

PROBLEM 2 (9 PTS)

- a) We want to represent numbers between -510.5 and 512.7 . What is the fixed-point format that requires the fewest number of bits for a resolution better or equal than 0.0015 ? (3 pts).

$$\text{Resolution: } 2^{-p} \leq 0.0015 \rightarrow p \geq 9.3808 \rightarrow p = 10$$

$$\text{Range of signed fixed-point format } [n \ p]: [-2^{n-p-1}, 2^{n-p-1} - 2^{-p}]$$

Here, we use the upper bound to determine n :

$$\Rightarrow 2^{n-p-1} - 2^{-p} \geq 512.7 \rightarrow 2^{n-p-1} \geq 512.7 + 2^{-10} \rightarrow n - p - 1 \geq 9.0019738 \rightarrow n - p = 11 \rightarrow n = 21$$

$\therefore$ Then the fixed-point format required in [21 10].

- b) We want to represent numbers between -127.69 and 125.42 . What is the fixed-point format that requires the fewest number of bits for a resolution better or equal than 0.0025 ? (3 pts).

$$\text{Resolution: } 2^{-p} \leq 0.0025 \rightarrow p \geq 8.6439 \rightarrow p = 9$$

$$\text{Range of signed fixed-point format } [n \ p]: [-2^{n-p-1}, 2^{n-p-1} - 2^{-p}]$$

Here, we use the lower bound to determine n :

$$\Rightarrow -2^{n-p-1} \leq -127.69 \rightarrow 2^{n-p-1} \geq 127.69 \rightarrow n - p - 1 \geq 6.996501 \rightarrow n - p = 8 \rightarrow n = 17$$

$\therefore$ Then the fixed-point format required in [17 11].

- c) Represent these numbers in Fixed Point Arithmetic (signed numbers). Use the FX format [16 4].

69.25	-117.3125	-128.875
✓ 128.875 = 010000000.111 $\rightarrow$ -128.1875 = 10111111.001 = 11110111111.0010	✓ 117.3125 = 01110101.0101 $\rightarrow$ -147.3125 = 10001010.1011 = 111110001010.1011	✓ 69.25 = 01000101.01 = 000001000101.0100

PROBLEM 3 (8 PTS)

- a) Complete the table for the following fixed-point formats (signed numbers): (3 pts)

Fractional bits	Integer Bits	FX Format	Range	Dynamic Range (dB)	Resolution
12	4	[16 12]	[-8, 7.9998]	90.31	0.0002441
17	7	[24 17]	[-64, 63.99999]	138.47	0.00000763

- b) Complete the table for these floating point formats (which resemble the IEEE-754 standard). Only consider ordinary numbers. $\min = 2^{-2^{E-1}+2}$, $\max = (2 - 2^{-p})2^{2^{E-1}-1}$, $e \in [-2^{E-1} + 2, 2^{E-1} - 1]$, $\text{significand} \in [1, 2 - 2^{-p}]$

Exponent bits (E)	Significand		Min	Max	Range of e	Range of significand
	bits (p)	FX format				
7	8	[9 8]	2.1684×10^{-19}	1.841×10^{19}	$[-2^6 + 2, 2^6 - 1] = [-62, 63]$	[1, 1.99609375]
8	15	[16 15]	1.1755×10^{-38}	3.4027×10^{38}	$[-2^7 + 2, 2^7 - 1] = [-126, 127]$	[1, 1.999969482421875]
11	36	[37 36]	2.2251×10^{-308}	1.7977×10^{308}	$[-2^{10} + 2, 2^{10} - 1] = [-1022, 1023]$	[1, 1.999999999985448]

PROBLEM 4 (22 PTS)

- a) For the given floating-point numbers (displayed as hexadecimals), complete: bits in the fields, significand's FX format (4 pts)

✓ 7BEAD360 (single – 32 bits)

sign

0

e+bias

111 1011 1

FX format of significand:

[24 23]

significand

1 110 1010 1101 0011 0110 0000

✓ 7A09D3784D039800 (double – 64 bits)

sign

0

e+bias

111 1010 0000

FX format of significand:

[53 52]

significand

1 1001 1101 0011 0111 1000 0100 1101 0000 0011 1001 1000 0000 0000

b) Calculate the decimal values of the following floating-point numbers represented as hexadecimals. Show your procedure.

