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LANGUAGES**

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Time : 2½ Hours]

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Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) All five questions are compulsory, and for each question students must attempt any three out of the six sub-questions.
- 2) Neat diagrams must be drawn wherever necessary.
- 3) Assume Suitable data wherever necessary.

Q1) Solve any three

- a) List any three features that make C an important programming language. [4]
- b) What is the difference between a keyword and an identifier in C? [4]
- c) Explain how variables are declared in C. What are the rules and syntax for declaring variables? [4]
- d) Explain the difference between a constant and a variable in C. [4]
- e) Explain the purpose of using the const keyword when declaring a variable in C. [4]
- f) Explain the role of the volatile keyword in C programming and when it is typically used. [4]

Q2) Solve any three

- a) List the arithmetic operators in C with their symbols. [4]
- b) Explain the difference between && (AND) and || (OR) logical operators in C. [4]
- c) Explain any 4 bitwise operators in C. [4]
- d) List the types of assignment operators available in C. [4]
- e) How would you use relational operators to compare two numbers in C? Provide an example. [4]
- f) Explain the difference between pre-increment (++i) and post-increment (i++) operators in C. [4]

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Q3) Solve any three

- a) Explain while loop with a suitable example. [4]
- b) Explain simple if statement if-else statement and nested if-else statement with suitable example. [4]
- c) Write a program for finding factorial of a number. [4]
- d) Explain for loop with continue and break statement. [4]
- e) Describe how a "Switch" statement works and compare it to an "if-else" structure. [4]
- f) Write a program that reads a number from the user and prints whether the number is positive, negative, or zero using an "if-else" statement. [4]

Q4) Solve any three

- a) Explain how an array is stored in memory and how elements can be accessed using an index. [4]
- b) Explain various function for reading and writing a string. [4]
- c) Write a program that asks the user to input 10 numbers, stores them in a one-dimensional array, and then prints the sum of the numbers. [4]
- d) Explain how a string in C is terminated and how this affects string operations. [4]
- e) Explain any five String handling Functions with example. [4]
- f) Write a program that reverses a string entered by the user without using built-in functions. [4]

Q5) Solve any three

- a) Explain the concept of return values in C. How is the return type of a function determined? Provide an example of a function that returns an integer value. [4]
- b) Write a C program that accepts two numbers from the user, swaps them using a function. [4]
- c) Explain various Categories of Function. [4]
- d) How do you initialize structures in C? Explain with an example of initializing a structure that holds a book's title, author, and price. [4]
- e) Create a structure in C called Employee that holds the employee's name, ID and salary. Write a program to initialize a structure variable with values and display the employee's information. [4]
- f) Differentiate Between Recursion and Iteration in function with suitable example. [4]