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**III-B.TECH-I-Semester End Examinations (Supply) - May- 2023**  
**PRINCIPLES OF PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES**  
**(CSE)**

[Time: 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks: 70]

**Note:** This question paper contains two parts A and B.

Part A is compulsory which carries 20 marks. Answer all questions in Part A.

Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks.

**PART-A**

(20 Marks)

1. a) What are the uses of an attribute grammar? [2M]
- b) List different categories of languages. [2M]
- c) What are the tuple types? [2M]
- d) Explain type conversion techniques. [2M]
- e) What are the characteristics of subprograms? [2M]
- f) What are the two fundamental design considerations for parameter-passing methods? [2M]
- g) Describe the functionality of 'finally' clause of JAVA exception handling mechanism. [2M]
- h) What is the purpose of a C++ destructor? [2M]
- i) List two Functional programming Languages. [2M]
- j) What are the applications of logic programming languages? [2M]

**PART-B**

(50 Marks)

- 2.a) Describe the steps involved in the language evaluation criteria. [5 M]
  - b) Explain the criteria of success for a good programming language. [5 M]
- OR**
- 3.a) Illustrate the important factors influencing the writability of a language. [5M]
  - b) List and Explain formal methods of describing syntax. [5M]
4. Explain in detail various design issues of character, string types. [10M]
- OR**
5. Define an array? Explain how to initialize an array? Categorize different types of arrays. [10M]
- 6.a) Give a detailed note on pass-by-name and pass-by-reference parameter passing methods. [5 M]
  - b) Explain about generic sub-programs with examples. [5 M]
- OR**
- 7.a) Describe the shallow-access method of implementing dynamic scoping. [5 M]
  - b) What is the need of an activation record in implementing a subprogram? Explain with an example. [5 M]
- 8.a) Write a brief note on Java threads. [5 M]
  - b) Describe event handling with example in C#. [5 M]
- OR**
- 9.a) What are the various methods of exception handling? Discuss. [5 M]
  - b) Explain about various oop concepts. [5 M]
10. Explain various storage and control statements available in Python. [10M]
- OR**
11. Write a LISP function Fib(n) that computes nth Fibonacci number. [10M]

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