

B.Sc. Semester I (General) Examination, 2018-19

COMPUTER SCIENCE

Course ID : 11518

Course Code : SPCSC-101C-1A(T)

Course Title : Problem Solving With Computers

Time: 1 Hour 15 Minutes

Full Marks: 25

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

1. Answer *any five* questions from the following: 1×5=5
 - (a) What is the full form of LSI?
 - (b) Name different types of Computers.
 - (c) What is the function of a register?
 - (d) What do you mean by flowchart?
 - (e) What is an algorithm?
 - (f) Write the full form of ALU.
 - (g) What do you mean by structured programming?
 - (h) What is the function of an interpreter?

2. Answer *any two* questions from the following: 5×2=10
 - (a) Describe the various generations of computers in brief.
 - (b) Draw the block diagram of a Von Neumann computer and state the functions of different components in brief.
 - (c) Distinguish between top-down and bottom up design methodology.
 - (d) Write a program in Python to compute the factorial of a given number.

3. Answer *any one* question from the following: 1×10=10
 - (a) Write an algorithm to compute the sum of the following series upto n terms:
$$-x + \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{x^4}{4} \dots\dots\dots$$
Distinguish between algorithm and flowchart.
 - (b) Write a Python program to compute the sum of two compatible matrices.
