

**DIPLOMA - VIEP - ELECTRONICS AND
COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING (DECVI)/
ADVANCED LEVEL CERTIFICATE COURSE IN
ELECTRONICS AND COMMUNICATION
ENGINEERING (ACECVI)**

Term-End Examination

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BIEL-031 : MICROCONTROLLER

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

*Note : Attempt any **five** questions. Question no. 1 is compulsory. All questions carry equal marks. Scientific calculator is allowed.*

1. (a) Name three features of the 8051 microcontroller.
- (b) The flag register in the 8051 is called _____.
- (c) In the 8051, the machine cycle remains up to 12 clock cycles of the crystal frequency. (True/False)
- (d) Write the instructions to get status of P2.7 and put it on P2.0.

- (e) Write down different types of interrupts in 8051.
- (f) What is the largest hexadecimal value that can be moved into an 8-bit register ? What is its decimal equivalent ?
- (g) Is "MUL A, R1" a valid 8051 instruction ? Explain. 7×2=14
2. (a) Discuss the advantages of microcontroller based systems over microprocessor based systems. 7
- (b) Enlist the salient features of 8051 family of microcontrollers. 7
3. (a) Discuss the register set of MCS-51 family of microcontrollers. 7
- (b) Draw and discuss the internal architecture of 8051. 7
4. Discuss the following signal descriptions of 8051 : 7×2
- (a) ALE / PROG
- (b) \overline{EA} / V_{PP}
- (c) \overline{PSEN}

- (d) RXD
- (e) $\overline{INT_0}$ and $\overline{INT_1}$
- (f) \overline{WR}
- (g) \overline{RD}

5. (a) How does 8051 differentiate between external and internal program memory ? Explain in detail. 7
- (b) Draw and explain a typical stepper motor interface with 8255. 7

6. Draw and discuss the formats and bit definitions of the following SFRs of 8051 : 7×2

- (a) PCON
- (b) TCON
- (c) IE
- (d) IP
- (e) TMOD
- (f) PSW
- (g) SCON

7. (a) Explain the different modes of operation of 8255. 7
- (b) What is the advantage of DMA controlled data transfer over interrupt driven or program controlled data transfer ? Why is DMA controlled data transfer faster ? 7
8. Write short notes on any **two** of the following : $2 \times 7 = 14$
- (a) EEPROM and FLASH Memory
- (b) Power Saving Options of 8051
- (c) Minimum System Configuration of 8085
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