# Digital Circuits Midterm, Tuesday May 2nd

#### **Instructions:**

- You have **two hours**, 7PM 9PM
- The exam has 3 questions, totaling 100 points.
- You are allowed to carry the textbook, your own notes and other course related material with you. Electronic reading devices [including cell phones, ipads, laptops, etc.] are not allowed.
- You are required to provide a detailed explanation of how you arrived at your answers.
- Good Luck!

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### 1. Mix of Questions (40 points)

Answer the following 8 questions. Simple reasoning will be enough. Each of them worth 5 points.

- (a) Covert the binary number  $1011.01_{(2)}$  to decimal.
- (b) Add binary numbers  $101.011_{(2)} + 11.101_{(2)}$  (Your answer should be a binary number as well).
- (c) Determine the 2's complement of 10011000.
- (d) Construct a truth table of  $X = \bar{A}B + AB\bar{C} + \bar{A}\bar{C} + A\bar{B}C$ .

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- (e) Convert  $X = \overline{AB(\overline{C}D + EF)}$  to sum-of-product (SOP) form.
- (f) Implement a logic circuit for  $X = AD + B\bar{C}$ .
- (g) For the full-adder with input  $A=0,\ B=1,\ C_{in}=1,$  determine the outputs  $\Sigma$  and  $C_{cut}$ .

(h) Design a simple decoder that detects the presence of the binary code 0110.

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## 2. Karnaugh Map (30 points)

Let 
$$X = \overline{(A + B\overline{C})(AC + \overline{D})} + \overline{A}B\overline{C}\overline{D}$$
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- (a) Develop a truth table of X. (10 points) (Hint: You can simplify the formula first)
- (b) Use a Karnaugh map to reduce X to a minimum SOP form. (10 points)
- (c) Use a Karnaugh map to reduce X to a minimum POS form. (10 points)

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## 3. Functions of Combinational Logic (30 points)

(a) For the multiplexer in Figure 1, input states are given by  $D_0 = 1, D_1 = 1, D_2 = 0, D_3 = 0$ . Then, determine the output waveform when the data-select inputs are sequenced as shown by the waveforms in Figure 2. (15 points)

Figure 1: Multiplexer.

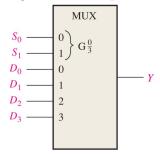
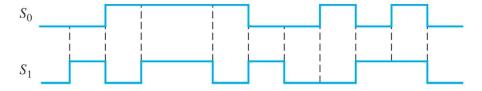


Figure 2: Data-Select Input Waveforms.

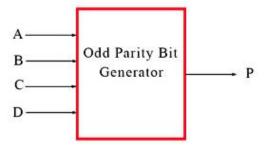


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(b) Suppose you have two 4-bit odd parity generators as decribed in Figure 3. This 4-bit odd parity generators outputs 1 if even numbers of inputs are 1 and outputs 0 if odd numbers of inputs are 1. For example, the output is P=1 if A=1, B=0, C=1, D=0, and the output is P=0 if A=1, B=0, C=1, D=1. Construct 8-bit odd parity generator using two 4-bit odd parity generators with one additional logic gate. (15 points)

(Hint: Again, 8-bit odd parity generator outputs 1 if even number of inputs are 1 and outputs 0 if odd numbers of inputs are 1)

Figure 3: Data-Select Input Waveforms.



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