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B.A./B.Sc. (General) 6th Semester

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INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (Elective)

Paper-B : Linux Administration

Time Allowed : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 65

Note :— Attempt five questions in all by selecting one question from each section. Entire Question Number IX is compulsory.

SECTION—A

- I. (a) What is Operating System ? Describe its need and services.
(b) Explain the working of the Distributed and Parallel systems.
How are they different from earlier Operating Systems ?
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- II. (a) Write steps to install Linux. Also describe the major issues that arise during installation.
(b) Explain the commands and files used for managing passwords in Linux.
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SECTION—B

- III. (a) What is Input and Output redirection ? Name and explain any three commands which use redirection.
(b) Explain the role of wildcards and environment variables in Linux. Explain their usage with examples.
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- IV. (a) Explain the commands used to create, list and delete directories.
(b) What are UMASK settings ? Why are they used ? 7,6

SECTION—C

- V. (a) Explain the usage of 'if' and 'case' decision making statements with syntax and examples.
(b) Explain the usages of 'while' and 'for' looping statements with syntax and examples. 7,6
- VI. (a) Write short note on vi editor. Explain the commonly used commands which make its working easier for the user.
(b) Write short note on positional parameters and built-in shell variables. 7,6

SECTION—D

- VII. Explain the following in the context of Linux :
- (i) Mounting and un-mounting File systems.
 - (ii) Starting and stopping the system and setting the login message.
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VIII. Explain the following in the context of Linux :

- (i) TCP/IP
- (ii) WWW
- (iii) DNS.

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SECTION—E

(Compulsory Question)

IX. Write short answers :—

- (i) How is a running process identified and killed ?

- (ii) What are the default permissions for files and directories in Linux ?
- (iii) Why and how 'su' command is used in Linux ?
- (iv) What is bash ?
- (v) What is the role of tar command in Linux ?
- (vi) What is the purpose of FTP command ?
- (vii) What is the name of Linux's own file system ? $(6 \times 2) + 1$