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P.G. Diploma in Business Management 2nd Semester

COMPUTER PROGRAMMING

Paper—PGDBM-205

Time Allowed—3 Hours] [Maximum Marks—50

SECTION—A

Note :- Attempt any **five** questions. Answer to each question can be upto **five** lines in length. Each question carries **2** marks.

1. (a) What is an Algorithm ? What are its characteristics ?
- (b) What is CPU ? What is its use ?
- (c) What is an octal number ? How can an octal number be converted into a decimal number ?
- (d) Differentiate between a field, record and a file.
- (e) What is the difference between a variable and a constant ?
- (f) What are the data types available in C ?
- (g) What are the advantages and problems of using pointers ?
- (h) What is Standard Deviation ? What is its purpose ?

SECTION—B

Note :- Attempt any **two** questions. Answer to each question can be upto **5** pages in length. Each question carries **10** marks.

2. What do you mean by I/O devices ? Why do we need to have a variety of I/O devices with computers ?
3. What is a Decision Table ? What are the components of a decision table ? Discuss the rules of drawing decision tables.
4. What do you mean by problem analysis ? Discuss the phases in problem analysis in detail.
5. Elaborate in detail the sequential access files.

SECTION—C

Note :- Attempt any **two** questions. Answer to each question can be upto **5** pages in length. Each question carries **10** marks.

6. Explain with examples the representation of numeric and non-numeric data.
7. What are the various sequencing and alteration control structures ? Discuss with suitable examples.
8. What is the difference between Array of Pointers and Pointer to an Array ? Explain with the help of suitable examples. Also show the declarations for both the concepts.
9. Write a program to evaluate polynomials of the form :

$$a_n x^n + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 x + a_0$$