Single (32 bits)		Double (64 bits)	
✓ 3DE32856	✓ FFCE3720	✓ BADAFC0FEE000000	✓ 800ABBAF25C00000
✓ 003ACBAC		✓ FFECE4710FACADE	

- ✓ 3DE32856: 0011 1101 1110 0011 0010 1000 0101 0110
 $e + bias = 01111011 = 123 \rightarrow e = 123 - 127 = -4$
 $Significand = 1.11000110010100001010110 = 1.774668455123901$
 $X = +1.774668455123901 \times 2^{-4} = +0.110916778445244$
- ✓ 003ACBAC: 1000 0000 0011 1010 1100 1011 1010 1100
 $e + bias = 00000000 = 0 \rightarrow Denormal\ number \rightarrow e = -126$
 $Significand([24\ 23]) = 0.01110101100101110101100 = 0.459340572$
 $X = +0.459340572 \times 2^{-126} = +5.3995224 \times 10^{-39}$
- ✓ FFCE3720: 1111 1111 1100 1110 0011 0111 0010 0000
 $e + bias = 11111111 = 255, f \neq 0$
 $X = NaN$
- ✓ BADAFC0FEE000000: 1011 1010 1101 1010 1111 1100 0000 1111 1110 1110 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
 $e + bias = 01110101101 = 941 \rightarrow e = 941 - 1023 = -82$
 $Significand = 1.1010111110000001111110111 = 1.686538$
 $X = -1.686538 \times 2^{-82} = -3.4876788 \times 10^{-25}$
- ✓ FFECE4710FACADE: 1111 1111 1111 1110 1100 1110 0110 0111 0001 0000 1111 1010 1100 1010 1101 1110
 $e + bias = 1111111111 = 2047, f \neq 0$
 $X = NaN$
- ✓ 800ABBAF25C00000: 1000 0000 0000 1010 1011 1011 1010 1111 0010 0101 1100 0000 0000 0000 0000
 $e + bias = 0000000000 = 0 \rightarrow Denormal\ number \rightarrow e = -1022$
 $Significand([53\ 52]) = 0.101010111011101011110010010111 = 0.6708213$
 $X = -0.6708213 \times 2^{-1022} = -1.492627 \times 10^{-308}$

PROBLEM 5 (46 PTS)

- Perform the following 32-bit floating point operations. For fixed-point division, use 8 fractional bits. Truncate the result when required. Show your work: how you got the significand and the biased exponent bits of the result. Provide the 32-bit result.

✓ ECE5721A + FF800000	✓ 801A8000 - B3CEC000	✓ DECAFFAD × 7F800000	✓ 800C0000 ÷ 494A0000
✓ 40D90000 + C2EAC000	✓ B0AE0000 - 4F4A8000	✓ 0E2CE000 × 8B092000	✓ 49744000 ÷ C0C90000

- ✓ $X = FF800000 + ECE5721A$:
 FF800000: 1111 1111 1000 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000
 $e + bias = 11111111 = 255, f = 0$
 $FF800000 = -\infty$
 $X = (-\infty) + \# = -\infty$
 $X = FF800000$
- ✓ $X = 40D90000 + C2EAC000$:
 40D90000: 0100 0000 1101 1001 0000 0000 0000 0000
 $e + bias = 10000001 = 129 \rightarrow e = 129 - 127 = 2$ $Significand = 1.1011001$
 $40C00000 = 1.101101 \times 2^2$
- C2EAC000: 1100 0010 1110 1010 1100 0000 0000 0000
 $e + bias = 1000101 = 133 \rightarrow e = 133 - 127 = 6$ $Significand = 1.110101011$
 $C2EAC000 = -1.110101011 \times 2^6$
- $$X = 1.1011001 \times 2^2 - 1.110101011 \times 2^6 = \frac{1.1011001}{2^4} \times 2^6 - 1.110101011 \times 2^6$$

