



Third Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2024/Jan.2025
Data Structures and Applications

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

Module-1

- 1 a. Illustrate the difference between linear and non – linear data structure with an example. (04 Marks)
- b. Write the functions to compare and concatenate strings. What are the equivalent library functions? (08 Marks)
- c. Illustrate with a diagram 2 – d array of 3 – rows and 4 – columns in row major order. Write a function to print row and column index of a given number N. (08 Marks)

OR

- 2 a. Write the type definition for an element as triplets in a sparse matrix. What is the advantage? (04 Marks)
- b. With a diagram, illustrate representation of the polynomial $A(x) = a_0 + a_1x^1 + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_nx^n$. Write a program to construct the polynomial. (08 Marks)
- c. Implement C - program to match all occurrence of pattern 'P' in text 'T'. (08 Marks)

Module-2

- 3 a. Write a recursive function to compute gcd of two numbers. (04 Marks)
- b. Write a program to implement the stack operations using dynamic array. (08 Marks)
- c. Convert $a * x^2 + b * x + C$ into post fix expression using stack. (08 Marks)

OR

- 4 a. Write a recursive function for Ackermann function $A(m, n)$.

$$A(m, n) = \begin{cases} n+1 & \text{if } m=0 \\ A(m-1, 1) & \text{if } m \neq 0 \text{ but } n=0 \\ A(m-1, A(m, n-1)) & \text{if } m \neq 0 \text{ \& } n \neq 0 \end{cases}$$
 (04 Marks)
- b. Write a program to implement queue operations for the circular queue. (08 Marks)
- c. Evaluate postfix expression $ab + cd + * 2 /$, when $a = b = c$ and $c = d = 4$ using stack. (08 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 a. Describe the dynamic memory allocation and free functions. (04 Marks)
- b. Write a program to create linked list for the polynomial $1 + 2x + 3x^2 + \dots + nx^{n-1}$. (08 Marks)
- c. Write a program to implement stack operations using linked list. (08 Marks)

OR