ICS Homework Week 5

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1. Byte Ordering & C Pointers Given the following definition of C variables, fill in the table below. You need to give the value of each expression for big-endian and little-endian, respectively.

```
int a = 0xdeadbeaf;
unsigned char *p_a = (unsigned char *)&a;

char s[] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8};
short *p_s = (short *)(s + 1);
```

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Expression	Little-endian	Big-endian
p_a[0]	Oxat	Oxde
p_a[1]	Oxbe	
$p_a[2]$	Oxad	Oxad Oxbe
p_a[3]	Oxad Oxde	Oxaf
s[0]	<u> </u>	1
*(s+7)	8	8
$p_s[2]$	(x24 0x070	6 Bxb7 Dxob

不是 SC]= {'1', '2', ..., '8'}!

2. **Integer Encoding** Given the following C expressions, give their binary encoding in binary or hex format. Assume the C code runs on a x86-64 machine.

```
int32_t l = 3;

char c1 = 7;
char c2 = -7;
short s1 = -7;

int i1 = -1;
int i2 = 0xfffffffc;
```

 Expression
 Binary Encoding

 1
 0x00000003

 c1
 0x07

 c2
 0xF9

 s1
 0xFFFP

 i1
 0xFFFFFFP

 i3
 0x0000004

 i4
 0xFFFFFFC

 delta
 0xD9

3. **Type Casting** Assume we are using **64-bit machine**. Consider the following program.

```
char a = -6;
unsigned char b = a;
unsigned short c = a;
int d = a;
short e = 0xcafe;
unsigned char f = e;
unsigned int g = e;
```

Write the value of variables below in decimal.

Variable	Value
a	-6
b	250
c	92230 AD
d	-6
е	-13570
f	-1357° -254
g	4294953726