

## Assignment #4

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1. Consider the function with three inputs (A,B,C) and two outputs (X,Y) that works like this:

A	B	C	X	Y
0	0	0	0	1
0	0	1	0	1
0	1	0	0	1
0	1	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	0
1	0	1	1	1
1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	1	1

1.

Design two logic circuits for this function, one using AND, OR and NOT gates only, and one using NAND gates only. You DO NOT HAVE to draw the circuit, but it might be helpful to do that to visualize and trace the logic. However, for this question you are only required to write the two formulas — one for computing X and one for computing Y. They can take the form of a logical equation such as

$X := A \text{ and } B \text{ or such as } Y := \text{not-}B \text{ and } (A \text{ or } C).$

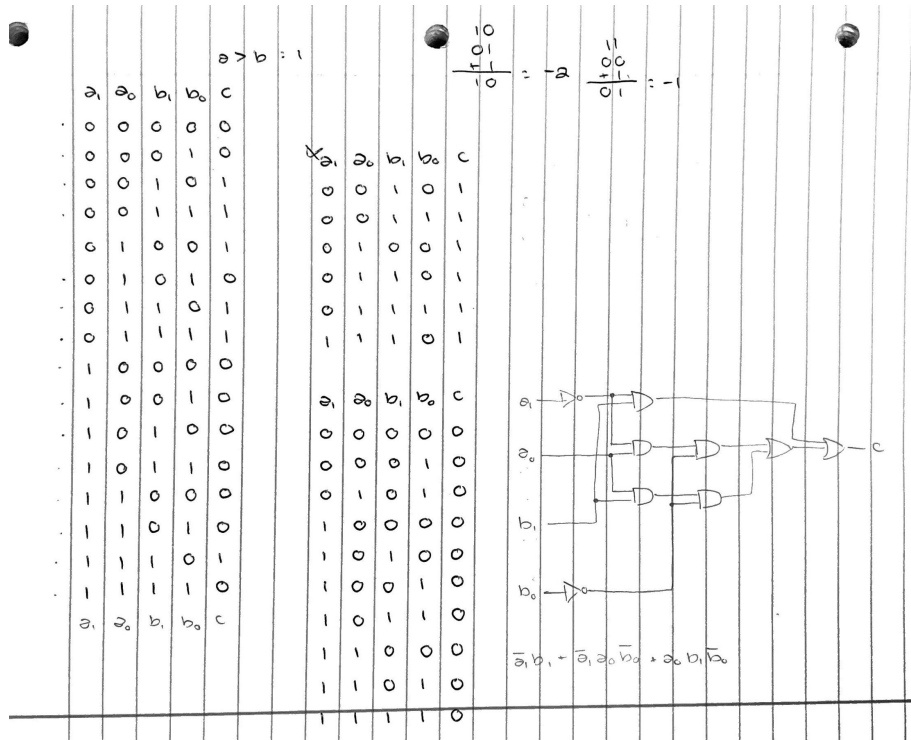
**$X := A \text{ or } (B \text{ and } C) \quad Y := \text{not-}A \text{ or } C$**

**$X := (A \text{ nand } A) \text{ nand } (B \text{ nand } C) \quad Y := A \text{ nand } (C \text{ nand } C)$**

2. Draw a logic circuit that compares two 2-bit signed numbers as follows. It should have four inputs a1, a0, b1, and b0. a1a0 is a 2-bit signed number (call it a) and b1b0 is a 2-bit signed number (call it b). The circuit has one output, c, which is 1 if  $a > b$  and 0 otherwise.

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$$(\text{not } a_1)b_1 + (\text{not } a_1)a_0(\text{not } b_0) + a_0b_1(\text{not } b_0) = c$$

3. Given a 32-bit register, write logic instructions to perform the following operations. For parts (c) and (f) assume an unsigned interpretation; for part (d) assume a signed interpretation.

1. Clear all even numbered bits.

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX  
AND 101010101010101010101010101010

2. Set the last three bits.

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX  
OR 0000000000000000000000000000111

3. Compute the remainder when divided by 8.

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX  
AND 0000000000000000000000000000111

4. Make the value -1

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX  
OR 11111111111111111111111111111111

5. Complement the two highest order bits

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX  
NAND 11000000000000000000000000000000

6. Compute the largest multiple of 8 less than or equal to the value itself

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX  
AND 11111111111111111111111111111000

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4. For the sample single-accumulator computer discussed in class, write a complete assembly language program in the stanley/penguin language that sends the values 0 through 255 out to port 0x8. NOTE: the machine code for this will be written in the next problem.

```

                JMP          start      ; jump over the data area
current:        0                    ; store the current value
next:           1                    ; store the next value
limit:          255                  ; compute values 0 to 255
start:          LOAD          current  ; load current into accumulator
                WRITE        0x8      ; write to port 0x8
                ADD          next      ; add next to current
                STORE        current  ; store accumulator (current + 1) in
                                   ; current
                SUB          limit     ; if not yet past limit, keep going
                JLZ          start     ; if not past limit, jump to
beginning
end:            JUMP          end      ; stops the program

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5. Translate your assembly language program in the previous problem to machine language.

```

C0000004
00000000
00000001
000000FF
00000000
30000008
40000001
10000000
50000003
E0000004
C000000A

```

6. For the sample single-accumulator computer discussed in class, write a complete assembly language program in the stanley/penguin language that computes a greatest common divisor. Assume the two inputs are read in from port 0x100. Write the result to port 0x200. You do not need to write machine code for this problem.

```

                JMP          start      ; jump over the data area
a:              0                    ; store the a value
b:              0                    ; store the b value
start:          READ          0x100    ; read into accumulator
                JZ           gcd       ; if a is 0, jump to gcd
                WRITE        b         ; write to b
                READ          0x100    ; read into accumulator
                MOD           a         ; b%a

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        WRITE      0x200      ; write to port
        JMP        start      ; jump to start
gcd:    READ       0x100      ; read into accumulator
        WRITE      0x200      ; write to port
end:    JMP        end        ; stops the program

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7. For the sample single-accumulator computer discussed in class, give a code fragment, in assembly language of the stanley/penguin language, that swaps the accumulator and memory address 0x30AA. You do not need to write machine code for this problem.

```

temp:    0                ; store the temp value
start:   WRITE      temp    ; write accumulator to temp
        LOAD       0x30AA   ; load memory address into
        accumulator
        READ       temp     ; read from temp into accumulator
        STORE      0x30AA   ; store accumulator in 0x30AA

```

8. For the sample single-accumulator computer discussed in class, give a code fragment, in assembly language of the stanley/penguin language that has the effect of jumping to the code at address 0x837BBE1 if the value in the accumulator is greater than or equal to 0. You do not need to write machine code for this problem.

```

        JMP        start
        LOAD       0x837BBE1 ; load address
        JLZ        start
        JZ         start

```

9. Part 1 of 2: Explain, at a high-level, what the following sequence of instructions does. In other words, suppose a programmer has stored data in r8 and r9. After executing these instructions, what does the programmer notice about the data?

```

xor r8, r9
xor r9, r8
xor r8, r9

```

**This swaps the values in registers r8 and r9.**

Part 2 of 2: Also state as briefly as possible why that effect happens.

**The output of r8 xor r9 is stored in r8. Then the output of r9 xor r8 produces the original r8 value, stored in r9. The output of r8 xor r9 produces the original r9 value, stored in r8**