B.C.A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - OCTOBER/NOVEMBER 2018

SEMESTER -1: BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATIONS - BCA (CORE COURSE)

COURSE: 16U1CRBCA3 – INTRODUCTION TO LINUX

(Common for Regular 2018 admission and improvement 2017/ supplementary 2017/2016 admission) Time: Three Hours Max. Marks: 75

SECTION A

Answer **all** questions. Each question carries **1** mark

- 1. Which command is used to create A Linux installation boot floppy?
- 2. What is rpm command?
- 3. What is the purpose of rmdir command?
- 4. What is command prompt in shell?
- 5. What command is used to display the top of the file?
- 6. Which is the user account present by default in all Linux installations?
- 7. State the difference between who and whoami command.
- 8. Define mounting.
- 9. Explain the following commands
 - i) grep
 - ii) awk
- 10. Define Process States.

SECTION B

Answer any Eight questions. Each question carries 2 marks

- 11. Explain the features of Unix and Linux operating system.
- 12. How can we compare two files in Linux?
- 13. What is the use of lpq command?
- 14. What is the use of pipe operator?
- 15. What is the difference between commands cp and mv?
- 16. What is the difference between \$* and \$@?
- 17. How to create groups using shell commands?
- 18. What do you mean by context of a Process?
- 19. What is the use of case statement in shell program?
- 20. What are shell keywords?

(2 x 8 = 16)

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SECTION C

Answer any Five questions. Each question carries 5 marks

- 21. Explain the basic architecture of Linux system.
- 22. How is chown different from chgrp when it comes to ownership?
- 23. Explain Process states and transitions with the help of a diagram.
- 24. Write short note on Mounting and Unmounting file systems.

25. Explain the features of RPM and debian of Linux system
26. What are the various printing commands available in Linux ? Explain.
27. What are the different modes of operation in vi editor? (5 x 5 = 25)

SECTION D

Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 12 marks

- 28. Explain in detail about the various File Processing Commands.
- 29. Explain about the UNIX file system.
- 30. What are the different roles assigned to the System Administrator?
- 31. Describe various security and permission mechanisms in Linux. (12 x 2 = 24)
