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# Third Semester B.C.A. Degree (CBCSS-Reg/Supple./Imp.) Examination, November 2016 General Course 3A12 BCA : DATA STRUCTURE (2014 Admn. Onwards)

#### Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 40

#### SECTION - A

1. Fill in the blanks.

a) The complexity of binary search algorithm is \_\_\_\_\_

- b) The number of interchanges required to sort 5, 1, 6, 2, 4 in ascending order using bubble sort is \_\_\_\_\_\_
- c) A linear list of elements in which deletion can be done from one end (front) and insertion can take place only at the other end (rear) is known as
- d) In the array representation of a sparse matrix, each non-zero element is represented as a triplet with the format
- e) Before inserting an element into a stack, one must check the condition
- f) \_\_\_\_\_\_is a searching technique which is independent of the number n of elements in the collection S of data.
- g) In a binary expression tree \_\_\_\_\_\_ tree traversal produces an infix expression.
- h) The maximum number of nodes on level i of a binary tree is

 $(8 \times \frac{1}{2} = 4)$ 

## SECTION-B

Write short notes on any seven of the following questions.

- 2. What is an Abstract Data Type ?
- Write the expressions for computing the address of the (i, j)<sup>th</sup> element of a two dimensional array on row major order and column major order.

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- 4. What is linear search ? What is the complexity of linear search algorithm ?
- 5. What is a stack ?
- Transform the expression (A+B↑D)/(E-F)+G into postfix form.
- 7. What is priority queue ?
- 8. What is recursion ?
- 9. Define a binary search tree.
- 10. Write different steps to insert an element into a circular queue.
- 11. What is the use of head node in a linked list ?

 $(7 \times 2 = 14)$ 

#### SECTION-C

Answer any four of the following questions.

- 12. Briefly discuss about classification of data structures.
- 13. Explain how insertion and deletion takes place in a circular queue.
- 14. Sort the following sequence of keys using Merge sort.

66, 77, 11, 88, 99, 22, 33, 44, 55

- 15. Describe any two applications of stack data structure.
- 16. Write a C++ program to insert a node into a sorted singly linked list.
- The preorder traversal of a certain binary search tree is {10, 5, 1, 7, 40, 50}.
  Draw the corresponding binary search tree (4×3=12)

## SECTION-D

Write an essay on any two of the following questions.

- Write a recursive algorithm for Merge sort and trace the Merge sort algorithm on the list {2, 3, 7, 12, 8, 9, 7, 5, 4}.
- 19. Explain how addition and deletion operations are implemented in a queue.
- 20. Write a program to add two polynomials using linked list.
- 21. Write short notes on :
  - a) The notations used for representing the complexity.
  - b) Doubly linked list.

 $(2 \times 5 = 10)$