

## Question Paper Code : X60496

## B.E./B.Tech. DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2020 Third Semester

Electrical and Electronics Engineering
EE2204/EE36/080300003/10133EE306 -DATA STRUCTURES AND ALGORITHMS
(Common to Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering/Instrumentation and
Control Engineering)

(Regulations 2008/2010)

(Also common to PTEE2204 – Data Structures and Algorithms for B.E. (Part – Time) Second Semester/Third Semester – EEE - Regulations 2009)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

## Answer ALL questions

PART - A (10×2=20 Marks)

- 1. What is a circular queue?
- 2. List the applications of stacks.
- 3. Draw the expression tree for (a + b\*c) + ((d\*e + f)\*g).
- 4. Write the pseudo code to insert an element at the end of the linked list.
- 5. Define a hash function.
- 6. State the need for indexing.
- 7. Define in-degree and out degree of a graph.
- 8. What is meant by strongly connected and weekly connected in a graph?
- 9. For what type of problems greedy algorithms are best suited?
- 10. State how dynamic programming solves complex problems.



## PART – B (5×16=80 Marks)

11. a) i) Given two sorted lists, L1 and L2, write a procedure in pseudo-code to compute L1I L2 using only the basic list operations. (8)

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ii) What is a stack? Write down the procedure for implementing various stack operations.(8)

(OR)

- b) Write a function to add two polynomials. Do not destroy the input. Use a linked list implementation. If the polynomials have M and N terms respectively, what is the time complexity of your program?

  (16)
- 12. a) i) Discuss how a node could be inserted in a binary tree. (8)
  - ii) Write a procedure in C to find the K<sup>th</sup> element in binary tree. (8)

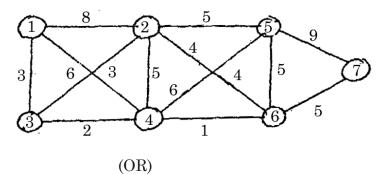
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- b) i) Derive the expression tree for the expression (a + b + c) + ((d \* e + f)\* g).
   Explain the construction procedure for the above.
  - ii) Write routines to implement the basic binary search tree operations. (10)
- 13. a) Develop an algorithm for constructing an AVL tree. Include routines for insertion and deletion. Illustrate the same with an example. (16)

(OR)

b) Explain closed hashing with an example. (16)

- 14. a) i) Define Graph. Briefly explain the graph traversal algorithms with an example. (8)
  - ii) Find the shortest path from node 1 to 7 using shortest path algorithm. (8)



- b) With an example, explain Kruskal's algorithm for finding minimum spanning tree. (16)
- 15. a) Write an algorithm for basic operations on stack. Formulate an algorithm to check for balanced parenthesis.

(OR)

b) What is a max heap? Explain the steps involved in inserting elements into a heap with an example. Write an algorithm to insert an element into max heap.