COMPUTER APPLICATION (COMA)

Class - XI

Full Marks 100 THEORY - 70 Marks PRACTICAL - 30 Marks

A. Brief Review of Computer Systems (30 Marks)

i) Evolution of Computers and Computer Organization :

- Evolution of Computers
 - Abacus, Napier's Bone, Pascaline, The Babbage Machine
 - Stored Program Concept, Von Neumann Concept / Architecture
- Computer Hardware Generations
 - First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth Generation of Computers;
 - Components, Advantages, Disadvantages
- Concept of Circuit Integration
 - o SSI, MSI, LSI, VLSI, ULSI
- Classification of Computers
 - Analogue, Digital, Hybrid Computers
 - Mainframe and Super Computer
 - Mini, Micro, Laptop Computer
- Computers in Modern Society
- Concept of Data and Information, Data Processing
- Brief description of each functional block of a computer
 - Block Diagram of a Computer System
 - o Input Devices (Keyboard, Mouse, Scanner, Touch Screen, OMR, OCR, MICR, Graphic Tablet, Barcode Reader, Light Pen, Microphone, Joystick)
 - o Output Devices
 - Monitor CRT, LCD
 - Printer Impact Printers (Dot Matrix Printer), Non-Impact Printers (Inkjet Printer, Laser Printer)

- Plotter
- o Central Processing Unit : CU, ALU
- Storage Devices
 - Primary Memory : RAM (DRAM, SRAM), ROM (PROM, EPROM, EEPROM, UVPROM)
 - Secondary Memory : Magnetic Media (HDD, FDD), Optical Media
 (CD, DVD, Blue-Ray Disk)
 - Cache Memory
 - Flash Memory
- Communication Bus
 - System Bus Address Bus, Data Bus, Control Bus, Power Bus

ii) Data Representation:

- Number Systems
 - Concept of Non-Positional Number System
 - Roman Number System
 - Concept of Positional Number System
 - Decimal, Binary, Octal and Hexadecimal Number System
 - o Conversion
 - Inter-conversion between Decimal, Binary, Octal and Hexadecimal Numbers (Whole numbers and Fractions, using Double Add and Half Add Methods)
 - o Arithmetic
 - Addition, Subtraction Decimal, Binary, Octal and Hexadecimal
 Numbers
 - Multiplication, Division Binary Number System only
 - o Different methods of Negative Number Representation
 - Signed Magnitude
 - One's Complement
 - Two's Complement
 - Subtraction using Complements (1's, 2's complement)

Various Binary Coding Schemes

- o BCD
- o EBCDIC
- o ASCII
- o ISCII

Concept of Fixed and Floating Point Numbers

- Difference between fixed and floating point numbers
- Bit map representation of images
- Concept of Multimedia

iii) Boolean Algebra

- Definition and postulates.
- Boolean operations OR, AND, NOT
- Proof using identities and truth tables
- De' Morgan's Theorems and Basic Principle of Duality
- Deriving truth table from Boolean expression and vice versa
- SOP and POS Expressions (Minterm and Maxterm expressions)
- Canonical form of Boolean expressions and their complements
- Simplifications

B. Software and Languages (10 Marks)

- Definition of Software
- Programming Languages: Concepts of High Level, Low Level and Assembly language
- Types of Software
- System Software

- Translator compiler, interpreter, assembler
- Operating systems:
 - Definition and Function
 - Types of OS Single User, Multi-user, Multiprogramming,
 Multiprocessing, Time Sharing
 - Booting (cold and warm), Spooling, Buffering, Concept of Virtual
 Memory
 - Directory and file Structure, Path and Pathname
 - Concept of GUI, CUI with examples
 - Using MS DOS (Commands and their use DIR, MD, RD, CD, COPY, CON, MOVE, REN, DEL, TYPE, MORE, ATTRIB, EDIT, DATE, TIME, CLS)
 - Using MS Windows OS
- Application Software (definition and example)
- Utility Software (definition and example)

