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Question 1 (10 points)
A result of \((\text{CD})_{16}\) was produced in an accumulator of 8-bit structure. Give the value of this result in decimal notation for each of the following cases:

1. The computer is performing its operations in two’s complement integer format:

2. The computer is performing its operations in sign-magnitude integer format:

Question 2 (10 points)

Subtract 35 from 17 using 8-bit two’s complement computation.

Question 3 (10 points)

Perform the following conversion operations to the number systems indicated:

\[(1101)_{10} = (\quad)_{2} = (\quad)_{16}\]
Question 4 (20 points)

Tick only one possible answer for each of the following:

1) The software that controls and manages the computer resources is:
   a. Source program
   b. Loader
   c. Web browser
   d. Operating system

2) The smallest integer number that can be stored in 16-bit unsigned format is:
   a. -0
   b. -128
   c. 127
   d. none of the above

3) The part of the computer that temporarily stores programs and data to be processed is:
   a. The CPU
   b. ROM
   c. RAM
   d. ALU

4) An algorithm is:
   a. An Operating System
   b. High-level programming language
   c. A list of steps for solving a problem
   d. A list of instructions that a computer executes to perform a task

5) A web browser is:
   a. A part of the operating system controls a user’s interaction with the web
   b. A graphical user interface that allows users to navigate through the web
   c. A software that enables users to create graphics
   d. A computer that provides resources to other computers in a network

6) Von Neumann architecture is:
   a. A stored-program computer
   b. A web browser
   c. An architecture for RAM
   d. All the above

7) Computer virus is:
   a. Violation of copyright agreements
   b. Code disrupting the computer operations and erasing information
   c. A Computer theft or computer fraud
   d. A biological disease causing malfunctioning of the computer

8) In binary: 1001 + 11101 = ?
   a. 101000
   b. 100110
   c. 110110
   d. none of the above

9) \((101000011)_2\) is equivalent to:
   a. \((503)_8\)
   b. \((503)_{16}\)
   c. \((554)_{10}\)
   d. None of the above

10) To address a memory of 256 Mbytes, the address bus should be:
    a. 18 bits
    b. 28 bits
    c. 128 bits
    d. None of the above