

Code No: 125ED**JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY HYDERABAD****B. Tech III Year I Semester Examinations, November/December - 2017****LINUX PROGRAMMING****(Information Technology)****Time: 3 hours****Max. Marks: 75****Note:** This question paper contains two parts A and B.

Part A is compulsory which carries 25 marks. Answer all questions in Part A. Part B consists of 5 Units. Answer any one full question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b, c as sub questions.

PART - A**(25 Marks)**

- 1.a) Distinguish between absolute and relative pathname. [2]
- b) Explain how files can be archived and extracted in Linux. [3]
- c) What is a sticky bit? [2]
- d) What is an inode? [3]
- e) Give the list of functions that return various process identifiers. [2]
- f) What are the different ways in which a process can terminate normally? [3]
- g) Explain half-duplex and full-duplex pipes. [2]
- h) Can unrelated processes exchange data with unnamed pipes? Explain. [3]
- i) Give the generic socket address structure and explain the fields. [2]
- j) Give the functions for forward/reverse lookup for hostname/service. [3]

PART - B**(50 Marks)**

- 2.a) Write a shell script to find the factorial of a given number.
- b) Explain the workflow and the basic syntax of *awk*. [5+5]

OR

- 3.a) Write *sed* commands for the following:
 - i) Replace every occurrence of Nick with John in report.txt.
 - ii) Show only lines 12-18 of file.txt.
 - iii) Delete all leading blank lines of file.txt.
 - iv) Reverse characters of lines
 - v) Joining lines
- b) Give an overview of file permissions in linux. [5+5]

- 4.a) What are the various file types in a UNIX system? Explain.
- b) Explain the following functions of file system in UNIX:
 - i) link
 - ii) unlink
 - iii) remove[5+5]

OR

- 5.a) Explain the following functions associated with directories:
i) opendir
ii) rewinddir
iii) seekdir
b) What is a symbolic link? Give functions for creating and reading symbolic links. [5+5]
- 6.a) Explain the semantics of fork and vfork functions.
b) Explain the relationship of seven exec functions. [5+5]
- OR**
- 7.a) Give examples of C programs that result in zombie and orphan processes.
b) Give the syntax and explain the semantics of kill and raise functions. [5+5]
8. Give an overview of the implementation of message queues in UNIX. [10]
- OR**
- 9.a) Demonstrate with an example implementation of client server model using FIFOs.
b) Write a program to illustrate file locking using semaphores. [5+5]
- 10.a) Give the syntax and semantics of socket function for creating a socket.
b) Make comparison of features of various forms of IPC. [5+5]
- OR**
11. Give an overview of the implementation of shared memory in UNIX. [10]

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