C. Programming using Visual Basic (10 Marks)

- Introduction to Visual Basic (Version 6 or compatible)
- Getting familiar with VB user interface
 - Standard exe, pull-down menus, toolbar, toolbox, project explorer, properties window, form layout window, form immediate window, opening and closing windows, resizing and moving windows, quitting VB
- VB Tool Box
 - Standard window controls, label, textbox, command-button, frame, check-box, option-button, list-box, combo-box, picture box, timer control, shapes
 - Basic properties of controls
- Programming Fundamentals
 - o Date types in VB (integer, long, single, double, currency, string)
 - Variable and Constants
 - o Input / Output operations

- Control Statements
 - Branching: If-Then-Else, Switch
 - Looping: For-Next, While, Do-While
- Simple problem solving

D. Word Processing using MS Word (MS Office 2007 or compatible) (10 Marks)

- Introduction to Word Processing
- Creating, Opening, Editing and Saving a document
- Copy, Cut, Paste operations
- Page Setup, Headers and Footers
- Formatting Texts, Paragraph, Page Borders
- Inserting Clip-Art, Word-Art, Auto-Shapes, Picture, Symbol, Equation
- Table insertion
- Mail Merge
- Macros
- Spelling and Grammar check
- Printer Setup and Document Printing

E. Power Point Presentation using MS Word (MS Office 2007 or compatible) (10 Marks)

- Introduction of Power Point
- Creating, Opening, Editing and Saving a PowerPoint presentation
- Use of Wizards

- Different styles and background
- Formatting Texts
- Inserting Clip-Art, Word-Art, Auto-Shapes, Picture
- Applying slide-transition, applying animation to text and objects
- Inserting sound and video-clips
- Slide Show
- Printing of slides

F. Practical (30 Marks)

One program on Visual Basic

(10 Marks)

Laboratory Copy (Minimum 10 programs)

(5 Marks)

(Suggestive programs on VB are given below)

- To display a message using Label, Textbook, Message Dialogue
- To concatenate two text entries and display
- o To perform a simple arithmetic operation (+,-,*,/) and display the result in message dialogue or textbox
- To make simple decision making (IF statement) solution and display relevant message (example: problems related to eligibility for a given value of age, profit loss messages for given values of cost price and sale price, grade display for given values of marks of students etc.)
- o To create a simple GUI application to perform both arithmetic and logical operations together (Total, Average, Grade calculation of given set of marks, salary calculations on different criteria)

To create a simple GUI application to perform an operation based on the criteria input by the user in a checkbox/radio button

(ex1: Find the discount of an item on the basis of category of item [electrical appliance / electronic gadget/stationery specified using a radio button] and its cost [below 1000/above 1000/equal 1000 specified using radio button])

(ex2: Calculate the incentive of a sales person on the basis of his sales amount, customer feedback, count of customer specified using checkbox)

o To create a simple GUI application to change the properties of a control based on the selection made by the user.

(ex1: To change the background/foreground colour of any of the controls of the form based on the colour selected from a list)

(ex2: To change the background/foreground colour of a label based on the values input/stored in a combo-box)

Use of MS Word – Same features as in Theory part (5 Marks)

Use of PowerPoint – Same features as in Theory part

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Class - XII

Full Marks 100

Theory Marks 70

Practical Marks - 30

A. Logic Gate and Combination Circuits

(15 marks)

- Logic Gates OR, AND, NOT, XOR, X-NOR Gates
- Universal Gates NAND and NOR Gate
- Basic gates using Universal Gates
- Two Level Circuits
- Combinational Circuits:
 - o Half Adder & Full Adder (definition and representation)
 - o Full Adder using Half Adders only
 - o Half Subtractor & Full Subtractor (definition and representation)
 - o 4 bit Adder and Subtractor Circuit
 - o Multiplexer (4x1) and De-multiplexer (1x4)
 - o Decoder (Maximum 3 bits), and Encoder (Decimal to Binary, Octal to Binary)

B. Networking

(20 marks)

- Introduction to Networking (Definition, Advantage, Disadvantage, Application)
 - o Analogue and Digital Communication
 - Modes of Communication : Simplex, Half Duplex and Full Duplex Communication
 - Types of Network LAN, MAN, WAN
 - o Network Architecture : Client Server & Peer-to-Peer Networks
 - o Serial and Parallel Communication
 - o Bandwidth, Channel Capacity, Baud
 - o Synchronous and Asynchronous Transmission Modes
 - o Baseband and Broadband Networks

