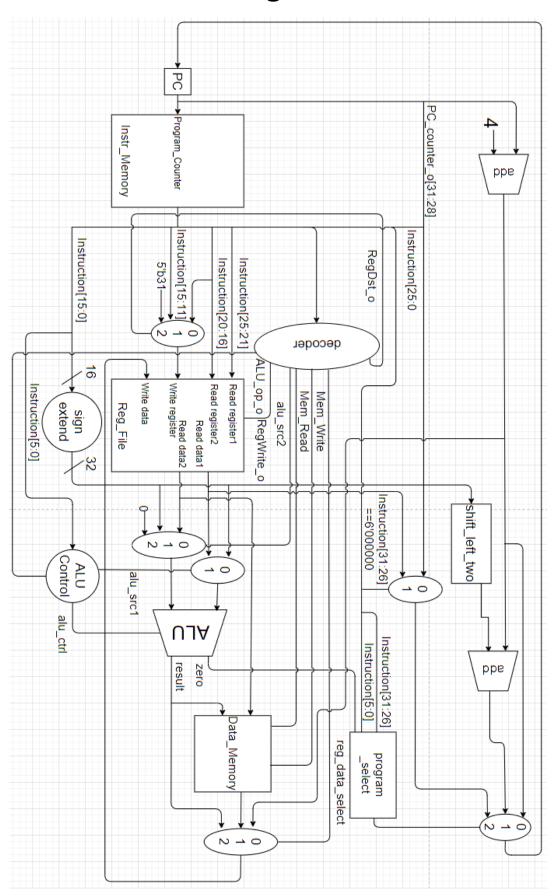
Diagram



Implementation

- We add the Data_Memory module after ALU, by taking in the input from ALU
 result and RT_data, and the additional control Mem_Write, Mem_Read which
 the decoder get from looking into the opcode of every instruction to determine
 whether to save or load the word in or out of the memory
- After the Data_Memory we put a 3-to-1 MUX to determine whether the output of ALU result(R-Type), Data_Memory(lw), or the next line address(jal) should be save into RD_data
- We change the MUX in front of the Reg_file from 2-to-1 to 3-to-1, adding 5'd31 to the additional channel, for jal function need to store the address in r31(\$ra)
- We add a 2-to-1 MUX to determine if the program is taking the R-Type jump, or
 j, jal(those two have their address save in the same position), and we can get
 the overall jump address, and put the result into another 3-to-1 MUX with the
 normal and branch address input
- We abandon the branch_eq and branch_o in LABO2 and replace them with a
 additional module PC_selector to be the select of the 3-to-1 MUX that
 determine the next address the program should count to, by the analyzing the
 instruction and the output of the ALU, we determine that we should go with the
 normal address, the branch address, or the jump address

Question

 Jr: let the program jump from the current address to the address saved in RS_data

Jal: let the program jump from the current address to the address in the instruction, at the same time, save the next line address to r31(\$ra), so that the program can jump back to the current address

Ex: jal (26 bit address)

. . . jr \$ra

Yes
 slt \$t1 \$rs \$rt
 beq \$t1 \$0 offset

Yes

Jr, jal, add, or, ori, slt, beq, sra, sll, mul, lw, sw

Advantage: the CPU have less space saving instruction format, giving it additional capability in running the code, which makes the program run faster Disadvantage: the complexity of the code will increase enormously, as every simple instruction need to be replace by more than two other instructions

Contribution

- J
- Jr
- Jal

Discussions

Actually, I start working on the lab before my teammate did, but as I didn't make the naming of the wire clear enough to understand, when my teammate started working on the lab, he couldn't understand what I had done, what's worst, I couldn't fully understand my work at that time. Therefore, in the end, most my work has been deleted as be replaced by easily understanding code. Next time, I should make good naming and comments to make everything clear to avoid the same situation happen again.