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B. A. (Gen./Hons./Subsidiary) EXAMINATION, 2023

(First Semester)

COMPUTER AND PROGRAMMING FUNDAMENTALS

Time: 3 Hours] [Maximum Marks: 25

Note: Attempt Five questions in all. Q. No. 1 is compulsory. Attempt four more questions, selecting one question from each Unit. All questions carry equal marks.

- 1. (a) Define Flash memory.
 - (b) Define operating system. 1
 - (c) What is Multiprogramming?
 - (d) What do you mean by Debugging? 1
 - (e) Define Binary Search.

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Unit I

2. Differentiate between RAM and ROM. 5

3. Differentiate between sequential and direct access devices.

Unit II

4. What is software and its types? Explain relationship between hardware and software. 5

5. Differentiate between multiprogramming and multitasking operating system. 5

Unit III

6. Define Problem. What is the concept of problem solving technique?

7. Write an algorithm to check whether the number is even or odd.

Unit IV

8. Explain the characteristics of good programming language. 5

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9. Explain the following:

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- (a) Sorting
- (b) Merging.