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Computer Organization & Assembly Programming

Quiz# 2

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Q1. Fill the blank in each of the following questions:

- 1. The CPU is interfaced with memory and input/output devices through the **address** bus, data bus and control bus.
- 2. The CPU consists mainly of the **data path** unit and the **control** unit.
- 3. If the clock period of a CPU is 0.5 ns, then its clock frequency is 2 GHz.
- 4. A CPU with a 32-bit address bus has **4 GByte** physical address space.
- 5. With a **data bus size** equal to **64 bits**, the maximum number of bytes that is transferred between the CPU and memory per a read/write cycle is **8** Bytes.
- 6. The **RAM** is faster than **hard disk** and slower than **cash memory**.
- 7. The disk access time is equal seek time + rotation latency + transfer time.
- 8. The size of the **address bus** in the **8086** processor is **20** bits while in the **Pentium IV** Processor it is **36** bits.
- 9. The size of the **data bus** in the **8086** processor is **16** bits while in the **Pentium IV** Processor it is **64** bits.
- 10. CISC stands for **Complex Instruction Set Computer** while RISC stands for **Reduced Instruction Set Computer**.
- 11. The IA-32 registers consist of **8** 32-bit general-purpose registers, **6** 16-bit segment registers, the **EIP** register and the **EFLAGS** register.

12. Adding the following two 8-bit numbers FE+D5 has the following values on the flags: CF=1, ZF=0, SF=1, AF=1, PF=0, OF=0.

$$FE + D5 = D3 = 1101\ 0011$$

- 13. The **Instruction Register (IR)** holds the fetched instruction to be executed.
- 14. The **Instruction Pointer (IP)** register holds the address of the next instruction to be fetched from memory.
- 15. After reading an instruction whose size is **32 bits**, the **instruction pointer** is incremented by **4**.
- 16. The instruction fetch-execute cycle can be divided into five stages: **instruction fetch**, **instruction decode**, **operand fetch**, **execute**, and **write back result**
- 17. **Pipelining** makes its possible to start an instruction before completing the execution of previous one.
- 18. In real address mode, the staring address of segment#F005 is **F0050** and the maximum ending address is FFFFF.

F0050+0FFFF = 0004F. Since it exceeds the largest address, the maximum address allowed is FFFFF.

19. In real address mode with a logical address given as 2305:15F9, the linear address is **24649**.

$$23050 + 015F9 = 24649$$

20. In protected mode, linear address is translated to physical address using **Paging**.