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**Fourth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, June/July 2019**  
**Unix Shell Programming**

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

*Note: Answer FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO questions from each part.*

**PART - A**

- 1
  - a. Define Shell. Briefly describe the features of UNIX. (08 Marks)
  - b. With suitable example explain the structure of the man document. (06 Marks)
  - c. Brief about the *ls* command options with examples. (06 Marks)
  
- 2
  - a. Assuming that a file's current permissions are *rw\_r\_xr\_*, specify the *chmod* expression required to change them to, (i) *rw\_xr\_xr\_x* (ii) *r\_ \_r\_ \_* (iii) *\_ \_ \_r\_ \_r\_ \_* (iv) *\_ \_ \_ \_ \_*, using both relative and absolute methods. (08 Marks)
  - b. Explain with a diagram the different modes of Vi editor. (06 Marks)
  - c. Specify the Vi commands used for doing the following operations:
    - (i) Combine 5 lines into a single line.
    - (ii) Add */ \** at the beginning of a line and *\*/at* end.
    - (iii) Copy 5 lines and put below the current line.
    - (iv) Replace has with have in the current line.
    - (v) Save current line through end to another file.
    - (vi) Search a pattern in backward direction. (06 Marks)
  
- 3
  - a. Give the significance of escaping and quoting with suitable examples. (04 Marks)
  - b. Explain the phases of process creation mechanism? Also list out the attributes inherited during process creation. (06 Marks)
  - c. Explain the list of tasks that can be done in controlling jobs in UNIX. (05 Marks)
  - d. Describe about any five common environment variables of UNIX. (05 Marks)
  
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  - a. Distinguish between hard links and symbolic links and show these links are created with examples. (06 Marks)
  - b. Describe the *find* command along with different selection criteria. (06 Marks)
  - c. With suitable examples, explain all the options of *sort* command. (08 Marks)

**PART - B**

- 5
  - a. Give the importance of *grep* command? Explain the options of *grep* command with example. (08 Marks)
  - b. Explain with examples line addressing and context addressing. (06 Marks)
  - c. Explain the substitution feature of *sed* command. (06 Marks)
  
- 6
  - a. Write anoninteractive shell script using positional parameters to read a pattern and file name and search pattern in the file given. (06 Marks)
  - b. Give the syntax of case conditional and write a simple shell script to display a menu that shows (i) list of files (ii) Users of a system (iii) Today's date (iv) Quit to UNIX. (06 Marks)
  - c. Along with syntax of *for* loop explain the possible sources of the list with examples. (08 Marks)

Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.  
 2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and /or equations written eg. 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.





- 7 a. Explain any four built-in functions of awk with suitable examples. (08 Marks)  
b. Write an awk script to compute Avg. DA, HRA, Gross of employees. (06 Marks)  
c. Brief about all the built-in variables of awk. (06 Marks)
- 8 a. Explain with example the string handling functions of perl. (08 Marks)  
b. Describe about split and join functions of perl. (08 Marks)  
c. Briefly explain the file test facility of perl. (04 Marks)

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