

Q1. block size = 16 words.  
 miss rate =  $0.25\% = \frac{1}{400} = \gamma$   
 CPI w/o miss = 2.5

DRAM Latency : a: command : 2  
 b: access : 20  
 c: comm data : 2

assuming: no early start policy  
 $X$ -wide mem  $\Rightarrow$  bus size =  $X$  ~~words~~  
 Granularity of access is  $X$

w/o interleaving  

$$CPI = 2.5 + \gamma * \frac{\text{blocksize}}{X} * (a + b + c)$$

with interleaving  

$$CPI = 2.5 + \gamma * \left( a + b + c * \frac{\text{blocksize}}{X} \right)$$

①  $X = 1$  w/o interleaving  $CPI = 2.5 + \frac{1}{400} * \frac{16}{1} * (24)$   
 $= 2.5 + 0.96 = \underline{3.46}$

with inter:  $CPI = 2.5 + \frac{1}{400} (22 + 16(2)) = 2.5 + 0.135$   
 $= \underline{2.635}$

②  $X = 2$   
 w/o interleaving:  $CPI = 2.5 + \frac{1}{400} * 8 * (24) = 2.5 + 0.48$   
 $= \underline{2.98}$

with inter:  $CPI = 2.5 + \frac{1}{400} (22 + 8 * 2) = 2.5 + 0.095$   
 $= \underline{2.595}$

③  $X = 4$  w/o int:  $CPI = 2.5 + \frac{1}{400} * 4 * (24) = 2.5 + 0.24$   
 $= \underline{2.74}$

with int:  $CPI = 2.5 + \frac{1}{400} (22 + 4 * 2) = 2.5 + 0.075$   
 $= \underline{2.575}$

④  $X = 8$  w/o int:  $CPI = 2.5 + \frac{1}{400} * 2 * (24) = 2.5 + 0.12$   
 $= \underline{2.62}$

with int:  $CPI = 2.5 + \frac{1}{400} (22 + 2 * 2) = 2.5 + 0.065$   
 $= \underline{2.565}$

Q2. half of instr. have data access

processor	cache type	block size (words)	instr miss rate (imr)	data miss rate (dmr)
P <sub>1</sub>	BM	1	4%	6%
P <sub>2</sub>	BM	4	2%	4%
P <sub>3</sub>	2-way set	4	2%	3%

cache miss penalty =  $6 + \text{block size (words)}$

$$\text{measured CPI (P}_1\text{)} = 2.0$$

$$\text{measured CPI} = \text{ideal CPI} + \left( \text{imr} + \frac{\text{dmr}}{2} \right) \times \text{miss penalty}$$

for P<sub>1</sub>

$$2 = \text{ideal CPI} + \frac{4}{100} \times 7 = \text{ideal} + 0.49$$

$$\text{ideal CPI} = 1.51$$

(b)

$$\text{P}_2: \text{miss penalty} = 6 + 4 = 10$$

$$\text{imr} + \frac{\text{dmr}}{2} = 4\%$$

$$\text{CPI} = 1.51 + \frac{4 \times 10}{100} = 1.91$$

for P<sub>3</sub>

not enough data to compute effect of associativity on hit time  $\rightarrow$  CPI and overhead via block eviction policy  
 $\rightarrow$  assuming there to be negligible for this prob

$$\text{P}_3: \text{miss penalty} = 6 + 4 = 10$$

$$\text{imr} + \frac{\text{dmr}}{2} = 3.5\%$$

$$\text{CPI} = 1.51 + \frac{3.5 \times 10}{100} = 1.86$$

P<sub>3</sub> is the fastest.

Note: number of blocks in set must be  $3 \times 2^k$  so that number of sets in cache is a power of 2, and also number of words in block is a power of 2

$$\frac{96}{2^{10}} = \frac{96}{1024} = \frac{3}{32}$$

Q3. Cache size = 3K

to calculate offset ~~# of~~ blocksize must be power of 2

- (a) for D.M. and 2-way set ~~# blocks/sets~~ <sup># sets in cache is not</sup> ~~must be~~ power of 2 hence both not possible with simple bit ~~man~~ extractions.
- (b) fully associative max block size = ~~3K~~ 1K words
- (c) blocksize = 1K words =  $4 \times 2^{10} = 2^{12}$  bytes.

mem addr field