$$X = 0.00011011001 \times 2^6 - 1.110101011 \times 2^6$$

To subtract these numbers, we first convert to 2C:

$$R = 0.00011011001 - 01.110101011$$

$$R = 0.00011011001 + 10.001010101 \text{ (2C addition)}$$

The result (in 2C) is: $R = 10.01000101101$, $|R| = 01.10111010011$

For floating point, we need to convert to sign-and-magnitude:

$$\Rightarrow R(SM) = -1.10111010011$$

$$X = -1.1011101001 \times 2^6, e + \text{bias} = 6 + 127 = 133 = 10000101$$

$$X = 1100 \ 0010 \ 1101 \ 1101 \ 0011 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 = \text{C2DD3000}$$

$$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccc} 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & + \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & \\ \hline 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{array}$$

$$\checkmark X = 801A8000 - B3CEC000:$$

$$801A8000: 1000 \ 0000 \ 0001 \ 1010 \ 1000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000$$

$$e + \text{bias} = 00000000 = 0 \rightarrow \text{Denormal number} \rightarrow e = -126 \quad \text{Significand} = 0.00110101$$

$$801A8000 = -0.00110101 \times 2^{-126}$$

$$B3CEC000: 1011 \ 0011 \ 1100 \ 1110 \ 1100 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000$$

$$e + \text{bias} = 01100111 = 103 \rightarrow e = 103 - 127 = -24 \quad \text{Significand} = 1.100111011$$

$$B3CEC000 = -1.100111011 \times 2^{-24}$$

$$X = -0.00110101 \times 2^{-126} + 1.100111011 \times 2^{-24} = -\frac{0.00110101}{2^{102}} \times 2^{-24} + 1.10011101 \times 2^{-24}$$

Representing the number divided by 2^{102} requires more than $p + 1 = 24$ bits. Thus, we round down this operand to 0.

$$X = +1.100111011 \times 2^{-24}$$

$$X = 0011 \ 0011 \ 1100 \ 1110 \ 1100 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 = 33CEC000$$

$$\checkmark X = B0AE0000 - 4F4A8000:$$

$$4F4A8000: 0100 \ 1111 \ 0100 \ 1010 \ 1000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000$$

$$e + \text{bias} = 10011110 = 158 \rightarrow e = 158 - 127 = 31 \quad \text{Significand} = 1.10010101$$

$$4F4A8000 = +1.10010101 \times 2^{31}$$

$$B0AE0000: 1011 \ 0000 \ 1010 \ 1110 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000$$

$$e + \text{bias} = 01100001 = 97 \rightarrow e = 97 - 127 = -30 \quad \text{Significand} = 1.010111$$

$$B0AE0000 = -1.0101110 \times 2^{-30}$$

$$X = -1.10010101 \times 2^{31} - 1.0101110 \times 2^{-30} = -1.10010101 \times 2^{31} - \frac{1.0101110}{2^{61}} \times 2^{31}$$

Representing the number divided by 2^{61} requires more than $p + 1 = 24$ bits. Thus, we round down this operand to 0.

$$X = -1.10010101 \times 2^{31}, e + \text{bias} = 31 + 127 = 158 = 10011110$$

$$X = 1100 \ 1111 \ 0100 \ 1010 \ 1000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 = \text{CF4A8000}$$

$$\checkmark X = \text{DECAFFAD} \times 7F800000:$$

$$7F800000: 0111 \ 1111 \ 1000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000$$

$$e + \text{bias} = 11111111 = 255, f = 0$$

$$7F800000 = +\infty$$

$$X = (-|f|) \times +\infty = -\infty$$

$$X = 1111 \ 1111 \ 1000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 = \text{FF800000}$$

$$\checkmark X = 8B092000 \times 0E2CE000:$$

$$8B092000: 1000 \ 1011 \ 0000 \ 1001 \ 0010 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000$$

$$e + \text{bias} = 00010110 = 22 \rightarrow e = 22 - 127 = -105 \quad \text{Significand} = 1.0001001001$$

