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**2022 SCHEME**

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## PRINCIPLES OF PROGRAMMING USING C

Duration: 3 hrs

Max. Marks: 100

**Note:** 1. Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.  
 2. Missing data, if any, may be suitably assumed

<u>Q. No</u>	<u>Question</u>	<u>Marks</u>	<u>(RBTL:CO:PI)</u>
<b><u>Module-1</u></b>			
1.	a. Define computer. Describe its features.	06	(2 : 1 : 2.6.2)
	b. Interpret block diagram of computer and label its parts.	06	(3 : 1 : 2.6.2)
	c. Write an algorithm and draw flow chart to add two numbers.	08	(2 : 1 : 2.6.2)
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2.	a. Discuss the rules for naming a variable with suitable examples.	06	(3 : 1 : 2.6.2)
	b. Explain the steps involved in compiling and executing a C program.	06	(3 : 1 : 2.6.2)
	c. Explain the basic structure of C program with example.	08	(3 : 1 : 2.6.2)
<b><u>Module-2</u></b>			
3.	a. Write a C program to find the largest of two numbers using ternary operator.	06	(2 : 2 : 1.6.1)
	b. Explain the purpose of arithmetic, relational, and assignment operators in C with suitable examples.	06	(3 : 2 : 1.7.1)
	c. Define precedence and associativity. Apply this concept to solve:	08	(3 : 2 : 2.8.1)
	(i) $2 * ((i / 3) + 4 * (j - 2))$ where $i=8$ and $j=5$		
	(ii) $a \& \& b \parallel c \& \& (!b)$ where $a=2$ ; $b=4$ and $c=3$		
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4.	a. Explain implicit and explicit type conversion with suitable example.	06	(2 : 2 : 1.6.1)
	b. Apply nested loop concept to print the following pattern on to the screen:	06	(3 : 2 : 1.7.1)
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	c. What is meant by looping statements? Explain the purpose of loops in C programming.	08	(3 : 2 : 2.8.1)
<b><u>Module-3</u></b>			
5.	a. Write a program to sort the numbers using bubble sort.	06	(3 : 3 : 1.6.1)
	b. Implement Binary search on an array of 'n' numbers using 1D Array.	06	(3 : 3 : 1.7.1)
	c. Define array. Explain the declaration and initialization of single dimensional array with an example.	08	(3 : 3 : 2.8.1)

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| <b>6.</b> | <b>a.</b> Define recursion. Write a C program to find factorial of a number using recursion. | <b>06</b> | <b>(3 :3 : 1.6.1)</b> |
|           | <b>b.</b> Discuss parameter passing techniques with suitable example.                        | <b>06</b> | <b>(3 :3 : 1.7.1)</b> |
|           | <b>c.</b> Interpret function declaration, definition and call with syntax and example.       | <b>08</b> | <b>(3 :3 : 2.8.1)</b> |

**Module-4**

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| <b>7.</b> | <b>a.</b> Define string. Explain the syntax for its declaration and initialization with example. | <b>06</b> | <b>(2 :3 : 3.6.2)</b> |
|           | <b>b.</b> Discuss different character manipulation functions with example.                       | <b>06</b> | <b>(3 :3 : 3.6.2)</b> |
|           | <b>c.</b> Explain any four string manipulation functions with an example.                        | <b>08</b> | <b>(2 :3 : 2.6.2)</b> |

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| <b>8.</b> | <b>a.</b> Develop a C program using pointers to compute the sum, mean and standard deviation of all elements stored in an array of N real numbers.                                   | <b>06</b> | <b>(2 :3 : 3.6.2)</b> |
|           | <b>b.</b> Write a C program to add two numbers using pointers.   | <b>06</b> | <b>(3 :3 : 3.6.2)</b> |
|           | <b>c.</b> Write a C program to perform following operations without using in-built functions:<br>(i) Find the length of a string<br>(ii) To copy the contents of string1 to string2. | <b>08</b> | <b>(2 :3 : 2.6.2)</b> |

**Module-5**

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| <b>9.</b> | <b>a.</b> Explain union declaration and initialization with syntax and example.   | <b>06</b> | <b>(3 :4 : 2.6.2)</b> |
|           | <b>b.</b> Identify similarities and differences between structure and union.  | <b>06</b> | <b>(3 :4 : 2.6.4)</b> |
|           | <b>c.</b> What is a structure? Describe the syntax for declaring and initializing a structure in C with a suitable program. | <b>08</b> | <b>(3 :4 : 2.5.1)</b> |

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| <b>10.</b> | <b>a.</b> Write a 'C' program to copy a text file to another, read both the input file name and target file name.  | <b>06</b> | <b>(3 :4 : 2.6.2)</b> |
|            | <b>b.</b> Explain at least four file handling operations available in C language giving their syntax.  | <b>06</b> | <b>(3 :4 : 2.6.4)</b> |
|            | <b>c.</b> Write a C program to declare a structure, read marks of N students, compute the average, and display students scoring above and below the average. | <b>08</b> | <b>(3 :4 : 2.5.1)</b> |

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