B.C.A DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2017

SEMESTER -1: BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATION

COURSE: 16U1CRBCA1: COMPUTER FUNDAMENTALS AND ORGANIZATION

(Common for Regular 2017 admission and Supplementary/Improvement 2016 admission)

Time: Three Hours Max. Marks: 75

SECTION A

Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark

- 1. What is a Workstation?
- 2. What is Secondary memory?
- 3. What is MICR?
- 4. What is Plotter?
- 5. What is the purpose of Program Counter Register?
- 6. What is MODEM?
- 7. What do you mean by Computer Virus?
- 8. Define WWW.
- 9. What do you mean by Application Software?
- 10. Define Intranet. $(1 \times 10 = 10)$

SECTION B

Answer any Eight questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. What is Data Processing?
- 12. Differentiate between Mainframe and Super Computer.
- 13. Write short notes on
 - a) MAR
- b) MDR
- 14. Distinguish between Compiler and Interpreter.
- 15. How can we protect our computer from Computer VIRUS.
- 16. Draw the implementation of logical operations AND, OR and NOT with NAND gates only.
- 17. Convert
 - a. $(1AC)_{16} = (.....)_{10}$
 - b. $(48)_{10} = (.....)_2$
- 18. What is BCR and mention its uses.
- 19. Explain the use of Cache Memory.
- 20. Compare 3GL and 4GL

 $(2 \times 8 = 16)$

SECTION C

Answer any Five questions. Each question carries 5 marks

- 21. Explain functional units of Computer with the help of block diagram.
- 22. Describe about any two magnetic storage devices and how the data is stored in it.
- 23. Distinguish between Impact and Non Impact Printers with the help of example.
- 24. What is an Operating System and mention its objectives.
- 25. Develop an Algorithm and Flowchart to find the largest among three numbers.
- 26. What do you mean by Word processing Package, explain in detail?
- 27. Describe about the operating system DOS with its features.

 $(5 \times 5 = 25)$

SECTION D

Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 12 marks

- 28. Write notes on
 - a. Classification of Computer based on mode of use
 - b. Characteristics of Computer.
- 29. Which are the different types of Computer Languages? Explain the advantages and limitations of each.
- 30. Write notes on
 - a. Spreadsheet Package
 - b. Creation of Presentations in MS POWER POINT
- 31. Write in detail about the services offered in Internet.

 $(12 \times 2 = 24)$
