

**B.C.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2020**  
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16. Explain Direct Memory Access.
17. Write about Access Matrix.
18. Explain dynamic loading and linking.
19. Discuss the process of demand paging.

**Section C** ( $3 \times 10 = 30$ ) Marks

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