

C033632(033)

B. Tech. (Sixth Semester) Examination, April-May 2022

(AICTE Scheme)

(Information & Technology Branch)

PARALLEL COMPUTING

Time Allowed : Three hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Minimum Pass Marks : 35

Note : Attempt all questions. Part (a) of each question is compulsory and carry 4 marks each. Attempt any two parts out of part (b), (c) and (d) of each question and carry 8 marks each.

Unit-I

1. (a) Define hardware and software parallelism.
- (b) Describe the Flynn's classification with the appropriate diagram.

[2]

- (c) Write Amdahl's law for fixed workload. Explain with complete derivation and draw its graph also.
- (d) Describe the term vector and SIMD super computer.

Unit-II

- 2. (a) Define instruction pipeline with suitable diagram.
- (b) Explain multithreading in multiprocessor.
- (c) Illustrate cache memory organizations.
- (d) Write down the short note as follows :
 - (i) COMA model
 - (ii) NUMA model

Unit-III

- 3. (a) Write difference between static and dynamic networks.
- (b) Explain shuffle and inverse shuffle networks with application.
- (c) Describe butterfly and hypercube networks.
- (d) Draw and explain the static connection network.

[3]

Unit-IV

- 4. (a) Define code optimization and scheduling.
- (b) Define parallel programming model and explain share variable and object oriented model.
- (c) Describe the language features of parallelism.
- (d) Explain shared variable programming structure in detail.

Unit-V

- 5. (a) What is parallel virtual machines?
- (b) Illustrate the synchronous message passing and synchronous control passing.
- (c) Explain domain decomposition and control decomposition techniques.
- (d) Describe the Heterogeneous processing.