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DATA STRUCTURES AND ALGORITHMS PC-CS-AIDS-205A

Time: Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks: 75

Note: Attempt Five questions in all, selecting at least one question from each Unit. All questions carry equal marks.

Unit I

- 1. (a) What is the importance of data structures in solving problems? How are data structures classified? Give two examples of each type to highlight their distinction.
 - (b) What is meant by asymptotic analysis of an algorithm? Describe the commonly used asymptotic notations used to represent the complexity of an algorithm.
- 2. (a) What are sparse matrix and two-dimensional arrays? Explain using an example how two dimensional arrays and sparse matrix can be used to solve problems.
 - (b) Describe, how an array will be sorted using Bubble sort?

Unit II

- 3. Show how a stack is implemented using arrays. Write an algorithm for evaluating a postfix expression using a stack. Describe one more application of Stack.
- 4. What is the difference between Linear Queue, Circular Queue, and Priority Queue? What operations can be performed on Queues? Also describe any *one* application of Queues.

Unit III

- 5. Describe the advantages of Linked Lists over arrays. However an element inserted and deleted in a Linked List?
- 6. (a) What are Circular and Doubly linked list?
 - (b) Describe one application where a linked list may be used.

Unit IV

- 7. Define binary tree and show how can it be traversed. Bring out the distinction between binary tree and threaded binary tree. How will a binary tree be created for the following input?
 - 10, 15, 12, 7, 8, 18, 6, 20
- 8. Describe the methods for representing graphs? What is depth first traversal of a graph?