# G.C.E. (Ordinary Level) - Grade 10 <br> Practice Test 

Information \& Communication Technology

## Answers -part II

1. 

a. $562_{\text {oct }}$
$8^{2} \mathrm{X} 5+8^{1} \mathrm{X} 6+8{ }^{0} \mathrm{X} 2$
64 X $5+8$ X $6+1$ X2
$320+48+2$
370
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b. RAM

Volatile - erased when power is switched off

Stores data temporarily
Called as the working memory

## ROM

Non Volatile - not erased when power is switched off

Does not store data temporarily
Used to store BIOS
c. capacity of the storage device $=2400 \mathrm{~GB}$
capacity in bits

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\begin{aligned}
& =2400 \times 2^{10} \times 2^{10} \times 2^{10} \times 8 \\
& =2400 \times 2^{10} \times 2^{10} \times 2^{10} \times 2^{3} \\
& =\underline{\underline{2400} \times 2^{33}}
\end{aligned}
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d. first generation
major hardware technology used is
Vacuum tubes
Punch cards are used for input,
output and store data
High power consumption
Expensive

Third generation
major hardware technology used is
ICs
Punch cards are used for input,
output and store data
Low power consumption
Less expensive
e. 1. Addiction to surf the net, play computer games, view unsuitable material
2. Building unsuitable friendship through social media
3. Getting health problems due to long usage of computers
4. People without social skills
f. A universal gate is able to realize all possible combinational logic functions./ A universal gate is a gate which can implement any Boolean function without need to use any other gate type.
Universal gate $=$ NAND or NOR
g. Keep the font size at about 32 points or more

Keeping the number of lines per slide between 6-9
Correct use of grammar and spelling
Using colours, animation and images effectively
h.

i. 1. Backup software.
2. Anti-virus software
3. Screen savers
j. 1. a solid state drive(SSD) boots faster,
2. launches apps faster
3. runs apps faster,
4. transfers files faster than a hard disk drive.
2.

Data types:
i. supNum - text
iii. Currentstock - number
ii. Initials - text
iv. Unitprice - currency
b. primary key fields with corresponding tables
item - ItemID
stock - supNum, ItemID
Supplier - supNum
c. Primary key of the item table is ItemID. When it is included in the stock table it is called as a foreign key. It helps to create a relationship between the item table and the stock table.
d. stock table
e.

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3. .
a. Any of the following hardware devices.

Barcode scanner Digital still camera
Digital video camera Fingerprint scanner
b. Barcode scanner - scan ID card to register when entering/leaving the lab

Digital video camera - to record who is doing what in the lab
Fingerprint scanner - to identify the users who entered/left the lab
Digital still camera - to produce photos for the ID
c.
i. bus topology
ii. serial data transmission method
iii. A server is the machine which provides services to the client computers in a computer network.
iv. LAN-Local Area Network
4.
a. $=\mathrm{C} 17{ }^{\wedge} 2$
b. Click $\mathrm{C} 17 \longrightarrow \mathbf{1}$ mark

Move the mouse pointer to the bottom right hand corner of C18
When you see fill handles drag it up to N18
c. $=3 * \mathrm{C} 17$
$=\mathrm{C} 17 * 3$
 both are correct
d. $=\mathrm{C} 18-\mathrm{C} 19+5$
e. a in B 17
y in B20
f. XY scatter
5.
a. WordArt
b. insert $\longrightarrow$ pictures

Select the location of the picture from the insert picture dialog box
Select the picture file $\qquad$ Click Insert
c. Bold ,Italic
d. D is a hyperlink

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\mathrm{Ctrl}+\mathrm{K} .
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e. Use any one of the following.
$\bullet$ Review $\longrightarrow$ click


- Click F7

6. inputs
$\mathrm{D}=$ whether the plants are dry or not $(\mathrm{dry}=1)$
$\mathrm{L}=$ whether it is dark or not (dark=0)
$\mathrm{M}=$ manual switch (switch on=1)
Output $=\mathrm{F}$
a.

| D | L | M | F |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

b. $\mathrm{F}=(\mathrm{D}+\bar{L})+\mathrm{M}$
c.


