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B.E. VI Semester

Examination, December 2020

Choice Based Grading System (CBGS) Advanced Computer Architecture

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

- *Note:* i) Attempt any five questions.
 - ii) All questions carry equal marks.
- 1. a) Describe about Flynn's classification.
 - b) Explain data flow and demand driven mechanism.
- 2. a) Write system attributes to performance and explain.
 - b) Draw dynamic interconnection networks and explain about its uses.
- 3. a) What is instruction set? Differentiate RISC and CISC architectures.
 - b) What is meant by interleaving? Explain interleaved memory organization?
- 4. a) Write the role of Arbitration Transaction and Interrupt.
 - b) Write comparison between CISC scalar processors and RISC scalar processors.
- 5. a) Discuss about cache coherence problem and its solution.
 - b) Write principles of vector processing.

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- 6. a) With neat diagram, explain the basic structure of a centralized shared memory and distributed shared memory multiprocessor.
 - b) Discuss the issues involved in multithreading and how are they resolved?
- 7. a) Give a brief note on vector super computer.
 - b) Explain shared variable model.
- 8. Write short notes on following (Any three):
 - a) VLIW architecture
 - b) SIMD Super computer
 - c) Snoopy bus Protocol
 - d) Tomosulo's algorithm

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