## 淡江大學八十八學年度碩士班招生考試試題

系别:電機工程學系

科目:計算機概論

本試題共

1. (40%) Explain the following terminologies or questions:

- (1) the 5 phases in an instruction cycle
- (2) hit ratio
- (3) 3 commonly used DMA techniques
- (4) race condition in a sequential logic circuit
- (5) recursion
- (6) Give one famous method for generating random number by computer
- (7) Moore's Law
- (8) NP-complete
- 2. (10%) What is the purpose of *interrupt*? When interrupted, what operations should the CPU do?
- 3. (10%) What is the meaning of RISC? List at least 4 basic policies of RISC.
- 4. (10%) Use the Huffman code technique to compress the following message (Note that a space is also a character):

A SIMPLE STRING TO BE ENCODED USING HUFFMAN CODE Please give the "Huffman tree" for the above message.

- 5. (10%) Design and give a logic circuit of the BCD (Binary-Coded Decimal) adder.
- 6. (10%) In the 2's complement addition or subtraction, suppose that overflow has not occurred then the carry-out can always be ignored. Please prove this result. (Note that a numerical example CANNOT be accepted as a proof!)
- 7. (10%) To be a good or at least qualified researcher, you must have the ability to think carefully before you taking any action on one topic. This includes to find a good and new topic or to identify an already existing problem being crucially important but not yet been noticed. Please give an example of either (i) advanced application of computer network in the future or (ii) extremely crucial problem to be studied of computer network. You should give technical reasons for your proposal. Try your best to complete the answer within 10 lines. (Note that only NEW idea will be accepted!)