Design of Digital Circuits Extra Discussion Session

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Final Exam

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Problem 1 (30 Points):	Potpourri	
Problem 2 (30 Points):	Verilog	
Problem 3 (15 Points):	Boolean Algebra	
Problem 4 (50 Points):	Finite State Machine	
Problem 5 (45 Points):	ISA and Microarchitecture	
Problem 6 (35 Points):	Pipelining	
Problem 7 (45 Points):	Out-of-order Execution	
Problem 8 (40 Points):	Vector Processing	
Problem 9 (45 Points):	GPUs and SIMD	
Problem 10 (40 Points):	Memory Hierarchy	
Problem 11 (35 Points):	Dataflow Meets Logic	
Problem 12 (BONUS: 40 Points):	Branch Prediction	
Total (450 (410 \pm 40 bonus) Points):		

Final Exam August 23, 2019, 2pm HIL G 41 & G 61

Preparing for the Final Exam

- Study to understand the material and concepts. Understanding is the most important thing we will test for
- 2. Do the optional homeworks and understand them
- 3. Some questions on the exam will have similarity to optional homeworks and past exams. However, some questions on the exam will be different from those in the past exams and homeworks. Regardless, the questions will be designed to test your understanding of the material and the ability to think using that understanding
- 4. You can go over the lectures again to reinforce your understanding of the material. We would recommend this. As you know, all lecture videos are available on Youtube at https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL5Q2soXY2Zi8J58xLKBNFQFHRO3GrXxA9
- 5. All material we covered in lectures and the labs can be part of the exam
- 6. We have made past exams and their solutions available online on the course webpage

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