

16/17MCA43

Fourth Semester MCA Degree Examination, Dec.2019/Jan.2020 **Software Testing and Practices** 

MANGALORE. Time: 3 hrs.

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Max. Marks: 80

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, choosing ONE full question from each module.

# Module-1

- Define the term software testing. Write in detail about testing and debugging processes. 1
  - (08 Marks) What is static testing? What are the methodologies/techniques/processes you use in static testing? (08 Marks)

- What are the six principles that characterize various approaches and techniques for analysis 2 and testing.
  - What do you mean by testing adequacy criteria and comparing criteria? Explain about test specifications. (08 Marks)

# Module-2

- Write a short note on testing life cycle with a suitable diagram, Distinguish between 3 functional testing and structural testing. (08 Marks)
  - With a neat diagram, explain about levels of testing. Write a short note on test case.

(08 Marks)

### OR

- Explain in detail about the triangle problem and commission problem. b.
  - Illustrate on error and fault taxonomies.

(08 Marks) (08 Marks)

Module-3

- 5 What do you mean by boundary value analysis? Explain robust worst case boundary value a. testing with neat diagram. (08 Marks)
  - b. What are the different forms of equivalence class testing? Explain each of them with suitable Pictorial representation. (08 Marks)

#### OR

- Explain decision table based testing with an example. Generate decision table for triangle 6 a. (08 Marks)
  - Illustrate special value testing as well as random testing and generate test cases for b. commission program. (08 Marks)

# Module-4

- What do you mean by test coverage metrics? Explain all types of metrics based testing with 7 suitable example.
  - Describe the McCabe's basis path method with an example. How do you maintained minimal essential complexity? Explain with suitable example. (08 Marks)

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# OR

- 8 a. Discuss about the traditional view of testing levels with neat diagram. Explain about any one alternative life cycle model with suitable diagram. (10 Marks)
  - b. Distinguish between integration testing and system testing.

(06 Marks)

# Module-5

- 9 a. What is meant by fault based testing? Mention few assumptions in fault based testing. Explain about fault based adequacy criteria. (08 Marks)
  - b. Define test oracles. How do you implement self checks as oracles? Illustrate how capture and replay methodology will help in testing? (08 Marks)

#### OR

- 10 a. Describe any five major activities in a planning and monitoring the process. How do you generate test and analysis reports? (08 Marks)
  - b. List and explain about all the major categories of documents. Describe standard organization of a plan and standard organization of documents. (08 Marks)

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