

# CSSE 232 COMP ARCH 1

## DESIGN DOCUMENT

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- A one paragraph description of your design at a high level including your design philosophy.

**Load and store design mimicking RISC-V at first to ensure full functionality first with the same design philosophies.**

- **Bottom-up approach with a solid foundation eliminates repeated useless work.**
- **Before starting work, have a clear definition of the task at hand and the desired outcomes first.**
- **Hardware components defined by Verilog should vigorously and holistically tested and debugged before assembly software implementation.**

**After full functionality is achieved, optimize for performance (defined below) of the benchmark version of Euclid's Algorithm. New instructions specifically optimized for this task seems the most direct. This can later result in the elimination of other instructions (given processor still is general purpose), which satisfies the simplicity rule. Combination with accumulator is a stretch goal, if with proven contribution to performance, or with extra time.**

- A description of how you plan on measuring "performance" of your processor.

**Time it takes to run Euclid's Algorithm for the same numbers.**

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Euclid's algorithm in MISC assembly:

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relPrime:  addi sp, sp, -16
           sw ra, 0(sp)
           sw s0, 4(sp)
           sw s1, 8(sp)
           addi s0, x0, 2
           addi s1, x0, 1
           sw a0, 12(sp)
loop:      addi a1, s0, 0
           lw a0, 12(sp)
           jal ra, gcd
           beq a0, s1, done
           addi s0, s0, 1
           jal x0, loop
done:      addi a0, s0, 0
           lw ra, 0(sp)
           lw s0, 4(sp)
           lw s1, 8(sp)
           addi sp, sp, 16
           jalr x0, ra

gcd:       addi sp, sp, -4
           sw ra, 0(sp)
           beq a0, x0, returnb
loop:      beq a1, x0, returna
           blt a1, a0, agreater
           sub a1, a1, a0
           jal x0, loop
agreater:  sub a0, a0, a1
           jal x0, loop
returnb:   addi a0, a1, 0
returna:   lw ra, 0(sp)
           addi sp, sp, 4
           jalr x0, ra

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Instructions:

inst	fmt	func	opcode	description
add	R	0000	000	$R[rd] = R[rs1] + R[rs2]$
sub	R	0001	000	$R[rd] = R[rs1] - R[rs2]$
or	R	0010	000	$R[rd] = R[rs1] \mid R[rs2]$
and	R	0011	000	$R[rd] = R[rs1] \& R[rs2]$
addi	I	00	001	$R[rd] = R[rs1] + SE(imm)$
sli	I	01	001	$R[rd] = R[rs1] \ll imm$
sri	I	10	001	$R[rd] = R[rs1] \gg imm$
xori	I	11	001	$R[rd] = R[rs1] \wedge SE(imm)$
lw	M		010	$R[rd] = M[R[rs1] + SE(imm)]$
sw	M		011	$M[R[rs1] + SE(imm)] = R[rd]$

beq	B	100	If(rs1==rs2) PC += SE(imm) << 1
blt	B	101	If(rs1<rs2) PC += SE(imm) << 1
jal	J	110	R[rd] = PC+4 PC += SE(imm) << 1
jalr	I	111	R[rd] = PC+4 PC = R[rd] + SE(imm)

15	14	13	12	11 9	8	6	5	3	2	0	Type
func[3:2]	func[1:0]			rs2	rs1			rd		op	R
func			imm[4:0]		rs1			rd		op	I
		imm[6:3]		rs2	rs1			imm[2:0]		op	B
			imm[6:0]		rs1			rd		op	M
				imm[9:0]				rd		op	J

Instruction	Definitions
add	Takes the last two registers, adds the values, then puts it in the first register.
sub	Subtracts the last register from the second, then puts it in the first.
or	Takes the last two registers and bitwise ors their values then puts the result in the first
and	Takes the las two registers and bitwise ands their values then puts the result in the first
addi	Takes the second register and the immediate and adds it to the first register.
sli	Takes the second register and shifts it left the immediate number of times, then puts it in the first register.
sri	Takes the second register and shifts it right the immediate number of times, then puts it in the first register. This operation does not sign extend the shifted bits.
xori	Takes the second register and xori's it with the immediate, then puts it into the first register.

