

3) (10 pts) ALG (Base Conversion)

Perform each of the requested base conversions (the base of each number is written as a subscript):

(a) (2 pts) $347_{10} = \underline{2342}_5$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 5 & 347 \\ 5 & 69 \text{ R } 2 \\ 5 & 13 \text{ R } 4 \\ 5 & 2 \text{ R } 3 \end{array}$$

Grading: 1 pt for answer, 1 pt for process

(b) (2 pts) $361_7 = \underline{190}_{10}$

$$361_7 = 3 \times 7^2 + 6 \times 7^1 + 1 = 3 \times 49 + 42 + 1 = 147 + 42 + 1 = 190$$

Grading: 1 pt for answer, 1 pt for process

(c) (3 pts) $3AD_{16} = \underline{001110101101}_2$

$3AD_{16} = 0011\ 1010\ 1101_2$, since 16 is a perfect power of 2, we can convert each hex character to exactly 4 bits. These conversions are common enough most CS students can be expected to have them memorized, so there's no need to show work except for writing the answer down.

Grading: Based on answer only, 1 pt for first 4 bits, 1 pt for next for bits, 1 pt for last four bits. All 4 bits have to be correct in the group to get the point.

Give full credit for any valid process ($16 \rightarrow 10 \rightarrow 2$ is harder but valid)

(d) (3 pts) $247321_8 = \underline{110323101}_4$

$247321_8 = 010\ 100\ 111\ 011\ 010\ 001_2$ (As previously mentioned, we can convert to base 2 in this manner since 8 is a perfect power of 2).

Now, we can use similar thinking to convert from base 2 to base 4. Just remember to grab bits from the right to the left:

$$010\ 100\ 111\ 011\ 010\ 001_2 = 01\ 01\ 00\ 11\ 10\ 11\ 01\ 00\ 01_2 = 110323101_4$$

Grading: 1 pt for intermediate step to base 2, 2 pts for final answer

Give full credit for any valid process ($8 \rightarrow 10 \rightarrow 4$ is harder but valid)

Note: Leading 0s are not necessary for full credit.