

Digital Design and Computer Architecture, 2nd Edition

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Errata List as of 15 April 2021

Chapter	Page	Errata
Front material		In Praise of Digital Design and Computer Architecture section: "...FPGAs..." → "...FPGAs..."
Preface	xxiii	End of 2nd paragraph: "...selection of designs on the DE2 Board using Cyclone II Web Edition." → "...selection of designs on the DE2 Board using Quartus II Web Edition."
Preface	xxiii	"Please send your bug reports to ddcabugs@onehotlogic.com ." → "Please send your bug reports to ddcabugs@gmail.com ."
1	23	Figure 1.22: Although logically equivalent, the columns should be labeled "A B C D" (instead of "A C B D")
2	65	1st paragraph: "...Figure 2.9: $Y = A'B' + AB'$. By Theorem T10, the equation simplifies to $Y = B'$." → "...Figure 2.9: $Y = A'B + AB$. By Theorem T10, the equation simplifies to $Y = B$."
2	76	3rd full paragraph: "...while 01 : 10 would change A from 1 to 0 and B from 0 to 1." → "...while 01 : 10 would change A from 0 to 1 and B from 1 to 0."
2	93	Figure 2.74: 85 ns → 85 ps, 100 ns → 100 ps, <i>tpd</i> TRLSY → <i>tpd</i> TRI _{sy}
4	204	HDL Example 4.26: SystemVerilog: the "<=" should be replaced with "=".
4	205	HDL Example 4.27: SystemVerilog: the "<=" should be replaced with "=".
4	210	HDL Example 4.30: SystemVerilog: the "<=" under case(state) should be replaced with "=".
4	210	HDL Example 4.30: "statetype [1:0] state, nextstate;" → "statetype state, nextstate;"
4		To use VHDL 2008 in ModelSim, you may need to set VHDL93 = 2008 in the modelsim.ini configuration file.
5	241	Last sentence: "...using the carry in to the block C_j ." → "...using the carry in to the block C_{j-1} ."
5	241	Equation 5.5 should be: $C_i = G_{ij} + P_{ij}C_{j-1}$
5	278	"However, in this case $Y = S_0$ " → "However, in this case $Y = S_0$."
5	278	Figure 5.61: in LE1, the input of the Y mux should connect to the output of the LUT.
6	319	Code Example 6.20: High-level code should include "int i;" as the second line.
6	320	Example 6.6: High-level code should include "int i;" as the second line.
6	327	5th paragraph: "In particular, it should not modify any registers besides the one containing the return value \$v0." → "In particular, it should not modify any registers besides the one containing the return value \$v0 (and \$v1 for 64 bit results)."
6	331	Code Example 6.27: "iw" → "lw"
6	338	Code Example 6.30: "iw" → "lw"
6	340	Last line: "For example, the first store instruction..." → "For example, the second store instruction..."
6	346	Figure 6.35: "cop" → "fop"
6	346	3rd paragraph: "They require both a funct field and a cop (coprocessor) field to indicate..." → "They require both a funct field and a fop (floating point operation) field to indicate..."
6	346	3rd paragraph: "cop = 16 (10000 ₂) for single-precision..." → "fop = 16 (10000 ₂) for single-precision..."
6	365	Exercise 6.30(d): "...can the jump instruction (j) jump backward?" → "...can the jump instruction (j) jump forward?"
7	395	First paragraph, last sentence: "The <i>RegDst</i> instruction selects..." → "The <i>RegDst</i> multiplexer selects..."
7	397	First line: "The main controller produces multiplexer select and register enable signals..." → "The main controller produces multiplexer select and enable signals..."
7	409	End of 3rd paragraph: "...the single-cycle processor has an instruction latency of 250 + 150 + 200 + 250 + 100 = 950 ps..." → "...the single-cycle processor has an instruction latency of 250 + 150 + 200 + 250 + 100 = 950 ps (where the final 100 ps is the time to write to the register file) ..."
7	428	Equation 7.5, Decode stage: "2(...T mux +...)" → "2(...t mux...)"
7	429	Figure 7.59, the Main Decoder should have a Jump signal that connects to the Datapath
7	449	First paragraph, last sentence: "for an IPC of 1.17." → "for an IPC of 1.2."
7	454	Figure 7.72: In the Bit position row, '32' should be '31'
7	470	Exercise 7.23: <code>addi \$s0, \$0, done</code> → <code>addi #s0, \$0, 5</code>
7	471	Exercises 7.30 and 7.31: "iw" → "lw"
8	480	Last full paragraph: "If 50% of a program's instructions are loads and stores,..." → "If 50% of a program's performance is due to loads and stores..."
8	543	The top of the page should read: "The horizontal timing involves a front porch of 16 clocks, hsync pulse of 96 clocks, and back porch of 48 clocks. The vertical timing involves a front porch of 11 scan lines, vsync pulse of 2 lines, and back porch of 32 lines."
8	547	Last paragraph: "wireless phones" → "wireless routers"