

PGDCA / MCA (I Year) / BCA

Term-End Examination

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CS-01 : COMPUTER FUNDAMENTALS

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 75

Note : Question no. 1 is compulsory. Answer any three questions from the rest.

1. (a) Make the truth table for the following expressions and design the digital logic circuit for the same. 5
 - (i) $f(x,y,z) = x'y + z' + xyz$
 - (ii) $f(x,y,z) = x'(y'+z)$
- (b) Write a program in 8086 assembly language to multiply two single digit positive numbers by repeated addition method. (for example, to multiply 6×3 , the program evaluated the product by adding 6 three times) 6
- (c) Explain the use of segmentation in 8086 microprocessor. What are the various segments in 8086 microprocessor ? Illustrate the generation of physical address in 8086 microprocessor. 5

- (d) What is Cache Coherence ? Why is it important for shared memory multi-processor systems ? 5
- (e) Represent the following floating point numbers using 32 bits IEEE 754 floating point representation. 4
 (i) 22.25 (ii) 0.825
- (f) What is the importance of RISC machines. Explain the basic features of RISC architecture. 5
2. (a) 4-bit odd parity checker calculates the number of bits in the given 4 bits of data. If the number of bits are odd in the given number it generates output "1". For example, 8
 Input = 1011, output = 1
 Input = 0011, output = 0
 Using this logic, design a 4 - bit parity checker with the help of K-maps. Draw the resultant logic circuit.
- (b) How the Effective Address (EA) is calculated in the following addressing schemes ? Using suitable example of each. 5
 (i) Register Indirect Addressing
 (ii) Displacement addressing using Base Register.
- (c) Subtract - 27 from - 68 using 2's Complement. 2

3. (a) Write a program in 8086 assembly language to search for a number in a list of numbers. 6
- (b) Explain the differences between a branch instruction, a call instruction and an interrupt, using an example for each. 6
- (c) What is set-associative mapping scheme for cache memory. 3
4. (a) How can a J-K flip flop be constructed? Draw its logic diagram and characteristic table. 3
- (b) Explain the following Mnemonics of 8086 Instruction set with an example of each. 12
- (i) SHL
 - (ii) ROR
 - (iii) TEST
 - (iv) CBW
 - (v) NEG
 - (vi) POP
5. (a) Give at least three differences between loosely coupled microprocessors and Tightly coupled microprocessors. 3

- (b) Explain the following with the help of an example/diagram if needed 12
- (i) Vector Processing
 - (ii) Multi port memory
 - (iii) Vertical Micro instruction
 - (iv) Flags register
 - (v) Interleaved memory
 - (vi) Instruction Pipeline
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