

2007**ELECTRONICS.****PAPER-X***Full Marks : 75**Time : 3 hours*

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary:

Write the answers questions of each Group in separate books.

Answer Q. No. 1 and any three from the rest in each group.

Group = A*(Marks : 40)*

- (a) The address capability of 8085 μ p is 64 kB. Explain.
- (b) Make a comparison between memory mapped I/O and I/O mapped I/O.
- (c) In an interrupt driven system, EI instruction should be incorporated at the beginning of the program. Why?
- (d) Why DMA mode of data transfer scheme is very fast ?
- (e) What is the basic difference between 8085 and 8088 μ p? 2x5

(Turn Over)

2. (a) Briefly describe Memory Read and Write machine cycles of 8085 microprocessors and show the waveforms.

(b) Design a 32X4 memory module by using two 16X4 memory chips. (3+2+2)+3

3. (a) 2 kB RAM, 2kB ROM, one input and one output devices are to be interfaced with 8085 uP. Employ memory mapped I/O and I/O mapped I/O schemes to execute it respectively.

(b) A set of three readings is stored in memory starting at XX50H Write a program for an 8085 μ P to arrange the readings in ascending order.

Data (H) : 25, .87, 56. (3+3)+4

4. (a) What is 8255A ? Draw its block diagram.

(b) Explain how the different ports and control words are selected for 8255A.

(c) Show the control word format of 8255A. (1+3)+3+3

5. (a) Write down the main features of 8259.

(b) Mention different types of Rotating Priority Mode of interrupt and Explain.

(c) On which registers status read operations can be done ? Mention when status read operation is not possible. 3+(1+4)+(1+1)

6. (a) What is meant by serial and parallel interface standards ?
- (b) Why are current loops used with teletypes ? What are logic levels in the 20-mA and 60-mA current loops ?
- (c) Mention in which cases RS 232C are used. How RS 232C is interfaced with TTL?
- (d) Distinguish between the IEEE 488 standard and IEEE 488 bus. $2+(2+ 2 + 2)+(1 +2)+2$

Group - B

(Marks ; 35)

1. (a) What do you mean by VLSI ; and mention its advantage over LSI.
- (b) Name in order the basic processing steps used in the fabrication of VLSI circuits.
- (c) What is the bird's beak structure ?
- (d) What do you mean by anisotropic etching ?
- (e) Write Rent's rule in packaging of VLSI. $1X5$
2. (a) Explain a two-step diffusion process commonly used in IC processing.
- (b) What is ion implantation ? Describe with a schematic diagram an ion implantation system.
- (c) What are the problems involved in ion implantation ? How can they be solved ? $3+(1+3)+(1 2 + 1 2)$

3. (a) What is the purpose of etching in VLSI technology ?

(b) What are the different methods of etching? Make a comparison among them.

(c) How can SiO₂ layers, and Al and Al-alloy films be etched out?

Calculate the Al average etch rate and etch rate uniformity on a 200 mm diameter silicon wafer, assuming the etch rates at the centre, left, right, top, and bottom of the wafer are 750, 812, 765, 743, and 798 nm min⁻¹, respectively. $1+(1+2)+(2+2+1+1)$

4. (a) What are the advantages of polysilicon in VLSI technology ? How is polysilicon deposited ?

(b) What is the salicide process ? Mention its advantage.

(c) Explain the process 'P-glass. flow'. $(2+3)+(2+1)+2$

5. (a) What is CMOS ? Mention its advantage:

(b) Discuss the fabrication steps for a twin-tub CMOS with neat **diagrams**. Write the purpose of the twin tub process. $1+1+(7+1)$

6. (a) **Discuss** the basic principle of operation of CCDs. What is the dark-current effect in relation to CCDs ?

(b) Explain clearly the limitations of VLSI. $(6+1)+3$