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Comp 131 Midterm Exam

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Introduction to Computers and Computing Ethics

Time: 75min

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Question #1: (34 points)

A(30%)

Select the best answer for each of the following question (1-10):

1) The following are all CPU components except:  
 A) RAM      B) CU      C) Registers      D) ALU

\* 2) The following are all computer output devices except (ما عدا):  
 A) Scanner      B) Speaker      C) Printer      D) Monitor

3)  $(21)_6 = (\quad)_8$       B) 13      C) 15  
A) 51      D) None of the above.

4) 62 in Hexadecimal (base 16) equals in Octal (base 8) the value.  
$$\begin{array}{cccccc} & 1 & 4 & & 2 & \\ & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array}$$
  
 A) 142      B) 144      C) 241      D) None of the above.

01111011

127 - 4 = 123  
611  
301  
150  
71  
31  
11  
01

1 \* 2^-4

00000001  
00001111

0001.0001

2 \* 0.0625 = 0.125  
0.125 | 0.25  
0.25 | 0.5  
0.5 | 1.0

5) The exponent part of the floating point representation for the number 0.03125 is:

- A) 01111001
- B) 01111011
- C) 00101111
- D) 01111010

00001111  
11110000  
11110001  
2 15

6) Using 8 bits to represent an integer, the 2's complement representation of the integer (-15) is:

- A) 11110001
- B) 00001111
- C) 11110000
- D) 11110010

7 1  
3 1  
2 1  
0 4

7) (223311)<sub>4</sub> = ( )<sub>8</sub>

- A) 5635
- B) 5536
- C) 5365
- D) None of the above.

8) A floating point representation is usually represented in memory using:

- A) 4 bits
- B) 2 bytes
- C) 32 bits
- D) None of the above.

9) Is considered as primary storage

- A) RAM
- B) CD
- C) DVD
- D) Hard Disk

10) Which of the following MS Excel formulas is used to calculate the maximum value for numbers in range D2:G2

- A) max(D2:G2)
- B) max (D2.G2)
- C) =maximum(D2:G2)
- D) None of the above

Answer sheet for question 1

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
A	A	C	A	B	A	C	C	A	C

B) (4%)

Explain the four steps of the CPU machine cycle briefly

- 1) Fetch
- 2) decode
- 3) execute
- 4) store

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Question #2: (25 points)

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A) (15%) Using two's complement with 8 bits representation, solve the following (show your work):

(3B)<sub>16</sub> - (28)<sub>9</sub> = ( )<sub>2</sub>

(00111011)<sub>2</sub>

8 + 2 + 8 = 8 + 18 = (26)<sub>10</sub>

26 / 2 = 13  
13 / 2 = 6 R 1  
6 / 2 = 3 R 0  
3 / 2 = 1 R 1  
1 / 2 = 0 R 1

(11011010)<sub>2</sub>

(00011010)<sub>2</sub> (one's com) (11100101) (two's com)

(00111011)<sub>2</sub> + (11100101)<sub>2</sub>

00100001

**B) (10%)** Represent the float value  $(-35.125)_{10}$  in memory. (Show your work)

(10)

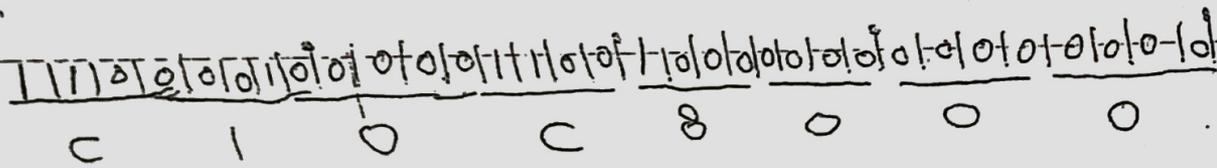
2 35  
17 1  
8 1  
4 0  
2 0  
1 0  
0 1

$24.125$   $0.25$   
 $0.5$   
 $1.0$

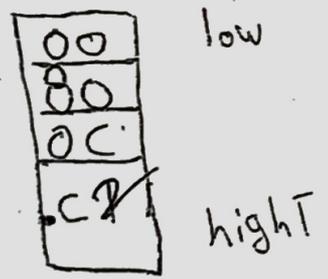
$5 + 127 = 132$

66 0  
33 0  
16 1  
8 0  
4 0  
2 0  
1 0  
0 1

$1.00011001 \times 2^5$



- A 1010
- B 1011
- C 1100
- D
- E



Question #3: (20 points)

Write an algorithm (pseudo code) that keeps reading the salaries of employees (one salary at a time) until a salary of 0 is entered by the user. A tax of 8 percent (8%) should be deducted (يتم خصمها) from each salary entered that exceeds (يزيد) 3000 Shekels. Your algorithm should print the *sum* of all the salaries that were entered both before and after taxes were deducted. while

Start

~~1) input the salaries and save as x~~

2) let sum equals zero

3) let sum with tax equals zero

4) input the salaries and save as x

5) while x not equals zero

let sum equals the old sum added x

if x is greater than three thousand then

let tax equals ~~eight~~ eight percent multiply x

let y equals x ~~minus~~ <sup>(minus)</sup> dividing tax

let sum with tax equals the old sum with tax added y

else

let sum with tax equals the old sum with tax added x

end if

end while

6) print sum, sum with tax

7) end

2 Read

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**Question #4: (21 points)**

**A) (9%)**

Clearly explain the difference between the following pairs of terms:

i) **HTML vs HTTP:**

HTTP: ~~use~~ it use ~~to~~ in the web pages

HTML: it use to save presentation  
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ii) **Transport Layer vs Network Layer:**

Transport layer: ~~use~~ it use ~~to~~ to transport packet from computer to other

Network layer: ~~use~~ it use ~~to~~ to connect the computers together

iii) **Markup Language vs Programming Language:**

Programming language: ~~use~~ it use ~~to~~ to translate our language to program

Markup language: ~~use~~ it use ~~to~~ to translate program to computer language

**B) (6%)**

Define the following terms giving an example of each:

LAN: in two buildings like B2U net - 1

Protocol: ~~com~~ .com, .edu - 3

**C) (6%)**

What do each of the following acronyms stand for:

TCP: ~~Transform~~ ~~Protocol~~ FTP: ~~Protocol~~ - 2

protocol - 4