DKT217 COMPUTER SYSTEM TOPUP MTE

TIME: 9.30am ~ 11.00am DURATION: 1 HOUR 30 MINUTES

UPLOAD CUT-OFF: 11.02am

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

QUESTION 1

a) A 1K-bit memory cell can be organized into 128x8 or 1024x1 arrays. Draw the block diagram for both memory organization.

(5 marks)

QUESTION 2

An 8-bit data E8H is to be stored into the memory.

- a) Find the Kin code when the data is stored into the memory.
- b) Find the Kout code when the data is taken out from the memory if the data becomes ECH.
- c) Determine the syndrome which proves the location of the faulty bit from the 8-bit data.

[5 marks]

QUESTION 3

- a) Assume a computer has the memory with the size of 16MB and a cache size of 64KB that addresses at the byte level. If the computer's cache line can contain 16 bytes, determine the format sizes of the following cache map:
 - (i) Direct Mapped Cache
 - (ii) Associative Mapped Cache
 - (iii) 2-way Set Associative Mapped Cache
- b) Assuming a memory has 128 blocks and a cache consists of 32 lines. Determine where the 78th memory block will be located in the cache for :
 - (i) Direct Mapped Cache
 - (ii) Associative Mapped Cache
 - (iii) 4-way Set Associative Mapped Cache

[10 marks]

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