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Term-End Examination

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CS-03 : FILE STRUCTURE AND
PROGRAMMING IN COBOL

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 60

Note : Question No. 1 is compulsory. Answer any three questions from the rest.

1. (a) Write a COBOL program to implement a billing application for a retail medical-shop. Assume that the price of each medicine is available in a master file that has relative file organisation. 10
Note : Make suitable assumptions, if needed and list them.
- (b) Explain the use and syntax of each of the following COBOL statements/verbs/clauses with an example for each : 10
- (i) PIC clause with code character A and PIC clause with code character Z.
 - (ii) INSPECT TALLYING
 - (iii) GOTO
 - (iv) JUSTIFIED

- (c) Write the DATA DIVISION and PROCEDURE DIVISION of a COBOL program for sorting an array of 10 elements using Bubble sort. 10
2. (a) What is the purpose of level 77 and level 88 in COBOL ? Give two examples of each to illustrate their use. 5
- (b) What is the role of SEARCH statement in COBOL ? How does this statement operate on data ? Explain it with the help of a suitable example. 5
3. (a) What is the purpose of MERGE statement ? Explain with the help of an example. 5
- (b) Differentiate MOVE and Group MOVE and illustrate both with the help of an example. 5
4. What is an indexed sequential file organisation ? Explain the modes in which the indexed files can be accessed. Discuss the Procedure Division statements for indexed sequential files, with the help of an illustration. 10

5. The payroll record of some XYZ Company have 10
the following structure :

Employee Number : 4 digits

Employee name : 25 characters

Employee pay : 6 digits

Write a suitable Data Division of a COBOL program for this company. The company had decided to increase the pay of its employees as per the following rule :

Pay < 8000 15% increase in Pay

Pay \geq 8000 but \leq 15,000 10% increase in Pay

Pay > 15,000 5% increase in Pay

Write the Procedure Division to implement this change for the company.
