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Third Semester

Electronics and Communication Engineering

21UEC302 – DIGITAL ELECTRONICS AND DESIGN

(Regulations 2021)

Duration: Three hours

Maximum: 100 Marks

Answer ALL Questions

PART A - (5 x 1 = 5 Marks)

1. The 2's complement representation of  $-17$  is CO1-U  
(a) 01110                      (b) 01111                      (c) 11110                      (d) 10001
2. How many data select lines are required for selecting eight inputs? CO1-U  
(a) 1                              (b) 2                              (c) 3                              (d) 4
3. How many natural states will be there in a 4-bit ripple counter? CO1-U  
(a) 4                              (b) 8                              (c) 16                              (d) 32
4. Asynchronous sequential logic circuits usually perform operations in \_\_\_\_\_ CO1-U  
(a) identical mode      (b) fundamental mode      (c) reserved mode      (d) reset mode
5. A register is able to hold \_\_\_\_\_ CO1-U  
(a) Data                      (b) Word                      (c) Nibble                      (d) Both data and word

PART – B (5 x 3= 15Marks)

6. For a switching function of 'n' variables, how many distinct min terms and max terms are possible? CO1-U
7. Compare encoder and decoder. CO1-U
8. Differentiate RS flip flop and JK flip flop. CO1-U
9. Differentiate synchronous and asynchronous sequential circuits. CO1-U
10. How many programmable gates are needed for PROM? CO1-U

PART – C (5 x 16= 80Marks)

11. (a) Find a minimal sum-of-products for the Boolean expression  $f(w, x, y, z) = \sum m(1,2,3,7,8,9,10,11,14,15)$  by using tabulation method. CO2-App (16)
- Or
- (b) Find a minimal sum-of-products for the Boolean expression  $f(A, B, C, D) = \sum (1,3,4,5,9,10,11) + \sum \phi(6,8)$  by using the tabulation method. CO2-App (16)
12. (a) Design a combinational circuit which has three inputs and produces two outputs using logic gates. CO2-App (16)
- Or
- (b) Design a combinational circuit that converts a four-bit gray code to binary code. CO2 - App (16)
13. (a) Design a SR, JK, D and T flip flops. CO2-App (16)
- Or
- (b) Design a shift registers by using flip flops. CO2-App (16)
14. (a) Design a synchronous sequential circuit which adds the numbers bit by bit. CO2-App (16)
- Or
- (b) Design a hazard free switching circuits with relevant examples. CO2-App (16)
15. (a) Design a PLA circuit with an example. CO2-App (16)
- Or
- (b) Design a Binary-to-Gray converter using read only memory architecture. CO2-App (16)