Lw	Loads a 8 bit word out of the memory address equal to the second register plus the immediate, and puts it in the first register
Sw	Takes a 8 bit word out of the first register and puts it in the memory address equal to the second register plus the immediate
beq	If the two registers are equal, then then bit shift the immediate left and add it to the program counter
blt	If the first register is less than the second register, then then bit shift the immediate left and add it to the program counter
jal	Put the current PC into the first register, add four to it, then bit shift the immediate left and add that to the PC
jalr	Put the current PC into the first register, add four to it, then add the second register and the immediate then put that into the PC

Example Commands in both MISC-V assembly and machine code:

address	assembly	Machine code	comments
0x0000	Addi x5, x4, 12	0001 1001 0010 1001	//an add immediate instruction
0x0002	Sub x5, x4, x5	0001 1011 0010 1000	// subtract instruction
0x0004	Jalr x1, 0(x1)	0000 0000 0100 1111	//a jump and link instruction to the old return address

## Checklist

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Your processor must be capable of executing programs stored in an external memory with which it communicates using:

- ☐ A 16-bit address bus, using byte addressing
- ☐ A 16-bit data bus, meaning all instructions are 16 bits
- ☐ A mechanism for basic input (i.e. you should not need to recompile your design to change the input to your demo code), and
- ☐ A mechanism for basic output (i.e. it should be easy to see the results of your computation).

Your instruction set:

- ☐ Must be capable of performing general computations, and
- ☐ Must support parameterized and nested procedures.

Additionally, your processor could support some of these:

- ☐ Interrupts
- ☐ Exceptions
- ☐ Reading from an input port which is at least 4-bits, and
- ☐ Reading from and writing to a special 16-bit display register

Register	Name	Description	Saver
x0	zero	This register is always zero	-
x1	ra	This is the return address	caller
x2	sp	This is the stack pointer	-
x3	at	This is the assembler temporary	-
x4	a0	This is a temporary register that is used for function inputs and function return values	callee
x5	a1		
x6	s0	These are usable saved registers	caller
x7	s1		

- You should draw a memory map allocating space for text, data, and any special addresses your design needs.

16-bit address bus 0xFFFF or 65536 addresses

Minimum needed: Instruction Memory + Data Memory

32 lines for Euclid, each 16 bit.

Decision: Word size one byte.

2 addresses for each instruction, 64 minimum

Decision:

$2^{13} = 8192 = 0x2000$  for instruction memory

$2^{12} = 4096 = 0x1000$  reserved

The rest is data

## Memory Map

0x0000 to 0x0FFF Reserved

0x1000 to 0x3FFF Instruction Memory

0x4000 to 0xFFFF Data

(Can break data into dynamic, static, stack later if needed, but for now it's just a stack that grows from top to bottom)

- An unambiguous English description of each machine language instruction format type and its semantics including a visual depiction of the allocation of bits in each instruction type (like on the green sheet).
- An unambiguous English description of the syntax and semantics of each instruction (see Figure 2.1 on page 69 of the book).

### RISC-V operands

Name	Example	Comments
32 registers	x0 - x31	Fast locations for data. In RISC-V, data must be in registers to perform arithmetic. Register x0 always equals 0.
2 <sup>30</sup> memory words	Memory[0], Memory[4], ..., Memory[4,294,967,292]	Accessed only by data transfer instructions. RISC-V uses byte addresses, so sequential word accesses differ by 4. Memory holds data structures, arrays, and spilled registers.

