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B.Tech.

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COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE & ORGANIZATION

Time : 3 Hours]

[Total Marks : 100

SECTION – A

10 × 2 = 20

1. Attempt all parts of this question :

- What is design methodology ?
- Name the different design levels of computer design.
- Draw the block diagram of processor-memory communication.
- What is Normalization and Biasing ?
- What is fixed point arithmetic ?
- Write down the general formulas for floating-point operations.
- What do you mean by Control Path of a design ?
- What do you mean by effective address of data ?
- What are Horizontal and Vertical micro-instructions ?
- What is Multiprogramming & Pipe Lining ?



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SECTION – B

2. Attempt any three parts of this question :

3 × 10 = 30

- What is register level design ? Design a single function circuit performing $Z = A + B$ and a multifunction circuit for the same.
- Discuss Architectural Extensions in which basic design of small accumulator-based CPU can be improved. Draw the organization of processor with foregoing features.
- What are Combinational Array Multipliers ? Illustrate the Booth multiplication Algorithm.

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- (d) List the major steps of the classical design method for control path. Design a All-NAND classical design for the control unit of the gcd processor.
- (e) Explain control unit organization. Differentiate between spatial and temporal locality of reference. Aid your answer with suitable examples.

SECTION – C

Attempt all questions & Attempt any two parts from each question :

5 × 10 = 50

- 3. (a) Explain Internal organization of a CPU and Cache Memory.
(b) Discuss about advantages and disadvantages of PLD's.
(c) Design a 4-bit register with parallel I/O and 4-bit register with parallel load.

- 4. (a) What is the need of addressing mode ? A two word instruction is stored in memory, at an address designated by symbol W. The address field of the instruction (stored at W + 1) is designated by symbol Y. The operand used during the execution of instruction is stored at an address symbolized by Z.
An index register contains the value X. Show how Z is calculated from other address if the addressing mode of the instruction is (i) direct (ii) indirect.
(b) Discuss about Exceptional conditions in arithmetic operations involving n-bit numbers.
(c) Explain with block diagram Error Detection and Correction Logic.

- 5. (a) What are high speed adders ? Design a Carry Lookahead adder.
(b) Design a data path unit with an ALU and a register file.
(c) Draw and explain data path of a floating-point arithmetic unit.

- 6. (a) Draw a structure of an 8M x 8 bit DRAM chip. Explain its specifications.
(b) Draw a structure of a translation look-aside buffer and explain its working.
(c) Explain the organization of a four stage instruction pipelining.

- 7. (a) Draw and explain typical micro programmed controller.
(b) What is program control unit ? Design a state transition graph for the accumulator – based CPU.
(c) Describe through diagram how matched word can be read out from an associative memory.

