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Q1) Consider the following statements:

$A = (B + C) * D$
 $D = A * B$
 $C = D + A$

- a) Write the instructions based on STACK architecture, remember that each statement need to be executed separately. You cannot perform any simplifications between the lines.

Push C
Push B
Add
Push D
Mul $10/14 \times 3 + 4/14 \times 2$
 $38/14 \text{ CPI}$
Pop A
Push B
Push A
Mul
Pop D
Push A
Push D
Add
Pop C

- b) Consider a new architecture MYSTACK, which includes 2 new instructions myAdd and myMul such that;

myAdd A is equivalent to the combination of push A and add instructions,
 myMul A is equivalent to the combination of push A and mul instructions.

Write the instructions based on MYSTACK architecture.

Push C
myAdd B
myMul D
Pop A $myAdd \text{ and } myMul \text{ takes } 2CC + 3CC = 5CC$
Push B
myMul A $6/10 \times 3 + 4/10 \times 5$
 $38/10 \text{ CPI}$
Pop D
Push A
myAdd D
Pop C

- c) Assuming 2 CC for each arithmetic operation and 3 CC for each memory access, compare the performance of STACK and MYSTACK architectures.

Possible answers are given above.

In fact the total number of clock cycles are 38 in both Stack and MyStack, and the performance is the same.

- d) For the slowest architecture, suggest an improvement such that it would be faster than the other after the improvement, if possible.

Possible improvement would be to reduce 5CC for myAdd and myMul.