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**M.Sc. DEGREE (C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2018**

**Third Semester**

Faculty of Science

Branch II : Physics (A)–Pure Physics

Elective : Bunch A : Electronics

**PH 3EA2—MICROELECTRONICS AND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES**

(2012 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Weight : 30

**Part A**

*Answer any six questions.  
Each question carries 1 weight.*

1. What is virtual memory ? Explain.
2. What is DMA ? Explain.
3. State the significance of flash memory.
4. How it is possible to disable interrupts in 8086 ?
5. How many clock cycles will be required by 8086 to access a 16 bit word located at an even address ?
6. Give the register set of intel 8051 microcontroller.
7. Bring out the frequency measurement using microcontroller system.
8. What are the features of 8051 microcontroller ?
9. Write the characteristics of heterojunction materials.
10. What is two dimensional electron gas ? Explain.

(6 × 1 = 6)

**Part B**

*Answer any four questions.  
Each question carries 2 weight.*

11. Explain the various addressing modes in 8085 processor.
12. Draw and explain the memory structure of 8086.

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13. Explain the various addressing modes of 8051.
14. Explain the I/O port structure of 8051.
15. Obtain the current voltage characteristics of a Schottly diode.
16. How can an I/O pin can be both an input and output in 8051 ?

(4 × 2 = 8)

### Part C

*Answer all questions.  
Each question carries 4 weight.*

17. (a) Draw and explain the timing diagram for memory read operation of 8085 processor.

*Or*

- (b) Explain how the memory can be interfaced with the intel 8085 microprocessor.

18. (a) Compare 8086 and 8088 processors.

*Or*

- (b) Draw the 8087 internal architecture and explain.

19. (a) Describe the interrupt structure of 8051 in detail.

*Or*

- (b) Discuss the instruction set of 8051 microcontroller with appropriate example.

20. (a) Discuss the metal semi conductor ohmic contact system. Explain tunneling barriers and non rectifying barriers.

*Or*

- (b) Give a detailed account on hetrojunctions and materials with energy band diagram.

(4 × 4 = 16)

