Bachelor of Computer Applications 6th Semester Examination

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COMPUTER ORGANIZATION Paper: BCA-602

Time: 3 Hours] [Max. Marks: 90

Note: Attempt five questions in all, selecting one from each Section A, B, C and D. Question No. 9 is compulsory.

Section-A

- (a) Discuss evolution of computers in terms of capacity, memory, speed and other important factors.
 - (b) What are multiplexers? Discuss the design of a 4 × 1 multiplexer. 9,9
- 2. (a) Explain stored program concept and discuss Von Neumann architecture based upon that.

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(b)	What is	Booth's	algorithm	? Explain	its
	functionin	g with the	e help of an	n example.	9,9

Section-B

- 3. (a) What are addressing modes? Explain any five addressing modes.
 - (b) Differentiate between the following:
 - (i) Strobe based and handshake based communication
 - (ii) Vector and priority interrupts 10,8
- 4. (a) Explain instruction formats for 16 bit instructions with reference to:
 - (i) Memory reference instructions
 - (ii) Register reference instructions
 - (iii) Input-output instructions
 - (b) What is a bus? Draw a diagram of bus showing movement of data between registers and memory and explain data movement.
 - (c) What is the use of stacks in CPU organization? 6,8,4

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Section-C

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5.	(a)	What is RAM? What are different types of	
		RAM ? Explain the difference between them.	
	(b)	What are micro-operations ? Explain different	
		types of micro-operations in a computer system.	9,9
6.	(a)	Write a program in assembly language to subtract a number from another. Also explain its working.	
	(b)	(v) What is an instruction set? Give example.	
	(b)	Differentiate between machine, assembly	9,9
		language and high level langauges.	,,,
		Section-D	
7.	(a)	What are different types of cards in a PC?	
		Give their functional description.	
	(b)	Write short notes on the following:	
		(i) Diagnostics on a PC	
		(ii) PC Doctor	9,9
8.	(a)	What is a Computer Virus ? What steps will	
		you take to detect, protect and cure a PC	
		infected with virus ?	
	(b)	Write short description of physical components	
		of a computer.	1,7

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(Compulsory Question)

2 each

- 9. (i) What are flip-flops? Where are they used?
 - (ii) Explain floating point representation of real numbers.
 - (iii) What are Counters?
 - (iv) What are interrupts ?
 - (v) What is an instruction set? Give example.
 - (vi) What is Cache Memory?
 - (vii) What are pseudo-operations?
 - (viii) Explain the concept of virtual memory.
 - (ix) Explain the use of Norton utility.

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