

Assignment

Q1. what is a computer?

Ans.1 An electronic machine that can store, find and arrange information, calculate amounts and control other machines.

Q2. What is RAM?

Ans.2 RAM (random access memory) is a computer's short-term memory, where the data that the processor is currently using is stored.

Q3. Where does Data store in a computer?

Ans.3 Data is copied from the computer's main memory (random-access memory or RAM), and then written to **the hard disk**. The drive is the mechanical device that writes the data to the disk.

Q4. What is the input device used to type text and number on a document in the computer?

Ans.4 **The keyboard** is an input device that allows you to enter letters, numbers and symbols into your computer. The keyboard keys include the alphanumeric keys (letters and numbers), numeric keypad special function keys, mouse cursor moving keys, and status lights.

Q.5 What are the Output device?

Ans.5 A piece of equipment/hardware which gives out the result of the entered input, once it is processed is called an output device. For example printer, monitor, etc.

Q.6 Which is the input device that allow a user to move the cursor or pointer on the screen?

Ans.6 Mouse is a pointing device that controls the position of the cursor on a computer screen without using keyboard. It is called pointing device because it is used to point and select option on scree.

Q.7 Which language is directly understood by the computer without a translation program?

Ans.7 Machine language gives instructions as 0's and 1's and is the only language that the computer understands.

Q.8 What are Input device?

Ans.8 An input device allows data such as text, images, video or sound to be entered into a computer system.