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BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-20) OCTOBER/NOVEMBER—2023

DECE – FOURTH SEMESTER EXAMINATION

MICROPROCESSORS

Time: 3 Hours]

[Total Marks: 80

PART—A

3×10=30

Instructions : (1) Answer **all** questions.

- (2) Each question carries **three** marks.
- (3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed five simple sentences.
- **1.** Define the term 'address bus'.
- **2.** State the purpose of instruction queue.
- **3.** List different types of interrupts.
- **4.** Define the term 'instruction format'.
- **5.** List any three multiplication instructions of 8086.
- **6.** Write an assembly language program to perform 16-bit addition.
- 7. State the use of debugger.
- **8.** Define instruction level parallelism.
- **9.** List any three 16-bit processors.
- **10.** List any three features of Intel core i3 processors.

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Instructions : (1) Answer **all** questions.

- (2) Each question carries **eight** marks.
- (3) Answers should be comprehensive and criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.

11. (a) Explain the basic block diagram of a microcomputer.

(OR)

- (b) Compare assembly language, high-level language and machine language.
- **12.** (a) Explain the purpose of pointer and index registers in 8086.

(OR)

- (b) Draw the flag format of 8086 and explain different types of flags.
- **13.** (a) Draw the pin diagram of 8086 and state the function of each pin.

(OR)

- (b) Explain the generation of 20-bit physical address with an example.
- **14.** (*a*) Explain addressing modes of 8086 with examples.

(OR)

- (b) Explain the logic group of instructions of 8086.
- **15.** (*a*) Explain various assembler directives.

(OR)

(b) * Explain CALL and RETURN instructions with examples.

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Instructions : (1) Answer the following question.

- (2) The question carries **ten** marks.
- (3) Answer should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
- **16.** Write an assembly language program with comments to find smallest number among the given array of 06 (six) numbers and store the result in the accumulator.

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