0478 and 0984 COMPUTER SCIENCE TOPIC QUESTIONS SET-7 SMART EXAM RESOURCES

Unit 1.1 Number Systems

The memory of a computer contains data and instructions in binary.
The following instruction is stored in a location of the memory.
0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 0

(a)	Convert the instruction into hexadecimal.	
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(b)	Explain why a programmer might prefer to read the instruction in hexadecimal rather than in binary.	
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	[2	2]
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Giv	e two other uses of hexadecimal.	
Use	91	
Use	2	
	[2]	1

(c)

2.	(a)	The	dena	ry nu	ımber (57 is to	be sto	red in	two	diffe	rent c	comp	uterı	regist	ters.		
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	(b)	Snov	w the	bina	iry nun	iber fr	om par	t (a) a	is it	would	be s	torec	i in tr	ne foi	IOWIR	ng reg	gisters.
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																Reg	gister 2
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	(c)	A bir	narv i	numb	er stor	ed in a	a registe	er can	hav	/e ma	nv dif	ferer	nt use	es fo	r exa	ımple	
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Us	e 2																
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	(d)	A re	giste	r in a	comp	uter co	ntains l	binary	dig/	its.							
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Th	e co	ntent	s of	the re	egister	repres	sent a b	inary	inte	ger.							
Co	nvei	rt the	bina	ry int	eger to	hexa	decima	l.									
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3. The memory of a computer contains data and instructions in binary The following instruction is stored in a location of the memory.

0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0

(a)	Convert the instruction into hexadecimal.
	[2]
(b)	Explain why a programmer might prefer to read the instruction in hexadecimal rather than in binary.
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	[2]
(c)	Give two other uses of hexadecimal.
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	Use 1
	Use 2

4. A	robot arm	in a	factory	is	programmed	to move	products
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The binary instructions to operate the robot arm are:

Operatio	n Bi	nary In	struc	tion
UP	1	1	1	1
DOWN	0	0	0	1
LEFT	1	0	0	1
RIGHT	0	1	1	0
OPEN	1	1	0	0
CLOSE	0	0	1	1

The instructions are entered as hexadecimal values. An operator enters the values:

9 1 C 3 F

Convert the values and write down the operation (e.g. RIGHT) carried out by the robot arm.

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5.	(a) Explain the differences between the binary number system and the denary number system.
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	[4]
(b)	Explain the process of converting the binary number 1010 into a denary number.
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	[5]

6. The memory of a computer contains data and instructions in binary. The following instruction is stored in a location of the memory.

0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0

. ,	Convert the instruction into hexadecimal.
	[2]
(b)	Explain why a programmer might prefer to read the instruction in hexadecimal rather than in binary.
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	[2]
(c)	Give two other uses of hexadecimal.
Use	1
Use	2
	[2]