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**SECOND SEMESTER B.TECH DEGREE EXAMINATION (S), December 2021****Common to all branches****Course Code: 20EST102****Course Name: Programming in C****Max. Marks: 100****Duration: 3 Hours****PART A***(Answer all questions. Each question carries 3 marks)***CO**

1. Compare between compiler and interpreter. [1]
2. Describe the memory hierarchy in terms of speed, cost and storage. [1]
3. Compare between while and do while loop with suitable diagram. [2]
4. What will be the output for the following program?

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#include <stdio.h>
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int main()
```

```
{
```

```
int d, a = 1, b = 2;
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d = a++ + ++b;
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```
printf("%d %d %d", d, a, b);
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```
return 0;
```

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}
```

[2]

5. Explain any two ways to declare and initialize a two-dimensional array. [3]
6. Write a C program to read 'n' integers into an array and print the sum of odd numbers. [3]
7. Compare between actual parameters and formal parameters. [4]
8. Explain about the need of modular programming. [4]
9. What is a pointer? Explain how a pointer variable is declared and initialized. [5]
10. Compare between sequential files and random access files. [6]

## PART B

(Answer one full question from each module, each question carries 14 marks)

## MODULE I

- |     |  | <b>CO</b> | <b>Marks</b> |
|-----|--|-----------|--------------|
| 11. | a) Explain the architecture of a computer with suitable diagram. | [1]       | (7)          |
|     | b) Draw a flowchart to find the largest of three numbers.        | [1]       | (7)          |

OR

- |     |   | <b>CO</b> | <b>Marks</b> |
|-----|---|-----------|--------------|
| 12. | a) Write an algorithm and draw the flow chart to check whether the given number is odd or even. | [1]       | (6)          |
|     | b) Write the pseudo code to compute the roots of a quadratic equation $ax^2+bx+c=0$             | [1]       | (8)          |

## MODULE II

- |     |  | <b>CO</b> | <b>Marks</b> |
|-----|--|-----------|--------------|
| 13. | a) Write a C program to print the following pattern.                   |           |              |
|     | 1 2 3 4 5  |           |              |
|     | 1 2 3 4  | [2]       | (7)          |
|     | 1 2 3  |           |              |
|     | 1 2  |           |              |
|     | 1  |           |              |
|     | b) Write a C program to print all the prime numbers between 1 and 100. | [2]       | (7)          |

OR

- |     |  | <b>CO</b> | <b>Marks</b> |
|-----|--|-----------|--------------|
| 14. | a) Explain about various operators in C.                                     | [2]       | (8)          |
|     | b) Write a C program to check whether the given number is palindrome or not. | [2]       | (6)          |

## MODULE III

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|-----|--|-----------|--------------|
| 15. | a) Explain any three String handling functions with suitable examples.     | [3]       | (6)          |
|     | b) Write a C program to sort numbers in ascending order using bubble sort. | [3]       | (8)          |

OR

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|-----|--|-----------|--------------|
| 16. | a) Write a C program to perform linear search.         | [3]       | (6)          |
|     | b) Write a C program to perform matrix multiplication. | [3]       | (8)          |

## MODULE IV

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|-----|---|-----------|--------------|
| 17. | a) Explain about the various storage classes in C.  | [4]       | (6)          |
|     | b) What is Recursion? Write a C program to compute the factorial of a number using recursion. | [4]       | (8)          |

OR

		<b>CO</b>	<b>Marks</b>
18.	a)	Explain how the structure variable passed as a parameter to a function with example.	[4] (6)
	b)	Write a program to maintain a record of 'n' employee details using an array of structures with four fields (id, name, designation, salary) and print the details of employees whose salary is above 30000.	[3] (8)

## MODULE V

		<b>CO</b>	<b>Marks</b>
19.	a)	Explain pass by reference. Write a C program to swap two numbers using pass by reference method.	[5] (8)
	b)	Explain how we can access array elements using pointers with suitable examples.	[5] (6)

OR

		<b>CO</b>	<b>Marks</b>
20.	a)	Explain the various file operations in C.	[6] (5)
	b)	Write a C program that opens a text input file and count number of characters, words and lines in it; and store the results in an output file.	[6] (9)

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