



Iti1100 - FINAL EXAM WINTER22

Digital Systems I (University of Ottawa)



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Time: 2:00PM-5:00PM (3 hours)

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Instructions:

- Answer ALL questions.
 - This final examination will last **180 minutes** and has 5 main questions.
 - **This is a closed-book examination.**
 - Use the provided space to answer the following questions. If more space is needed, use the back of the page.
 - State any assumptions and acronyms that are utilized in your answers.
 - Write your name and student number
 - Show all your calculations to obtain full marks.
 - Calculators are NOT allowed.
 - Read all the questions carefully before you start.
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(The following space is reserved for the professor)

Question	Points	Percentage
1		20%
2		30%
3		15%
4		20%
5		15%
Total		100%

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Question 1: (20 points)

(i) The following two numbers are represented in unsigned binary:

$$A = (10101)_2$$

$$B = (10011)_2$$

Represent these two numbers in signed 1's complement form and perform the following binary arithmetic operations using the 1's complement method. Use a total of 7 bits to represent both numbers and results including the sign bit.

$$C = A + B;$$

$$D = A - B.$$

Important note: *Clearly explain your solution! else your mark for the question will be zero!*

Question 2: (30 points)

Given the logic function $F(A,B,C,D) = \sum m(1,2,3,4,9,10,11,12)$

- (i) Write the truth table of the logic function.
- (ii) Use the Karnaugh-map method to find the simplest sum-of-products (SOP) expression of function **F**.
- (iii) Implement the minimized function with NAND gates only.
- (iv) Show that the Boolean function **F** can be constructed using exclusive-OR gates
- (v) Express the same logic function in a product-of-sums (POS) form.
- (vi) Simplify your function in product-of-sums (POS).
- (vii) Use a decoder with external AND gates only to implement F in its product-of-sums (POS) form (assume AND gates with any number of inputs are available).

Note: You can use NAND gates with any number of inputs you may need. Assume, as well, that the input variables are available in both true and complemented form.

Question 3: (15 points)

Design a modulo-5 ripple (asynchronous) down-counter with D flip-flops and draw the corresponding logic circuit.

- (i) Build the state diagram and extract the state table
- (ii) Draw the logic circuit
- (iii) What is the maximum modulus of the counter?

Question 4: (20 points)

Design a synchronous binary up-counter using 4 negative edge-triggered JK flip-flops provided with a clock. The states (sequences) 1100, 1001 and 1000 are considered as unused states.

- (i) Draw the state diagram of the counter.
- (ii) Build the counter's state table showing the synchronous inputs of the JK flip-flops as well.
- (iii) Using Karnaugh-maps, find the minimal sum-of-products (SOP) form of the equations for the inputs to the flip-flops; assume the next states of the unused combinations to be "don't care states".
- (iv) Draw the logic circuit of the counter.

Question 5: (15 points)

Design a synchronous sequential circuit with two T flip-flops A and B , one input y and one output Z . When $y = 0$, the state of the circuit remains the same and $Z = 0$. When $y = 1$, the circuit goes through the following state transitions from 00 to 01 to 11 to 10 and back to 00, then repeats, while $Z = y$ for states 10 and 11 and $Z = \bar{y}$ for states 00 and 01. Assume that state 00 is in the initial state.

- (i) Provide a table that shows:
 - (a) the input and output values
 - (b) the states (present and next) for the two T flip-flops
- (ii) Using Karnaugh-maps, find the minimal sum-of-products (SOP) form of the equations for the inputs to the T flip-flops and the output (Z).
- (iii) Draw the resulting logic circuit.

If needed, use these pages and indicate the question number.
