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B.E/B.Tech. DEGREE EXAMINATION, MAY/JUNE 2016

First Semester

Civil Engineering

**GE 2112/CS 16/080230001 – FUNDAMENTALS OF COMPUTING AND
COMPUTER PROGRAMMING**

(Common to All Branches)

(Regulations 2008)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 100 Marks

Answer ALL questions.

PART – A (10 × 2 = 20 Marks)

1. List any two important characteristics of computer.
2. List some of the key hardware and software technologies of fifth generation computers.
3. What are the types of web browsers ?
4. List some of the internet applications.
5. List any four office packages.
6. Define algorithm.
7. What do you mean by 'C' Tokens ?
8. What does the following fragment print ?

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for (int i = 0; i < 10; i++)  
{  
    if (!(i%2)) continue;  
    printf("%d\t", i);  
}
```
9. Define Array.
10. What is the use of pointer ?

PART – B (5 × 16 = 80 Marks)

11. (a) Explain in detail about basic computer organization with a neat sketch. (16)

OR

- (b) What are the applications of computer ? Discuss in detail about classification of computer. (16)

12. (a) (i) Explain in detail the types of computer software. (8)

- (ii) Explain in detail the various steps involved in software development. (8)

OR

- (b) (i) Explain the common types of internet access. (6)

- (ii) Write short note on web browser. (5)

- (iii) Explain a typical structure of URL. (5)

13. (a) (i) Explain the features of Microsoft Word. (10)

- (ii) Draw a flowchart to find the largest of three numbers. (6)

OR

- (b) (i) Discuss the features of Microsoft Excel. (8)

- (ii) What is pseudo code ? Explain its guidelines and benefits. (8)

14. (a) Explain all the arithmetic, relational, logical operators used in C language with necessary expressions as examples. (16)

OR

- (b) Write a program in C language for listing and counting all the numbers divisible by 3 and not by 5 from 1 to 100. (16)

15. (a) Differentiate between the following concepts and give example for each :

- (i) Structure and union (8)

- (ii) Call by reference and call by value. (8)

OR

- (b) (i) Discuss about functions in 'C'. (4)

- (ii) Write a 'C' function to calculate the factorial of a given number and use it in the main program to calculate the binomial coefficient of a given number. Given binomial coefficient

$$\binom{n}{k} = n! \div (k! \times (n - k) !) \quad (12)$$