QUESTION 1

a) 1)40 percent with 8 cores

Speedup =
$$1/(0.6 + (1 - = (100 - 40)/100)/8)$$

Speedup = 1.53

2) 40 percent 16 cores

Speedup =
$$1/[(1-0.4)+(0.4/16)]$$

Speedup = 1 / 0.625 = 1.6

b) 1) 67 percent with 2 cores

Speedup =
$$1/(0.33 + (1 - (100 - 67)/100)/2)$$

Speedup = 1.5

2) 67 percent with 4 cores

Speedup =
$$1/(0.33 + (1 - 0.33)/4)$$

Speedup = 2.01

c) 1)90 percent with 4 cores

Speedup =
$$1/(0.1 + (1 - (100 - 90)/100)/4)$$

Speedup = 3.08

2)90 percent with 8 cores

Speedup =
$$1/(0.1 + (1 - (100 - 90)/100)/8)$$

Speedup = 4.7