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Maximum: 80 Marks

# FIFTH SEMESTER B.Voc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2022

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

# CC18U GEC5 ES14 – EMBEDDED SYSTEM

(Information Technology – Common Course)

(2018 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours

# PART A

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

- 1. ----- design considers both the hardware and software during the embedded design.
- 2. Which of the following language can describe the hardware?

a) C++ b) C c) VHDL d) Java

- 3. Embedded system as a ----- to perform a specific task.
  - a) Microcontroller based b) Software driven
  - c) Real time control system d) All of the above
- 4. Embedded systems are -----
  - d) None a) General purpose b) Special purpose c) Both A and B
- 5. Single clock cycle is sufficient in Harvard architecture.

a) True b) False

- 6. UART stands for -----
- 7. HCFSM stands for ------
- 8. ----- is the basic building block of software written under an RTOS.
- 9. ----- scheduling provides each task with an equal share the CPU execution time.
- 10. Assembly language programs must be translated into machine code by a program called an -----

## $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$

## PART B

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

- 11. What is digital signal processor (DSP)?
- 12. What are the common characteristics of embedded systems?
- 13. What is instruction register?
- 14. What is cache memory? What is its use?
- 15. What is assembly language program?

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- 16. What is microcontroller?
- 17. What is FIFO cache replacement policy?
- 18. What are non-maskable interrupts?
- 19. What is the difference between a message passing and shared data techniques?
- 20. List the basic states of a process.
- 21. What is simulation?
- 22. What is meant by FSM synthesis?

## $(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ Marks})$

#### PART C

Answer any *six* questions. Each question carries 4 marks.

- 23. What is an embedded system? Explain with an example.
- 24. What is Application specific processor?
- 25. What is an instruction set? Explain the different categories of instructions.
- 26. What are the different types of ROM?
- 27. What is the difference between strobe based and handshakes-based communication?
- 28. What is daisy chain arbitration?
- 29. Explain the sequential program model with an example.
- 30. What are the two main approaches to verification? Explain.
- 31. What are the differences between single bus and double bus structure?

#### $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ Marks})$

## PART D

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 15 Marks.

- 32. What is single purpose processor? What are the benefits of choosing a single purpose processor over a general purpose processor? What are the peripheral devices connected to a single purpose processor?
- 33. Briefly explain a) I/O addressing b) Interrupts c) Direct Memory Access
- 34. What is arbitration in embedded system? What are the different types of arbitration methods?
- 35. a) What is an embedded system? Explain with an example.
  - b) What are the design metrics?

#### $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$