

AIM:

To understand the basics of digital design, the design of various components of the computer system and its organization.

OBJECTIVES:

- To understand the fundamentals of Boolean logic and functions.
- To design and realize these functions with basic gates, and other components using combinational and sequential logic.
- To understand the design and organization of a von-neumann computer system.
- To comprehend the importance of the hardware-software interface.

UNIT I DIGITAL FUNDAMENTALS**9 +3**

Number systems and conversions – Boolean algebra and simplification – Minimization of Boolean functions – Karnaugh map – Quine McCluskey tabulation method – Logic gates – NAND – NOR implementation.

UNIT II COMBINATIONAL AND SEQUENTIAL CIRCUITS**9+3**

Design of combinational circuits – Adder / Subtractor – Encoder – Decoder – Mux / Demux – Comparators – Flip Flops – Triggering – Master – Slave Flip Flop – State diagrams and minimization – Counters – Registers.

UNIT III BASIC STRUCTURE OF COMPUTERS**9+3**

Functional units – Basic operational concepts – Bus structures – Performance and metrics – Instructions and instruction sequencing – Hardware – Software Interface – Instruction set architecture – Addressing modes – RISC – CISC. ALU design – Fixed point and floating point operations.

UNIT IV PROCESSOR DESIGN**9 +3**

Fundamental concepts – Execution of a complete instruction – Hardwired control – Micro programmed control. Pipelining – Basic concepts – Data hazards – Instruction hazards – Influence on instruction sets – Data path and control considerations – Performance considerations

UNIT V MEMORY AND I/O SYSTEMS**9 +3**

Memory Technology – Memory hierarchy – Cache Memory – Design Methods – Virtual Memory – Input/Output System – Programmed I/O – DMA and Interrupts – Functions of I/O devices and interfaces.

L: 45, T: 15, TOTAL= 60 PERIODS**TEXT BOOKS:**

1. Morris Mano, "Digital Design", Third Edition, Pearson Education, 2002.
2. Carl Hamacher, Zvonko Vranesic And Safwat Zaky, "Computer Organization", Fifth Edition, Tata McGraw Hill, 2002.