

ENEE 350
TEST 1-Spring 2005
CLOSED BOOK AND NOTES
EXAM PERIOD 75 MINUTES

Instructions:

- Points for each problem are indicated right after the problem. The total score is 100 points.
- Use the space provided below each problem. if you need more space, please ask a proctor.
- Write your name and student id on the cover sheet.
- Promptly hand in your test to a proctor when the test is over.

NAME:

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Problem 1 (20 points): Consider the following vesp program. Specify the values in memory locations 0, 1, and 10 after the execution of the program is completed, and explain why.

```
100    LDA    0, 50;  
102    LDA    1, -15;  
104    ADD;  
105    MOV    10, 0;  
107    JPS    104;  
108    HLT;
```

Note: All addresses and operand values are expressed in decimal.

Problem 2 (20 points):

The computation engine of a given processor executes four logic instructions on a pair of 4-bit operands,

$$A = [a_0, a_1, a_2, a_3]$$
$$B = [b_0, b_1, b_2, b_3]$$

whose instruction format is given below:

| Instruction | Op-code | Operation |
|---------------|---------|---------------|
| Copy B | 00 | $A = B$ |
| Complement A | 01 | $A = \sim A$ |
| Left shift A | 10 | $A = A \ll 1$ |
| Right shift A | 11 | $A = A \gg 1$ |

Design a combinational circuit that can carry out these four instructions in the computation engine of this processor. (*Note: You are only required to describe a combinational circuit that performs these logic instructions, not the entire computation engine of the processor.*)

Problem 3 (20 points): Consider the following expression

$$a * (4 + b * (8 + c * (16 + d * (e + f))))$$

(a) Draw a binary tree that represents this expression

(b) Show a post-order expression that is equivalent to this expression

(c) Show a pre-order expression that is equivalent to this expression

(d) Write a CodeMill stack program for the pre-order expression you obtained in part (c)

(e) Clearly show the first 5 frames of CodeMill's stack during the execution of your program assuming that the stack pointer is initially set to the floor of the stack.

Problem 4 (20 points): The following code describes the instruction sequencer of a central processor unit. Give a control circuit that implements this instruction sequencer, clearly indicating the events that occur in each state.

```
while(reset == 0)
{
  Step 1: X = Y; Y = Y + 4;
  Step 2: U = MEMORY[X];
  Step 3: switch(U[0:2])
  {
    case 0: A = A + 1; break; case 1: A = A - 1; break;
    case 2: A = A + B; break; case 3: A = A - B; break;
    case 4: A = 2A; break; case 5: A = A/2; break;
    case 6: A = 0; break; case 7: A = 1; break;
  }
}
```

Problem 5 (20 points): Write a vesp program to sort the numbers in memory locations 120,121,122 in ascending order. For example, if the numbers in locations 120, 121, and 122 are 4, -2 17, after sorting, they will be -2, 4, 17.