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MCA (2013 and 2014 Batch) (Sem.-2) LINUX OPERATING SYSTEM

Subject Code: MCA-205 Paper ID: [B0137]

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 100

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES:

- 1. SECTIONS-A, B, C & D contains TWO questions each carrying TWENTY marks each and students has to attempt any ONE question from each SECTION.
- SECTION-E is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWENTY marks in all.
- 3. Use of non-programmable scientific calculator is allowed.

SECTION-A

1. Discuss the following:

- a) Linux File System
- b) Advantages and Disadvantages of Linux Operating System
- c) Architecture of Linux Operating System
- d) Linux Shared Memory Management
- 2. a) What are the facilities provided by GNOME to users? Explain each of them in detail. Differentiate between KDE and GNOME.
 - b) X Windows system is responsible for graphical user interface in Linux. What are the elements of X Window System?

SECTION-B

- 3. a) Explain how to Manipulate Users and groups using Linux Conf.
 - b) What are SetUID and SetGID in LINUX? Explain with example.
- 4. Explain fedora package manager. Write the necessary steps to install and uninstall package using dpkg and RPM.

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SECTION-C

- 5. Write notes on:
 - a) BASH Shell
 - b) KORN Shell
 - c) C Shell

List their commands.

- 6. a) Which command is used to change permission associated to File/Directories? List and explain methods to change permission of File/Directories.
 - b) Write notes on:
 - i. Vi Editor
 - ii. Pico
 - iii. Joe

SECTION-D

- 7. What is LILO? Explain the procedure for configuring LILO in Linux. What are the differences between GRUB and LILO?
- 8. Explain various tools and their role in QUATA Management in detail. Describe commands for file management operations in fedora.

SECTION-E

- 9. Write short notes on:
 - a) What is the basic difference between BASH and KORN?
 - b) Define shell and shell variable.
 - c) What is the pwd command?
 - d) What are the kinds of permissions under Linux?
 - e) What is grep command?
 - f) What is LILO?
 - g) What are the basic components of Linux?
 - h) Describe the following commands chmod, chown.
 - i) Write the necessary steps for booting.
 - j) What is X Windows?

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