

III B. Tech I Semester Regular Examinations, October/November - 2018**COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE AND ORGANIZATION**

(Common to Electronics and Communication Engineering, Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

Note: 1. Question Paper consists of two parts (**Part-A** and **Part-B**)2. Answer **ALL** the question in **Part-A**3. Answer any **FOUR** Questions from **Part-B**

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**PART -A**

1. a) Define program? Explain about the term input unit. [2M]
- b) Define and discuss about straight-line sequencing. [2M]
- c) Write a note on immediate operands of an arithmetic operands. [2M]
- d) Define interrupt-acknowledge signal and interrupt latency. [3M]
- e) Discuss briefly about PROM. [3M]
- f) What action are required for executing this instruction Add (R3),R1. [2M]

**PART -B**

2. a) Draw and explain single bus structure. [7M]
- b) Draw the functional unit of a computer and discuss about the control unit in details. [7M]
3. a) Explain the following addressing modes. [7M]  
i) Index mode ii) Auto increment mode iii) Auto decrement mode.
- b) Write a short note on rotate instructions. [7M]
4. a) Write a short note on branch instruction. [7M]
- b) Discuss briefly about secondary storage devices. [7M]
5. a) Discuss about Synchronous bus and draw the timing diagram of input transfer of synchronous bus. [7M]
- b) Discuss briefly about peripheral component interconnect (PCI). [7M]
6. a) Define locality of reference and explain use of a cache memory and direct – mapped cache. [7M]
- b) Write a short note on interleaving. [7M]
7. a) Define ALU? Explain the arithmetic and logical operation. [7M]
- b) Draw the microinstruction-sequencing organization of next-address field and explain it. [7M]

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**PART -A**

1.
  - a) Describe the term memory unit. [2M]
  - b) Define and discuss about instruction execute. [2M]
  - c) Write a note on shifted immediate operand. [2M]
  - d) Write a note on DMA. [3M]
  - e) Discuss briefly about EPROM. [3M]
  - f) Write the control sequence for execution of the instruction Add(R3),R1. [2M]

**PART –B**

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|----|----|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| 2. | a) | Write about the history of development of the computer.                        | [7M] |
|    | b) | Define system software? Discuss briefly about software and its processor time. | [7M] |
| 3. | a) | Discuss briefly about basic input/output operations.                           | [7M] |
|    | b) | Write a note on shift instruction.                                             | [7M] |
| 4. | a) | List and explain any three types of addressing modes of computer organization. | [7M] |
|    | b) | What are logic Instructions? Explain.                                          | [7M] |
| 5. | a) | Write a note on enabling and disabling interrupts.                             | [7M] |
|    | b) | Discuss about Interface Circuits.                                              | [7M] |
| 6. | a) | Draw and explain a block diagram of a 4M*32 memory unit using 1M*4DRAM chips.  | [7M] |
|    | b) | Write a short note on optical disks.                                           | [7M] |
| 7. | a) | Write a short note on register transfers.                                      | [7M] |
|    | b) | Draw the flowchart of a micro program for the Add scr, Rdst instruction.       | [7M] |

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**PART -A**

1.
  - a) Define the term processor and discuss about output unit. [2M]
  - b) Discuss about Condition Register (CR) and Integer Exception Register (XER). [2M]
  - c) Write a note on condition codes for branch instruction. [2M]
  - d) Discuss about interrupt vector. [3M]
  - e) Discuss briefly about EEPROM. [3M]
  - f) Write the control sequence for an unconditional branch instruction. [2M]

**PART –B**

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|----|----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|
| 2. | a) | Discuss the basic aspects of computer performance.                                                                    | [7M] |
|    | b) | Draw and explain the Read and Write requests and timing diagram of a read operation of CPU and external bus transfer. | [7M] |
| 3. | a) | Explain the role of stack and queues in computer programming equation.                                                | [7M] |
|    | b) | Write a note on logic instructions.                                                                                   | [7M] |
| 4. | a) | Explain about Arithmetic Instructions                                                                                 | [7M] |
|    | b) | What is the significance of Addressing modes? Explain.                                                                | [7M] |
| 5. | a) | Define DMA and draw the two-channel DMA controller and explain it.                                                    | [7M] |
|    | b) | Draw and explain input/output interface circuit connecting a keyboard to an asynchronous bus.                         | [7M] |
| 6. | a) | Discuss briefly about basic memory circuits.                                                                          | [7M] |
|    | b) | Write a short note on magnetic hard disks.                                                                            | [7M] |
| 7. | a) | Discuss how to fetch a word from memory.                                                                              | [7M] |
|    | b) | Explain the microinstructions of the micro programmed control.                                                        | [7M] |

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