

**2013**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Full Marks : 75*

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their*

*Own words as far as practicable.*

*The questions are of equal value.*

*Answer any **five** questions selecting at least*

***One** from each group*

**Group- A**

1. **What do you mean by data communication? What are the different types of transmission mode? Explain.**
2. **What do you mean by guided and unguided media? Describe about the different types of unguided media?**
3. **What do you mean by switching? What are the three fundamental switching method? Explain.**
4.
  - (a) **What is the purpose of domain name system? Discuss the three main division of the domain name space.**
  - (b) **What do you mean by electronic-mail? What are its protocol?**
5. **Write short notes on any three of the following :**
  - (a) **Satellite communication**
  - (b) **Bridge**
  - (c) **Serial and parallel communication**
  - (d) **Encode and Decoder**

- (e) **Internet and intranet**

**Group- B**

6. (a) **Who developed C language? What is the goal of structured programming?**
- (b) **Explain about the popular features of C language?**
7. (a) **What are the different types of operators available in C? Mention the operand types they work with?**
- (b) **What is constant? Explain the four basic types of constant in C ?**
8. (a) **What is the difference between scanf() and gets() with respect to data input embedded white space character?**
- (b) **Using printf, print a triangle of stars(\*) like**

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9. **What are pointers? What is function of a pointer variable? What are its uses?**
10. **Write short notes on any three of the following :**
- (a) **Single and multi dimensional array**
- (b) **The need and from of C function**
- (c) **Union**
- (d) **Pre- processor directive**
- (e) **Switch statement**
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