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Course Name: Computer Architecture

Time: 3 (Three) Hours

Full Marks: 60

Use single answer script

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There are 7 (Seven) Questions. Answer any 5(Five).

Question 1. [Marks: 12]		
a)	What is SPEC rating? What is its purpose? How the SPEC rating is calculated?	[3]
b)	Write necessary machine instructions to evaluate the following statement: $A = (A+2) * B - C * (D+200)$ using one address instruction format.	[4]
c)	Describe the basic functional units of a computer.	[5]
Question 2. [Marks: 12]		
a)	Briefly explain the three factors that affect the performance of a computer.	[3]
b)	What is condition code register or status register? How Condition Codes or Status Flags Set/Reset? Explain with an example.	[4]
c)	Write a machine language program to find the multiplication of 10 integer numbers of an array using indirect addressing mode. Assume that the word length is 32 bits and the memory is byte addressable. The addresses of the memory locations containing the 10 numbers are symbolically given as NUM1, NUM2,.....NUM10 and after the multiplication, the result is placed in memory location RESULT.	[5]
Question 3. [Marks: 12]		
a)	Draw the flowchart of Sequential division Algorithm for unsigned numbers.	[3]
b)	Design a sequential multiplier circuit for unsigned numbers. Explain its various components and operations.	[4]
c)	Multiply $(0101)_2$ by $(0011)_2$ using the Sequential Multiplication Algorithm.	[5]
Question 4. [Marks: 12]		
a)	Define: Strobe, Bit rate, bridge circuit.	[3]
b)	What is Synchronous and Asynchronous Bus? What are their relative advantages and disadvantages?	[3]
c)	Show the micro routine corresponding to the following instruction: ADD – (R3), R4 for “Single Bus CPU Datapath Architecture”. Assume that word length=4 bytes.	[6]

Question 5. [Marks: 12]		
a)	What is the role of Interrupt Enable and Interrupt Disable instructions? How they are used by ISR? What is the role of the IE bit inside the I/O device interface and inside the CPU?	[3]
b)	Identify the differences between single-bus and three-bus architecture.	[3]
c)	Describe the two different design paradigms for the CPU control unit.	[6]
Question 6. [Marks: 12]		
a)	Draw the schematic diagrams of the memory hierarchy and briefly explain the different levels of the memory hierarchy.	[3]
b)	“Pipeline increases the throughput of the system, but the latency of each instruction is still remained unchanged” – Do you agree? Explain with an example.	[3]
c)	Explain the Direct mapped, Set Associative and Fully Associative Cache Architecture using examples. What are the advantages and disadvantages of direct mapping, associative mapping and set associative mapping?	[6]
Question 7. [Marks: 12]		
a)	What do you understand by locality of reference? State the two principles of locality of reference.	[3]
b)	Describe Superscalar operation.	[4]
c)	Explain the Operand forwarding technique with an example.	[5]