

B.C.A. Part I Semester I
Paper II
‘C’ PROGRAMMING

UNIT- I :

Programming Structure : Sequence, Selection, Iteration and Modular. **Problem Solving techniques:** Development Tools: Algorithm, Flowcharts and Pseudo code (Definition and its characteristics) **Developing Algorithm and Drawing flowcharts**

UNIT- II :

C Character set, Tokens, Identifier, Keywords, Variables, Data types, Qualifiers. Operators and Expressions: Arithmetic, Relational, Logical, Bit-Wise, Increment, Decrement, Conditional and Special operators. typedef, Type Conversion, Constants, Declaring Symbolic Constants, Character Strings, Enumerated Data Types, Operator Precedence and Associativity. Library functions. : Maths, string handling Functions. Control Structure: Compound Statement, Selection Statement: if, if-else, Nested if, switch. Iteration statement: for, while, do..while, Nested loops, Jump statement: break, continue, goto. (Special emphasis on problem solving)

UNIT- III :

Arrays: Need, Types: Single and Two Dimensional Array.

Strings: Strings Manipulation, Arrays of Strings, Evaluation order

Function: Function Components, Return Data type, Parameter Passing, Return by Reference, Default Arguments, Recursive Functions, Arrays with Functions, Storage Classes. (Special emphasis on problem Solving)

UNIT- IV:

Structure: Declaration, Definition, Accessing structure members, Initialization, Nesting of Structures.

Union: Unions, Differences between Structure and Union

Pointer: Introduction, Address Operator (&), Pointer variables, Void pointers, Pointer Arithmetic, Pointers to Pointers.

File handling: Hierarchy of File Stream Classes, Opening & closing a file, Testing for errors, File Modes, File pointers and their manipulations, Sequential Access, Random Access, Command Line arguments.

Reference Books:

1. The Art of programming through flowcharts & algorithm by Anil B. Chaudhari Firewall Media, Laxmi publication, New Publication.
2. Programming in C by E. Balagurusamy TMH Publications.
3. C Programming - Kernighen Ritche
4. Programming with C – Y. Kanetkar.
5. C Programming – Holzner, PHI Publication.
6. Programming in C – Ravichandran.