

ENS1161 Computer Fundamentals

Module 11 - Revision Questions

- 1. List 4 requirements for embedded systems that differ from the requirements for general purpose computers. Explain two of these in more detail, using examples to illustrate your points.
- 2. Briefly explain the difference between transformational systems and reactive systems.
- 3. Explain what is meant by real-time embedded systems. Give an example of an application that would require real-time embedded systems.
- 4. Briefly explain what is meant by Internet of Things. Give two examples of how embedded systems are used in applications using IoT.
- 5. Explain the function of a data centre, and some of the services provided by a typical data centre.
- 6. Briefly describe the concept of cloud computing and the main advantages of cloud computing over traditional IT infrastructure deployment.
- 7. Explain what is meant by each of the following, giving examples for each:
 - a. laaS
 - b. PaaS
 - c. SaaS
 - d. Other XaaS components