Control ROM By Brian and Cody

Why is the component important?

- It drives the various operations of the processor
- It controls which components are enabled based on the instruction
- It takes the instruction sent from the instruction memory and uses it to direct all other components to accomplish the task

What instructions does the component support

- All of them
- ADD
- AND
- MOVL
- MOVS
- CMP
- JA
- JALR
- JALR 1 1
- This component is required for instructions to function because this is where instructions are processed

Implementation

- This component uses data flow style.
- Using data flow allows values to be assigned for the output based on the output from the decoder which is a set instruction
- We used conditional statements and the assign statement to assign the values

Test Cases

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module CONTROLROMTEST();
reg [63:0] in;
wire [6:0] out;
CONTROLROM DUT(in, out);
#1000
$display("Output: %d%d%d%d%d%d%d", out[6], out[5], out[4], out[3], out[2], out[1], out[0]);
$display("Output: %d%d%d%d%d%d%d%d, out[6], out[5], out[4], out[3], out[2], out[1], out[0]);
#1000
$display("Output: %d%d%d%d%d%d%d%d, out[6], out[4], out[3], out[2], out[1], out[0]);
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#1000
$display("Output: %d%d%d%d%d%d%d%d", out[6], out[5], out[4], out[3], out[2], out[1], out[0]);
endmodule
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Output: 011110x

Output: 011100x

Output: 0010010

Output: xx00011

Output: xx01x0x

Output: xx0xx0x



- We had to learn the syntax for conditional statements, binary numbers, and the assign block
- We had to finish the decoder to get the values for the conditional statements



Structurally the Control ROM is seven NOR gates working in parallel. Each NOR has a delay of 2 and since the gates do not rely on each other the total delay for the Control ROM is 2.

