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CORE COURSE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

5B11 CSC(E06) : Digital Systems and Microprocessors (Elective)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Weightage : 21

Instructions: Section A : Answer **all** questions.Section B : Answer **any five** – Weightage **1** for **each** question.Section C : Answer **any five** – Weightage **2** for **each** question.Section D : Answer **any one** – Weightage **4**.

SECTION – A

Answer **all** question. Weightage for a bunch of **4** questions is **1**.

1. Given any logic circuit with NOR gates, one can replace it with a bubbled _____ gate.
2. _____ is a visual display of SOP solution.
3. If the inputs to a BCD to decimal decoder is 1010 the output will be _____
4. _____ is an example of asynchronous counter. (W = 1)
5. Physical address in 8086 has _____ bits.
6. Interrupt INTR can be masked using _____ bit in PSW.
7. 8255 has _____ programmable I/O pin connections.
8. How many 8259A IC are required to have 64 interrupt inputs ? (W = 1)



Answer **any five** questions. Weightage **1** for **each**.

9. What is a logic gate ?
10. State the associative property of Boolean algebra.
11. Mention two uses of decoder.
12. Define race around condition.
13. How many interrupt lines does 8086 have ? What do they do ?
14. What is the purpose of MN/MX pin ?
15. What is priority resolver ?
16. What is the advantage of using DMA in data transfer ?

(5×1=5)

SECTION – C

Answer **any five** questions. Weightage **2** for **each**.

17. Differentiate a demultiplexer and a decoder on the basis of their design and function.
18. Draw the logic circuit for

$$Y = (\bar{A} + B + C) (A + B + \bar{C}).$$

Use Boolean algebra to simplify the equation. Then draw the corresponding logic circuit.

19. How an SR flip-flop can be converted to J-K flip-flop ?
20. What are synchronous and asynchronous counters ?
21. Explain the functions of various registers in 8086.
22. Why 8086 uses 20 bit address bus ? How I/O devices are addressed ?
23. What are the addressing modes of 8086 ? Explain.
24. How 8255 IC act as a peripheral interface with 8086 microprocessor ?

(5×2=10)

SECTION – D

Answer **any one** question. Weightage **4** for **each**.

25. a) What is propagation delay ? How it affects the digital circuits ?
b) With neat diagrams explain mod-3 counter.
26. What is 8254 ? Discuss its various operating modes and areas of applications.

(1×4=4)