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# PREPARATION PAPER OF NINTH STANDARD COMPUTER STUDIES

# **SESSION 2019-2020**

**IMPORTANT QUESTIONS FOR SECTION 'B'** 

**CHAPTER # 1: INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTER** 

- 1. Define types of computer according to their size.
- 2. Differentiate between general purpose and special purpose computers.
- 3. Write advantages of 1<sup>st</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> generation of computer. <u>OR</u> Describe the ages of computers.
- 4. What is the Mainframe computer? Where it is used? <u>OR</u> Write a short on Super computer and Mainframe computer.
- 5. Compare and Contrast: Analog Computer and Digital Computer.
- 6. What is computer? Write down the capabilities and limitations of computer.
- 7. What is the impact of computer on the society?
- 8. Define a Microcomputer and Minicomputer.
- 9. What are the advantages of internet?
- 10. What do you know about ABACUS and where it is used nowadays?

# CHAPTER # 2: COMPUTER COMPONENTS

- 1. Differentiate between Serial and Parallel ports.
- 2. Define the term Bus. Write down the name of it's types.
- 3. Differentiate between internal memory and external memory.
- 4. What are the purpose of input devices and output devices in computer system?
- 5. Write down briefly the functions of C.P.U.
- 6. Define Registers. How many registers are there in C.P.U?
- 7. Differentiate between Internal and External memory.
- 8. Differentiate between Hardware and Software.
- 9. Differentiate between RAM and ROM.
- 10. Describe functions of Primary memory.

**CHAPTER # 3: INPUT/OUTPUT DEVICES** 

- 1. Classify the monitor according to color capabilities.
- 2. What do you mean by pointing input device? Write some examples of such devices.
- 3. Write differences between impact printer and non-impact printer.
- 4. What are plotters? Write the names of different types of plotters.
- 5. Write the use of scanner with example.
- 6. Which device is used as an input as well as an output? <u>OR</u> Define Dual Purpose device with examples.
- 7. What is an output device? Write down the capabilities of monitor.
- 8. What are the functions of Numeric Keypad in keyboard? Explain.
- 9. Define printer and write its kinds.
- 10. Define Keyboard and write down the names of its parts.
- 11. Define an input device and describe Mouse OR Light Pen.

Write the full form of the following:					
a) ASCII	b) IBM	c) LCD	d) BASIC	e) HDD	
f) CRT	g) EDVAC	h) EPROM	i) <b>RMDIR</b>	j) WWW	
k) USB					

# CHAPTER # 4: STORAGE DEVICES

- 1. Why do we use Backing storage devices?
- 2. Define ROM and name its types.
- 3. What is the difference between SRAM and DRAM.
- 4. Differentiate between SIMM and DIMM

## CHAPTER # 5: DATA REPRESENTATION

- 1. Convert the following into given equivalent system:
  - a)  $(AB2C)_{16} = (?)_2$
- b)  $(545)_8 = (?)_2$
- e)  $(2900)_{10} = (?)_{16}$
- h)  $(ABC5)_{16} = (?)_{10}$
- f)  $(8236)_{10} = (?)_8$
- $(777)_8 = (?)_{16}$ i)
- 2. Solve the following binary numbers:
  - a) (1010011) x (1001)
- b) (110011) / (100)
- f) (110110) + (1110000)

c)  $(1010001)_2 = (?)_{10}$ g)  $(111001)_2 = 2$ 's Complement j)  $(65)_{10} = (?)_2$ 

c) (100001) - (11111) g) (1011) x (101)

- e) 2's complement of 01101110 h) 101101 - 111001
- 3. What is Number system? Write names of its types.
- 4. Differentiate between Data and information.
- 5. Define Data. What is Data processing cycle? Explain information.
- 6. Define data and briefly state its kinds?
- 7. What are computer codes? Name the various coding schemes used in the computer system.

