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Eighth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, May/June 2010 Web 2.0 and Rich Internet Applications

Time: 3 hrs. Max. Marks:100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO questions from each part.

PART - A

- 1 a. Write short notes on:
 - i) Software as service (Soas)
 - ii) Social networking
 - iii) Folksomonics.

(09 Marks) (05 Marks)

- b. Define web services. What are the basic building blocks of a SoAP message?
- c. What is JSON? How do you convert a string to a JSON object? Consider the following information about a student in an engineering college affiliated to VTU. The information includes USN, name of the college, branch, year of joining and email id.
 - i) Create an object literal. ii) Write a JSON code for the above information.

(06 Marks)

2 a. Briefly explain the AJAX principles.

- (07 Marks)
- b. Draw the diagram for AJAX application model and the traditional web application model and compare them. (08 Marks)
- c. Describe the hidden frame technique in AJAX.

(05 Marks)

- 3 a. Explain the following AJAX patterns with one example:
 - i) Submission throttling
 - ii) Predictive fetch
 - iii) Fallback patterns.

(12 Marks)

- b. Write down any four XML http request methods along with their parameters. (04 Marks)
- c. Write short notes on:
 - i) iframes
 - ii) cache control.

(04 Marks)

4 a. Explain the factors that influence the flash player.

(06 Marks)

b. Differentiate between HTML and flex applications.

(04 Marks)

c. What is a neat diagram, explain how flex application works.

- (05 Marks)
- d. What is meant by flex framework? Explain any four frameworks.

(05 Marks)

PART - B

- 5 a. Define ActionScript. What are all the ways to include ActionScript within flex with examples? (06 Marks)
 - b. Create a button with the is as button and change the label of button as "Click", using MXML and ActionScript. (04 Marks)
 - c. Define interfaces. List the difference between interfaces and class.

(05 Marks)

d. Explain how action script handles runtime errors.

(05 Marks)

6 a. Explain the flex application life cycle.

(06 Marks)

b. Differentiate between a flash player and a flex framework.

(04 Marks)

- c. Write the syntax for the following:
 - i) Assume the current flex application name as "VTU". From this application load another application name as "application.swf" file.
 - ii) Create a textbox and add this textbox to the current application container using MXML, action script. (04 Marks)
- d. Draw the class diagram of container components. Explain any three of it.

(06 Marks)

7 a. Describe the user interface components and the inheritance relationship. (any three).

(05 Marks)

- b. What is meant by an event? Write a function call named as "display", which display the message "VTU, Belgaum" when you click he button using click event of MXML and ActionScript.

 (05 Marks)
- c. What is meant by data models? Explain with one example, what are the ways you can do it.

 (05 Marks)
- d. Define the data binding. What are the ways to apply data binding?

(05 Marks)

8 a. Explain the flex application remote data communication.

(06 Marks)

- b. Write an MXML code which displays the content of a file named data.txt, using HTTP service. (08 Marks)
- c. Write short notes on:
 - i) Mashup applications
- ii) RSS.

(06 Marks)