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(d) Why Mixed integration testing is mostly preferred and commonly used for integration testing approach over top-down and bottom-up approaches?
 2 + 2 + 5 + 3 = 12

# Group – E

- 8. (a) Briefly explain with examples each of different categories of software development projects according to the Boehm [1981].
  - (b) Assume that the size of an organic type software product has been estimated to be 32,000 lines of source code. Assume that the average salary of software engineers be ₹ 15,000/- per month. Determine the effort required to develop the software product, the nominal development time and cost required to develop the product.
  - (c) What are the advantages of function points over the size metric of LOC? 3 + (2 + 2 + 1) + 4 = 12
- 9. Answer the following questions with respect to Project Planning:
  - (a) You have been working as a Software Engineer (SE) for the last three years in a software services company named "Best Software". Now, you want to manage a new project as a Project Manager (PM) there. List <u>any three</u> skills / potentials that your management will like to consider you for the role of PM.
  - (b) List *any three* essential activities you need to carry out as the PM for planning of a new project to develop a software application code-named "Y".
  - (c) Explain the precedence ordering among these planning activities for "Y" using a suitable schematic diagram.
  - (d) What is the full form of SPMP? Mention the typical points covered <u>either</u> under sections Project Resources, and Staff Organization, <u>or</u> under section Risk Management, in your SPMP for project "Y".

3 + 3 + 3 + (1 + 2) = 12

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Time Allotted : 3 hrs

Full Marks: 70

 $10 \times 1 = 10$ 

Figures out of the right margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to answer Group A and <u>any 5 (five)</u> from Group B to E, taking <u>at least one</u> from each group.

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

Group – A (Multiple Choice Type Questions)

- 1. Choose the correct alternative for the following:
  - (i) When user requirements are not complete and/or technical issues are not clear which model should be followed for software development?
    (a) Spiral model
    (b) Waterfall model
    (c) Prototyping model
    (d) RAD model.
  - (ii) What is typically used to represent some complex processing logic in a tabular or matrix form during requirement analysis?
    (a) Decision Tree
    (b) Decision Table
    (c) Data Table
    (d) CRUD Matrix.
  - (iii) Which diagram is used to model object interactions arranged in chronological order?
    (a) Sequence Diagram
    (b) Use-case Diagram
    (c) Context Diagram
    (d) Activity Diagram.
  - (iv) If all elements of a module perform similar operations, e.g. error handling, data input, data output, etc., the module is said to have\_\_\_\_\_\_ cohesion.
    (a) logical
    (b) temporal
    (c) procedural
    (d) sequential.
  - (v) When the two bubbles are interconnected directly, it is referred to as
     (a) Serial DFD
     (b) Asynchronous DFD
     (c) Synchronous DFD
     (d) Balanced DFD.
  - (vi) If data-items EMP-DOB, EMP-SEX and TOT-EARN from module CALC-EARN are passed on to module CALC-ITAX, then these two modules are said to have \_\_\_\_\_\_ coupling.
     (a) stamp
     (b) data
     (c) control
     (d) common.

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vii)	A sequence diagram provides the	view of a system.
	(a) implementation	(b) structural
	(c) behavioral	(d) environmental.

- (viii) System Testing performed by a friendly set of customers is called (a) Alpha Testing (b) Beta Testing (c) Performance Testing (d) Usability Testing.
- (ix) Equivalence class partitioning is followed in the (a) White box testing (b) Black box testing (c) Verification (d) none of these.
- What is the slack time (in time units) for an activity that is on the (X) critical path of a project schedule?

(d) Infinite. (a) One (b) Zero (c) Maximum

# Group - B

- For which type of software development, spiral model is suitable? Explain 2. (a)
  - What are the activities carried out during the structured analysis phase? (b)
  - What are the commonly made errors while constructing a DFD model? (c)
  - What are the shortcomings of a DFD model? (d)

3 + 3 + 3 + 3 = 12

3. Smart Stock Enterprises (SSE), one Pune-based start-up organization, specializing in customer services for stock-trading, has decided to engage Heritage Software Services (HSS), a promising software services company based at Kolkata, as the vendor for fresh development of IndiSmartTrader (IST), SSE's online stock trading application system. The development must start from 01-Oct-2017 and the developed IST has to go-live at SSE's Mumbai data centre from 01-Apr-2018 but its User Acceptance Test (UAT) at SSE's Pune corporate centre must commence from 01-Mar-2018.

HSS has formed a team of system analysts and you are a part of it. This team, in its first team meeting, is debating on which SDLC model to use: (A) 'Iterative Waterfall', or (B) 'Rapid Prototyping'. A couple of team members are even suggesting adoption of some 'Agile' model. Are you in favor of or against using Agile model here?

- (a) Mention *four* points on the pros and cons of using 'Iterative Waterfall' model <u>or</u> 'Rapid Prototyping' model (but <u>not</u> for both).
- (b) Mention *two* points justifying your view about using *or* not using 'Agile' model. 6 + 6 = 12

Group – C

- 4. With respect to software design
  - (i) state the most desirable combination of Cohesion and Coupling for good design.
  - (ii) briefly explain any two types of Cohesion with example(s). 2

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(iii) briefly explain any two types of Coupling with example(s). (iv) rank the different types of Coupling, in order of most to least desirable.

(2+4+4+2) = 12

- 5. Answer the following questions in the context of OOAD Methodology:
  - (a) List the different types of views and the corresponding diagrams that are used to describe a system in UML-based modeling.
  - (b) Represent the following relationships amongst classes using UML diagrams:
    - (i) Bill must contain one of more Items. Each Item describes one Commodity with its quantity, unit price, and total price.
    - (ii) Students can opt for at least one and a maximum of up to five Courses. Each Course is taught by one or two Teachers.

 $8 + (2 \times 2) = 12$ 

# Group - D

- 6. Answer the following questions with respect to software testing:
  - (a) Explain, in brief, 'Equivalence Class Partitioning' and 'Boundary Value Analysis' approaches for black-box testing, with suitable example(s).
  - (b) Explain, in brief, the concepts of 'Statement Coverage', 'Branch Coverage', 'Condition Coverage' and 'Path Coverage' strategies for whitebox testing, with suitable example(s).
  - (c) Identify the *three* equivalence classes for a module that computes the square root of an input integer that can assume values in the range of 1 to 400, both included.
  - (d) Draw the Control Flow Graph (CFG) and work out the Cyclomatic Complexity (CC) for the following 'C' program segment:

int find\_gcd(int a, int b) { while (a != b) { if (a > b)a = a - b; else b = b - a: return a;

(e) What is 'Regression Testing'? Explain its usefulness.

 $2 + 4 + 1\frac{1}{2} + 2\frac{1}{2} + (1 + 1) = 12$ 

- 7. (a) What is the difference between verification and validation?
  - Briefly explain the role of 'Stub' and 'Driver' for Unit Testing of modules. (b)
  - Design a White Box Test suite for the following code: (Draw the control (c) flow graph and determine the basis set of linearly independent paths).

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