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Elective

Electronics and Communication Engineering

01UEC903 - COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE AND ORGANIZATION

(Regulation 2013)

Duration: 1.15 hrs

Maximum: 30 Marks

PART A - (6 x 1 = 6 Marks)

**(Answer any six of the following questions)**

- The addressing mode which makes use of in-direction pointers is
  - Indirect addressing mode
  - Index addressing mode
  - Relative addressing mode
  - Offset addressing mode
- Floating point representation is used to store
  - boolean values
  - whole numbers
  - real integers
  - integers
- In computers, subtraction is generally carried out by
  - 9's complement
  - 10's complement
  - 1's complement
  - 2's complement
- Pipeline implement
  - fetch instruction
  - decode instruction
  - fetch operand
  - calculate operand
- CPU does not perform the operation
  - data transfer
  - logic operation
  - arithmetic operation
  - all the above

6. A micro program written as string of 0's and 1's is a
- (a) symbolic microinstruction                      (b) binary microinstruction  
(c) symbolic micro program                      (d) binary micro program
7. The techniques which move the program blocks to or from the physical memory is called as
- (a) Paging    (b) Virtual memory organization  
(c) Overlays    (d) Framing
8. The associatively mapped virtual memory makes use of
- (a) Translation Look-aside Buffer                      (b) Page table  
(c) Frame table    (d) None of these
9. The computer architecture aimed at reducing the time of execution of instructions is
- (a) CISC                      (b) RISC                      (c) ISA                      (d) ANNA
10. Interrupts which are initiated by an instruction are
- (a) internal                      (b) external                      (c) hardware                      (d) software

PART – B (3 x 8= 24 Marks)

**(Answer any three of the following questions)**

11. Explain zero, one, two and three addressing instructions with example. (8)
12. With a neat block diagram explain in detail about CPU-coprocessor interfacing. (8)
13. Explain the design of micro-programmed control unit for the two's complement multiplier with a diagram. (8)
14. Design the following RAM using  $N \times w$  bit IC RAM.
- (1)  $N \times 4w$  bit RAM
- (2)  $4N \times w$  bit RAM (8)
15. With a diagram explain static and dynamic redundancy for designing fault tolerant system. (8)