

# COMP 3350 Homework #1

Please show work (where needed) for each problem

1. How many bits are in:
  - a. A byte
  - b. A word
  - c. A doubleword
2. Convert the following unsigned base2 numbers (binary) to base 16 numbers (hexadecimal):
  - a. 0110 0001 1111
  - b. 1000 1111 1100
  - c. 0001 0110 0100 0101
3. Convert the following signed base 2 numbers to base 10 numbers:
  - a. 1100 1010
  - b. 1111 0010
  - c. 1000 0111
4. What is the range of (e.g. range of an unsigned nibble is 0 to 15):
  - a. An unsigned 7-bit number?
  - b. A signed 7-bit number?
5. Provide the answer to following problems ( $\wedge$  = AND  $\vee$  = OR)
  - a.  $1000 \wedge 1110$
  - b.  $1000 \vee 1110$
  - c.  $(1000 \wedge 1110) \vee (1001 \wedge 1110)$
6. List all general purpose registers in 32-bit mode
7. Find the hexadecimal ASCII values for the following characters:
  - a. g
  - b. ^
  - c. \$
8. In a typical personal computer list from largest size (i.e. most total memory) to smallest:
  - a. DRAM (main memory)
  - b. SRAM (cache memory)
  - c. Hard drive
  - d. Registers