2022

(Held in 2023)

MCA

(Theory Paper)

Paper Code: MCA-3.2

(Software Engineering)

Full Marks - 80

Pass Mark - 32

Time - Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

- 1. Answer the following questions: $1 \times 6=6$
 - (a) Define software engineering.
 - (b) What is the difference between Program and Software?
 - (c) What is a risk?
 - (d) Define Line of Code.
 - (e) What is data dictionary?
 - (f) Write the IEEE definition for Software Life Cycle?

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- 2. Answer the following questions: $2 \times 7 = 14$
 - (a) Define module coupling.
 - (b) What is meant by Unit Testing and System Testing?
 - (c) What is software portability?
 - (d) Explain briefly about Software Crisis.
 - (e) Explain bottom up design.
 - (f) What is software maintenance?
 - (g) Differentiate between Validation and Verification.
- 3. Answer any *five* of the following questions: $5 \times 5 = 25$
 - (a) Discuss Prototype model. What is the effect of designing a prototype on the overall cost of the software project? 4+1=5
 - (b) Discuss the two Basic models used for cost estimation for a new software project. 5
 - (c) Explain the activities involved in Risk management.
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- (d) A University's Administrative office maintains data about the following entities:
 Courses, including Course_ID, Ttitle, Credits,
 Syllabus; Students, including Student_ID,
 Name, Program; Instructors, including
 ID-No, Name, Department. Construct an
 E-R diagram for the Administrative office.
 Document all assumptions that can be made
 about the mapping constraints.
- (e) Describe any one of the software size estimation techniques.
- (f) Draw Data flow diagram for a Library management system.
- (g) Compute the Function Points value for a project with 30 low external inputs, 42 high external outputs, 8 low internal logical files, 7 high external interface files, 6 average external enquiries, assume all complexity adjustment factors as moderate. Given that:

Functional units	Weighting factors			ΣF_i	no influenc
	Low	Average	High		incidental
EI	3	4	6		moderate
EO	4	5	7	1 20	
EQ	3	4	6	3	average significant
ILF	7	10.	15		essential
EIF	5	7	10	5 essentit	essentia

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- 4. Answer any three from the following questions: $10\times3=30$
 - (a) Describe Function Count and the procedure to calculate Function Point.
 - (b) Discuss the three models of COCOMO.
 - (c) Describe Spiral model and its advantages.
 - (d) Explain the phases involved in waterfall model, in detail.
 - (e) Discuss the basic concepts of Object Oriented Design.

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