SYSTEM SOFTWARE

[As per Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) scheme] (Effective from the academic year 2017 - 2018)

SEMESTER - VI

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Subject Code	17IS652	IA Marks	40		
Number of Lecture Hours/Week	3	Exam Marks	60		
Total Number of Lecture Hours	40	Exam Hours	03		
CREDITS – 03					
Module – 1				Teaching Hours	
Introduction to System Software, Machine Architecture of SIC and SIC/XE. Assemblers: Basic assembler functions, machine dependent assembler features, machine independent assembler features, assembler design options. Macroprocessors: Basicmacro processor functions, machine independent macro processor features, Macro processor design options, implementation examples Text book 1: Chapter 1: (1.1-1.3.2), Chapter2: 2.1-2.4, Chapter4 Module - 2				08 Hours	
Loaders and Linkers: Basic Loader Functions, Design of an absolute loader, a simple Bootstrap loader, Machine-dependent loader features-relocation, program linking, algorithm and data structures for a linking loader, Machine –independent loader features-automatic library search, Loader options, loader design options-linkage editor, dynamic linkage, bootstrap loaders, implementation examples-MS DOS linker. Text book 1: Chapter 3				08 Hours	
Module – 3					
System File and Library Structure: Introduction, Library And File Organization, Design Of A Record Source Program File Structure, Object Code, Object File, Object File Structure, Executable File, Executable File Structure, Libraries, Image File Structure. Object Code translators: introduction, binary code translators, object code translators, translation process, hybrid method, applications				08 Hours	
Reference 1: chapter 5 and chapte	r 15				
Module – 4					
Lexical Analysis: Introduction, Alphabets And Tokens In Computer Languages, Representation, Token Recognition And Finite Automata, Implementation, Error Recovery. Text book 2: Chapter 1(1.1-1.5), Chapter 3(3.1-3.5) Module – 5				08 Hours	
Down Parsers, Bottom-Up Parsers, C Text book 2: Chapter 4 (4.1 – 4.6)			, Top	08 Hours	
Course outcomes: The students sho	uld be able to:				
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- Explain system software such as assemblers, loaders, linkers andmacroprocessors
- Design and develop lexical analyzers, parsers and code generators
- Understand lex and yacc tools for implementing different concepts of system software

Question paper pattern:

The question paper will have TEN questions.

There will be TWO questions from each module.

Each question will have questions covering all the topics under a module. The students will have to answer FIVE full questions, selecting ONE full question from each module.

Text Books:

- 1. System Software by Leland. L. Beck, D Manjula, 3rd edition, 2012
- Compilers-Principles, Techniques and Tools by Alfred V Aho, Monica S. Lam, Ravi Sethi, Jeffrey D. Ullman. Pearson, 2nd edition, 2007

Reference Books:

- 1. Systems programming Srimanta Pal, Oxford university press, 2016
- 2. System software and operating system by D. M. Dhamdhere TMG
- 3. Compiler Design, KMuneeswaran, Oxford University Press 2013.
- 4. System programming and Compiler Design, K C Louden, Cengage Learning

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