

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)
BCA DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2018
(Fifth Semester)

Branch - **COMPUTER APPLICATIONS**

CORE ELECTIVE -1; CLIENT/SERVER COMPUTING

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

SECTION-A (20 Marks)

Answer **ALL** questions

ALL questions carry **EQUAL** marks (10 x 2 = 20)

- 1 What is meant by Client/Server Computing?
- 2 Give two examples for network operating system.
- 3 What is the use of Wildcard?
- 4 What is GUI?
- 5 List the different types of Servers.
- 6 List the eight layers of server software environment.
- 7 State the purpose of Interface.
- 8 Specify any two network management standards.
- 9 What is EASEL?
- 10 Mention the characteristics of Wireless LAN.

SECTION - B (25 Marks)

Answer **ALL** Questions

ALL Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (5 x 5 = 25)

- 11 a Discuss the benefits of Client/Server Computing.
OR
b Write a note on network trends in Client/Server Computing.
- 12 a Describe the components of Client/Server applications.
OR
b How the database connectivity can be established in Client/Server environment? Explain with an example.
- 13 a Write about the configuration of Server Hardware.
OR
b Illustrate the functions of network management environment.
- 14 a Describe the characteristics of Local Area Network.
OR
b Discuss the features of networking operating system.
- 15 a Write a note on SQL Tool set.
OR
b Illustrate the working principle of ATM switching.

SECTION - C (30 Marks)

Answer any **THREE** Questions

ALL Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (3 x 10 = 30)

- 16 Explain the evolution of Client/Server Computing.
- 17 Explain the different classes of Client/Server applications.
- 18 Describe about features and classes of server machines.
- 19 Illustrate the function of network architecture.
- 20 Explain the applications and services of mobile computing.