Class CS147, Sec 01

Homework II

Due Date April 18, 2017 11:59 PM PST

Instructions

- 1. There are 6 questions with total 10 points.
- 2. Please create electronic document with your answer.
- 3. There is no need to include the question itself. However, you **MUST** include question number and sub-part index if any. Example: 9(b)
- 4. Please create a PDF document **hw2.pdf** and **upload that in Canvas** assignment page by the due date.
- 5. **NO** handwritten document is accepted.
- 6. NO LATE SUBMISSION.
- 1. For a non-pipeline implementation of data and control path in following diagram for a processor implementing CS147DV show the control signal logic values at different phase of the processor executing the following instructions. You need to construct 10 tables similar to Table 1 (may use hexadecimal for multi-bus signal, leave blank if don't care). Assume that the memory with read=0, write=0 is hold configuration (hold the previous read data) and read=1, write=1 causes electrical isolation of the memory (HiZ) [5 pts]

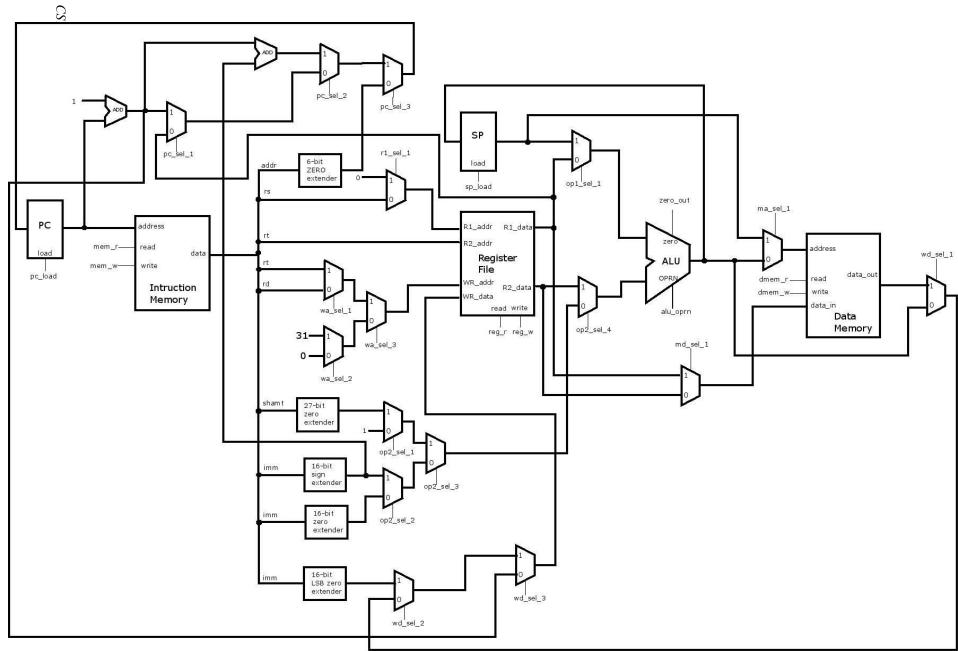
```
I.
         add r3, r2, r1
  II.
         srl r4, r3, 0x3a
 III.
          jr r20
  IV.
        muli r3, r4, 0xa5a5
        andi r3, r4, 0xa5a5
   ٧.
  VI.
         lui r5, 0x5a5a
        bneq r2, r3, 0xa5a5; // r2 = 0x1; r3 = 0x1
VIII.
          lw r24, r6, 0x5a5a
  IX.
         jal 0x2a55aa5
   Χ.
        push
```

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Table 1: Sample Control Signal Table

CTRL Sig Name	IF	ID/RF	EXE	MEM	WB
pc_load					
pc_sel_1					
pc_sel_2					
pc_sel_3					
mem_r					
mem_w					
r1_sel_1					
reg_r					
reg_w					
wa_sel_1					
wa_sel_2					
wa_sel_3					
wd_sel_1					
wd_sel_2					
wd_sel_3					
sp_load					
op1_sel_1					
op2_sel_1					
op2_sel_2					
op2_sel_3					
op2_sel_4					
alu_oprn					
ma_sel_1					
dmem_r					
dmem_w					
md_sel_1					

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- 2. Regarding performance and CPI answer the following. [1 pt]
 - (a) Consider two processor P1 and P2 of the same instruction set. There are five classes of instructions in this ISA as in the following Table 2 with the corresponding CPI. P1 has clock rate of 5GHz and P2 has clock rate of 3GHz. Assuming equal distribution of each class of instructions in a benchmark program, what is the performance of P1 and P2 in terms of instructions per second?
 - (b) If the A type of instruction happens in a program as thrice and type B instruction happens twice as C,D, and E type (C,D,E are equally distributed) which processor is faster and by how much?

Table 2: CPI information

Class	CPI-P1	CPI-P2
A	1	3
В	2	1
С	3	1
D	4	4
Е	3	5

- 3. Consider program P, which runs on a 2GHz machine M in 30 seconds. An optimization is done to P by compiler, replacing some instances of multiplying a value by 4 (x ← x * 4) with 2 instructions of adding x to x (x ← x + x; x ← x + x). Let's call the new optimized program as P'. The CPI of multiplication is 8 and CPI of add is 2. After recompiling the new program is now running in 20 seconds on machine M. How many multiplications were replaced by the compiler? [1 pt]
- 4. A computer architect needs to design the pipeline of a new micro-processor. An example workload of 10⁸ instructions is used to design the pipeline. Each instruction takes 250ps to finish. How long does it take to execute this workload on a non-pipelined processor? The pipelined implementation has been done using 30 pipeline stages. Assuming a perfect pipeline (i.e. no hazard) how much speedup has been achieved compared to non-pipelined design? [1 pt]
- 5. Show the forwarding path needed to execute the following four instructions in a 5-staged pipeline as discussed in the class. [1 pt]

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add r8, r4, r6
sub r7, r2, r8
lw r7, r7, 0x1000
add r8, r2 r7
```

6. In a 5-staged pipelined processor, identify all the data dependencies in the following code. Which dependencies are the data hazards that will be resolved via forwarding? Which dependencies are data hazards that will cause a stall?

[1 pt]

```
add r3, r2, r4
sub r5, r1, r3
lw r6, r3, 0x2000
add r7, r3, r6
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