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FACULTY OF SCIENCES
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2022_2 EXAMINATION QUESTIONS

COURSE CODE: CIT401
COURSE TITLE: ORGANISATION OF PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE
CREDIT UNIT: 3
TIME ALLOWED: 2¹/₂ HRS
INSTRUCTION: ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY THREE (3) QUESTIONS

Questions

- 1a. Enumerate any five (5) characteristics of a good programming language (5marks)
- 1b. Discuss any five (5) characteristics of a good programming language (10 marks)
- 1c. Write a short note on 1883 and 1949 Programming Language Evolution (10marks)

- 2a. Differentiate between 1959 and 1964 Programming Language Evolution (10marks)
- 2b. Write a short note on Assembly language (5marks)

- 3a. Write a short note on syntax, grammar, and semantics of a programming language. (9marks)
- 3b. State any six (6) programming language's features. (3marks)

- 4a. Write a short note on Machine Programming language (5marks)
- 4b. Write a short note on the following:
 - i. Imperative Paradigm (5marks)
 - ii. Object-Oriented Paradigm

- 5a. Write short note on 1970 and 1972 Programming Language Evolution (10marks)
- 5b. Write a short note to differentiate between program and programming language (5marks)
- 6a. Write a short note on High-level language (5marks)
- 6b. Differentiate between 1957 and 1958 Programming Language Evolution (10marks)