Computer Languages Notes - PDF

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Today I am sharing important Computer languages notes for upcoming exams :-



- o The first computer language for electronic devices was short code.
- o The first of the major languages appeared in the form of FORTRAN.
- FORTRAN stands for Formula Translation system.
- o **FORTRAN** language was designed at IBM, for scientific computing.
- The language used for programs that benchmark and ranks the world's fastest super computers is FORTRAN.
- The name COBOL stands for "COMMON BUSINESS ORIENTED L ANGUAGE".
 - The language which was referred as "the mother of the COBOL language"
- was **FLOW MATIC** language.
 - LISP stands for LIST PROCESSING language.
- LISP language was designed for Artificial Intelligence research.
- ^o The first language to have format grammar was **ALGOL.**
- ALGOL mean ALGORITHMIC Language.
- ALGOL is a high level language designed specially for programming
- $\circ \ \ \textbf{Scientific Computations.}$
 - Pascal language was named in honor of Blaise Pascal.
- o Pascal language was developed by Niklans Wirth.
- o A small and efficient language intended to encourage good programming
- practices is Pascal.
 - A general purpose programming language which was developed by Dennis Ritchie was **'C' language.**
- C++ language was known as Object Oriented Programming or OOP.
- C++ is most after used in simulations, such as games.
- C++ is sometimes called a hybrid language.
- One of the preferred programming languages to develop professional
- o applications is C++.
- O Java is a programming language developed by **James Gosling.**
 - Java language was developed to facilitate communication with the
- o interactive T.V.
- ° Visual Basic (VB) was derived from **BASIC.**
 - BASIC is a very limited scope language and was designed for non -
- o computer science people.
- The heart of VB is the form or blank window on which some components are drag and drop. Those items are known as Widgets.

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- Perl has often been described as the 'Duct tape of the Internet'.
- o Perl was developed by Larry Wall in 1987.
- **PERL** stands for **Practical Extraction and Reporting Language.**
- o BASIC means Beginner's All purpose symbolic instruction code.
- Ada is a structured, statically typed, wide spectrum, object oriented high level computer programming language.
- Ada is an international standard.
- CORAL stands for Computer On line Real time Applications Language.
- Coral 66 is a general purpose programming language based on **ALGOL 60.**
- Coral is specifically intended for **real time** and **embedded** applications.
- PHP is a general purpose server side Scripting language Originally designed for Web development to produce dynamic Web pages.
 - PHP originally stood for Personal Home Page.
- At present, PHP is said to stand for Hypertext Pre Processor.
- HTML stands for Hyper Text Markup Language.
- HTML is for displaying web pages and other information that can be
- displayed in a web browser.
- CSS stands for Cascading Style Sheets.