$$8B092000 = -1.0001001001 \times 2^{-105}$$

$$0E2CE000: 0000 \ 1110 \ 0010 \ 1100 \ 1110 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000$$

$$e + \text{bias} = 00011100 = 28 \rightarrow e = 28 - 127 = -99 \quad \text{Significand} = 1.0101100111$$

$$0E2CE000 = 1.0101100111 \times 2^{-99}$$

$$X = -1.0001001001 \times 2^{-105} \times 1.0101100111 \times 2^{-99} = -1.01110010011001011111 \times 2^{-204} = -0 \times 2^{-126}$$

$$e + \text{bias} = -204 + 127 = -77 < 0$$

Here, there is underflow (not even denormalized numbers different than zero can represent it). Then $X \leftarrow -0$.

$$X = 1000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 = 80000000$$

✓ $X = 800C0000 \div 494A0000$:

800C0000: 1000 0000 0000 1100 0000 0000 0000 0000

 $e + bias = 00000000 = 0 \rightarrow \text{Denormal number} \rightarrow e = -126$ Significand = 0.00011800C0000 = -0.00011×2^{-126}

494A0000: 0100 1001 0100 1010 0000 0000 0000 0000

 $e + bias = 10010010 = 146 \rightarrow e = 146 - 127 = 19$

Significand = 1.100101

C94A0000 = 1.100101×2^{19}

$$X = -\frac{0.00011 \times 2^{-126}}{1.100101 \times 2^{19}}$$

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      00000001111
1100101 ) 11000000000
          1100101
          -----
          10110110
            1100101
            -----
            10100010
              1100101
              -----
              1111010
                1100101
                -----
                10101
  
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Alignment:

$$\frac{0.000110}{1.100101} = \frac{0000110}{1100101}$$

Append $x = 8$ zeros: $\frac{11000000000}{1100101}$

Integer division

$$Q = 1111, R = 111111 \rightarrow Qf = 0.00001111$$

$$\text{Thus: } X = -\frac{0.00011 \times 2^{-126}}{1.100101 \times 2^{19}} = -0.00001111 \times 2^{-145} = -(0.00001111 \times 2^{-19}) \times 2^{-126}$$

 $X = -0.000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 1111 \times 2^{-126}$. Denormal $\rightarrow e + bias = 00000000$ $X = 1000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000 = 80000000$ ✓ $X = 49744000 \div C0C90000$:

49744000: 0100 1001 0111 0100 0100 0000 0000 0000

 $e + bias = 10010010 = 146 \rightarrow e = 146 - 127 = 19$

Significand = 1.111010001

49744000 = $+1.111010001 \times 2^{19}$

C0C90000: 1100 0000 1100 1001 0000 0000 0000 0000

 $e + bias = 10000001 = 129 \rightarrow e = 129 - 127 = 2$

Significand = 1.1001001

C0C90000 = -1.1001001×2^2

$$X = -\frac{1.111010001 \times 2^{19}}{1.1001001 \times 2^2}$$

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      0000000000100110111
11001001000 ) 1111010001000000000
               11001001000
               -----
               101011010000
                 11001001000
                 -----
                 100100010000
                   11001001000
                   -----
                   101100100000
                     11001001000
                     -----
                     100110110000
                       11001001000
                       -----
                       11011010000
                         11001001000
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                         10001000
  
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Alignment:

$$\frac{1.111010001}{1.1001001} = \frac{1.1110100010}{1.1001001000} = \frac{11110100010}{11001001000}$$

Append $x = 8$ zeros: $\frac{1111010001000000000}{11001001000}$

Integer division

$$Q = 100110111, R = 10001000 \rightarrow Qf = 1.00110111$$

$$\text{Thus: } X = -\frac{1.1110100001 \times 2^{19}}{1.1001001 \times 2^2} = -1.00110111 \times 2^{17}$$

 $e + bias = 17 + 127 = 144 = 10010000$ $X = 1100\ 1000\ 0001\ 1011\ 1000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000 = C81B8000$