

CSCI 2500 Assignment 4

Carry Lookahead Adder

Due Date: Wednesday, November 1st, 11:59:59 PM

For this assignment you will implement a *carry lookahead adder* as described in [cla.pdf](#). This adder improves upon the partial adder that you implemented in Lab 7. In that lab you constructed a 4-bit ripple carry adder. Now you must build a 64-bit carry lookahead adder. This can be achieved by building a “hierarchy” of progressively larger groups, sections, etc. See the PDF for more information. Additional details may be found starting on page B-38 in your textbook. Your CLA must also support the subtraction operation. This is discussed on page B-29 of your textbook. To summarize, recall that in order to negate a number in two’s complement we have to invert all of the bits and then add 1. This can be achieved by setting the initial carry-in to 1 instead of 0. Your program must support [hexadecimal](#) (base 16) input. C natively supports hexadecimal; see the documentation for the `%x` specifier for `printf()`/`scanf()`. You should also be using the bitwise operations C exposes as mentioned in Lab 7.

I recommend that you start with a simple ripple carry adder so you can check your answers. It will also be helpful to quickly enable debugging output to check that your *generates* and *propagates* (see the PDF) are what you expect.

Sample output below.

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bash-3.2$ ./cla
Enter A (hex):
deadbeef
Enter B (hex):
123abc
Add (0) or subtract (1):
0

A is 00000000deadbeef or 3735928559
B is 0000000000123abc or 1194684
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[illegible]

```
bash-3.2$ ./cla
Enter A (hex):
deadbeef
Enter B (hex):
123abc
Add (0) or subtract (1):
1

A is 00000000deadbeef or 3735928559
B is 0000000000123abc or 1194684
Inverting 1194684
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