

SIDDHARTH INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY:: PUTTUR
(AUTONOMOUS)

MCA I Year I Semester Regular Examinations December-2025
COMPUTER ORGANIZATION & ARCHITECTURE

Time: 3 Hours**Max. Marks: 60**

(Answer all Five Units 5 x 12 = 60 Marks)

UNIT-I

- 1 What is bus structure? Explain the types of buses with examples. CO1 L1 12M

OR

- 2 a Explain different addressing modes with examples. CO1 L2 6 M
b Develop an 8086 program to add two 16-bit numbers. CO1 L6 6 M

UNIT-II

- 3 a Write two differences between integer division and floating-point division. CO2 L3 6 M

- b Differentiate between hardwired control and microprogrammed control with advantages and disadvantages. CO2 L2 6 M

OR

- 4 Describe floating-point representation. What is the role of mantissa and exponent? CO2 L2 12 M

UNIT-III

- 5 a Discuss the relationship between speed, size, and cost of memory. CO3 L2 6 M
b Write short notes on: (i) Page fault (ii) Hit ratio. CO3 L3 6 M

OR

- 6 Explain the concept of virtual memory with a neat diagram. How is address translation done? CO3 L2 12 M

UNIT-IV

- 7 Discuss various types of buses in detail. Explain bus arbitration methods. CO4 L2 12 M

OR

- 8 a Distinguish between synchronous and asynchronous data transfer with examples. CO4 L2 6 M

- b List three types of data transfer methods between CPU and I/O devices. Briefly describe each. CO4 L1 6 M

UNIT-V

- 9 a What is an interconnection network in multiprocessors? CO5 L3 6 M
b Describe the structure of a general-purpose multiprocessor. CO6 L2 6 M

OR

- 10 Classify in detail the different types of interconnection networks. Compare their performance. CO6 L4 12 M

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