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Bachelor of Computer Applications

CORE COURSE - CA3CRT01 - MICROPROCESSOR AND PC HARDWARE

2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

Part A

Answer any ten questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1. Define instruction cycle.
- 2. What are interrupts of Intel 8085?
- 3. Explain instruction format of 8085.
- 4. What is the difference between shift and rotate insturction?
- 5. What is meant by logical group of instructions?
- 6. What is meant by co-processor?
- 7. Write about super I/O chip.
- 8. Define memory bus.
- 9. Define tracks and sectors.
- 10. What is the function of logic board in HDD?
- 11. What are the advantages of VFAT over FAT?
- 12. What do you know about extended memory?

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Part B

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.

13. Write note on stack pointer register.



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- 14. Define timing diagram and explain with the timing diagram for opcode fetch cycle.
- 15. Briefly explain the instruction set of Intel 8085
- 16. Define motherboard and write the importance of motherboard in the system.
- 17. Explain the importance of POST in booting process.
- 18. What are the factors consider while we are selecting a motherboard?
- 19. What are the different recording media with the HDD?
- 20. Compare and contrast FAT and FAT32.
- 21. Define memory modules and explain any one type of memory module.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

Part C

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

- 22. With the help of pin diagram explain the operations of 8085 microprocessor.
- 23. Write the importance of local buses and discuss about PCI local bus.
- 24. Explain the disk formatting method in HDD.
- 25. Explain conventional memory, upper memory are and high memory area with suitable diagram.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$

