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DIPLOMA IN INFORMATION COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY

MODULE II

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INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE:

*This paper consists of **EIGHT** questions.*

*Answer **FIVE** of the **EIGHT** questions in the answer booklet provided.*

ALL questions carry equal marks.

Candidates should answer the questions in English.

This paper consists of 5 printed pages.

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1. (a) Define each of the following terms as used in Object Oriented Programming:
 - (i) Object;
 - (ii) Variable. (4 marks)
 - (b) Differentiate between *token* and *identifier* as used in programming. (4 marks)
 - (c) Determine the output of the following C++ statements:


```
char c = 'A';
short m = 26;
int n = c+m;
Cout<<" n"
```

 (2 marks)
 - (d) (i) With the aid of C++ syntax code explain *instance variable*. (4 marks)
 - (ii) Johan designed an object-oriented program, the program failed to compile due to incorrect identifier declarations. Explain **three** rules he should have followed. (6 marks)
2. (a) Identify the type of error that will be generated in each of the following cases:
 - (i) Division by a variable that contains a value of zero;
 - (ii) Multiplication operator used for division;
 - (iii) Missing semicolon. (3 marks)
 - (b) (i) Explain **two** types of class access specifiers in C++. (4 marks)
 - (ii) Write a C++ expression for the following mathematical equations:

$$(z = x^3 + y^3 - xy / z)$$
 (3 marks)
 - (c) Distinguish between *boolean* and *character* literals as used in programming. (4 marks)
 - (d) Explain **three** error handling techniques used in C++. (6 marks)
3. (a) Outline **two** advantages of using functions in Object Oriented Programming. (2 marks)
 - (b) State **two** differences between *static* and *non-static* data members. (4 marks)
 - (c) The following is a C++ program segment. Use it to answer the questions that follow:


```
String.x="Information";
String.y="Communication".
```

 Determine the out generated by each of the following functions:
 - (i) Cout <<"x+y";
 - (ii) Cout<<"(x.length ())";
 - (iii) Cout<<"(x.equals (y))"; (6 marks)

- (d) (i) Define an *Impure* function. (2 marks)
- (ii) With the aid of syntax code explain how the member functions can be accessed using pointers. (6 marks)
2. (a) Explain *local variable* as used in object oriented programming. (2 marks)
- (b) Distinguish between *encapsulation* and *abstraction* as used in C++. (4 marks)
- (c) With the aid of a Syntax code explain inline function. (4 marks)
- (d) (i) Define the term *enumerated datatype*. (2 marks)
- (ii) Write a program in C++ that would initialize the values (20 50 40 10 30) into an array. The program then displays the sum, maximum and minimum of the values. (8 marks)
3. (a) Outline **four** characteristics of constructors as used in Object Oriented Programming. (4 marks)
- (b) With the aid of a syntax code explain copy constructor. (4 marks)
- (c) A C++ class has the name student with the following attributes:
Roll number: 5
Total Marks: 430
Age: 16
Write a C++ program to declare the class. (6 marks)
- (d) The following code was written by a student. Use it to answer the questions that follow.
- ```

If (hours=40)
{
 Cout<<"Full time";
}
Else if (hours<40)
{
 Cout<<"Part time";
}
Else
{
 Cout<<"Overtime due";
}

```
- (i) Identify **three** bugs in the code. (3 marks)
- (ii) Re-write the code correctly. (3 marks)
4. (a) Outline **three** differences between *overloading* and *overriding* as used in object oriented programming. (6 marks)
- (b) Explain the term *compile time polymorphism*. (2 marks)

- (c) (i) Distinguish between *ifstream* and *ofstream* file operations. (4 marks)
- (ii) Write a program in C++ to prompt a user to enter a figure (either a Circle or a Rectangle). The program then computes the area of the figure entered through a function and displays the result. (8 marks)

7. (a) Define each of the following terms as used in Object Oriented Programming:

- (i) virtual function;
- (ii) abstract class. (4 marks)
- (b) Explain the term *object slicing* as applied in inheritance. (2 marks)
- (c) Table 1 shows the criteria used to award bursaries to applicants. Use it to answer the question that follows.

| Credit score | Amount |
|--------------|--------|
| 3            | 15,000 |
| 2            | 10,000 |
| 1            | 5,000  |
| 0            | 0      |

Table 1

Write a program in C++ that would prompt a user to enter the credit score of an applicant. The program then outputs the amount. Use case statement. (7 marks)

- (d) Figure 1 shows a type of inheritance in C++. Use it to answer the questions that follow.

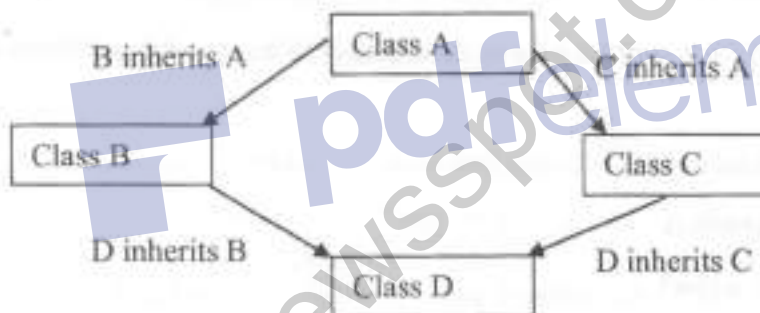


Figure 1

- (i) Identify the type of inheritance depicted in the figure. (1 mark)
- (ii) Describe the problem associated with this type of inheritance. (2 marks)
- (iii) Explain two mechanisms that could be used to solve the problem in (ii). (4 marks)



8. (a) Explain **two** types of exceptions in Object Oriented Programming. (4 marks)
- (b) Describe *namespace* as used in C++ programming language. (2 marks)
- (c) With the aid of a syntax code, explain the use of *break* and *continue* statements. (6 marks)
- (d) Write a program in C++ to accept a string through the keyboard and store it in a file. (8 marks)

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