Components of a Network

- o Servers (File server, Communication Server, Print Server) and Workstation
- o NIC
- Guided Media
 - Cables UTP, STP, Co-axial, Fibre Optic
- Unguided Media
 - Infrared, Radio & Microwave Communication, Satellite
- Network Operating System Characteristics

Network Topologies -

- o Bus
- o Ring
- o Star

Network Connecting Devices –

- o Hub
- o Repeater
- o Bridge
- o Switch
- o Router
- o Gateways

LAN Protocols

- Ethernet (CSMA / CD) and Token Ring Protocol
- Switching Technique
 - Circuit, Message and Packet Switching
- Use of MODEM
- TCP / IP Protocols TCP, IP, UDP, FTP, HTTP, TELNET
- IP Addressing
 - Class A, Class B, Class C IP address
- Domain Name System
- URL

Introduction to Internet

- Basic requirement for connecting to the Internet, ISP
- o Services provided by Internet www, browser, e-mail, search engine, social networking
- Networking Security Computer Virus, Concept of Firewall, Password

HTML

Basic Page Design, Using Ordered and Unordered Lists, Using Image,
 Hyperlinking, Using Tables

C. Database Management System

(15 marks)

Introduction of Database :

- o Definition of Database
- Advantage and disadvantages of DBMS
- o Database Languages (DDL, DML, DCL)
- o Data Dictionary, Metadata
- Database Schema and Instance
- DBMS and its components
- o Various Data Models ER Model, Hierarchical Model, Network Model, Relational Model (only concepts)
- o Different Database Users
- o Functions of DBA

Relational Model

- o Concept of Relation, Topple, Attribute, Domain, Degree, Cardinality
- Concept of Keys Key, Super Key, Candidate Key, Primary Key, Alternate Key
- Concept of Relationships 1:1, 1:N, N:M relationships
- o Database Constraints Equity Integrity Constraint, Domain Constraint, Referential Integrity Constraint and Concept of Foreign Key

• Relational Algebra

- o Selection Operation
- o Projection Operation
- Set Operation

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- o Cartesian Product
- Natural Join Operation

. SQL

Simple SELECT Queries (SELECT, FROM, WHERE, DISTINCT, AND, OR, IN, NOT IN, BETWEEN, LIKE, ORDER BY)

D. Introduction to Spread Sheet – (MS Office 2007 or compatible) (10 marks)

- Introduction to Excel
- Concept of Workbook, Worksheet, Row, Column, Cell
- Creating Opening, Editing, Saving a Workbook
- Changing Row and Column widths
- Formatting cells
- Different data types in Excel
- Entering labels and values
- Use of following inbuilt functions only SUM, PRODUCT, AVERAGE, MAX, MIN, ROUND, COUNT, COUNTIF, IF, AND, OR, NOT, DATE, TIME, NOW, CONCATENATE, UPPER, LOWER
- Copying Cells Relative, Absolute and Mixed Referencing
- Making calculations and re-calculations
- Auto fill, Fill with series
- Conditional Formatting
- Sorting and Filtering Data (use of Auto Filter)
- Goal Seek
- Hiding Rows and Columns
- Use of Macros
- Creating Line Diagrams, Pie Charts, Bar Graphs

E. Using MS Access (MS Office 2007 or compatible)

(10 marks)

- Introduction to Access
- Table creating using Design View and Wizard
- Different data types in Access

- Manipulation of data using Access facilities Inserting, Updating, Deleting data
- Creating Relationships between Tables
- Form creation using Wizard, Auto Form
- Query generation using Design View
- Report generation using Wizard, Auto Report

F. Practical

(30 marks)

• Using MS Excel and Access

(10 marks)

• Web Page design using HTML

(5 marks)

• Project Work (two projects)

(10 marks)

- o Suggestive Topics:
- Application of Excel:
 - Using Excel creation of Mark Sheet, Balance Sheet, Monthly / Yearly Expenditure,
 Reports
 - Web page designing using HTML (minimum 5 linked pages)
 - Travel and Tourism
 - Festivals
 - Book Catalogue
 - Pollution and pollution control
 - Viva Voce

(5 marks)