

COURSE OUTLINE

ELEC 546 - Mapping of DSP Algorithms onto Processor Arrays

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Lectures

Days: Tue & Wed Time: 3:30 – 4:50 Location: COR A132

Course Objectives

Enhancing processor performance. Parallel computers. Shared memory processors. Interconnection networks. Ad hoc techniques for parallel algorithms. Non serial-parallel algorithms. Z-transform parallelization. Dependence graph analysis. Case studies of several algorithms.

Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of this course you will acquire the following skills:

- 1. Know the factors that can improve processor performance
- 2. Different types of parallel computers
- 3. Different types of algorithms
- 4. Explore the available design space for a given algorithm
- 5. Gain knowledge of how to explore design space of a given algorithm

Syllabus

- 1. Overview
- 3. Parallel computers
- 5. Interconnection networks
- 7. Nonserial-parallel algorithms
- 9. Dependence graph analysis

- 2. Enhancing processor performance
- 4. Shared memory multiprocessors
- 6. Ad hoc techniques for parallel algorithms
- 8. Z-transform analysis

Required Text

Fayez Gebali, Algorithms and Parallel Computing, John Wiley, 2011.

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Assessment

Activity	Grade
Topic Selection	2 %
Progress Reports (#1, #2, #3)	18 %
Design Implementation	30 %
Final Presentation	20 %
Final Report	30 %
Total	100 %

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