

FACULTY OF INFORMATICS  
B.E. 2/4 (IT) II Semester (Suppl.) Examination, January 2012  
SOFTWARE ENGINEERING

Time: 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks: 75

**Note :** Answer *all* questions from Part A. Answer *any five* questions from Part B.

PART – A

(25 Marks)

1. Define the following terms :
  - a) Engineering
  - b) Software engineering. 3
2. Is software engineering an engineering discipline ? Justify. 2
3. How is software architecture different from software design ? Give atleast three differences. 3
4. List and explain in brief the three golden rules of ash-interface design. 3
5. List any five planning practices. 2
6. What is SE practice ? 2
7. What is stress testing ? 2
8. List and explain in brief any three ISO 9126 quality factors. 3
9. What is process assessment ? Discuss its need. 2
10. Define system engineering and explain briefly. 3

PART – B

(50 Marks)

11. Discuss the concept of the following software process models with the help of a neat sketch.
  - a) Spiral model
  - b) Scrum 10
12. a) Discuss the concept of CMMI in detail. 5
  - b) What is Team Software Process (TSP) ? 5



- 13. a) Discuss various tasks involved in regiments engineering. 5
- b) Discuss the taxonomy of architectural styles. 5
- 14. a) What is boundary value analysis ? Give an example. 5
- b) Discuss the concept of basis path testing with the help of an example. 5
- 15. Discuss the concept of following software methods : 10
- i) Function-based matrix
- ii) Goal-question-metrics
- iii) Product metrics with an example.
- 16. a) List and explain various types of cohesion and coupling. 5
- b) What is a component ? Discuss any three basic design principles related to component-level design. 5
- 17. a) Discuss the concept of architecture trade-off analysis method. 5
- b) Discuss the system engineering hierarchy with the help of a neat sketch. 5