

1.1 Data Representation - Number Systems

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Question	Answer	Marks
2(a)	One mark for each correct part of the fee, in the correct order: – 17 – 70 (Correct fee \$17.70)	2
2(b)	One mark for each correct binary value: Register 1 – 00001110 Register 2 – 01100010	2

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2(c)	One mark for each correct hexadecimal value, in the correct order. – A – 0 – 3 – D (Ticket number A03D)	4
2(d)	Two from: – It contains logic gates/switches ... – ... that process the values 1 and 0 // have two states	2

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2(a)	– 227	1								
2(b)	One mark for each correct character in the correct order: – E3	2								
2(c)	<table border="1"><tr><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>0</td></tr></table>	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1
1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0			
2(d)	One mark for suitable working method e.g. flip and add 1 One mark for correct answer – 10011101	2								
2(e)	One mark for each correct nibble (max 2) One mark for correct working e.g. correct carry One mark for showing overflow bit $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 1\ 1 \\ +\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 0\ 1\ 1\ 0\ 0 \\ \hline 1\ 0\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1 \end{array}$	4								

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2(a)	Any two from: – It has a base of 2 – It only uses two values – ... that are 1 and 0	2
2(b)	– (0000)1110 – (00)111011 – 11101010	3
2(c)	– 9 – 1A – 41	3
2(d)	One mark for suitable working method e.g. conversion to binary One mark for correct answer – 01111011	2

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2(e)	One mark for each correct nibble (max 2) One mark for correct working e.g. correct carries $ \begin{array}{r} 1\ 1\ 1 \\ 0\ 0\ 1\ 1\ 0\ 0\ 1\ 1 \\ +\ 0\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 1\ 0\ 0\ 0 \\ \hline 1\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 1\ 1 \end{array} $	3

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1(a)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> B 	1
1(b)	One mark per each correct conversion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 00110010 01100110 11011101 	3
1(c)	One mark for full method of working e.g. conversion to binary then flipping and adding 1 One mark for correct answer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10110010 	2
1(d)	One marks per each correct nibble One mark for correct working in binary (showing 4 correct carries) <div style="margin-left: 40px;"> <pre> 1 1 1 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 1 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 ----- 10 0 1 0 1 0 0 </pre> </div>	3
1(e)	Two from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The result of the calculation is greater than 255 // The value generated is larger than can be stored in the register The result of the calculation would require more than 8 bits to be represented // A register has a predetermined number of bits and there are too many bits for it 	2

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2(a)	One mark per each correct character in the correct order: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9 3 0 D 	4
2(b)(i)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 00001111 	1
2(b)(ii)	Any one from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The value becomes incorrect/inaccurate as the right most bits are lost It is divided by 8 	1
2(c)	Any two from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Easier/quicker to understand/read/write Easier/quicker to debug Less likely to make a mistake Shorter representation // Takes up less screen space 	2
2(d)	One mark for two correct characters, two marks for three correct characters in the correct order: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 2 D 	2

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1(a)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 174 	1
1(b)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A E 	2
1(c)(i)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 01110000 	1
1(c)(ii)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> B 	1
1(d)	One mark for each correct nibble One mark for correct carries (or other correct working method) One mark for identification of overflow error <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <pre> 1 1 1 0001 1111 </pre> 	4
1(e)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9 	1
1(f)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12 	1

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3(a)	One mark for two correct characters, two marks for three, in the correct place <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 0100 0000 0100 	2
3(b)	One mark for two correct characters, two marks for three <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 0001 0010 1011 	2
3(c)	One mark for each correct denary conversion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 34 172 	2
3(d)	One mark for two correct characters, two marks for three, in the correct place <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9E0 	2
3(e)	Any two from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> It is easier for user to read/recognise/understand It takes up less space on a display 	2

Question	Answer	Marks
2(a)	<p>One mark for each correct line</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>Denary</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 10px;">72</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 10px;">245</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">15</div> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>8 bit binary</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 10px;">11110101</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 10px;">01110010</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 10px;">11100101</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 10px;">00010101</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 10px;">00001111</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">01001000</div> </div> </div>	3
2(b)	<p>One mark for two correct characters, two marks for three correct characters, three marks for four correct characters, in the correct place</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 09AE 	3

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4(a)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Computer consist of transistors / logic circuits/gates that can only store/process data in two states / high-low / on-off / 1 and 0 	2
4(b)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 01000000 01100101 11110010 	3
4(c)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 0100 (1 mark) 0010 (1 mark) 1100 (1 mark) 1110 (1 mark) 	4

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2(a)	<p>Two marks each correct conversion (one mark for the first four bits, one mark for the second four bits)</p> <p>2F 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 1</p> <p>15 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 1</p> <p>D6 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 0</p>	6
2(b)	<p>Any two from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IP address • Error messages/codes • Assembly language // low-level language • URL // web address • Memory dumps • Locations in memory 	2

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1(a)	85	1
1(b)	C0	1
1(c)	26	1
1(d)	16	1

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1(a)	– Base-2	1
1(b)	– 9 – 16 – 40 – 161	4

Question	Answer	Marks
2(a)	<p>One mark for correct binary value, one mark for leading zeros</p> <p>00000000 01000111</p>	2
2(b)	<p>One mark for leading zeros, one mark for correct binary value</p> <p>00000001 00000001</p>	2

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(ii)	One mark per each correct binary value. – 00010100 – 10100000 – 11001001	3
(iii)	One mark per each correct denary value. – 41 – 200	2

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1(a)	<div>1 mark each</div> <table><tr><th>Denary Value</th><th colspan="8">8-bit binary</th></tr><tr><td>46</td><td>0</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>0</td></tr><tr><td>171</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>0</td><td>1</td><td>1</td></tr></table>	Denary Value	8-bit binary								46	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	171	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	2
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171	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1																					
1(b)	– 255	1																											
1(c)	– 11	1																											

5 (a) 112 [1]

(b) 56 [1]

(c) divided by 2 // value 112 was halved // multiplied by 0.5 [1]

(d) (i)

0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0
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(ii) 14 [1]