B.A & B. Sc. First Semester w.e.f session 2017-18 Basics of Computer-I Code: 1.06

Time: 3 Hrs Theory Paper Max Marks-100

Note:- The Examiner shall set nine questions in all covering the whole syllabus. Question No.1 will be compulsory covering all the units and shall carry 5 small questions of two marks each. The rest of the eight questions will be set from all the four units. The examiner will set two questions from each unit out of which the candidate shall attempt four questions selecting one question from each unit. All the questions shall carry 10 marks each.

Unit-1

Introduction to Computers: Definition of Computer; Components of Computer; Characteristics of Computers; History evolution of Computers; Generation of computers; Classification of Computers- According to Purpose, According to Technology , According to Size and Storage Capacity; Human being VS Computer; Difference between Computer and Calculator.

Unit-2

Input Devices: Mouse, Keyboard, Light pen, Track Ball, Joystick, MICR, Optical Mark reader and Optical Character Reader Scanners, Voice system, Web Camera. Output Devices: Hard Copy Output Devices; Line Printers, Character Printers, Chain Printers, Dot-matrix Printers, Daisy Wheel Printer, Laser Printers, Ink Jet Printers; Plotters, Soft Copy device—Monitor, Sound Cards and speakers.

Unit-3

Memory and Mass Storage Devices: Characteristics of Memory Systems; Memory Hierarchy; Types of Primary Memory; RAM and ROM; Secondary and Back-up; Magnetic Disks, Characteristics and classification of Magnetic Disks; Optical Disks; Magnetic Taps.

Unit-4

MS- Word: Fundamentals of MS-Word, Features of MS-Word, Menus, Formatting and Standard Toolbars, Ruler, Scroll Bar, Creating, Editing, Saving, export and import files, inserting and copying the files, Working with frames, Paragraph formatting, Columns, Pictures, Tables, Macros and Mail Merge.

Suggested Readings:

- 1.Introduction of Information System ALEXISLEON,
- 2. Computer Fundamentals-Nasib Singh Gill.

B.A & B. Sc. Second Semester w.e.f session 2017-18 Basics of Computer-II Code: 2.06

Time: 3 Hrs Theory Paper Max Marks-100

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Unit-1

Fundamental of computers: Model of a digital computer; Functioning of a digital computer; Types of a digital computer; Advantages of computers. Difference between digital computer and analog computer, Applications of computers: Computers in Commerce, Marketing, Education and Management.

Unit-2

Software concepts: Types of Software and their role, Different System Software typesOperating systems, Translators, System Utilities; Concept of Application Packages; Types of an Operating system- Multi-user O.S., Multi-tasking O.S., Multi-Processing O.S; Time – sharing O.S., Multi-Programming O.S.Operating System as a resource Manager, concept of GUI and CUI.

Unit-3

Introduction to Windows: Components of a Application Window; Types of Windows, Windows as an Operating System, Windows explorer, Using Paintbrush, Control Panel, Installing a printer. User interfaces- CUI and GUI; Concept of a Desktop and Taskbar, My Computer, Recycle Bin, My Documents and Internet Explorer icons.

Unit-4

MS-Excel: Applications of a Spreadsheet; Advantages of an Spreadsheet; Features of Excel; Rows, Columns, Cell, Menus, Creating worksheet, Formatting, Printing, establishing worksheet links, Table creating and printing graphs, Macros, Using Built-in-functions.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Introduction of Information System ALEXISLEON
- 2. Introduction to essential tools. Sushila Madan