# THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL OF TANZANIA ADVANCED CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

#### **EXAMINATION**

136/1

#### **COMPUTER SCIENCE 1**

(For Both School and Private candidates)

Time: 3 Hours Year: 2020

#### **Instructions**

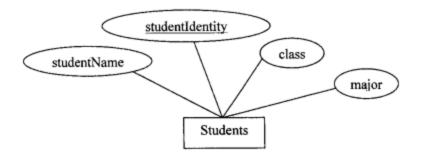
- 1. This paper consists of sections **A** and **B** with a total of **ten** (10) questions.
- 2. Answer all questions in section A, and two (2) questions from section B.
- 3. Section A carries seventy (70) marks and section B carries thirty (30) marks.
- 4. Non-programmable calculators may be used.
- 5. Cellular phones and any unauthorized materials are **not** allowed in the examination room.
- 6. Write your **Examination Number** on every page of your answer booklet (s).

## **SECTION A (70 marks)**

# Answer all questions in this section

- 1. (a) use standard distinctive symbols to outline the main three Boolean Operators,
  - (b) draw a logic gate circuit for the Boolean expression AB'+C'(A+B) and
- (c) simplify the Boolean expression f = (AB'(A+C))' + A'B (A+B'+C')', use NOR gates only to draw a logic gate circuit of the simplified Boolean expression.
- 2. (a) Define the term function as applied in programming languages,
  - (b) Outline the roles of user defined functions,
  - (c) read the block of code and then;
    - (i) give the name of the function given,
    - (ii) give out number of parameters used in that function,
    - (iii) state if the code will perform a required task or not by giving reasons
  - (d) with the aid of an example of a code statement, give two similarities and differences between 'cin' and 'cin.getlin' keywords as applied in programming languages.
- 3. (a) Describe the web server,
  - (b) outline four steps to be followed when creating a website, and
  - (c) by using HTML and JavaScript codes, develop HTML form with one input field named "number" and a submit button called "process". Check if the value entered in a form is a number and it is greater than 0". If not alerts "Error: Provide a number greater than 0". If it is an even number, it alerts

  - "The number provided is divisible by 2". Otherwise it alerts "The number provided is not divisible by 2".
- 4. (a) explain four elements of information systems.
  - (b) explain the meaning of relational database query.
  - (c) use the following entity set with its attributes to answer the questions.



- i) represent entity set into its equivalent relation table,
- ii) write SQL query to create students database table,
- iii) write SQL insert data into students table and
- iv) write SQL query required to retrieve data from students table.
- 5. (a) Explain three purposes of procedures in Visual Basic programs,
  - (b) Mention four control structures supported by visual basic,
  - (c) Explain why is it necessary to choose Standard. Exe file command from the file menu when creating a Visual Basic project, and
  - (d) Write a VB program to display current date and time in a Form while showing the number of procedures used.
- 6. (a) Differentiate piracy from privacy terms as applied in data security,
  - (b) List two ways of reducing piracy,
  - (c) Explain two control measures used to enforce data and information security against an unauthorized access, and
  - (d) List four points addressed by the use of copyright laws over hardware and software protection.
- 7. (a) Explain four common features of Graphical User Interface (GUI) available in Microsoft word.
  - (b) Differentiate SUM from SUMIF functions as used in Microsoft excel.
  - (c) Write the syntax of SUM and SUMIF functions.

(d) write the functions required to find the total amount from north region of the given sales table.

4	<b>A</b>	В	C	D
1	Sales Table			
2	Date	Region	Units	Total Amount
3	24/06/2016	North	186	Tsh. 50, 592.00
4	4/6/2016	East	356	Tsh. 96, 832.00
5	2/7/2016	West	907	Tsh. 200,000.00
6	1/7/2017	South	190	Tsh. 51,000.00
7	24/07/2017	North	717	Tsh. 180,900.00
8	15/06/2016	West	550	Tsh. 149,900.00

## **SECTION B (30 Marks)**

Answer two (2) questions from this section

- **8.** Draw a flowchart and write C++ program that reads a given set of integers and then prints the number of odd and even integers. The program should also generate the number of zeros.
- **9.** Describe three classifications of data transmission media in the guided and unguided media.
- **10.** Explain how Information and Communication Technology has brought about different career opportunities to most of Tanzanians by referring to at least six career opportunities.