Worksheet -2 Subject: - Computer Class: - VI Teacher: - Mrs. Suudha Sharma

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Lesson 1: Computer Story

Classification of computer on the basis of their size and speed.

Microcomputer

Microcomputers are small computers whose CPU is a microprocessor, contained on single IC. These computers are also called Personal Computers (PCs). The major types of these are Desktop, Laptop and hand held (Tablet PCs, Smart phones) computers.

Workstation

A workstation is like a personal computer, but it has a more powerful microprocessor and a high quality monitor.

Minicomputer

These computers are very powerful and available at a reasonable price as compared to mainframe computers, so users in 1960s switched over them. Minicomputers are referred to as mid-range servers now because PCs have overpowered the digital market.

Mainframe Computers

These are huge computers that can occupy an entire room or even a whole floor. It can also accommodate many users at a time. Terminals are used to connect a user to this computer. A <u>terminal</u> is a device which has a keyboard and a screen integrated together. These computers are normally referred to as enterprise servers.



Supercomputers

These are the most powerful computers as it uses multiple CPUs to work on a problem using



the concept of Parallel Processing. Parallel Processing is the simultaneous use of more than one CPU to execute a program. These computers are used for highly calculation intensive tasks such as weather forecasting, climate research and physical simulations.

Now, answer the following questions:

Q.1. Fill in the blanks

- 1. _____ are referred to as mid-range servers.
- 2. _____ uses the concept of parallel processing.
- 3. ______ are small computers whose CPU is a microprocessor.
- 4. _____ can accommodate many users at a time.

Q.2. Answer the following questions:

- 1. What is a Terminal?
- 2. When did minicomputers come into existence?
- 3. Write a short note on wearable devices?
- 4. What is Parallel Processing?
- 5. What is a workstation?

Q.3. Solve the given crossword



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- 1. Computers used for highly calculation intensive tasks such as weather forecasting etc.
- 2. Computers that are ______ computers are referred to as enterprise servers.
- 3. Mainframe computers use ______ to connect a user to this computer.
- 4. ______ are referred to as mid-range servers.

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5. A hand held device.

Homework

Search and draw any two wearable devices.

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Class VI - Answers

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Q.1. Fill in the blanks:

1. Minicomputers

2. Supercomputers

3. Microcomputers

4. Mainframe Computers

Q.2. Answer the following questions:

1. A terminal is a device which has a keyboard and a screen integrated together. These computers are normally referred to as enterprise servers.

2. In the year 1960

3. Wearable Devices are smart electronic devices (electronic device with micro-controllers) that are worn close to and/or on the surface of the skin, where they detect, analyze, and transmit information concerning e.g. body signals such as vital signs, and/or ambient data and which allow in some cases immediate biofeedback to the wearer. For example: FitBit Flex, Fabric Chest Strap, and Google Glass.

4. Parallel Processing is the simultaneous use of more than one CPU to execute a program.

5. A workstation is like a personal computer, but it has a more powerful microprocessor and a high quality monitor.

Q.3. Solve the given crossword

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