



II Semester B.C.A. Degree Examination, May 2017
(F + R) (CBCS)
(2014-15 and Onwards)
COMPUTER SCIENCE
BCA – 203 : Data Structures

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

Instruction : Answer all Sections.

SECTION – A

Answer any ten questions. Each question carries two marks. (10×2=20)

1. What is linear data structure ? Give an example.
2. Define space and time complexities of an algorithm.
3. What is recursion ?
4. What is dynamic memory allocation ?
5. Define stack.
6. Compare linear search and binary search methods.
7. What is circular queue ?
8. Write the differences between stack and queue.
9. Give the node structure of a doubly linked list.
10. Define the terms :
 - i) Binary tree.
 - ii) Complete binary tree.
11. Mention the different ways of tree traversal.
12. Mention the graph traversal methods.

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SECTION – B

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

(5×10=50)

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| 13. a) Explain various types of data structures. | 6 |
| b) Briefly explain any four string handling functions. | 4 |
| 14. a) Explain selection sort algorithm. | 5 |
| b) Write an algorithm to delete an element from the array. | 5 |
| 15. a) Define linked list. Mention the applications of the linked list. | 5 |
| b) Write an algorithm for searching a node in the singly linked list. | 5 |
| 16. a) Mention various applications of the stack. | 5 |
| b) Evaluate the following postfix expression
95 + 36 * + 97 – 1. | 5 |
| 17. a) Write C functions to perform insertion and deletion operations of a queue. | 5 |
| b) What is queue ? Mention its underflow and overflow conditions. | 5 |
| 18. a) Briefly explain infix, prefix and postfix expressions. | 5 |
| b) Convert the following infix expression into its equivalent postfix expression
(a + b) * (m/n) + (x + y). | 5 |
| 19. a) Define the terms (a) Graph (b) Degree of a vertex. | 4 |
| b) Write depth-first-search algorithm. | 6 |
| 20. a) Define Binary search tree. Give an example. | 4 |
| b) Briefly explain various tree traversal methods with suitable examples. | 6 |
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