

COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE & ASSEMBLY LANGUAGE

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Problem 1: (6 pts, 3 pts each sub-part)

- A) Global CPI = sum off all CPI * percent:
- a. $P1 = (0.2 \times 1) + (0.3 \times 4) + (0.2 \times 3) + (0.3 \times 2) = \mathbf{2.6 \text{ counts / instruction}}$
 - b. $P2 = (0.2 \times 2) + (0.3 \times 3) + (0.2 \times 2) + (0.3 \times 3) = \mathbf{2.6 \text{ counts / instruction}}$
- B) Total clock cycles = (Global CPI * Instructions) / Clock rate:
- a. $P1 = 10E6 * 2.6 / 2.5E9 = \mathbf{1040 \text{ cycles}}$
 - b. $P2 = 10E6 * 2.6 / 3E9 = \mathbf{670 \text{ cycles}}$

Problem 2: (6 pts, 2pts each sub-part)

- A) Improving CPI of FP instructions (to halve program run time, halve total cycles of the tasks. Original total cycles= 5.7E8):
- a. $80E6 * \text{New CPI} + \text{INT} + \text{L/S} + \text{branch instructions} = (5.7E8)/2. \mathbf{\text{New CPI} = -1.56}$
- B) L/S instructions:
- a. Same formula but solving for 60E6***New CPI = -0.75**
- C) Execution time = sum of all instructions * CPI / clock rate. Original clock rate = 0.1425 seconds.
- a. Execution time after reducing CPI of each instruction = $0.1425 - 0.107 = \mathbf{0.0355 \text{ seconds.}}$

Problem 3: (6 pts) [Research Question for Fun]

Supercomputers:

1. El Capitan:
 - a. Location: Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory
 - b. Servers/cores: 11,039,616
 - c. FLOPS: 2,746.38 PetaFLOPS
 - d. Instructions per second: $1.74E18$
 - e. Power Usage: 35 MW
 - f. Power density per square foot: 4.6 KW/ft^2
 - g. Processor technology: AMD
2. Frontier:

- a. Location: Oak Ridge National Laboratory
 - b. Servers/cores: 9,066,176
 - c. FLOPS: 2,055.72 PetaFLOPS
 - d. Instructions per second: $1.34E18$
 - e. Power Usage: 21 MW
 - f. Power density per square foot: 2.87 KW/ft^2
 - g. Processor technology: AMD
3. Aurora:
- a. Location: Argonne National Laboratory
 - b. Servers/cores: 9,264,128
 - c. FLOPS: 1,980.01 PetaFLOPS
 - d. Instructions per second: $1E18$
 - e. Power Usage: 60 MW
 - f. Power density per square foot: 6 KW/ft^2
 - g. Processor technology: Intel

Data Centers:

1. China Telecom-Inner Mongolia Information Park:
- a. Location Hohhot, China
 - b. Servers/cores: 50,000
 - c. Power Usage: 150 MW
 - d. Power density per square foot: 3.3 W/ft^2
2. The Citadel – Switch:
- a. Location: Tahoe Reno, Nevada, USA
 - b. Servers/cores: 15,000
 - c. Power Usage: 650 MW
 - d. Power density per square foot: 89 W/ft^2
3. Yotta NM1:
- a. Location: Panvel, India
 - b. Servers/cores: 7200
 - c. Power Usage: 61 MW
 - d. Power density per square foot: 6 W/ft^2