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CIS 351 Sample ADD3 Problem

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ADD3: Carry Lookahead Adder

- (a) Sketch the lookahead logic for the carry into column 4. (Columns are indexed beginning with 0.)
- (b) Suppose one were to make a mistake and accidentally use an AND gate in place of the rightmost OR gate for the carry lookahead logic. Describe the inputs A and B that would produce a value of 1 on the carry out.

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ADD4: Carry Select Adder

- (a) Sketch the top-level of a 16-bit carry-select adder.
- (b) Assume that the carry-select pattern is applied at only the top-level, and that the component 8-bit adders are standard ripple-carry adders. Fill in the blanks: The propagation delay of this carry select adder is _____ (more than, exactly, less than) _____ (give a fraction) that of a 16-bit ripple carry adder.
- (c) Explain your choice of “more than”, “exactly”, or “less than” for the previous problem.