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Time : 3 hours

Full Marks : 75

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

The questions are of equal value.

Answer any five questions, in which question no 1 is compulsory.

1. Choose the correct answer of the following :
 - (a) When a computer is first turned on or restarted, a special type of absolute loader called :
 - (i) Compile and go loader
 - (ii) Boot loader
 - (iii) Boot strap loader
 - (iv) Relating loader
 - (b) Which of the following is not a part of the O/S ?
 - (i) Supervisor
 - (ii) Performance monitor
 - (iii) Job control program
 - (iv) Input/out

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(1)

(Turn over)

- (c) Which one of the following is not a layer of OS ?
 - (i) Kemal
 - (ii) Shell
 - (iii) Application program
 - (iv) Critical selection
- (d) Which is not a function of O/S ?
 - (i) Memory management
 - (ii) Disk management
 - (iii) Application management
 - (iv) Virus protection
- (e) UNIX is a :
 - (i) Multitasking O/S
 - (ii) Multiuser multitasking O/S
 - (iii) Single user O/S
 - (iv) None
- (f) Which is not the condition of deadlock ?
 - (i) Hold & wait
 - (ii) No pre-emption
 - (iii) Critical section
 - (iv) Mutual exclusion
- (g) Which file is used to write the different types of Foxpro program ?
 - (i) Report file
 - (ii) Label file

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(2)

(iii) Programm file

(iv) Index file

(h) The maximum field width of characters field is :

(i) 125 (ii) 261

(iii) 250 (iv) 254

(i) Which command display only the current record of the current database file ?

(i) List

(ii) Display

(iii) Insert

(iv) Append

(j) ? Round (1234.6, -2) returns the value :

(i) 1250 (ii) 1230

(iii) 1200 (iv) 1240

2. What do you mean by operating system ? What are the various function of an operating system ? Explain.

3. What are the benefits of a multiuser operating system as against a single user operating system.

4. What is meant by preemptive scheduling ? How does it affect the system performance vis-a-vis non-preemptive scheduling ?

5. What is UNIX operating system ? What are the advantages of using unix OS over other os.

6. What do you mean by database management system ? Explain in details about database file, second and field.

7. Explain the difference between the following :

(a) Edit and Browse

(b) Display and list

(c) Delete and pack

(d) Append and append blank

(e) Accept and input

8. What do you mean by sorting and indexing ? Describe the advantages and disadvantages of index over sorting.

9. What is a loop ? Why it is necessary in the program ? Explain the different looping statements in Foxpro.

10. Write short notes on any two of the following :

(a) Memory management

(b) Computer in automation

(c) File management

(d) ?, ??, ??? commands

(e) Foxpro level designing and printing