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**M.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION – COMPUTER SCIENCE**

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**CS 1826 - LINUX PROGRAMMING**

Date : 11/11/2015  
Time : 01:00-04:00

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

**PART-A**

**Answer all the questions:**

**2X10=20 Marks**

1. What is Linux?
2. List the types of shells.
3. State any two file conditions.
4. Give any four Linux shell commands.
5. Define : process
6. State any four commonly used conversion specifiers of printing
7. Define: pipe.
8. What is a named pipe?
9. What are the types of semaphore?
10. Give the syntax to create a socket.

**PART-B**

**Answer all the questions:**

**5X8=40 Marks**

11. a) Write in brief about Redirections with an example.

**(OR)**

- b) What is a variable? Explain in brief about environment variables in linux.

12. a) Explain the for and while control structures with examples

**(OR)**

- b) Give short notes on arithmetic and Parameter expansion with examples.

13. a) List the standard I/O libraries.

**(OR)**

- b) Explain in short about the standard libraries and system calls used for files and directories maintenance

14. a) Write about date and time augments with examples

**(OR)**

- b) Explain named pipe with a suitable example.

15. a) Write short notes on semaphores.

**(OR)**

- b) Write about message queue functions.

**PART-C**

**Answer any two questions:**

**2X20=40 Marks**

16. a) Discuss about Shell Programming with example.
- b) Explain about conditional statements of Linux with example.
17. a) Discuss in detail about File locking mechanisms in Linux.
- b) Explain about FIFO with an example.
18. a) Write in detail about shared memory with an example
- b) Discuss about sockets.

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