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Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 100 (Weightage 75%)

- Note: Question number 1 is compulsory and carries 40 marks. Attempt any three questions from the rest.
- 1. (a) IEEE floating point representation for single precision number uses the format as :

Sign bit (1 bit) Biased exponent (8 bits) Significant (23 bits)

In this representation a floating point number where 0 < E < 255 having any significant bits is equivalent to $\pm (1.N) 2^{(E-127)}$. Using this format represent the following decimal numbers :

- (i) **0.375**
- (ii) 7

Now using the representation perform the following operations :

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- (i) 0.250×7
- (ii) 0.375 + 7

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(b) Simplify the following using Karnaugh's map:

 $F(A, B, C, D) = \sum (0, 1, 3, 5, 8, 10, 13)$

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- (c) Write an assembly language program to find the maximum in a group of 10 numbers stored in memory. Store the result in AL register.
- (d) What is RAID? List three features of RAID level 3.
- (e) How is a main memory address mapped to a cache address ? Assume the main memory size of 1 K words.

1 cache block size = 32 bits

No. of cache slots = 16

Cache mapping = 2 way set associative

- (f) Explain the use of PC, IR, AC, MBR registers of a computer system.
- (g) Consider Registers R_1 and R_2 containing

 $R_1 = 10100000$

 $R_2 = 01101100$

Perform the following microoperations using these registers :

- (i) $R_1 \leftarrow R_1 + R_2$
- (ii) Shift Left R₁
- (iii) $R_1 \leftarrow R_1 XOR R_2$
- (iv) $R_1 \leftarrow R_1 1$

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2. (a) Explain using a flowchart the steps of an instruction execution.

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- (b) How many RAM chips of size 256 k × 1 bit are required to build 1 MB of memory ?
- (c) Explain the various displacement addressing schemes with the help of an example each.
- (d) Calculate the physical address for the following register offset pairs :
 - (i) SS: SP = 0100h: 0020h
 - (ii) DS: BX = 0200h: 0100h
 - (iii) CS: IP = 4200h: 0123h
 - (iv) ES: SI = 0300h: 0245h
- **3.** (a) Explain the use of parity bit in error detection with the help of an example using odd parity scheme.
 - (b) Compare the following :
 - (i) CD-ROM and DVD-ROM
 - (ii) SRAM and DRAM
 - (iii) Memory mapped I/O and Isolated mapped I/O
 - (c) Explain the following 8086 instructions : 6
 - (i) XCHG
 - (ii) XLAT

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- 4. (a) What is a Multiplexer ? Give block diagram, truth table and logic diagram of a 4×1 multiplexer.
 - (b) Explain any three techniques of identifying the device that has caused the interrupt.
 - (c) Write a program in 8086 Assembly language for displaying the contents of CL register.
- 5. Explain the following with the help of an example or diagram for each : $5 \times 4=20$
 - (a) T flip-flop
 - (b) DMA
 - (c) COM programs
 - (d) The stack
 - (e) LCD

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