

**DIPLOMA EXAMINATION IN ENGINEERING/TECHNOLOGY/MANAGEMENT/  
COMMERCIAL PRACTICE, NOVEMBER - 2024**

**DIGITAL COMPUTER FUNDAMENTALS**

[Maximum Marks : 75]

[Time : 3 hours]

**PART-A**

**I. Answer all the following questions in one word or sentence. Each question carries 1 mark.**

**(9x1=9 marks)**

		Module Outcome	Cognitive level
1	.....is the base of the octal number system.	M1.01	R
2	One's complement of 1101 is.....	M1.01	U
3	.....is the output of a 2 input NOR gate when its 2 inputs are 1 and 0.	M2.03	R
4	$A'.A=$ .....	M2.01	R
5	Simplified value of $\Sigma m(0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7)=$ .....	M2.05	U
6	Grey code of a binary number 1101 is.....	M3.05	U
7	Write True or False, Feedback circuits are used in combinational circuits.	M3.01	R
8	Write True or False, A Common clock signal is present in a synchronous circuit.	M4.04	U
9	In ripple counter.....number of Flip-flop is needed to count up to 1111.	M4.04	U

**PART B**

**II. Answer any Eight questions from the following. Each question carries 3 marks.**

**(8x3=24 marks)**

		Module Outcome	Cognitive level
1	Convert $(1111011)_2$ to $( )_8$ .	M1.01	U
2	Explain error detecting and correcting code.	M1.04	R
3	Map the expression $\Sigma m(0,2,3)$ in K map.	M2.05	U
4	Draw the symbol and truth table of a NOR gate.	M2.03	R
5	Construct a NOT gate using a NAND gate.	M2.04	U
6	Explain DE Morgan's first law.	M2.01	U
7	Draw the diagram of a four bit binary parallel adder.	M3.03	R
8	Explain an encoder with a block diagram.	M3.04	R
9	Explain a sequential circuit with a block diagram.	M4.01	R
10	Explain race around condition in JK Flip-flop and how it can be solved.	M4.02	U

### PART C

Answer **all** questions from the following. Each question carries 7 marks.

**(6x7=42marks)**

		Module Outcome	Cognitive level
III	Convert (a) $(1110111)_2$ to $( )_{10}$ (3.5 marks) (b) $(3743)_8$ to $( )_{16}$ (3.5 marks)	M1.01 M1.01	A A
<b>OR</b>			
IV	Perform the subtraction using 2's complement method $101011-11001$	M1.02	A
V	Reduce the Expression $f=A[B+C'(AB+AC)']$	M2.02	A
<b>OR</b>			
VI	Simplify Using K Map $f=\Pi M(4,6,11,14,15)$	M2.05	A
VII	Design and Explain a 4bit binary adder / subtractor.	M3.03	U
<b>OR</b>			
VIII	Explain a BCD adder with a Diagram.	M3.03	U
IX	Explain a 2 bit Binary Multiplier with a Logic Diagram.	M3.04	U
<b>OR</b>			
X	Design a Half Adder.	M3.02	U
XI	Compare sequential and Combinational Circuit.	M4.01	U
<b>OR</b>			
XII	Explain an asynchronous sequential circuit and synchronous sequential circuit.	M4.04	R
XIII	Explain any three types of shift registers with block diagrams.	M4.03	R
<b>OR</b>			
XIV	Design a 4 bit ripple counter.	M4.04	U

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