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SECOND SEMESTER B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2020 (CBCSS-UG)
B.C.A.

BCA 2B 02-PROBLEM SOLVING USING C (2019 Admissions)
Time : Two Hours

## Section A (Short Answer Type Questions) <br> Answer all the questions. <br> Each question carries maximum of 2 marks. <br> Ceiling 20 marks.

1. Why and when do we use the \#define directive ?
2. What is a variable?
3. What would be the value of a after execution of the following statements ? Explain.
int $\mathrm{a}, \mathrm{b}=23$;
char $\mathrm{c}=\mathrm{I}^{\mathrm{a}}$ ';
$\mathrm{a}=\mathrm{b}+\mathrm{c}$;
4. What is comma ( $(\stackrel{\prime}{ }$, ) and size of operator ?
5. Explain with example the precedence of operators in arithmetic operations.
6. Write a program to enter a number and carry out modular division operation by 2,3 and 4 and display the remainders in good format.
7. Explain formatted input statements in C.
8. How can we use conditional operator? Explain.
9. What are the benefits of arrays ?
10. Distinguish between structure and union.
11. Define user defined functions.
12. What are strings ?

## Section B (Short Essay Type Questions)

Answer all the questions.
Each question carries 5 marks.
Ceiling 30 marks.
13. Explain the different data types used in C. How could we extend the range of values of basic data types represent?
14. Write the general syntax and working of Switch statement in C Language.
15. What is sorting ? Write a program in C language to sort an array using bubble sort.
16. What do you mean by scope of a variable? What are local and global variables? Give examples.
17. Write a C program to find the factorial of a given number using recursion. Explain.
18. What is the use of pointers ? Discuss concept of declaration and initialization of pointers.
19. What is file? What are their advantages?

## Section C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any one question.
Question carries 10 marks.
20. a) Define character array. What is the use of character arrays?
b) Write a program to find the sum of two matrices using user defined functions? Pass arguments.
21. What are the different categories of function with suitable examples?

