

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE  
(AUTONOMOUS)

MSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2023  
(First Semester)

Branch – APPLIED ELECTRONICS

**MICROCONTROLLER**

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 50 Marks

**SECTION-A (5 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL marks

(5 x 1 = 5)

- 1 PIC is -----  
(i) preferable interrupt controller (ii) peripheral instruction controller  
(iii) proper interrupt controller (iv) peripheral interrupt controller
- 2 Choose the following one for embedded system -----  
(i) tape recorder (ii) digital camera  
(iii) punching machine (iv) watches
- 3 How many timers are in PIC -----  
(i) 2 (ii) 3  
(iii) 5 (iv) 4
- 4 State the process of PIC performance stopped inbetween the work done by called -----  
(i) conversion (ii) acquisition  
(iii) interrupt (iv) process
- 5 Find among the below which one is input device -----  
(i) keyboard (ii) LCD  
(iii) LED (iv) pendrive

**SECTION - B (15 Marks)**

Answer ALL Questions

ALL Questions Carry EQUAL Marks

(5 x 3 = 15)

- 6 a Explain the status register.  
OR  
b State about the CISC VS RISC.
- 7 a Discuss about the types of variables.  
OR  
b Produce the control statement.
- 8 a Justify the Timer 1 function.  
OR  
b Illustrate the TRIS registers.
- 9 a Justify the registers related to interrupts.  
OR  
b Evaluate the A/D acquisition requirements.
- 10 a Describe the resistive ladder DAC interface.  
OR  
b Illustrate the LCD interface.

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**SECTION -C (30 Marks)**

Answer ALL questions

ALL questions carry EQUAL Marks (5 x 6 = 30)

- 11 a Assess the program and data memory organization in PIC 16F87XX.  
OR  
b Criticize the PIC Microcontroller family and Option register.
- 12 a Elucidate PIC 16 C data operations.  
OR  
b Interpret data types and storage classes.
- 13 a Draw the block diagram of I/O ports and explain.  
OR  
b Justify the Timer programming operations.
- 14 a Criticize the interrupt programming.  
OR  
b Recommend selecting the A/D conversion clock and its related register selection.
- 15 a Determine matrix keyboard interface with PIC.  
OR  
b Predict the RS232 interface with PIC.

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