

**B.Tech. – VI EP – ELECTRONICS AND
COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING
(BTECVI)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2016

BIEL-024 : EMBEDDED SYSTEMS DESIGN

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Note : Question no. 1 is compulsory. Attempt any four questions from the rest. All questions carry equal marks. Use of scientific calculator is permitted.

1. Choose the correct answer for the following questions : $7 \times 2 = 14$

- (a) Which of the following is more important in RTOS ?
- (i) Maximizing the throughput of the system
 - (ii) Maximizing the processor utilisation
 - (iii) Minimizing the response time
 - (iv) Response within certain stimulated time period

- (b) LED stands for
- (i) Light Emitter Diode
 - (ii) Light Emitting Diode
 - (iii) Light Editing Diode
 - (iv) Liquid Emitter Diode
- (c) Which of the following is commercially claimed RTOS ?
- (i) LINUX
 - (ii) Windows NT
 - (iii) VxWorks
 - (iv) Sun Solaris
- (d) Once a program is compiled, it can be loaded for execution
- (i) Only from the compiler generated starting address
 - (ii) Anywhere in the main memory
 - (iii) User needs to specify where the compiled code is to be loaded
 - (iv) It is loaded starting from address 0 in the main memory
- (e) Who sets the timer for pre-emptive scheduling ?
- (i) The user
 - (ii) The processor clock
 - (iii) The operating system scheduler
 - (iv) ALU clock

- (f) 8051 microcontroller is an embedded system.
- (i) True
 - (ii) False
- (g) DMA is set up by using an interrupt.
- (i) True
 - (ii) False
2. (a) Explain the role of processor selection in an embedded system. Also differentiate between microprocessor and microcontroller. 7
- (b) Define embedded system. Explain embedded system project management. Give some examples of sophisticated embedded systems. 7
3. (a) Discuss the various factors be considered for the selection of RTOS. Explain In-circuit emulator. 7
- (b) Explain message-queues, timer function and event memory management offered by RTOS. 7
4. (a) Describe the various addressing modes of 8051 microcontroller with suitable examples. 7
- (b) Explain the need of interrupts in processing systems. What is interrupt latency? Explain the factors affecting it. 7

5. (a) Draw the circuit diagram to interface LCD and 8051 microcontroller and explain it. 7
- (b) Explain the working of assembler, compiler and cross-compiler with suitable examples. 7
6. (a) Explain how subroutine calls are executed in 8051 microcontroller. Name the various registers of 8051 microcontroller. 7
- (b) Describe the core protocol. What is the importance of testability in the embedded system design? 7
7. Write short notes on any *two* of the following: $2 \times 7 = 14$
- (a) Ethernet
- (b) Various Interrupts in 8051 Microcontroller
- (c) Integrated Development Environment (IDE)
- (d) PIC Microcontroller
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