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### Homework #1

- 1) Machine 1 performs 10 times better than machine 2, in terms of execution, but time (cycle time) of machine 1 is only 3 times faster than machine 2 - could because of few different reasons. For example the CPI and also how fast a computer works (Processor). Not only that but we have to keep in mind of the background activities happening with the CPU.

CPU time/performance is determined by  $\Rightarrow \left( \frac{\text{CPI} \times \# \text{ of instructions}}{\text{clock rate}} \right)$

2)  $\frac{\text{number of instructions}}{\text{sec}} = \frac{10^9}{T}$

Computer #1  $T = 4 \text{ nsec} = \frac{10^9}{4} \Rightarrow 250 \text{ million instruction}$

Computer #2  $T = 2 \text{ nsec} = \frac{10^9}{2} \Rightarrow 500 \text{ million instruction}$

~~With~~ With just these information, Computer 2 is faster because it can execute more instructions than computer 1.

However, these aren't the only contribution towards the speed. CPI, Instruction time, and clock rates are needed.

- 3) iPod, Television, Printers, watch

A CPU is generally made up of: Control Unit, ALU, Registers.

watch } they have CPU, which functions as user interface controller  
iPod }

Printers  $\rightarrow$  they fetch information, stores in temp memory and then executes the printing.

4) loading ALU = 1 nsec  
running ALU = 4 nsec  
storing result = 1 nsec  
total data path for 1 cycle =  $1 + 4 + 1 \Rightarrow 6 \text{ nsec}$   
MIPS =  $\frac{10^9}{T_{\text{total}}} \Rightarrow \frac{10^9 \text{ nsec}}{6 \text{ nsec}} \Rightarrow 166.667 \text{ MIPS}$

166.7 MIPS is the maximum without pipelining

5) 106 elements (pixels)      3 primary color = 64 intensities  
 $\rightarrow 2^6 = 64$   
 $t_{\text{resolution}} = 100 \text{ msec}$   
 $(106 \times 18)$       each color  $\rightarrow 3(6) = 18$   
 $\frac{106 \times 18}{100 \text{ msec}} = 19.06 \text{ b/s}$

6) nucleotide =  $3 \times 10^9$       30,000 genes.  
4 possible values = 2 bits/value  $\Rightarrow$  total value = 8 bits

Total value =  $\frac{3 \times 10^9}{4} = 75 \times 10^7 \text{ bytes}$

Average gene  $\Rightarrow \frac{75 \times 10^7}{30,000} = \frac{75 \times 10^5}{3} = 10^5$

Assuming Average gene/byte  
Max =  $\frac{75 \times 10^7 \text{ byte}}{10^9 \text{ byte}} = 75 \times 10^{-2} \text{ bytes.}$

7) 1024 Sectors/track  
rotation 7200 RPM

As Moore's Law states, the transfer rate will vary and increase as hardware advances.

Transfer rate depends on disk density, use of cache, and mechanical performance.

$$8) \text{bus} = 5 \text{- nsec}$$

$$\text{r/w} = 32\text{-bit mem}$$

$$\left( \frac{1}{0.16} \right) \times 10^{-9} = 6.25 \text{ nsec.}$$

$$\text{Ultra 4 bus} = 160 \text{ Mb/s}$$

$$\text{CPU} \rightarrow 32 \text{ bit} / 1 \text{ nsec}$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$\frac{1}{32} \cdot 8 \cdot 160 \cdot 10^6 = 4 \times 10^7 \text{ s}$$

$$\text{Percentage slowed} = \frac{6.25 - 5}{5} \cdot 100 = 25\%$$

$$a) \text{Camera} = 24 \times 10^6 \text{ pixel} \quad \text{each } 6 \text{ bytes/pixel}$$

$$16 \text{ GB} = 230 \text{ bytes.} \quad 8\text{-GB flash}$$

$$8 \text{ GB} = \frac{230 \text{ bytes}}{6 \text{ bytes}} = 1840 \text{ bytes. compression factor} = 5x$$

$$24 \times 10^6 \text{ pix} \times 6 \text{ bytes/pix} = 144 \times 10^6 \text{ bytes.}$$

$$144/5 = 28.8 \times 10^6 \text{ b}$$

$$\frac{1840}{28.8} = 63.8$$