

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)

MSc DEGREE EXAMINATION MAY 2019
(Third Semester)

Branch - **APPLIED ELECTRONICS**

ARM PROCESSOR

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

SECTION -A (30 Marks)

Answer **ALL** questions

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

- 1 a Explain the concept of 3-stage instruction pipeline.
OR
b Describe the functions of program status registers of ARM processor.
- 2 a Explain briefly, the memory formats of ARM7TDMI.
OR
b What are Data Timed Signals? Explain their function.
- 3 a Explain the importance co processor interface signals.
OR
b With suitable examples, explain undefined instructions.
- 4 a Explain the features of LPC 2378.
OR
b Write a note on general purpose DMA controller.
- 5 a Describe the various registers to configure the function of ADC in LPC 2378.
OR
b Explain the operations of Watchdog timer in EPC 2378.

SECTION -B (45 Marks)

Answer any **THREE** questions

ALL questions carry **EQUAL** Marks (3 x 15 = 45)

- 6 Draw the architecture of ARM7TDMI and explain the functions of each block.
- 7 Discuss with suitable examples, the various data types of ARM7TDMI.
- 8 With a suitable diagram, explain the functions of Debug systems in ARM7TDMI.
- 9 Explain the functional description of LPC 2378 with a neat block diagram.
- 10 Write detailed notes on
(i) USB interface in LPC 2378 and
(ii) UART in LPC 2378.

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