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# THIRD SEMESTER B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2018

(CUCBCSS—UG)

Core Course

# BCS 3B 04—DATA STRUCTURES USING C

(2017 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

#### Section A

Answer all the questions.

Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. What is a data?
- 2. Briefly describe the notation of the space-time trade off of algorithm.
- 3. What is a linear array?
- 4. What does each entry in the linear Linked List called?
- 5. Explain Stack.
- 6. Write an algorithm to perform pop operation.
- 7. What is meant by overflow in Stack? Explain.
- 8. Define a binary tree.
- 9. What is a direct graph? Explain.
- 10. Define adjacency matrix.

 $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ marks})$ 

# Section B (Paragraph Type Questions)

Answer all the questions. Each question carries 3 marks.

- 11. What are the Various operations that can be performed on different Data Structures?
- 12. What is the main difference between ARRAY and LINKED LIST?
- 13. Consider the following arithmetic expression P, written in postfix notation:

P: 12, 7, 3, -, /, 2, 1, 5, +, \*, +

- (a) Translate P into equivalent infix expression, step by step.
- (b) Evaluate the infix expression.

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- What are complete binary trees? Explain.
- 15. Define multigraphs.

 $(5 \times 3 = 15 \text{ marks})$ 

#### Section C (Short Essay Type)

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

- 16. What are the different categories of data structures? Explain each.
- 17. What are the different ways to allocate memory in two dimensional arrays? Explain.
- 18. Write a program to add two polynomial using arrays and user defined functions-pass arguments.
- 19. Explain circular queue? Write an algorithm and function to add an element into a circular queue.
- 20. How to evaluate a postfix expression using stack? Write algorithm with suitable example.
- 21. Differentiate Tree and Binary tree. Write an algorithm to insert an element as root of the binary tree.
- 22. Write an algorithm to add a new node to the binary search tree. Explain with suitable example.
- 23. How to sort a list of numbers using selection sort? Explain with example.

 $(5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ marks})$ 

### Section D (Long Essay Type)

Answer any three questions.

Each question carries 10 marks.

- 24. Explain complexity of an algorithm and the space-time trade-off of different Search and sort methods with example.
- 25. (a) What is an array? Explain different demerits of array.
  - (b) Write a program to implement array operations using functions and pass arguments.
- 26. How can we represent stack in linked list? Write a program to push an element in a stack using linked list.
- 27. (a) What are the different types of notations? Explain each.
  - (b) Write an algorithm to convert infix to postfix notation. Convert $((A + b)*D)^{(E-F)}$  to postfix using conversion algorithm.
- 28. Write a short note on:
  - (a) Priority queue.
  - (b) Express tree.
  - (c) Creation of binary search tree.

 $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ marks})$