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BCA 5B 08—COMPUTER ORGANISATION AND ARCHITECTURE

(2017 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Part A

Write short answer on **all** questions. Each question carries 1 mark.

- 1. What is a register ?
- 2. What is a NOT gate ?
- 3. Name two universal gates.
- 4. What is negative logic?
- 5. What is the feature of an asynchronous counter ?
- 6. What do you mean by an instruction code ?
- 7. What is the purpose of a micro program sequencer ?
- 8. What is the use of DMA?
- 9. What do you mean by priority interrupt?
- 10. What is hardwired control?

Part B

Write a paragraph on **all** questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. What is a logic gate?
- 12. What is a ripple carry adder ?
- 13. Mention *four* types of shift registers.
- 14. Why decade counter is called so?

Turn over

 $(10 \times 1=10 \text{ marks})$

Maximum : 80 Marks



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- 15. What is the use of IR and TR registers ?
- 16. What do you mean by virtual memory ?
- 17. What is the disadvantage of strobe method in asynchronous data transfer ?
- 18. What do you mean by cache hit ratio?

 $(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ marks})$

Part C

Write short essay on any **six** questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 19. Explain the NAND gate with logic design and truth tables.
- 20. Explain decoders with block diagram and truth table.
- 21. Explain the concept of full adder.
- 22. Explain the concept of de-multiplexers.
- 23. Explain with block diagram, the concept of T flip flop.
- 24. Explain various memory reference instructions.
- 25. Explain three-address and two-address instruction formats.
- 26. Explain the organization of a memory stack.
- 27. What are the differences between a central computer and a peripheral device ?

 $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ marks})$

Part D

Write essays on any **three** questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

- 28. Explain half subtractor and full subtractor with block diagrams and truth tables.
- 29. Explain in detail the D flip-flop.
- 30. Explain with concept and working of Ring counter.
- 31. Explain various addressing modes with syntax and examples.
- 32. Explain the design of accumulator logic.

 $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ marks})$