

BCE-C102/ BCE-C202

PROGRAMMING FOR PROBLEM SOLVING

MM: 100
Time: 3 hrs
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Sessional: 30
ESE: 70
Credits 4

NOTE: The question paper shall consist of three sections (Sec.-A, Sec.-B and Sec.-C). Sec.-A shall contain 10 objective type questions of one mark each and student shall be required to attempt all questions. Sec.-B shall contain 10 short answer type questions of four marks each and student shall be required to attempt any five questions. Sec.-C shall contain 8 descriptive type questions of ten marks each and student shall be required to attempt any four questions. Questions shall be uniformly distributed from the entire syllabus. The previous year paper/model paper can be used as a guideline and the following syllabus should be strictly followed while setting the question paper.

UNIT I

Introduction to Computers: Block diagram of computers, functions of its important components, Memory and I/O devices. Concept of assembler, interpreter, compiler & generation of languages.

Number System: Decimal, Binary, Octal, and Hexadecimal numbers and their arithmetic (addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division): 1's and 2's complements

UNIT II

Programming in C: History, Introduction to C Programming Languages, Structure of C Programs, Compilation and Execution of C Programs, debugging techniques, Data Type and sizes, Declarations of variables, Modifiers, Identifiers and keywords, Symbolic Constants, Storage classes (automatic, external, register and static), Enumerations, command line parameters, Macros, The C Preprocessor.

Operators: Unary operators, Arithmetic & Logical operators, Bit wise operators, Assignment operators and expressions, Conditional expressions, Precedence and order of evaluation.

Control Statements: If-else, switch, break, continue, the coma operator, go to statement.

Loops: while, do-while, for loop.

UNIT III

Arrays: One-dimensional arrays: declaration, initialization and application. Two-dimensional array: declaration, initialization and application, Multidimensional arrays.

Handling of Character Strings: Declaring and initializing string variables, reading strings, Writing strings, Arithmetic operation on strings, comparison of two strings and string handling functions.

Pointers: Accessing the address of the variable, Declaring and initializing pointers, accessing a variable through its pointer expression, pointer increment and scale factor, pointers and array, pointers and character strings.

UNIT IV

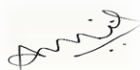
Functions: Need for user defined function, return value and its type, function calls, no argument and No return values function, Argument and No return values functions, argument and return value functions. Handling of non-integer function, Scope and life time of variable in functions.

Recursion: Recursive Definition and processes, recursion in C, example of recursion, Tower oh Hanoi Problem, simulating recursion, Backtracking, recursive algorithms, principles of recursion, tail recursion, removal of recursion.

UNIT V

Structures: Structures definition, giving value to members, structure initialization, array of structures, array within structures, structures within structures, structures and functions, Structure Pointers.

File Handling: Creating and Deleting a File, Updating File, Copying File, Searching & Sorting in a File.



Text Books / References

1. Rajaraman V.(3/e), Fundamental of Computers, PHI, New Delhi, 1999
2. Sanders,D.H., Computers Today, Mcgraw Hill, 1998
3. Kris Jamsa, DOS the complete reference, Tata McGraw Hill
4. J.Peek Tim O'reilly & M.Locekides, UNIX POWER TOOLS, BPB Publication
5. Yashwant Kanetkar, Let Us C, BPB
6. Yashwant Kanetkar, C In Depth, BPB

