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B.Sc. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION OCTOBER 2016

SEMESTER 1: BSc COMPUTER APPLICATION (CORE)

COURSE: 15U1CRCAP2 - PROGRAMMING IN 'C'

Common for Regular (2016 Admission) & Supplementary / Improvement (2015 Admission)

Time: Three Hours Max Marks: 75

PART A

Answer **All** questions in one sentence each. Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. What is modularity?
- 2. What is a constant?
- 3. What is the syntax of cast type operator in C?
- 4. Define function prototype.
- 5. What are actual parameters?
- 6. Explain getch ().
- 7. What do you mean by associativity?
- 8. What is a qualifier?
- 9. What is the largest value that can be assigned o an integer variable?
- 10. What is the purpose of go to statement?

 $(1 \times 10 = 10)$

PART B

Answer **any eight** questions in one or two sentences. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. What are the features of a good computer program?
- 12. Explain conditional operator in C.
- 13. What are the symbols used in a flowchart?
- 14. What are user defined functions?
- 15. What is the purpose of break statement?
- 16. Define structures in C.
- 17. What are the advantages of pointers?
- 18. Explain type definition in C.
- 19. Explain statements in C.
- 20 What are command line arguments?

 $(2 \times 8 = 16)$

PART C

Answer **any five** questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 21. What is structured programming?
- 22. Explain the evaluation of arithmetic expressions in C.
- 23. Write a short note on bitwise operators.

- 24. Differentiate while and do..while loop in C.
- 25. Explain switch statement with an example.
- 26. Write a program to find the sum of the digits of any number 'n'
- 27. Explain different parameter passing techniques in C.

 $(5 \times 5 = 25)$

PART D

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 12 marks

- 28. Explain in detail different datatypes in C.
- 29. Explain different operators in C
- 30. a) What is an array? Explain initializations in arrays.
 - b) Write a modular program to sort an array of n elements.
- 31. a) Explain the different file handling functions in C
 - b) Write a program to copy one file to another.

 $(12 \times 2 = 24)$
