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**COMPUTER ORGANIZATION AND
ARCHITECTURE**

Paper : 3·2

Full Marks : 80

Time : Three hours

**The figures in the margin indicate
full marks for the questions.**

1. Answer the following questions : $2 \times 10 = 20$
 - (a) What do you mean by memory locations?
 - (b) What is SRAM and DRAM?
 - (c) Define microprogram.
 - (d) Write control sequencing for executing the instruction, ADD R1, R2, R3.
 - (e) Explain the term Computer Architecture.

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- (f) Define memory address register.
- (g) What is Bus? Draw the diagram of single Bus structure.
- (h) What do you mean by classification of memory?
- (i) Define Random Access Memory.
- (j) What is EEPROM?

Answer **any four** questions from the following: 5×4=20

- (a) Briefly explain about semiconductor memory.
- (b) What is memory hierarchy? Briefly explain.
- (c) Write the advantages of multiple Bus organization over a single Bus organisation.
- (d) What is DMA? Why it is needed?
- (e) Briefly describe about page replacement algorithm in computer organization.
- (f) Explain about arithmetic microoperation.

3. Answer **any three** questions from the following :

(a) What is shift microoperation? Briefly explain. 10

(b) Write two address and one address instruction format assembly language code for the following expression :

$$X = (A + B) * (C + D)$$

5+5=10

(c) Why do we need addressing modes? Explain about different addressing modes. 10

(d) Briefly explain about programmed Input/Output and Interrupt driven Input/Output. 5+5=10

(e) What is straight line sequencing and branching? Explain. 5+5=10

4. Write short notes on : **(any two)** 5×2=10

(a) Cache memory

(b) Functional units of a computer

(c) Processor organization