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**JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY HYDERABAD**

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**SOFTWARE REQUIREMENTS AND ESTIMATION**

**(Computer Engineering – Software Engineering)**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Max. Marks: 75**

**Note:** i) Question paper consists of Part A, Part B.

ii) Part A is compulsory, which carries 25 marks. In Part A, Answer all questions.

iii) In Part B, Answer any one question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks and may have a, b as sub questions.

**PART – A**

**(25 Marks)**

- 1.a) What is the importance of review in requirements engineering? [2]
- b) How can requirements processes be improved? [3]
- c) Define the term “object analysis” [2]
- d) Draw a class diagram for bus ticket reservation system. [3]
- e) What does LOC Estimation stand for? [2]
- f) How do risk factors affect software estimation? [3]
- g) What is productivity? [2]
- h) Why is continuous refinement of estimates necessary throughout a project's lifecycle? [3]
- i) What is USC's COCOMO II? [2]
- j) List the benefits of using a requirements management tool. [3]

**PART – B**

**(50 Marks)**

- 2.a) Discuss the significance of essential software requirements and their impact on project success.
- b) Compare and contrast different elicitation techniques. [5+5]

**OR**

- 3.a) Write an overview of requirements analysis documentation and its role in project development.
- b) Describe strategies for setting and managing requirements priorities in a software development project. [5+5]

- 4.a) Contrast the use of Requirements Traceability Matrix (RTM) in large-scale versus small-scale software projects.
- b) Evaluate the role of object analysis in understanding and documenting software requirements. [5+5]

**OR**

- 5.a) Outline the steps involved in creating a use case model and its relevance in requirements modeling.
- b) Describe the principles and practices involved in software requirements management. [5+5]

6.a) Illustrate the problems commonly encountered during software estimation and suggest strategies to mitigate these issues.

b) Explain the components of software estimations in detail. [5+5]

**OR**

7.a) Demonstrate the steps involved in conducting Function Point Analysis (FPA).

b) Compare the estimated size of a software project using Function Point Analysis and LOC estimation methods. [5+5]

8. Contrast the COCOMO II and Putnam Estimation Model in terms of their underlying principles and application areas. [10]

**OR**

9.a) Summarize the different approaches to effort and schedule estimation.

b) Describe the underlying principles of algorithmic models in project estimation. [5+5]

10.a) Compare the methodologies employed by Rational Requisite Pro and Caliber-RM in managing requirements.

b) Discuss the significance of SLIM (Software Life Cycle Management) tools in software development projects. [6+4]

**OR**

11.a) Analyze the desirable features in software estimation tools and explain how they contribute to accurate project planning and resource allocation.

b) Examine the challenges associated with software estimation. [6+4]

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