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Fourth Semester B.E. Degree Examination, Dec.2018/Jan.2019
Microcontroller

Time: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks:100

Note: Answer any FIVE full questions, selecting at least TWO questions from each part.

PART - A

- 1 a. Explain with a neat block diagram architecture of 8051 microcontroller. (12 Marks)
b. Explain Harvard and Von-Neumann CPU architectures with necessary diagrams. (08 Marks)
- 2 a. Explain the different addressing modes supported by 8051 μ c with an example for each. (10 Marks)
b. Correct the following instructions if found to have any wrong syntax. Explain the operation of the corrected instructions:
(i) MOVx R0, @ R1 (ii) MOV A, # B (iii) MOV 77h, A8H
(iv) XCHG A1, R2 (v) ADD A, @B (10 Marks)
- 3 a. Write a program that computes the number of zeros in the following 16-bit stream: (10 Marks)
0 1 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 0
b. Assume Timer 1 is operating in mode 1. It is required to schedule a new task after 0.05 second. If the timer oscillator operates at 10.0 MHz, how should the timer registers be configured for this operation. (10 Marks)
- 4 a. Draw the internal structure of port '0' and explain its operation. (10 Marks)
b. Write a 'C' program to monitor the status of a switch 'SW' connected to pin P2.7 and perform the following:
i) If SW = 0, the stepper motor rotates clockwise
ii) If SW = 1, the stepper motor rotates counter clockwise (ACW)
Use the wave drive 4-step sequence. (10 Marks)

PART - B

- 5 a. Explain interrupt vector table. (10 Marks)
b. Write the bit pattern of TCON SFR and explain. (10 Marks)
- 6 a. How many types of serial communications are there? Name them and explain each type. (10 Marks)
b. Write a program to serially transmit the message 'GOOD' continuously at a baud rate of 9600, 8-bit data and 1 stop bit. (10 Marks)
- 7 a. With a neat block diagram, explain the architecture of MSP 430 μ controller. (10 Marks)
b. Explain with an example of MOV instruction the different addressing modes of MSP430. (10 Marks)
- 8 a. Assume that a 60 Hz external clock is being fed into pin T1 (P3.5). Write an 8051 C program for counter 1 in mode 2 to display the seconds and minutes on P1 and P2 respectively. (10 Marks)
b. Explain the importance of TI and RI flag used in serial data transfer. (10 Marks)

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Important Note : 1. On completing your answers, compulsorily draw diagonal cross lines on the remaining blank pages.
2. Any revealing of identification, appeal to evaluator and/or equations written eg, 42+8 = 50, will be treated as malpractice.