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## 3 (Sem-3/CBCS) CSC HC 1

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#### COMPUTER SCIENCE

(Honours)

Paper: CSC-HC-3016

(Data Structures)

Full Marks: 60

Time: Three hours

# The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

- 1. Answer the following as directed: 1×7=7
  - (i) In a stack, if a user tries to remove an element from an empty stack, it is called
    - (a) underflow
    - (b) overflow
    - (c) empty
    - (d) push

(Choose the correct answer)

- (ii) Assuming int is of 4 bytes, what is the size of int a [15]?
  - (a) 15 bytes
  - (b) 19 bytes
  - (c) 60 bytes
  - (d) 11 bytes

(Choose the correct answer)

- (iii) Write two applications of stack data structure.
- (iv) Name two sorting techniques.
- (v) What is a binary tree?
- (vi) Consider the following pictorial representation of a singly linked list:

  Start → □→ □→ □→ □VULL

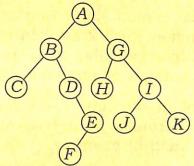
Which of the following statements will remove the second node from the list?

- (a) Start = start  $\rightarrow$  next
- (b) Start  $\rightarrow$  next = start
- (c) Start  $\rightarrow$  next = start  $\rightarrow$  next  $\rightarrow$  next
- (d) Start  $\rightarrow$  next = start  $\rightarrow$  next  $\rightarrow$  next  $\rightarrow$  next (Choose the correct answer)
- (vii) Write an advantage of hashing.
- 2. Answer the following questions:  $2\times4=8$ 
  - (a) Differentiate linear search and binary search.
  - (b) What will be the maximum height and minimum height of a binary tree with 15 elements?
  - (c) Write down the advantages of doubly linked list structure over singly linked list structure.

(d) Draw a binary search tree with the following elements, if you insert one after another:

10, 15, 25, 5, 4, 30, 2, 7

- 3. Answer **any three** questions from the following: 5×3=15
  - (a) Describe collision resolving by open addressing technique. 5
  - (b) Write down the result of inorder, preorder and postorder traversals of the following binary tree:



(c) Convert the following infix expression into postfix expression: 5

$$a+(b*c(d/e-f)*g)+h$$

- (d) Write the algorithm for binary search technique.
- (e) What is a queue? Why is it known as FIFO data structure? Write the ways for implementing a queue. Briefly explain two applications of queue. 1+1+1+2=5

- 4. Answer **any three** questions from the following: 10×3=30
  - (a) Sort the following data using insertion sort (show the steps): 10
  - (b) Write a program to implement a stack using array.
  - (c) Write a program to implement a doubly linked list for inserting an element at the beginning of the list, deleting an element from the end of the list. 10
  - (d) What is recursion? How does recursive function work? Explain with the help of an example. Also mention two advantages of recursion. 1+2+5+2=10
  - (e) Explain different cases for deleting a node from a binary search tree with the help of example.
  - (f) Write short notes on the following:  $2\frac{1}{2} \times 4 = 10$ 
    - (i) Threaded binary tree
    - (ii) Circular queue
    - (iii) Multidimensional array
    - (iv) Perfect binary tree