U.G. 1st Semester Examination - 2020 COMPUTER SCIENCE [HONOURS]

Course Code: Com.Sc-H-CC-L-T-101

(Computer Fundamentals and Programming using C)

Full Marks : 60 Time : $2\frac{1}{2}$ 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.

1. Answer any **ten** questions:

- $2 \times 10 = 20$
- a) What do you mean by data and information?
- b) State the De Morgan's theorem.
- c) What do you understand by base or radix? Explain with example.
- d) Find the complement of F = AB + C'D' + B'D.
- e) Perform binary arithmetic operation on 8-bit numbers using 2's complement notation (-24+38).
- f) Find the value of base b where $(112)_b = (512)_{10}$.

- g) Find the 9's complement and 10's complement of 459.
- h) What is the difference between #include<stdio.h> and #include"stdio.h"?
- i) What are the differences between type casting and type conversion?
- j) Find the output of the following snippet considering all the header files are included properly:

```
void main()
{
    char arr[] = {1, 2, 3};
    char *p = arr;
    if(&p == &arr)
        printf("Same");
    else
        printf("Not same");
}
```

- k) What is pre-processing? Explain with example.
- 1) Is main() a predefined function? Justify your answer.

- m) What are the advantages and disadvantages of using recursive functions?
- n) What are the differences between type casting and type conversion?
- o) What is a pointer variable? How are pointer variables different from normal variables?
- 2. Answer any **four** questions: $5 \times 4 = 20$
 - a) Minimize the following Boolean function $F(A,B,C,D) = \sum (0,1,2,6,8,9,10)$ using K-map. Realize the minimized function using any universal gate. 3+2
 - b) Represent the number $(2112)_{10}$ into
 - i) BCD
 - ii) Excess -3
 - iii) Gray Code

1.5+1.5+2

c) Explain Parity. How Parity is used to detect single bit errors? Design a logical diagram for any parity bit generator and checker.

1+1+3

d) What is fall-through? How can it be resolved in switch-case statement? Evaluate the value of n, if value of p = 5, q = 19 and p, q and n are of int type.

$$n = (q-p) > (p-q)? (q-p) : (p-q);$$
 1+2+2

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- variables. Design a function to convert an N-bit binary number into decimal number.

 Take N as an input.

 2+3
- f) Design a function that inserts an element into a sorted array of integers.
- 3. Answer any **two** questions: $10 \times 2 = 20$
 - a) i) Perform 0.5 + (-0.4375) using floating point arithmetic.
 - ii) What are the differences between machine language, assembly language, and high-level language?
 - iii) How compilers are different from interpreters?
 - iv) What is hamming code? 3+3+3+1
 - b) i) What is a conditional operator? Give example.
 - ii) What are the differences between entry control loop and exit control loop?
 - iii) What are the differences between identifiers and variables?
 - iv) Convert the following if...else block to a conditional statement using ternary operates:

```
if(a>b){
    if(a%2 == ){
        x = b *a;
    }
    else{
        x += a;
    }
} else{
        x *=b;
}
```

- c) i) What is function prototype? Give an example.
 - ii) Design a function that takes an integer array as an argument and returns the sum of maximum and minimum number from the array.
 - iii) Write a program using a recursive function to print 1 to N where input N is passed as an argument to the recursive function. (1+1)+4+4

- d) i) Write a function that takes a string as an argument and reverses it.
 - ii) What are the different file opening modes available in C?
 - iii) Write a C code to show how data can be read and written from/into a binary file.

4+3+3