

# CENG3420 Homework 1

**Due:** Mar. 08, 2020

All solutions should be submitted to the blackboard in the format of **PDF/MS Word**.

**Q1** (10%) The following table shows manufacturing data for one processor.

Wafer Area	Dies per Wafer	Defects per Unit Area	Cost per Wafer
200 $cm^2$	100	0.02 $cm^{-2}$	12

1. Find the yield
2. Find the cost per die
3. If the number of dies per wafer is increased by 10% and the corresponding defects per area unit is reduced by 10%, find the yield and the cost per die.

**Q2** (15%) Draw the schematic view of four-input NAND gate.

**Q3** (10%) Given a simple processor, if capacitive load is reduced by 10%, voltage is reduced by 10%, maintain the same frequency, how much power consumption can be reduced?

**Q4** (10%) Assume  $\$t0=0xAAAAAAAA$ ,  $\$t1=0x12345678$ . Find the value of  $\$t2$  after the following instructions, respectively.

1. 

```
sll $t2, $t0, 4
or  $t2, $t2, $t1
```
2. 

```
sll  $t2, $t0, 4
andi $t2, $t2, 1
```
3. 

```
srl  $t2, $t0, 3
andi $t2, $t2, 0xFFEF
```

**Q5** (15%) Assume that the variables  $a, b, c, d$ , and  $e$  are assigned to registers  $\$s0, \$s1, \$s2, \$s3$ , and  $\$s4$ , respectively. Given MIPS assembly instructions:

```
sll $s2, $s4, 2
add $s0, $s2, $s3
add $s0, $s0, $s1
```

Translate the MIPS assembly instructions above into the corresponding C statement. **Please include comments for each instruction in your solution.**

**Q6** (15%) Assume that  $\$a0=n$  and  $\$a1=rst$ . Given the C statement:

```
int sum(int n, int rst){
    if (n>0)
        return sum(n-1, rst+n);
    else
        return rst;
}
```

Translate the C statement above into corresponding MIPS assembly instructions. **Please include comments for each instruction in your solution.**

**Q7** (15%) Write down the step by step procedure to calculate  $7 \times 3$  or  $0111 \times 0011$ . Use Multiplier0 to indicate the least significant bit of the multiplier

**Q8** (10%) A program runs in  $10s$  on computer A with 2GHz clock. If we want to design a computer B such that the same program can be finished in  $7s$ , determine the clock frequency of computer B. Assume it requires only  $0.7 \times$  clock cycles to execute the program on computer B due to different CPU design.