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Second Semester

Title of Paper: Computer Programming I

Course Code: CSC112

Time Allowed: Three (3) Hours

Instructions: Answer any **four Questions**. Don't write anything on the Examination Question paper.

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CSC112 COMPUTER PROGRAMMING I (SUPPLEMENTARY EXAM.)
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QUESTION ONE

- a) Write a C++ program that reads a student name followed by ten examination scores. The program should output the student name, the ten examination scores and the average of the examination scores. Output the average examination score with one decimal place. The data to be read is stored in a file called exam.txt and the output should be in a file called examaverage.out. 15marks
- b) Write a short note on the following output manipulators
- Setw
 - Setprecision
 - Showpoint
 - Fixed
 - setfill
- 10marks

QUESTION TWO

- a) Differentiate between the following
- cin and getline
 - endl and \n
 - ifstream and ofstream
 - value-returning and void functions
 - value and reference parameter
- 10marks
- b) Write a C++ program to compute and output the penalty on an unpaid credit card balance using a selection statement. The program assumes that the interest rate on the unpaid balance is 3% per month. 10marks
- c) Write short note on the following with the support of an example
- strcmp
 - strcat
- 5marks

QUESTION THREE

- a) What is the output of this C++ code fragment?
- ```
int X=15;
int Y=3;
if (X+Y>17 || Y-X<20)
{
 Y=X-Y;
 X=Y+X;
 cout<<X<<" "<<Y<<" "<<X+Y<<" "<<X-Y<<endl;
}
else
{
 X=Y-X+Y%5
 cout<<X<<" "<<Y<<" "<<X-Y<<" "<<X+Y<<endl;
}
```

10marks

- b) Write a C/C++ program that prompts the user to input an integer between 0 and 35. If the number is less than or equal to 9, the program should output the number; otherwise, it should output A for 10, B for 11, C for 12, ..... and Z for 35. 10marks
- c) Write short note on the following with the support of an example each
- i. strcpy
  - ii. strlen

5marks

#### QUESTION FOUR

- a) David needs to lower his cholesterol count to stay physically fit and reduce the risk of heart attack, and he wants to accomplish this by doing regular exercises. He decided to join a gym and, among other measures, keep a count of the number of calories burned each time he uses the gym. At the end of each week he wants to determine the average number of calories burned each day. Write a C++ program that David can use to enter the number of calories burned each day and calculate the average of calories burned each day using a while loop. Suppose that the numbers of calories burned each day in a particular week are 215, 325, 200, 430, 305, 518 and 605. 15marks
- b) How does backtracking help in program debugging? Considering **N-Queens Problem**: Given a chess board having cells, we need to place queens in such a way that no queen is attacked by any other queen. A queen can attack horizontally, vertically and diagonally. 10marks

#### QUESTION FIVE

- a) Write a C++ program to generate the first ten Fibonacci numbers using a do... while loop 15marks
- b) Differentiate between the following
- i. Reserved word and a user-defined identifier 2marks
  - ii. int data type and double data type 2marks
  - iii. single line comment and multiple line comment 2marks
  - iv. str.length() and strlen() 2marks
  - v. strncmp() and strcmp() 2marks

#### QUESTION SIX

- a) Write a C++ program to find the largest of a set of 10 numbers using a function 15marks
- b) Write C++ statements that accomplish the following:
- i. Declare integer variables a and b. initialize a to 25 and b to 18 2marks
  - ii. Suppose x and y are double variables. Output the contents of x,y and the expression  $x + 12 / y - 18$  2marks
  - iii. Declare integer variables num1 and num2 and Input the first number in num1 and the second number in num2 2marks
  - iv. Assign the value of 15 times feet plus inches to totalinches 2marks
  - v. Update the value of an integer variable x by adding 10 to it 2marks