Max. Marks: 75

# **B.Sc. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2017**

## SEMESTER -1: B.Sc. COMPUTER APPLICATION

## COURSE: 15U1CRCAP1: FUNDAMENTALS OF DIGITAL SYSTEMS

(Common for Regular 2017 admission and Supplementary/Improvement 2016/2015 admission)

Time: Three Hours

### PART A

#### Answer **all** questions. Each question carries **1** mark.

- 1. What do you mean by a latch?
- 2. What do you mean by GUI?
- 3. What is a parity bit?
- 4. Design the logic circuits of the following expression AB'(C'+D)
- 5. What is PROM?
- 6. Define Operating System
- 7. List any two web browsers
- 8. Name the functional units of a computer
- 9. Define the Base/radix of a number system
- 10. Give the truth table for a NAND gate

#### PART B

#### Answer *any eight* questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 11. Explain Duality Principle.
- 12. List types of ROM.
- 13. State and explain De-Morgan's theorem
- 14. Differentiate volatile and nonvolatile memory
- 15. Prove the following expression using Boolean algebra.
  - a. A+A'B+AB' = A+B
- 16. State the limitations of Karnaugh map.
- 17. List the applications of flip-flops
- 18. What do you mean by priority encoder?
- 19. What is a decoder and how is it different from a de-multiplexer?
- 20. Write short note on registers

(2 x 8 = 16)

 $(1 \times 10 = 10)$ 

#### PART C

#### Answer any five questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 21. Explain Master-Slave JK flip-flop
- 22. Convert the boolean expression (AB+AC'+B'C) into canonical SOP form.
- 23. Discuss XOR and its applications

- 24. Explain Half-Adder and Full Adder with neat circuit diagram
- 25. Differentiate Static and Dynamic RAM
- 26. Explain various logic gates with truth tables and logic symbols.
- 27. Explain the working of 4x1 multiplexer with a neat diagram (5 x 5 = 25)

#### PART D

Answer *any two* questions. Each question carries **12** marks.

- 28. Design and explain the working of the following shift registers (a) SIPO (b) PISO
- 29. Which are the universal gates and why are they called so?
- 30. a) Explain K Map and its uses

b) Simplify using K-Map F(WXYZ) = ∑m (2,5,7,9,10,11,13,15)

31. Discuss Synchronous and Asynchronous Counters.

 $(12 \times 2 = 24)$ 

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