

**Report ICOM 4215: Computer Architecture and Organization, Fall 2010**  
**Project III: Due on December 29, 2010**

Please include in the report the following elements:

	Points
1. Title page containing university, department, title, names, date	5
2. Summary or abstract: A brief description of the project, including what has been designed, the approach taken to work on the ALU design, and outcomes.	10
3. Introduction: background information. Contains description of the system, instruction set corresponding to ALU instructions, and all assumptions	10
4. Design: What is the architecture for your design? What were the criteria used for the design? How does it work? Describe its components in details. Include a block diagram. Include an interconnection diagram.	25
5. Method: How you and your partner divided the tasks? How did you test the design? Did you make any changes due to unexpected outcomes?	10
6. Results and Discussion: Show the results of the simulation. Discuss each component simulated and the corresponding instructions. Discuss the diverse cases tested. What were some constraints? What did you learn?	10
7. Conclusion: Summarize results. How would you improve the ALU? What would you add or delete?	5
8. References: references used to back up the work (use them within the text)	5
9. Appendices: Additional information required not suitable for the body of the report	5
10. Professional appearance and organization	5
11. Grammar and composition	5
12. Language and vocabulary	5

**NOTE: Length: no more than 10 pages.**

Project Report is 50% of your grade for project 1.  
 Project Happy Hour is the other 50% of your grade.

**Happy Hour evaluation:**

Is the ALU working properly? Do all components work as expected? \_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_ NO  
 If the answer is NO, STOP. Your Happy Hour grade is ZERO. If the answer is YES, proceed.

Aspect of the project where the student spent most of the time: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Her/his part is a significant effort contribution to the whole project. (30%)
2. Comments and documentation of his/her part. (20%)
3. Understands the project in general. Knowledge and experience on the topic related to his/her part. Management of questions. (30%)
4. Her/his part has been completed. (20%)