

## FINAL EXAMINATION MAY 2024 SEMESTER

COURSE :

**TEB2014 - SOFTWARE ENGINEERING & HCI** 

DATE

9 AUGUST 2024 (FRIDAY)

TIME

9:00 AM - 12:00 NOON (3 HOURS)

## INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1. Answer **ALL** questions in the Answer Booklet.
- 2. Begin **EACH** answer on a new page in the Answer Booklet.
- 3. Indicate clearly answers that are cancelled, if any.
- 4. Where applicable, show clearly steps taken in arriving at the solutions and indicate **ALL** assumptions, if any.
- 5. **DO NOT** open this Question Booklet until instructed.

## Note:

- i. There are **SIX** (6) pages in this Question Booklet including the cover page
- ii. DOUBLE-SIDED Question Booklet.

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1. a. Differentiate between plan-driven and agile processes.

[4 marks]

b. Differentiate functional and non-functional requirements using examples.

[6 marks]

c. Describe the model of the "4 + 1" architectural view.

[5 marks]

d. The waterfall model is a plan-driven model used in the system development life cycle to create a system using a linear and sequential approach. This model is known as a 'waterfall 'because of the cascade from one phase to another.

Describe FIVE (5) phases of the waterfall model.

[5 marks]

2. a. Differentiate between use-case diagram and class diagram.

[5 marks]

b. List FIVE (5) factors that lead to imprecise requirements

[5 marks]

c. Draw a sequence diagram describing data collection in a weather forecast management system.

[NOTE: A weather station is a package of software-controlled instruments that collects data, performs some data processing and transmits this data for further processing. The instruments include air and ground thermometers, an anemometer, a wind vane, a barometer and a rain gauge. The data is collected at regular intervals. When a command is given to transmit the weather data, the weather station processes the collected data, summarises it and then transmits it to the mapping computer on request]

[5 marks]

d. Draw a class diagram for the student registration system.

[NOTE: A student registration system in which students register for a semester. Each course has a title and a course code. The course can be registered, cancelled, withdrawn, passed, or failed by the student. In addition, a semester can be frozen or attended. There are two types of students: Undergraduate students and Postgraduate students.]

[5 marks]

3. a. Differentiate between data-driven and event-driven models.

[5 marks]

b. Define and construct an event-driven model for the microwave oven.

[NOTE: A microwave oven heats food using microwaves, a form of electromagnetic radiation like radio waves. Microwaves have three properties that enable their use in cooking: they are reflected by metal; they penetrate glass, paper, plastic and similar materials; and they are absorbed by food]

[5 marks]

c. Define and draw a pipe-and-filter architectural model for a compiler.

[5 marks]

d. Draw a repository architecture model for an Integrated Development Environment (IDE).

[5 marks]

4. a. Differentiate between software verification and software validation.

[4 marks]

b. List FOUR (4) advantages of test-driven development in software testing.

[4 marks]

- c. Given the following user requirements in plain English for a banking system:
  - An account has an 8-digit number and can be a savings or current account.
  - An account holder has a name, an ID card number/passport number, a date of birth and an address.
  - Each account holder receives a bank card with a unique 12-digit number and a 6-digit secret personal identification number (PIN).
  - To use an ATM, the account holder must insert their bank card and the correct PIN.
  - A bank card is linked to one or more accounts of an account holder.

    Propose **TWO (2)** black-box and white-box test cases for the above scenario.

[6 marks]

d. List the SIX (6) stages in the acceptance testing process.

[6 marks]

5. a. Differentiate between Graphical User Interface (GUI) and Command Line Interface (CLI) using examples.

[4 marks]

b. Describe **FOUR (4)** pillars of a successful user interface development.

[8 marks]

c. List FOUR (4) of the golden rules of HCl design.

[4 marks]

d. HCI is based on human psychological factors. Justify,

[4 marks]

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