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FIRST SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2023

(CBCSS - PG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

CC19P CSS1 C04 - THE ART OF PROGRAMMING METHODOLOGY

(Computer Science)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 3 Hours Maximum: 30 Weightage

Part-A

Answer any four questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.

- 1. Briefly discuss the concept of Top down Design approach.
- 2. Write difference between keywords and identifiers.
- 3. Explain the working of goto statement with an example.
- 4. What is multi-dimensional array? How 2D arrays are declared and initialized?
- 5. Give a brief description on Call by reference.
- 6. Differentiate structure and union with suitable example.
- 7. What is dynamic memory allocation?

 $(4 \times 2 = 8 \text{ Weightage})$

Part-B

Answer any four questions. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 8. Explain different flowchart symbols. Define flowchart.
- 9. What are the characteristics of a good program?
- 10. Discuss the basic structure of C programming with neat diagram.
- 11. What are the tokens used in C? Explain with example.
- 12. What is operator precedence and associativity in C?
- 13. What are command line arguments? Explain its usage and purpose with suitable example.
- 14. What is a macro? Explain different types of macros with suitable examples.

 $(4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ Weightage})$

Part-C

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 15. Explain different looping statements in C with suitable example.
- 16. a) Define string variable. How strings are declared and initialised?
 - b) Explain the various string handling functions in C.
- 17. Discuss the various storage classes used in C with example.
- 18. a) Write a program to determine the length of a character string using pointer.
 - b) What do you mean by dereferencing? Explain it in detail.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10 \text{ Weightage})$
