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Q1: Identify all type of hazards. How many stall cycles will be introduced during execution of the following code fragment on a 5-stage pipelined datapath?

- a) without forwarding
- b) with forwarding

load R5, 100(R3) and R3, R5, R1 add R2, R5, R3 store R2, 100(R3) sub R14, R3, R2 Q2: Why in the above code all hazards cannot be solved with forwarding. What is the solution in this case and how we implement it in MIPS pipeline. Write pseudo code to detect load-use hazard and details of modifications in MIPS pipeline. Diagram is not necessary.

10 marks