

## 01: MICRO PROCESSOR

→ General architecture of a Comp =

A comp is an programmable electronic device that access raw data as input & processes it with a set of instructions to produce the result as output.

Thus a comp consist for functionally independent main parts -

a) input unit

b) output "

c) memory "

d) CPU

→ Input unit =

\* It access an interface for man to machine communication.

\* (C) of input unit -

\* access the data & instructions from the output data outside.

\* convert the received analog data into comp acceptable digital form.

\* Supply the digital form of data & instructions to comp system for further processing

\* e.g. → keyboard, mouse

→ Output unit =

It's the job is just the reverse



of that of an input unit

\* ( ) of o. units —

- \* access the result produced by the comp by binary coded form.
- \* Convert the binary coded into humanly acceptable form.
- \* Supply the converted result into outside world.
- \* eg → monitor, printers, speakers.

⇒ memory =

- \* The data & instructions that are entered into the comp system through the input unit have to be stored inside the comp bfore the actual processing start.
- \* Similarly, the results produced by the comp ~~after~~ must also be kept somewhere inside the comp system bfore being passed on to the output unit.
- \* The memory unit performs all above ( )s.

⇒ cpu = (brain of the comp)

- \* All major calculations & computations are made inside the cpu
- \* The cpu is also responsible for activating & controlling the operations of other units of comp system.
- \* Its components are register, CU & ALU



⇒ Registers ⇒

- \* They are the <sup>temporary</sup> storage locations within the CPU where the data fetched from the memory can be held.
- \* Most comp use several types of registers, each designed to perform a particular task.
- \* eg → Accumulator, prog. counter, memory address register, memory buffer (r) instruction (r), etc.

⇒ ALU =

ALU of a comp system is the place where the actual execution of instruction takes place during the data processing operation.

ALU's are designed to perform the 4 basic Arithmetic operations  $+$ ,  $-$ ,  $*$ ,  $/$  & logical operations  $<$ ,  $=$ ,  $>$

⇒ Control Unit = (CU)

CU acts as a nerve centre of a comp, bcz it controls & coordinates the entire comp system.

CU performs follow ( )s →

- \* Fetches the instructions from primary memory at the location pointed by the PC (prog. counter) register.
- \* Decodes the instructions in the instruction register.
- \* Executes the instructions by means of sequencing a series of control



Signals to other components of CPU.  
\* Controls all the data transfer  
b/w the components [memory & I/O devices]

⇒ Buses =

- \* The diffn units of comp system are inter connected by common parallel signal lines → Buses.
  - \* The 3 principal in a comp system —
    - a) data bus
    - b) Control bus
    - c) Address bus
- 3 buses together → System buses