## COE 205, Term 101 Computer Organization & Assembly Programming Quiz# 1

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**Q1.** Fill the blank in each of the following:

- 1. There is one-to-one correspondence between assembly and machine language.
- 2. Assembly language is <u>a programming language that uses symbolic names to represent</u> <u>operations, registers and memory locations</u>.
- 3. One advantage of programming in <u>high-level</u> language is that programs are portable.
- 4. One advantage of programming in <u>assembly</u> language is having smaller code size and faster execution time.
- 5. It is more appropriate to use <u>assembly</u> language for developing hardware device drivers.
- 6. An <u>assembler</u> is a program that converts source-code programs written in assembly language into object files in machine language.
- 7. The <u>instruction set architecture</u> of a computer consists of the instruction set, programmer accessible registers and memory.
- 8. With a 20 bit address bus, the physical address space is  $2^{20}=1$  MByte.
- 9. The advantage of DRAM over SRAM is that it is denser while the disadvantage is that it is slower.
- 10. Cache memory is used to help bridge the gap between <u>CPU and memory performance</u>.

- 11. Part of the disk access time, seek time is <u>the time for moving the head to the desired track</u> while rotational latency is <u>the time for rotating the disk to the desired sector</u>.
- 12. The unsigned binary number 10100101 represents the decimal value 165.
- 13. The unsigned decimal number 500 is represented in binary as <u>111110100</u>.
- 14. Assuming 8-bit representation, the signed number -30 is represented in sign-magnitude as <u>10011110</u> and in 1's complement as <u>11100010</u> and in 2's complement as <u>11100010</u>.
- 15. Assuming 2's complement representation, the 12-bit number FD0 represents the decimal value <u>-48</u> and is represented using 16-bits as <u>FFD0</u>.
- 16. Assuming 2's complement representation, the operation FFE1 7FE0 produces the result  $\underline{8001}$  and overflow =  $\underline{0}$ .
- 17. Assuming 8-bit 2's complement representation, the smallest number that can be represented is <u>-128</u> in decimal and <u>10000000</u> in binary.
- 18. Assuming that an 8-bit register contains the hexadecimal value C5 representing a character, the character stored is  $\underline{E}$  and the parity used is <u>even</u>. Note that the ASCII code of character 'A' is 41h.