

CE-1901 - Dr. Durant - Quiz 2
Fall 2015, Week 2

1. (1 point) List the powers of 2 from 2^0 to 2^{16} as decimal numbers.

$2^0 = 1$	$2^4 = 16$	$2^8 = 256$	$2^{12} = 4096$	$2^{16} = 65536$
$2^1 = 2$	$2^5 = 32$	$2^9 = 512$	$2^{13} = 8192$	
$2^2 = 4$	$2^6 = 64$	$2^{10} = 1024$	$2^{14} = 16384$	
$2^3 = 8$	$2^7 = 128$	$2^{11} = 2048$	$2^{15} = 32768$	

2. (2 points) Convert the base 10 number 389 to binary, octal, and hexadecimal. Show your work.

ACT \rightarrow oct.

$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \overline{) 389} \\ \underline{320} \\ 69 \\ \underline{64} \\ 5 \\ \underline{0} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \overline{) 389} \\ \underline{219} \text{R } 1 \\ 2 \overline{) 194} \\ \underline{158} \text{R } 36 \\ 2 \overline{) 122} \\ \underline{98} \text{R } 12 \\ 2 \overline{) 61} \\ \underline{48} \text{R } 7 \\ 2 \overline{) 30} \\ \underline{24} \text{R } 6 \\ 2 \overline{) 15} \\ \underline{12} \text{R } 3 \\ 2 \overline{) 7} \\ \underline{6} \text{R } 1 \\ 2 \overline{) 3} \\ \underline{2} \text{R } 1 \\ 2 \overline{) 1} \\ \underline{0} \text{R } 1 \end{array}$$

MSB

$$\boxed{10000101}_2 = \boxed{185}_{16}$$

$$\boxed{110000101}_2 = \boxed{605}_8$$

check
 $6 \cdot 8^2 + 5 = 6 \cdot 64 + 5 = 384 + 5 = 389$

3. (1 point) Convert the hexadecimal number CA1F to octal. Show your work.

C A 1 F₁₆

$$\begin{array}{cccc} 1100 & 1010 & 0001 & 1111 \\ \hline 1 & 4 & 5 & 0 & 3 & 7 \\ \hline \end{array}_8$$

-1/2 binary but not octal
 -4/8 hex digit \neq 4 bits

4. (1 point) Calculate the minimum number of bits required to encode the decimal number 67 in (unsigned) binary. Hint: Although you could convert it to binary, you can determine the answer by finding which powers of 2 it is between. For example, 7 is between 8 and 4, so we don't need an 8's place (2^3) to represent it, but we do need a 4's place (2^2). Don't forget to count the 1's (2^0) bit.

$$64 \leq 67 < 128$$

$$2^6 \leq 67 < 2^7$$

\therefore $\boxed{7}$ bits are needed: 2^0 through 2^6

-1/4 no work shown
 -1/2 off by 1 w/ work shown
 (-1/4 if ~~to~~ good detail)

5. (3 points) Using exactly 4 bits, add the binary numbers 1010 and 1001.

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 1010 \\ + 1001 \\ \hline 0011 \end{array}$$

- a. Treat the operation as **unsigned** and **convert** the addends and sum to decimal. Explain how you determine whether there was **unsigned** overflow.

$$\frac{10}{+9} = \frac{19}{3} \leftarrow 16 = 2^4 \text{ short of } 19 \therefore \text{unsigned overflow}$$

OR

$$\text{carry out} = 1 \therefore \text{unsigned overflow}$$

- b. Treat the operation as **signed** and **convert** the addends and sum to decimal. Explain how you determine whether there was **signed** overflow.

2's comp $(1010 \rightarrow 0101 \rightarrow 0110) \rightarrow \frac{-6}{3} \leftarrow 16 = 2^4$ higher than "correct" answer of $-13 \therefore$ signed overflow.

6. (2 points) Draw the gate symbols and truth tables for NOT, AND2, NOR3, and XOR3. The number after the gate name indicates the number of inputs.

