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MCS-012 : COMPUTER ORGANISATION AND ASSEMBLY LANGUAGE PROGRAMMING

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) State *True* or *False* with brief justification (if false). 5

 - (i) A register access is faster than a memory access.
 - (ii) A bigger size of a program is due to multiple opcodes and operands in an instruction.
 - (iii) DMA allows the transfer of data directly between external devices.

- (iv) The effective address in Based Indexed addressing mode is the sum of the contents of the base register, indexed register and displacement. 6
- (v) An I/O interface is usually a register for either inputting data to or extracting data from the microprocessor.
- (b) Represent the number $(55.6)_{10}$ as a floating point binary number with 24 bits. The normalized mantissa has 16 bits and the exponent has 8 bits. Assume suitable bias for the exponent. 6
- (c) Perform the following arithmetic operations : 6
- Add (-85) and (-85) in 8-bit register using signed 2's complement notation.
Also indicate overflow, if any.
 - Convert the hexadecimal number ABCD7 into binary and octal.
 - Represent decimal 567 into BCD.

- (d) Simplify the following Boolean function using Karnaugh map :

$$F(A, B, C, D) = \Sigma(0, 2, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 15)$$

Also draw the logic circuit for the simplified expression.

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- (e) Draw the logic diagram of a 2×4 decoder.

Also, draw its truth table.

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- (f) The 8-bit registers R1, R2, R3 and R4 initially have the following values :

$$R1 = 00001111$$

$$R2 = 11110000$$

$$R3 = 11001100$$

$$R4 = 10101010$$

Determine the 8-bit values in registers after the execution of the following sequence of micro-operations :

- (i) $R1 \leftarrow R1 \oplus R2$ Exclusive OR

- (ii) $R4 \leftarrow R1 - R3$ Subtract R3 from R1

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(g) A digital computer has a common bus system for 4 registers of 4 bits each. The bus is constructed with multiplexers.

(i) How many selection inputs are there in each multiplexer ?

(ii) What size of a multiplexer is needed ?

(iii) How many multiplexers are there in the bus ? 3

(h) What is the difference between COM and EXE programs ? 3

(i) What is an Interrupt Vector Table (IVT) ? Explain in the context of 8086 microprocessor. 3

2. (a) Using Hamming code, what should be the length of the error detection code that detects the error in one bit for 8 and 16-bit data respectively ? 4

(b) How is execution of an instruction done ? Illustrate through an example showing memory and register contents for execution of any instruction of your choice. 4

- (c) Using a suitable example, explain the working of a two-way set associative cache mapping scheme. 6
- (d) A memory has a capacity of 1024×8 bit.
- (i) How many data input and data output lines does it have ?
 - (ii) How many address lines does it have ?
 - (iii) What is its capacity in bytes ? 6
3. (a) How does DMA overcome shortcomings of interrupt driven and programmed I/O ? Draw the block diagram of a typical DMA controller. Briefly explain its components. 6
- (b) Draw various stages of an instruction pipeline. Explain the benefits of the same. 4
- (c) Explain the following : 10
- (i) Microinstruction
 - (ii) Stack
 - (iii) Control memory
 - (iv) INT 21h in 8086 microprocessor
 - (v) Buffer register

4. (a) A machine supports 32 operations and 16 addressing modes. The machine has 32 registers and the size of its main memory is 128 MB. Design a simple instruction format for the machine. 6
- (b) Find out the physical addresses for the following segment register offsets for 8086 microprocessor : 6
- (i) SS : SP = 6200h : 0100h
 - (ii) DS : BX = 4300h : 0200h
 - (iii) CS : IP = 5000h : 1234h
- (c) Discuss the following addressing modes with the help of one example for each : 8
- (i) Indirect addressing
 - (ii) Register indirect addressing
 - (iii) Relative addressing
 - (iv) Immediate addressing
5. (a) Write an assembly language program in 8086 microprocessor to find whether two numbers stored in memory are equal or not. Make suitable assumptions. 5

- (b) Design and explain a logic circuit capable of adding three bits using half adders and appropriate logic gates. 6
- (c) Write the code sequence in assembly language for performing the following operation : 4
- $$X = B * C / D + (E - F)$$
- (d) What is the use of a large register file of RISC architecture ? Explain with the help of an example/diagram. 5
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