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VASAVI COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING (Autonomous), HYDERABAD
M.C.A. (CBCS) I-Semester Backlog Examinations, January-2018

Computer Organization

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

Note: Answer ALL questions in Part-A and any FIVE from Part-B

Part-A (10 × 2 = 20 Marks)

1. Determine by means of truth table the validity of DeMorgan's theorem for three variables $(ABC)^1 = A^1 + B^1 + C^1$.
2. Draw 4-bit synchronous binary counter.
3. Explain about Three-State Bus Buffers.
4. Illustrate the need for Accumulator.
5. Define a) Microprogram b) Micro-operation.
6. "A computer is not just a calculator but also a symbol manipulator", Justify.
7. List any four addressing modes where effective address is obtained by computation.
8. Write the steps in division algorithm.
9. Compare isolated I/O and memory-mapped I/O.
10. Draw the memory hierarchy in a computer system.

Part-B (5 × 10 = 50 Marks)

11. a) Illustrate the working of a 4-to-1 line multiplexer using figure and function table. [5]
b) Explain different ways of integer representation. [5]
12. a) Discuss the working of a 4-bit binary adder using a figure. [4]
b) Write and explain the steps involved in an Interrupt Cycle, using flowchart. [6]
13. a) Illustrate the need for program interrupt. [5]
b) Explain how the mapping from instruction code to a microinstruction address can be done by means of a read only memory. [5]
14. a) How are branch instructions handled in a pipeline? [5]
b) Draw and explain one stage of a decimal arithmetic unit that can add or subtract two BCD digits. [5]
15. a) Write about associative mapping and direct mapping in cache memory [5]
b) Explain Daisy-Chaining Priority, using a figure. [5]
16. a) State the different types of flip-flops. Explain using truth tables. [5]
b) Explain Instruction cycle with the help of a Flow Chart. [5]
17. Answer any *two* of the following:
a) Discuss the working of the Microprogram Sequencer [5]
b) Explain various addressing modes with an example [5]
c) Discuss Direct Memory Access in detail. [5]