Name
Reg. No.

# FIRST SEMESTER M.Sc. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2020 

(CBCSS)
Computer Science
CSS 1C 04—THE ART OF PROGRAMMING METHODOLOGY
(2019 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

## General Instructions

1. In cases where choices are provided, students can attend all questions in each section.
2. The minimum number of questions to be attended from the Section / Part shall remain the same.
3. There will be an overall ceiling for each Section / Part that is equivalent to the maximum weightage of the Section / Part.

## Section A

I. Short Answer Type Questions. Answer any four questions :

1 Write a program to read $n$ integers into an array. Find the largest and smallest number.
2 Write a program to print product of digits of any number (input: 235, output: $5 * 3 * 2=30$ ).

3 What are actual and formal arguments ? Explain with example.
4 Differentiate between Structure and Union.
5 What is Recursion ? Explain its advantages.
6 What is a linked list?
7 Distinguish between static and external variables.

## Section B

II. Short Essays or Problem Solving Type. Answer any four questions :

8 List any five library functions and illustrate them with suitable examples.
9 Write a program to concatenate two strings without the use of library functions.

10 Illustrate the steps in creating a data file.
11 Give the syntax of while and for constructs. Illustrate the use of break and continue statements.

12 Write a program to read a five digit number and square each digits and form a new number as illustrated below:

Input : 45252, Output: 16254254).
13 Demonstrate with suitable example, how a loop is constructed in flow chart.
14 Write a program to read any three characters and print all possible combinations of the characters.

## Section C

III. Long Essay Type Questions. Answer any two questions :

15 What do you mean by command line arguments? Write a program to find the sum and average of $n$ numbers using command line arguments.

16 Write a program to sort $n$ strings in ascending order using pointers.
17 Write a program to insert a new number into a sorted integer array.
18 Demonstrate the following: pointer-to-pointer, array of pointers, constant pointer, array of pointers, pointer arithmetic.

$$
(2 \times 5=10 \text { weightage })
$$

