



**University of the Visual & Performing Arts**  
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**Introduction to Computer & Its Applications - VAIT 13012(R)**

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Marks	First Examiner				
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**Instructions:**

- ★ This paper contains six pages including parts A, B, C & D.
- ★ Answer all the questions on the paper itself.

**Duration: 02 hours**

**Part A**

**Underline the correct answer**

1. A computer is an accurate device, In case, if the final output becomes incorrect, what is the main reason for that?
  - a) Power failure
  - b) The computer circuits
  - c) Incorrect data entry
  - d) Interruption
  
2. Computer software can be defined as,
  - a) Computer and its associated equipment
  - b) Instructions that tell the computer what to do
  - c) Computer components that act to accomplish a goal
  - d) An interface between a computer and the network
  
3. The central processing unit is located in the .....
  - a) Hard disk
  - b) System unit
  - c) Memory unit
  - d) Monitor
  
4. A person who uses his or her expertise to gain access to other people computers to get information illegally is called .....
  - a) Hacker
  - b) Thief
  - c) Analyst
  - d) Programmer

5. Cache and main memory will lose their contents when the power is off. So they are called as,
- Dynamic memory
  - Faulty memory
  - Volatile memory
  - Static memory
6. Which of the following is equal to one gigabyte (1 GB)?
- 1024 bytes
  - 512 megabytes
  - 1024 megabytes
  - 1024 bits
7. File extension for the Microsoft PowerPoint 2013 is .....
- ppt
  - xlsx
  - pptx
  - docx
8. Which media has the ability to store (write) data/information on them many times?
- CD-R disk
  - CD-RW disk
  - Zip disk
  - Optical Disk
9. The word processing feature that identifies typographical errors and misspellings is known as
- Grammar checker
  - Spelling checker
  - Word checker
  - Spelling and Grammar checker
10. Vacuum tubes was used in
- First generation
  - Second generation
  - Third Generation
  - Fourth generation
11. Which of the following is an example for a correct email address?
- www.piyal.com
  - piyal.yahoo@com
  - piyal@yahoo.com
  - sashi.yahoo.com
12. What kind of language can computer understand?
- Normal language
  - Computer language
  - English language
  - Machine language
13. Consider the following statements regarding the **format painter** icon in Ms Word
- This icon is located on clipboard in the Home tab.
  - You can apply it by clicking on the icon.
  - By double clicking on it, you can apply it many times.

What are the correct statement (s)

- a) A only                      b) B only                      c) C only                      d) A,B and C

14. According to the following MS Excel worksheet, what is the result of the Function given as, =sum(C1:C3)

	A	B	C	D
1	2	3	5	
2	1	2	8	
3	4	5	6	
4				

- a) 11                      b) 19                      c) 10                      d) 17

15. RAM stands for ,

- a) Remote Access Memory
- b) Random Access Memory
- c) Real Access Memory
- d) Raw Access Memory

16. ....is not a valid data type in MS Access

- a) Auto number
- b) Currency
- c) Short Text
- d) Picture

17. Which of the following software application would be the most appropriate for performing numerical and statistical calculations?

- a) Database Management System
- b) Word processing
- c) Graphics Design package
- d) Spreadsheet

18. Which device is used as the standard pointing device in a Graphical User Environment?

- a) Keyboard
- b) Mouse
- c) Joystick
- d) None of the above

19. The brain of the computer system is

- a) Arithmetic and Logic Unit
- b) Control Unit
- c) Storage Unit
- d) Central Processing Unit

20. To protect the computer from the malfunctioning effect of computer viruses, what is the **most effective** method which can be applied?
- a) Installation of a compressing software
  - b) Searching a protective software
  - c) Installation of anti-virus software
  - d) Disconnecting the computer from the network

*(Marks 2\*20=40)*

## **Part B**

**Fill in the blanks with the most suitable words given below**

(application software, microprocessors, video games, database, tables, World Wide Web, google chrome, doc/docx, laptop computer, hard copy)

1. File extension of MS Word file is .....
2. .... is an example for a web browser.
3. A web browser is a software application for retrieving, presenting and traversing information resources on the .....
4. Output which is printed on a paper is called as .....
5. Joysticks are often used in .....
6. Presentation software packages are example for.....
7. .... are used in fourth generation computers.
8. A .....is a collection of related data stored in a well-defined structure
9. Relational Database Management System (RDBMS) stores information in multiple related.....
10. .... is a portable computer

*(Marks 2\*10 =20)*

### Part C

Match the contents of column A with the column B and write the relevant letter in the space given.

<i>Column A</i>			<i>Column B</i>	
1	Touch Screen monitor	.....	A	Read Only Memory
2	Web Cam	.....	B	Commonly used in super markets and to read security cards
3	Secondary storage	.....	C	Refers to any non-volatile storage device that is internal or external to the computer in the form of permanent data storage
4	Digital Camera	.....	D	Example for optical storage device.
5	Photoshop	.....	E	Captures images electronically
6	URL	.....	F	Video capture device connected to a computer or computer network
7	Bar Code Reader	.....	G	Can use your finger to point directly to objects on the screen
8	Laser Printers	.....	H	Is a software package for image editing
9	ROM	.....	I	Uniform Resource Locator
10	DVD	.....	J	Best in quality compare to other printers

*(Marks 2\*10=20)*

### Part D

Write down answers in the given spaces

1. a) Name four types of computers.

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*(4 marks)*

b) List three characteristics of a computer.

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*(3 marks)*

2. a) List three application software which were specially used in the COVID-19 outbreak?

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*(3 marks)*

a) Name five tasks you performed using the above applications.

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*(5 marks)*

3. Convert decimal number **1567** into Binary and Octal numbers

a) Binary conversion

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*(2.5 marks)*

b) Octal conversion

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*(2.5 marks)*

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