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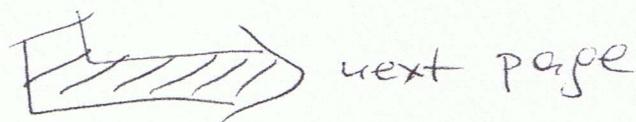
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The EE 3755 final exam will take place on Wednesday December 7, 2011 from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm. The final will be closed books and closed notes. You will not be allowed to use calculators neither computers nor cell phones.

- IMPORTANT NOTE: DO NOT miss the final exam.

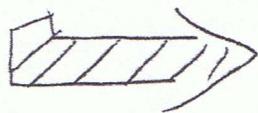
The materials for the final exam follow on the next pages.



Materials for the final exam

You are responsible for the following materials:

- 1) RISCs versus CISCs: (J have given you a hardcopy handout in class on this topic)
- 2) MIPS notes # 1, # 2, # 3: You are responsible for everything from MIPS notes # 1, # 2, # 3.
- 3) MIPS notes # 4: You are responsible from the beginning of MIPS notes # 4 up to the point where it says "Histogram Program". You are not responsible for anything starting with Histogram Program until the end of MIPS notes # 4.



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4) MIPS notes #5: You are only responsible for the following:

(a) The procedure swap

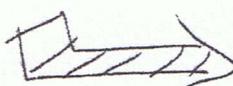
(b) From the procedure sort you should only know the reasons for which the procedure sort saves the registers $\$ra$, $\$s3$, $\$s2$, $\$s1$, $\$s0$ in the stack.

You are not responsible for anything else from MIPS notes #5.

5) The Datapath of MIPS

6) The MIPS controller controlling the ~~datapath~~ datapath (both single cycle and multi cycle)

7) Microprogramming; (I gave you a hardcopy handout in class on this topic).

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Number of points for the final

The final will have 102 points. 100 points on materials and 2 bonus points

Bonus problem 1 (1 point): Was the final easy or difficult?

Bonus problem 2 (1 point): Was the given time enough?