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va * vb
= ((ha << 16) + la) * ((hb << 16) + lb)
= (ha << 16) * (hb << 16) + (ha << 16) * lb + la * (hb << 16) + la * lb
= ((ha * hb) << 32) + (ha << 16) * lb + la * (hb << 16) + la * lb

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input [31:0] operand_a,
input [31:0] operand_b,

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32 x 32

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assign a_upper = operand_a[31:16];
assign a_lower = operand_a[15:0];
assign b_upper = operand_b[31:16];
assign b_lower = operand_b[15:0];

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Stage 1

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a_upper  b_upper  p0
16 x 16

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p0_padded = {p0, 32'h0000};
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Stage 2

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a_upper  b_lower  p1
16 x 16

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p1_padded = {16'h0000, p1, 16'h0000};
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Stage 3

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a_lower  b_upper  p2
16 x 16

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p2_padded = {16'h0000, p2, 16'h0000};
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Stage 4

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a_lower  b_lower  p3
16 x 16

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p3_padded = {32'h0000, p3};
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wire [31:0] p0;
wire [31:0] p1;
wire [31:0] p2;
wire [31:0] p3;

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result = p0_padded + p1_padded + p2_padded + p3_padded;
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