

V Semester B.C.A. Degree Examination, March 2023  
(CBCS) (F+R) (Y2K14)  
COMPUTER SCIENCE  
BCA 503 : Computer Architecture

Max. Marks : 100

Time : 3 Hours

**Instruction :** Answer *all* Sections.

SECTION – A

(10×2=20)

- I. Answer **any ten** questions. **Each** carries **two** marks.
- 1) Write the logic symbol, expression and truth table of EX-OR gate.
  - 2) List the various types of TTL family.
  - 3) What is a minterm ? Give example.
  - 4) Define Multiplexer and Demultiplexer.
  - 5) Convert  $FACE_{(16)}$  to decimal.
  - 6) List out the types of shift registers.
  - 7) What is a BSA instruction ?
  - 8) Mention two applications of register transfer language.
  - 9) What is PSW ?
  - 10) Name the two types of computer architecture based on registers.
  - 11) What is Handshaking ?
  - 12) What is virtual memory ?

SECTION – B

(5×5=25)

- II. Answer **any five** questions. **Each** question carries **five** marks.
- 13) Explain Von Neumann architecture with a neat diagram.
  - 14) State and prove De Morgan's theorems.
  - 15) Prove that unweighted excess 3 code is a self complementing code.
  - 16) Explain various input output instructions.



- 17) Explain the design of accumulator logic with a neat diagram.
- 18) Write a note on addressing modes.
- 19) Explain DMA controller with a block diagram.
- 20) Write a note on cache memory.

## SECTION – C

III. Answer **any three** questions. **Each** question carries **fifteen** marks. (3×15=45)

- 21) a) Simplify  $F(A, B, C, D) = \sum m(1, 3, 7, 11, 15) + \sum d(0, 2, 5)$  using K-map. 8
- b) Explain full adder with a neat logic diagram. 7
- 22) a) Design an octal to binary encoder. 8
- b) Explain the steps involved in the design of the sequential circuits. 7
- 23) Explain the design of basic computer with flow chart. 15
- 24) a) Explain data transfer instructions. 8
- b) Differentiate between CISC and RISC. 7
- 25) a) Explain memory hierarchy. 8
- b) Explain the working of associative memory. 7

## SECTION – D

IV. Answer **any one** question. **Each** question carries **ten** marks. (1×10=10)

- 26) a) Explain LDA and STA instructions. 5
  - b) Explain the working of JK flip-flop. 5
  - 27) a) Explain common bus system. 5
  - b) List the applications of EEPROM. 5
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