index in an array? How are the elements of a 2D array accessed in C? | 2+2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
| OR |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4. | a) | Ram is conducting a study which is based on counting the number of cars crossing the highway. Every hour he generates a random string containing sequence of characters <rbwbwr...>, where r represents red color, w denotes white color and $b$ denotes blue color cars. The string is forwarded to Shyam for analysis who computes the number of red, blue and white color cars crossing Ram every hour. Assume that Ram works for 5 hours in a day, help Shyam generate a daily report containing the following: | 4+4+4 | 3 | 3,6,7 | 1,2 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 1.4.1, } \\ & \text { 2.2.4 } \end{aligned}$ |
|  | i. Total number of different colour cars crossing Ram in an hour. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | ii. Total number of different colour cars crossing Ram in a day. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| iii. Total number of cars crossing Ram in a day. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | b) What is a variable? Explain the ways to declare scope of a variable. |  | 2+6 | 1,2 | 3 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
| Section-C |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5. | a) | Write a program which will read positive integer numbers from the users and compute the sum if the number can be expressed as power of 2 . The test whether a number can be expressed as power of 2 will be done using a function power_of_two(int a). | 12 | 3 | 3,6,7 | 1,2 | 1.4.1 |
|  | b) | What is recursion? Differentiate between homogeneous and heterogeneous recursion with the help of an example. | 2+3+3 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
| OR |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| 6. | a) | What are the different ways to pass parameters to a function? Explain with the help of a suitable example. | 4+4 | 2 | 3,5 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
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|  | b) | b. Is it possible to return multiple values from a function? Justify the statement with the help of an example. | 4+8 | 3 | 3,6,7 | 1,2 | 1.4.1 |
| Section-D |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7. | a) | What is a structure? What is the benefit offered by using a structure over multiple arrays? | 2+6 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
|  |  | b. Ram is working on a project which requires returning multiple values from a function. He observed that a return statement can only be used to return a single value from a function. How the function should be implemented so that multiple values can be returned by Ram? | 12 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
| OR |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8. | a) | Write a program that reads a number as input from the user. The entered number is written to a file "even.txt" if the input is even else it is written to "odd.txt". Write a C code to perform the desired task. | 12 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
|  | b) | b. What are the different methods to open a file? Explain each with the help of a C program. | $3+5$ | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
| Section-E (Compulsory Question) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9. | a) | What is a compiler? List names of any 2 compilers. | $21 / 2$ | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
|  | b) | What are the benefits of designing a flowchart for solving a problem? | $21 / 2$ | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
|  | c) | What is the output of the following code? int main()\{ int $\mathrm{x}=10$; <br> int $y=s i z e o f(x / 2)$; printf("\%d",y); \} | $21 / 2$ | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
|  | d) | What is the difference between creating constant using \#define macro and const keyword? | $21 / 2$ | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
|  | e) | What is the role of function prototype? When is it required in C? | $21 / 2$ | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
|  | f) | Which of the following are unary operators in C? State reason for your answer. <br> a.! <br> b. sizeof <br> c. ~ <br> d. Gq | $21 / 2$ | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
|  | g) | Which of the following special symbol allowed in a variable name? State reason for your answer. <br> a. * (asterisk) <br> b. I (pipeline) <br> c. - (hyphen) <br> d. _ (underscore) | $21 / 2$ | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1.4.1 |
|  |  | In which header file is the NULL macro defined? State reason for your answer. <br> a. stdio.h <br> b. stddef.h <br> c. stdio.h and stddef.h <br> d. math.h | $21 / 2$ | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1.4.1 |

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## MODEL QUESTION PAPER

Total Duration (H:M): 3:00

Course : Basic Electrical Engineering (ESC101)
Maximum Marks :100

| Q. No | Questions | Marks | CO | BL | PI |
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| 1(a) | Calculate current through 4 $\Omega$ resistor using Kirchoff's Laws? Verify <br> the same using Superposition Theorem. | 12 | CO1 | L3 | 1.3 .1 |
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|  |  | CO2 |  |  |  |


| 5 C | Calculate the i) ampere-hour and ii) watt-hour efficiency of a <br> secondary cell which is discharged at a uniform rate of 30 A for 6 <br> hours at an average terminal voltage of 2 V . It is then charged at a <br> uniform rate of 40 A for 5 hours to restore it to its original condition. <br> The terminal voltage during charging is 2.5 V. | 6 | CO6 | L3 | 1.3 .1 |
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Bloom's Level wise Marks
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- Level 2 ELevel 3 ■Level 4

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