## FOURTH SEMESTER B.TECH. (ENGINEERING) DEGREE EXAMINATION, JUNE 2011

IT 09 406/PTCS 09 405—MICROPROCESSOR BAS

(2009 admissions)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 70 Marks

## Part A

Answer all questions

- 1. What is a LAN?
- 2. What is the function of operating system?
- 3. Differentiate between Real mode and Protected mode of operation of 8086.
- 4. What is the role played by Cache memory in Pentium processor?
- 5. Differentiate between Hardware and Software interrupt.

 $(5 \times 2 = 10 \text{ marks})$ 

## Part B

Answer any four questions.

- 1. Bring about the Hardware specification of 8086.
- 2. What are the types of address decoding? Explain.
- 3. Design a square wave generator of 1 kHz using timer 8254.
- 4. Give the initialization sequence of 8259.
- 5. Program the VART to transmit 7 bits/character at 2400 bands.
- 6. Write a program to find how many times a pattern 02 is present in a given array of 10 numbers.

 $(4 \times 5 = 20 \text{ marks})$ 

## Part C

Answer any four questions.

1. Discuss briefly about the memory and I/O organisation of a PC system.

Or

- 2. Discuss about serial interface and graphic adapter of a PC system.
- 3. Write a program to arrange N numbers in descending order.

Or

- 4. Write a program to separate out odd and even numbers in a given array of N numbers and display their count.
- 5. Explain the memory decoding circuit of 80486.

Or

- 6. Explain the working of VART.
- 7. Describe the operation fo 8279.

Or

8. Explain the working of EISA Bus.

 $(4 \times 10 = 40 \text{ marks})$