

BCA-01

Computer Fundamental and Introduction to Digital Logic

Bachelor of Computer Application (BCA-11/16/17)

First Semester, Examination 2019

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

Note : This paper is of Eighty (80) marks divided into three (03) sections. A, B and C. Attempt the questions contained in these sections according to the detailed instructions given therein.

Section –A

(Long Answer Type Questions)

Note : Section 'A' contains four (04) long answer type questions of Nineteen (19) marks each. Learners are required to answer any two (02) questions only.

(2×19 = 38)

Q1: Answer the following questions:

- a. What is a Computer? Draw the schematic block diagram of a computer showing its essential components and explain the function of each component. 08

- b. What are logic gates? Explain AND gate and draw the schematic block diagram of a 3 – input AND gate with its truth table. 08
- c. Convert $(0.5A6B)_{16}$ to its decimal equivalent. 01
- d. Convert $(125)_{10}$ to its binary equivalent. 01
- e. Calculate 2's complement of the binary number 101100. 01

Q2: Answer the following questions.

- a. Explain flip –flop with its function. Draw the schematic diagram of a JK flip flop with its working principle. 07
- b. Using DeMorgan's theorem, show that: 07
- $(A+B)'(A'+B)' = 0$
 - $A'B+A'B' = 1$
- c. Derive the control gates associated with the program counter PC in the basic computer. 2.5
- d. Explain the difference between NAND or NOR? 2.5

Q3: Answer the following questions:

- a. What is CPU? Discuss the role of CPU in a computer system. 07
- b. What is the difference between counter and register? 07

- c. Define the term RAM and ROM with their merits, demerits and area of applications. 05

Q4. Answer the following questions:

- a. Explain the word 'peripheral' with the help of example? Discuss the function of input and output devices with example. 07
- b. Explain the function of Address Bus, Data Bus and Control Bus. 07
- c. What are truth tables? Explain with suitable examples. 05

Section – B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

Note : Section 'B' contains eight (08) short answer type questions of Eight (08) marks each. Learners are required to answer four (04) questions only. (4x8=32)

Q1: What are the Boolean theorems? Discuss their usefulness in respect to logic design.

Q2: Simplify the following expression using Boolean algebra.

- a. $A+AB$
b. $AB +AB'$
c. $A'BC+AC$
d. $A'B+ABC'+ABC$

Q3: Draw the block diagram of a dual 4 to 1 line multiplexers and explain its operation by means of a function table.

Q4: Answer the following questions:

- a. Subtract binary number 01.11 from 10.00
- b. Subtract binary number 001 from 100.
- c. Add binary number 11.10 to 01.11.
- d. Add binary number 10110 to 00110.

Q5: Represent the following numbers using floating point notation. (Assume 16 bit word)

- a. 10110.1101
- b. 11011100.10
- c. 0.000011011011

Q6: Prove that $(A \oplus B) \oplus C = A \oplus (B \oplus C)$.

Q7: What is flash memory? Explain the two types of flash memory and compare their characteristics.

Q8: Write short notes on following:

- a. Encoder
- b. Full adder
- c. Decoder
- d. EBCDIC

Section –C

(Objective-type-questions)

Note : Section 'C' contains ten (10) objective type questions of one (01) mark each. All the questions of this section are compulsory. (10X1=10)

1. 2's complement of 11001011 is

- (a) 01010111
- (b) 11010100
- (c) 00110101
- (d) 11100010

2. In boolean algebra, the OR operation is performed by which properties.

- (a) Associative Properties
- (b) Commutative properties
- (c) Distributive Properties
- (d) All of the above

3. $A(A+B) = ?$

- (a) AB (b) 1
(c) $(1+AB)$ (d) A

4. The NOR gate output will be high if the two inputs are

- (a) 00 (b) 01
(c) 10 (d) 11

5. Which of the following is a universal logic gate

- (a) OR (b) AND
(c) NAND (d) XOR

6. BCD stands for

- (a) Binary Coded Decimal (b) Binary Coded Document
(c) Binary Carry Decimal (d) None of the above

7. Any negative number is recognized by its

- (a) LSB (b) MSB
(c) Bits (d) Nibble

8. Whose operations are more faster among the following

- (a) Combinational Circuits
- (b) Sequential Circuits
- (c) Latches
- (d) Flip-Flops

9. In a multiplexer, the selection of a particular input line is controlled by

- (a) Data Controller
- (b) Selected Circuits
- (b) Logic Gates
- (d) All of the above

10. ROM stands for ?

- (a) Read only memory
- (b) Random only memory
- (c) Rear only memory
- (d) Read only music
