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(2008 Scheme)**

08.505 – MICROPROCESSORS AND INTERFACING (R)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

PART – A



Answer **all** questions. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

1. Define Instruction cycle, Machine cycle and T-state. During which T-state the processor checks the status of Ready Signal.
2. If the memory chip size is 1024×4 bits, how many chips are required to make up 2k bytes of memory ? How many address lines are needed for addressing the memory.
3. Can an input port and an output port have the same port address in a 8085 based system ? Justify your answer In memory mapped I/O, can an I/O have the same address as a memory location ?
4. What is the resolution of a 13 bit D/A converter ? If the converter has a full scale output of 10 V, What is the size of each step ? What will be the maximum output voltage of this converter ?
5. In 8086 none of the registers is 20 bit. Explain with an example how 20 bit physical address is generated ? Can we have a segment of size less than 64 K ? Why ?
6. Illustrate how physical memory is organized in 8086 based system. Show the steps involved in accessing an odd addressed word from the memory ?
7. Explain the functions of the following signals :
i) $\overline{\text{TEST}}$ ii) READY iii) $\text{DT}/\overline{\text{R}}$ iv) LOCK .



8. Explain Interrupt Vector Table (IVT) of 8086 system. What is address in the IVT for the interrupt of type 102 H ?
9. An 8255 (PPI) has a system base address of FFF0H. What are the system addresses for the three ports and the control register ? Write the mode set control word needed to initialize the 8255, as follows : Port A - hand-shake input, Port B - simple I/O output. Show the assembly language instructions you would use to send the control word to the 8255.
10. Explain the following terms in relation to the 8279 keyboard / display interface
- i) Two - key lockout
 - ii) N-key roll over
 - iii) Right entry and left entry
 - iv) FIFO.

PART – B

Answer **one** full question from **each** Module. **Each** full question carries **20** marks.

Module – 1

11. a) Explain the pin diagram of 8085 (pin numbers not necessary) microprocessor by indicating the purpose of each signal.
- b) Discuss the addressing modes used in 8085 microprocessor.

OR

12. a) Design a memory system that contains 4K × 8 EPROM followed by 4K × 8 of RWM. The EPROM starts at 0000H and is implemented using 2K × 8 EPROM devices. Include the system memory map as part of the design. The RWM is implemented using 1K × 8 SRAM. Draw the logic diagram of the memory and its interface to the required signals from the 8085 system bus. Your diagram should contain details of all control signals (\overline{CS} , \overline{OE} etc) and decoder.
- b) Explain the principle of working of Digital to Analog converters.



Module – 2

- 13. a) With a neat diagram explain the architecture of 8086 microprocessor.
- b) Write an assembly language program to move a string of N characters from a location pointed to by DS : SI to another location pointed to by ES : DI.

OR

- 14. a) Discuss the functional units in 8259 interrupt controller.
- b) Write an assembly language program to sort a set of N 16 bit numbers in ascending orders.

Module – 3

- 15. a) Explain the organization of 8254 timer / counter.
- b) The input frequency to the timer chip is 1.5 MHz write a program segment to generate a square wave of 1.5 KHz using counter 0. The address of control register is CEH and the address of counter 0 is C₈H.

OR

- 16. a) Explain the idea of multiplexing a seven digit 7-segment display.
- b) Explain the architecture of USART (8251).

