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<u>Time - Three hours</u> (Maximum Marks: 100)

- [N.B. 1. Answer all questions under Part-A. Each question carries 3 marks.
 - Answer all the questions either (a) or (b) in Part-B.
 Each question carries 14 marks.

PART - A

- 1. What is firmware?
- 2. List out the uses of Jumpers.
- Differentiate primary memory from secondary memory.
- List the types of keyboard.
- Define cold booting.
- Define POST.
- 7. What is hardware up-gradation?
- 8. Why do we need WLAN in Laptop?
- 9. What is RDMA?
- 10. State Moore's law.

PART - B

11. (a) Explain about Core2 Duo processor and Quad core processor.

(Or)

- (b) Explain AGP and USB bus standards.
- (a) (i) Explain Blu-ray disc and its features. (7)
 (ii) Explain USB Flash drive and its features. (7)

(Or)

- (b) (i) Explain about Laser printer with neat diagram. (7)
 (ii) Explain about Barcode reader with neat diagram. (7)
- 13. (a) Explain about SMPS working principles with block diagram.

(Or)

- (b) (i) Explain about the working principle of LED display. (7)
 - (ii) How to upgrade existing BIOS? Explain the steps involved in it. (7)
- 14. (a) Explain about Trouble shooting of laptop and desktop problems.

(Or)

- (b) (i) Explain the steps for assembling and disassembling of Mobile Phone. (7)
 - (ii) Explain about Pocket PC. (7)
- (a) Explain about Magnetic random-access memory (MRAM) and Spin-Transfer Torque Random-Access Memory (STT-RAM).

(Or)

(b) Explain about Embedded Board and the von Neumann Model with their diagrams.
