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**B.E. / B.Tech. - DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, NOV / DEC 2023**

Fifth Semester

**Computer Science and Business Systems**

**20CBPC503 - DESIGN THINKING**

(Regulations 2020)

Duration: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

**PART - A (10 × 2 = 20 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

- |   | <i>Marks,<br/>K-Level, CO</i> |
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| 1. List the features of design thinking.              | <i>2,K1,CO1</i>               |
| 2. List the features of divergent thinking.           | <i>2,K1,CO1</i>               |
| 3. Define empathy.                                    | <i>2,K1,CO2</i>               |
| 4. State the importance of building empathy map.      | <i>2,K1,CO2</i>               |
| 5. Why a problem statement needed?                    | <i>2,K1,CO3</i>               |
| 6. Write the purpose of creating persona development. | <i>2,K1,CO3</i>               |
| 7. Write the purpose of ideation phase.               | <i>2,K1,CO4</i>               |
| 8. How to evaluate ideas of design thinking?          | <i>2,K1,CO4</i>               |
| 9. Define prototype.                                  | <i>2,K1,CO5</i>               |
| 10. State the importance of value proposition.        | <i>2,K1,CO5</i>               |

**PART - B (5 × 13 = 65 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

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| 11. a) “Design thinking is human centric”. Discuss.  | <i>13,K2,CO1</i> |
| <b>OR</b>  |                  |
| b) (i) What is design thinking? Explain the principles of design thinking.   | <i>6,K2,CO1</i>  |
| (ii) Discuss in detail about the applications of design thinking.  | <i>7,K2,CO1</i>  |
| 12. a) Discuss the steps involved in empathize phase with suitable example.  | <i>13,K2,CO2</i> |
| <b>OR</b>  |                  |
| b) Discuss in detail about deep user interview with suitable example.  | <i>13,K2,CO2</i> |
| 13. a) Explain the importance of define phase with suitable examples.  | <i>13,K2,CO3</i> |
| <b>OR</b>  |                  |
| b) What is a problem statement? What makes a good problem statement?<br>How to write a meaningful problem statement? | <i>13,K2,CO3</i> |

“I am a young working professional trying to eat healthily, but I’m struggling because I work long hours and don’t always have time to go grocery shopping and prepare my meals. This makes me feel frustrated and bad about myself.” Give solution and explain 5 why’s for the above problem.

14. a) Discuss in detail the steps involved in Ideate phase in DT. *13,K2,CO4*

**OR**

- b) (i) Demonstrate the ideation phase using SCAMPER with suitable example. *6,K2,CO4*  
(ii) Illustrate the ideation phase using Analogous Inspiration with suitable example. *7,K2,CO4*

15. a) Discuss IBM approach of design thinking. *13,K2,CO5*

**OR**

- b) What is testing in design thinking? Why is the testing important? *13,K2,CO5*  
Discuss about user testing methods.

**PART - C (1 × 15 = 15 Marks)**

16. a) (i) Utilize the concept of Design thinking and solve: Suppose the problem statement at hand is to contain the attrition that happens in companies worldwide. High quality employees leave the organization, mainly after the appraisal cycle. As a result, an average company loses its valuable human resources and suffers from an overhead of transferring the knowledge to a new employee. This takes time and additional human resource in the form of a trainer, which adds to the company’s costs. Devise a plan to contain attrition in the company. Explain the two tasks of design thinking and solve the above problem with analysis and synthesis tasks in design thinking. *8,K3,CO1*

- (ii) Identify the importance of storytelling in presenting ideas. *7,K3,CO4*

**OR**

- b) (i) Identify the importance of design thinking in healthcare sector. *8,K3,CO1*  
(ii) Organize the basic steps of doodling in design thinking. *7,K3,CO4*