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PRINCIPLES OF PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES ES-227/205A

Time: Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks: 75

Note: Attempt Five questions in all selecting at least one question from each Unit.

Unit I

- 1. (a) What are desirable characteristics of a good programming language? Discuss. 5
 - (b) What is meant by type checking? Differentiate between static type checking and dynamic type checking.
 - (c) Compare implicit and explicit type declarations with their merits and demerits.
- 2. (a) Explain in detail the design issues of Boolean types and enumeration types.
 - (b) Define CFG. What does it mean for CFG to be ambiguous? Give an example of left recursive rule of CFG. Also explain the significance of this rule.

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Unit II

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3.	(a) (b)	Explain in detail arrays, indices, subscript bindings, and array categories. What do you understand by type equivalence?
		Differentiate between name equivalence and structural equivalence along with their pros and cons.
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4.	(a)	Explain overloaded subprograms and generic subprograms with suitable examples.
	(b)	Differentiate between union and structure. 5
	(c)	Differentiate between procedural abstraction and data
		abstraction. 5
		Unit III
5.	(a)	What is the difference between "within statement" and "within expression" sequence control? Explain
		using suitable examples. 8
	(b)	Explain different types of subprogram controls wi
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6.	(a)	Explain about shared data dynamic and static scope
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	(b)	Explain different types of subprogram level concurrency control mechanisms.
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Unit IV

- 7. Explain about stack based and system controlled storage management.
- 8. (a) Differentiate between procedural and non-procedural programming languages.
 - (b) Compare key features of C and C++ programming languages. 7