## CHAPTER # 6: BOOLEAN ALGEB

- 1. Draw Karnaugh Map for the following expression:
  - a)  $\overline{ABC} + A\overline{BC} + \overline{A}\overline{BC} + \overline{ABC} + \overline{ABC} + ABC$ 
    - b)  $\overline{A}B + A\overline{B} + AB$
    - c)  $AB + A\overline{B} + \overline{AB}$
    - d)  $\overline{A} \overline{B} \overline{C} + BC + ABC$
- 2. State and prove De Morgan's theorems. a)  $\overline{AB} = \overline{A} + \overline{B}$ b)  $\overline{A+B} = \overline{A} \cdot \overline{B}$
- 3. How many Logical operators are there in Boolean Algebra?
- 4. Define: a) Boolean constant b) Boolean variables c) Boolean expression d) Logical operator e) Truth table f) Complement

## CHAPTER # 7: COMPUTER SOFTWARE

- 1. What do you mean by an operating system?
- 2. Differentiate between DOS and Windows.
- 3. Why are Special and General purpose software prepared?
- 4. Differentiate between internal and external commands.
- 5. Why the source code is needed to be translated into machine code?
- 6. What are Wildcard characters? Write the uses of them.
- 7. Why do you need language translator?
- 8. Define a programming language and state its type.
- 9. Differentiate between High Level and Low level language. OR Give the appropriate DOS command for the task given below: (i) Print a file ABC. TXT to printer (ii) Change the directory from XYZ to ROOT (iii) Display volume label of D drive on screen (iv) Copy entire contents of disk to another disk

# CHAPTER # 8: INTRODUCTION TO WINDOW OPERATING SYST

- 1. Describe any four functions of Control Panel.
- 2. What is the procedure of setting a screen saver?
- 3. Differentiate between DOS and windows operating system.
- 4. Differentiate between Compiler and Interpreter.
- 5. Explain the functions of Windows explorer?
- 6. What are the functions of start button?
- 7. What is computer virus? How we can protect our computer from it.
- 8. What is Antivirus name any three anti viruses.

### IMPORTANT QUESTIONS FOR SECTION 'C'

# DETAILED - ANSWER QUES

### CHAPTER # 1: INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTER

- **U** Draw the generation table and describe the generations of computer. **OR** Draw the generation table and give the details of 2<sup>nd</sup> generation of computer.
- Write down the classification of computer according to data handle.
- **4** Describe the impact and useful implementation of computer in education and business.

### CHAPTER # 2: COMPUTER COMPONENTS

- ↓ Define the term BUS. Write it's types in detail.
- Draw a block diagram of C.P.U and define the following terms with their major functions: 4 (ii) Control Unit (i) Arithmetic Logic Unit

#### CHAPTER # 3: INPUT/OUTPUT

- **What do you mean by Dual Purpose devices? Discuss CD-Writer or Disk Drive.**
- **What are cursor controlling keys in a keyboard? Define two modifier keys also.**
- 4 Define Printer and describe it's types. OR How we can classify the printers by their characteristics? Explain.
- Define ports and its types in detail.
- What is an Input device? Write down the characteristics of it.
- What is a Monitor? Describe various types of monitor in detail.
- What are the factors that determine the monitor's quality?

# CHAPTER # 4: STORAGE DEVICES

**Write short notes on Floppy Disk, Hard Disk and Magnetic Tape.** 

# CHAPTER # 5: DATA REPRESENTATION

- What do you mean by Data? Describe its types.
- **What is Number System? Describe different types of Number system.**

# **CHAPTER # 6: BOOLEAN ALGEBRA**

- **Explain the Boolean algebraic operators with the help of Truth Table.** OR State the laws of Boolean algebra.
- **Frove the following equation and draw Truth table.** 
  - a)  $A + A \cdot B = A$ b) (A + B) (A + C) = A + BC
- **Convert the following expression into S.O.P form:**  $(\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}) (\mathbf{B} + \mathbf{C} + \mathbf{D})$ ii) A (B + CD)**i**)

# CHAPTER # 7: COMPUTER SOFTWARE

- **What is an Operating system? Write down the characteristics of DOS.**
- Define software. Discuss types of software.
- 4 What do you mean by Programming language? How many types of programming languages are there?
- **4** Define a Language Translator and write its types.



#### Define properties of Windows operating system.

- **Write notes on the following:**
- a) Recycle Bin d) Icon
- b) My Documents e) My Computer
- f) Folder

#### NOTE:

'BOLD MARKED' Questions are the MOST IMPORTANT QUESTIONS.

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c) (X + Y) (X + Z) = X + YZ