

# Computer Architecture Homework1

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## 1.7

A 1.0E9 instructions, execution time 1.1s

B 1.2E9 instructions, execution time 1.5s

### 1.7.a

clock cycle time = 1ns,  $CPI = \frac{\left(\frac{ExecutionTime}{CycleTime}\right)}{InstructionCounts}$

$$CPI_A = 1.1/1.0 = 1.10$$

$$CPI_B = 1.5/1.2 = 1.25$$

### 1.7.b

$$ExecutionTime = CPI \times IC \times CycleTime$$

$$CPI_A \times IC_A \times CycleTime_{P1} = CPI_B \times IC_B \times CycleTime_{P2}$$

$$\frac{CycleTime_{P1}}{CycleTime_{P2}} = \frac{CPI_B \times IC_B}{CPI_A \times IC_A} = \frac{1.25 \times 1.2 \times 10^9}{1.1 \times 1.0 \times 10^9} = 1.36$$

P1 is 36% slower than P2

### 1.7.c

$$ExecutionTime = CPI \times IC \times CycleTime$$

$$IC_C = 6 \times 10^8, CPI_C = 1.1, \text{ So } ExecutionTime_C = 0.66s$$

$$Speedup\ C\ over\ A = 1.1/0.66 = 1.67$$

$$Speedup\ C\ over\ B = 1.5/0.66 = 2.27$$

## 1.9

$$CPIs \Rightarrow arithmetic = 1, load/store = 12, branch = 5$$

$$ICs \Rightarrow arithmetic = 2.56 \times 10^9, load/store = 1.28 \times 10^9, branch = 256 \times 10^6$$

$$ClockFrequency = 2GHz = 0.5ns$$

### 1.9.1

$$ExecutionTime = CycleCount \times CycleTime$$

$$ExecutionTime_1 = (2.56 + 1.28 \times 12 + 0.256 \times 5) \times 0.5ns \times 10^9 = 9.6s$$

$$ExecutionTime_2 = (2.56/(0.7 \times 2) + 1.28/(0.7 \times 2) \times 12 + 0.256 \times 5) \times 0.5ns \times 10^9 = 7.04s$$

$$ExecutionTime_4 = (2.56/(0.7 \times 4) + 1.28/(0.7 \times 4) \times 12 + 0.256 \times 5) \times 0.5ns \times 10^9 = 3.84s$$

$$ExecutionTime_8 = (2.56/(0.7 \times 8) + 1.28/(0.7 \times 8) \times 12 + 0.256 \times 5) \times 0.5ns \times 10^9 = 2.24s$$

$$Speedup\ 2 = ExecutionTime_1 / ExecutionTime_2 = 9.6/7.04 = 1.36$$

$$Speedup\ 4 = ExecutionTime_1 / ExecutionTime_4 = 9.6/3.84 = 2.5$$

$$Speedup\ 8 = ExecutionTime_1 / ExecutionTime_8 = 9.6/2.24 = 4.28$$

## 1.9.2

$$ExecutionTime_1 = CycleCount \times CycleTime\ 1 :$$

$$ExecutionTime_1 = (2.56 \times 2 + 1.28 \times 12 + 0.256 \times 5) \times 0.5ns \times 10^9 = 10.88s$$

$$Speeddown\ 1 = ExecutionTime_1 / ExecutionTime'_1 = 9.6/10.88 = 0.882$$

2 :

$$ExecutionTime_2 = (2.56/(0.7 \times 2) \times 2 + 1.28/(0.7 \times 2) \times 12 + 0.256 \times 5) \times 0.5ns \times 10^9 = 7.95s$$

$$Speeddown\ 2 = ExecutionTime_2 / ExecutionTime'_2 = 7.04/7.95 = 0.885$$

4 :

$$ExecutionTime_4 = (2.56/(0.7 \times 4) \times 2 + 1.28/(0.7 \times 4) \times 12 + 0.256 \times 5) \times 0.5ns \times 10^9 = 4.29s$$

$$Speeddown\ 4 = ExecutionTime_4 / ExecutionTime'_4 = 3.84/4.29 = 0.895$$

8 :

$$ExecutionTime_8 = (2.56/(0.7 \times 8) \times 2 + 1.28/(0.7 \times 8) \times 12 + 0.256 \times 5) \times 0.5ns \times 10^9 = 2.47s$$

$$Speeddown\ 8 = ExecutionTime_8 / ExecutionTime'_8 = 2.24/2.47 = 0.906$$

## 1.9.3

$$2.56 + 1.28 \times CPI' + 0.256 \times 5 = 2.56/(0.7 \times 4) + 1.28/(0.7 \times 4) \times 12 + 0.256 \times 5$$

$$CPI' = 3$$

## 1.10

### 1.10.1

$$\text{Wafer yield} = \frac{1}{(1 + \text{defect per area} \times \frac{\text{die area}}{2})^2}$$

$$\text{Wafer 1} = \frac{1}{(1 + 0.020 \times \frac{\pi \times 7.5^2/84}{2})^2} = 0.9794$$

$$\text{Wafer 2} = \frac{1}{(1 + 0.031 \times \frac{\pi \times 10^2/100}{2})^2} = 0.9535$$

### 1.10.2

$$\text{Cost per die} = \frac{\text{cost per wafer}}{\text{dies per wafer} \times \text{yield}}$$

$$\text{Wafer 1} = 12/84 = 0.1428 \quad \text{Wafer 2} = 15/100 = 0.1500$$

### 1.10.3

$$\text{Wafer 1 die area} = \pi \times 7.5^2 / (84 \times 1.1) = 1.91 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$\text{Wafer 1 yield} = \frac{1}{(1 + 0.020 \times 1.15 \times \frac{1.91}{2})^2} = 0.9574$$

$$\text{Wafer 2 die area} = \pi \times 10^2 / (100 \times 1.1) = 2.85 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$\text{Wafer 2 yield} = \frac{1}{(1 + 0.031 \times 1.15 \times \frac{2.85}{2})^2} = 0.9056$$

## 1.10.4

$$\text{defects per area} = (1 - \sqrt{\text{yield}}) / (\sqrt{\text{yield}} \times \text{die area} / 2)$$

$$\text{defects per area } 0.92 = (1 - \sqrt{0.92}) / (\sqrt{0.92} \times 2 / 2) = 0.043 \text{ defects/cm}^2$$

$$\text{defects per area } 0.95 = (1 - \sqrt{0.95}) / (\sqrt{0.95} \times 2 / 2) = 0.026 \text{ defects/cm}^2$$