## CPU - SL questions [25]

| 1. State the four stages of the machine instruction cycle.         | [4] |
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| 2. Outline the function(s) of the:                                 |     |
| (a) The control unit                                               | [2] |
| (b) ALU                                                            | [2] |
| (c) The DATA bus                                                   | [2] |
| (d) The ADDRESS bus                                                | [1] |
| (e) The control bus                                                | [1] |
| (f) The clock                                                      | [1] |
| 3. What are the following registers and what are they used for.    |     |
| (a) the MDR                                                        | [2] |
| (b) the MAR                                                        | [2] |
| 4. Draw a diagram of the CPU showing the components in question 2. | [5] |
| 5. Explain the role of cache memory in speeding up processing      | [3] |