

CENG 355 Midterm Solutions

1. There are many possible solutions. One of them is shown below.

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#define PBIN (volatile char *) 0xFFFFFFFF3
#define PBOUT (volatile char *) 0xFFFFFFFF4
#define PBDIR (volatile char *) 0xFFFFFFFF5
#define CNTM (volatile int *) 0xFFFFFDD0
#define CTCON (volatile char *) 0xFFFFFDD8
#define CTSTAT (volatile char *) 0xFFFFFDD9
#define IVECT (volatile int *) (0x20)

interrupt void intserv();

unsigned char digit = 0; /* digit for display */

int main() {
    unsigned char sample = 0; /* Port B input sample */
    *PBDIR = 0xF0; /* Set Port B direction */
    *IVECT = (volatile int *) &intserv; /* Set interrupt vector */
    asm("MoveControl PSR,#0x40"); /* CPU responds to IRQ */
    *PBOUT = 0x0; /* Display 0 */
    *CNTM = 100000000; /* Initialize: 1-second timeout */
    *CTCON = 0x11; /* Enable Timer interrupts and start */

    asm("BitClear #6, PSR"); /* Incrementing not allowed initially */
    while (1) {
        sample = *PBIN & 0x3; /* Sample PBIN, isolate E and D */
        if (sample == 0x1) asm("BitSet #6, PSR"); /* ISR will run */
        if (sample == 0x2) asm("BitClear #6, PSR"); /* ISR will not run */
    }

    exit(0);
}

interrupt void intserv() {
    digit = (digit + 1)%10; /* Increment digit */
    *PBOUT = digit << 4; /* Update display */
    *CTSTAT = 0x0; /* Clear Timer status flags */
}
```

2.

(a) Direct-mapped: 2-bit **Block** = A_{5-4} , 2-bit **Word** = A_{3-2} ; miss rate = 6/10.

Tag	Word 3	Word 2	Word 1	Word 0	
01	[4C]	[48]	[44]	[40]	Block 0
00	[1C]	[18]	[14]	[10]	Block 1
00	[2C]	[28]	[24]	[20]	Block 2
					Block 3

(b) 2-way set-associative: 1-bit **Set** = A_4 , 2-bit **Word** = A_{3-2} ; miss rate = 7/10.

Tag	Word 3	Word 2	Word 1	Word 0	
100	[8C]	[88]	[84]	[80]	Set 0
010	[4C]	[48]	[44]	[40]	Set 0
000	[1C]	[18]	[14]	[10]	Set 1
					Set 1

(c) Fully associative: 2-bit **Word** = A_{3-2} ; miss rate = 4/10.

Tag	Word 3	Word 2	Word 1	Word 0
0010	[2C]	[28]	[24]	[20]
1000	[8C]	[88]	[84]	[80]
0001	[1C]	[18]	[14]	[10]
0100	[4C]	[48]	[44]	[40]

3.

Maximum I/O rate is $R_{I/O}/d_{I/O} = 1K$.

Polling:

$(0.1 * 1K)A_{\text{poll-ready}} + (0.9 * 1K)A_{\text{poll-not-ready}} = 220K$ accesses total.

$T_{\text{ave-poll}} = h_{\text{poll}}C + (1-h_{\text{poll}})M = 0.9\tau + 1\tau = 1.9\tau$ (per access).

Polling cost = $220K * 1.9\tau = 418K \tau$.

Interrupts:

$(0.1 * 1K)A_{\text{int}} = 50K$ accesses total.

$T_{\text{ave-int}} = h_{\text{int}}C + (1-h_{\text{int}})M = 0.8\tau + 2\tau = 2.8\tau$ (per access).

Interrupt cost = $50K * 2.8\tau = 140K \tau$.

Interrupts are cheaper than polling by the factor of $418/140 = 2.99$.

4.

T_1 has the highest priority (1/40), followed by T_2 (1/60), followed by T_3 (1/120).

