

Time: 2 hour 30 minutes

Q1.

Choose the correct option for following questions. All the Questions are compulsory and carry equal marks

1.

8086 supports _____ software Interrupts

Option A:

2

Option B:

64K

Option C:

256

Option D:

8

2.

In 8086 size of pre fetch queue is

Option A:

6 Byte

Option B:

4 Byte

Option C:

4 Bit

Option D:

2 Byte

3.

The instruction that unconditionally transfers the control of execution to the specified address is

Option A:

JMP

Option B:

IRET

Option C:

RET

Option D:

CALL

4.

In PUSH instruction, after each execution of the instruction, the stack pointer is

Option A:

incremented by 1

Option B:

decremented by 1

Option C:

incremented by 2

Option D:

decremented by 2

5.

_____ stores the bits required to mask the IR lines of 8259

Option A:

ISR

Option B:

IMR

Option C:

IRR

Option D:

PR

6.

The bus is available when the DMA controller receives the signal

Option A:

HRQ

Option B:

HLDA

Option C:

DACK

Option D:

INTA

7.

Which control registers of 80386 are associated with paging mechanism?

Option A:

CR0, CR2, CR3

Option B:

CR1, CR2, CR3

Option C:

CR0, CR1 CR2

Option D	CR0, CR1, CR2, CR4
8	How many flags are active in flag register of 80486?
Option A	9
Option B	12
Option C	13
Option D	10
9	What lead to the development of MSI and MLI protocol?
Option A	Cache size
Option B	Cache Coherency
Option C	Bus snooping
Option D	Number of caches
10	Hyperthreading uses the concept of
Option A	Simultaneous multithreading
Option B	Distributed decoding
Option C	Multiple switching
Option D	Pipelining

Q2	Solve any Two Questions out of Three	10 marks each
A	Explain and draw IVT? Differentiate between hardware and software interrupts?	
B	Explain descriptors and paging mechanism in protected mode of 80386?	
C	Explain the Initialization command words (ICWs) and Operational command words (OCWs) of the 8259 PIC.	

Q3	Solve any Two Questions out of Three	10 marks each
A	Write an 8086 assembly language program to print the flag registers	
B	Design 8086 microprocessor based system working in minimum mode with the following specifications. I) 8086 microprocessor working at 8 MHz. II) 16 KB EPROM using 8K devices. Clearly show memory map with address range. Draw a neat schematic.	
C	Explain protection mechanism of 80386 with diagram.	

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Q4	Solve any Two Questions out of Three	10 marks each
A	Draw and explain timing diagram of memory read and memory write operation in minimum mode.	
B	Explain Pentium 4 Net burst micro architecture and write a note on hyperthreading	
C	Explain Integer and Floating Point Pipeline of Pentium.	