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# BCA (2011 & Onward) (Sem.-2) COMPUTER SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE

Subject Code: BSBC-204 Paper ID: [B1116]

Time: 3 Hrs. Max. Marks: 60

## **INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES:**

- 1. SECTION-A is COMPULSORY consisting of TEN questions carrying TWO marks each.
- 2. SECTION-B contains SIX questions carrying TEN marks each and a student has to attempt any FOUR questions.

#### **SECTION-A**

# 1. Write briefly:

- a. Define Von Neumann architecture in brief.
- b. What are the register and register transfer language?
- c. Define the term BUS used in computer architecture.
- d. What are the most common phrases of an instruction cycle?
- e. What do you mean by an instruction format? Name different instruction formats used in computer system architecture.
- f. Define the I/O interface unit.
- g. Briefly explain the DMA controlled data transfer technique.
- h. What is difference between logical and physical addresses?
- i. What do you mean by locality of reference?
- j. Briefly tell what is the layered approach architecture? Why is it used?

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### **SECTION-B**

- 2. What is Flynn's classification of computer architecture? Explain SISD, SIMD and MIMD in detail with relevant diagram.
- 3. What do you mean by micro-operations? Discuss their types in detail. Also tell the relationship between micro-operation, micro instruction and micro program.
- 4. What is an interrupt in computer organisation? Discuss interrupt types and interrupt cycle in brief.
- 5. Discuss the role of control unit in computer system. Explain hardwired and micro programmed control unit in detail also tell the steps to design both types of control unit.
- 6. Explain the following:
  - a. Asynchronous data transfer
  - b. Port and their types used in computer
- 7. Write note on the following:
  - a. Memory, memory types and memory hierarchy
  - b. Cache memory mapping techniques

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