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EXAMINATIONS

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FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF COMPUTER

COURSE CODE: COMP 111

COURSE TITLE: COMPUTER PROGRAMMING

STREAM: Y1S1

DAY: WEDNESDAY

TIME: 9.00 – 11.00 A.M.

DATE: 25/03/2009

INSTRUCTIONS:

SECTION A (COMPULSORY)

SECTION B (40 MARKS). Answer any two questions.

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SECTION A (COMPULSORY)

QUESTION 1 (30 marks)

- (a) Explain briefly the meaning of Procedural language and give two examples of the same. (2 marks)
- (b) i) What is the use of a variable? (1 mark)
ii) What are the rules for identifiers? (3 marks)
- (c) i) Explain the meaning of “Event-driven Architecture”? (1 mark)
ii) Briefly write the evolution of the C language? (4 marks)
- (d) i) Define an array? (2 marks)
ii) What is the meaning of Integrated Development Architecture (IDE) in VB? (2 marks)
- iii) Explain briefly the meaning of the following:-
- I) `#include<stdio.h>` (1mark)
 - II) `printf(“ ”)` (1mark)
 - III) `#define` (1mark)
- e) i) What is a keyword? (1 mark)
ii) What are C Tokens? Name any two. (5 marks)
iii) Write the syntax for declaring a two dimensional array? (2 marks)
iii) Explain what happens in the following functions in a program? (4 marks)

```
-----  
    if(sex is female)  
    {  
        if(balance>8000)  
            bonus=0.06 * balance;  
        else  
            bonus=0.03 * balance;  
    }  
    else  
    {  
        bonus=0.03 * balance;  
        balance=balance+ bonus;  
        -----  
        -----  
    }  
}
```

SECTION B (40 MARKS)

Answer any two questions.

QUESTION 2(20 MARKS)

- (a) Write a C program to display student information. (10 marks)
- (b) Explain the difference between While and Do---While looping statements. Give the syntax for each with example. (6 marks)
- (c) Explain the three step process for planning a project in VB? (4 marks)

QUESTION 3 (20 MARKS)

- a) Write a program in C language that selects and prints the largest of the three numbers using nested if.....else statements? (10 marks)
- b) Explain the use of Arithmetic and Logical operators and give an example. (10 marks)

QUESTION 4 (20MARKS)

- a) Write a C program to calculate the area of a circle and its perimeter. (6marks)
- b) Name any 5 controls used in Visual Basic and briefly explain their usage. (10 marks)
- c) State three options for compiling a program in VB. (4 marks)

QUESTION 5 (20 MARKS)

- a) Consider:

```
main()
{
    int x;
    for(x=0;x<=5;)
    {
        x=x+1;
        x++;
        printf("%d",x);
    }
    printf("\n");
}
```

Required:-

- i) Write down the output of the code. (2 marks)
 - ii) Explain the use of X++ (2marks)
 - iii) Write the equivalent code using While loop instead of For loop. (3marks)
 - iv) Write the equivalent code using Do—While loop instead of For loop. (3 marks)
- b) Write the syntax for the Switch case control statement and explain how it is used. (5 marks)
- c) With the help of a syntax and example explain how the simple If control statement is used. (5 marks)