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Time : 3 Hours

Max. Weightage: 21

SECTION - A

Answer all questions. Weightage for a bunch of four questions is 1.

1. Interrupts initiated by an instruction is called _____

2. _____ represents a signed fixed point number.

- Simultaneous transfer of all bits from the source register to the destination register is called _____
- 4. MBR stands for _____

(W = 1)

- 5. In the _____ mode the operand is specified in the instruction itself.
- 6. A common bus attached to all peripheral interfaces is _____

7. The recording surface of memory devices is divided into

- a) Pages
- b) Blocks
- c) Sectors
- d) None of these
- 8. PSW stands for _____

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SECTION - B

Answer any 5 questions. Weightage - 1 each.

9. What is EPROM?

10. What is an instruction code ?

11. What is a Register Transfer Language ?

12. What is an external interrupt ?

13. What is associative memory ?

14. Explain DMA.

15. What is RISC ?

16. What is a multiprocessor computer ?

SECTION-C

Answer any 5 questions. Weightage 2 each.

17. What is a fetch cycle ?

18. Explain the various cache memory schemes.

19. Compare Register Addressing and Register Indirect Addressing.

20. Explain instruction pipelining

21. What is virtual memory ?

22. What is the use of PSW?

23. What are maskable and non-maskable interrupts?

24. Explain floating point representation of numbers.

SECTION - D

Answer any one question. Weightage : 4.

25. Explain the instruction cycle.

26. Explain about the various types of computers.

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 $(5 \times 2 = 10)$

 $(1 \times 4 = 4)$