### RISC-V assembly language

Category	Instruction	Example	Meaning	Comments
Arithmetic	Add	add x5, x6, x7	x5 = x6 + x7	Three register operands; add
	Subtract	sub x5, x6, x7	x5 = x6 - x7	Three register operands; subtract
	Add immediate	addi x5, x6, 20	x5 = x6 + 20	Used to add constants
Data transfer	Load word	lw x5, 40(x6)	x5 = Memory[x6 + 40]	Word from memory to register
	Load word, unsigned	lwu x5, 40(x6)	x5 = Memory[x6 + 40]	Unsigned word from memory to register
	Store word	sw x5, 40(x6)	Memory[x6 + 40] = x5	Word from register to memory
	Load halfword	lh x5, 40(x6)	x5 = Memory[x6 + 40]	Halfword from memory to register
	Load halfword, unsigned	lhu x5, 40(x6)	x5 = Memory[x6 + 40]	Unsigned halfword from memory to register
	Store halfword	sh x5, 40(x6)	Memory[x6 + 40] = x5	Halfword from register to memory
	Load byte	lb x5, 40(x6)	x5 = Memory[x6 + 40]	Byte from memory to register
	Load byte, unsigned	lbu x5, 40(x6)	x5 = Memory[x6 + 40]	Byte unsigned from memory to register
	Store byte	sb x5, 40(x6)	Memory[x6 + 40] = x5	Byte from register to memory
	Load reserved	lr.d x5, (x6)	x5 = Memory[x6]	Load; 1st half of atomic swap
	Store conditional	sc.d x7, x5, (x6)	Memory[x6] = x5; x7 = 0/1	Store; 2nd half of atomic swap
	Load upper immediate	lui x5, 0x12345	x5 = 0x12345000	Loads 20-bit constant shifted left 12 bits
Logical	And	and x5, x6, x7	x5 = x6 & x7	Three reg. operands; bit-by-bit AND
	Inclusive or	or x5, x6, x8	x5 = x6   x8	Three reg. operands; bit-by-bit OR
	Exclusive or	xor x5, x6, x9	x5 = x6 ^ x9	Three reg. operands; bit-by-bit XOR
	And immediate	andi x5, x6, 20	x5 = x6 & 20	Bit-by-bit AND reg. with constant
	Inclusive or immediate	ori x5, x6, 20	x5 = x6   20	Bit-by-bit OR reg. with constant
	Exclusive or immediate	xori x5, x6, 20	x5 = x6 ^ 20	Bit-by-bit XOR reg. with constant
Shift	Shift left logical	sll x5, x6, x7	x5 = x6 << x7	Shift left by register
	Shift right logical	srl x5, x6, x7	x5 = x6 >> x7	Shift right by register
	Shift right arithmetic	sra x5, x6, x7	x5 = x6 >> x7	Arithmetic shift right by register
	Shift left logical immediate	slli x5, x6, 3	x5 = x6 << 3	Shift left by immediate
	Shift right logical immediate	srl_i x5, x6, 3	x5 = x6 >> 3	Shift right by immediate
	Shift right arithmetic immediate	srai x5, x6, 3	x5 = x6 >> 3	Arithmetic shift right by immediate

**FIGURE 2.1 RISC-V assembly language revealed in this chapter.** This information is also found in Column 1 of the RISC-V Reference Data Card at the front of this book.

- The rule for translating each assembly language instruction into machine language.
- A section describing each addressing mode your processor will use, explain how immediate bits are manipulated by each instruction type. be defined (i.e. is branch PC relative?).



- An explanation of any procedure call conventions, especially relating to register and stack use. You should write a minimum working example of procedure calling in your ISA.
- Example assembly language program demonstrating that your instruction set supports a program to find relative primes using the algorithm on the project page.

### RISC-V Done Above

- Assembly language fragments for common operations. For example, this might be loading an address into a register, iteration, conditional statements, reading data from the input port, reading from the input port, and writing to the output port.
- Machine language translations of your assembly programs (relprime and your fragments). This code should be appropriately commented, and formatted such that the addresses and machine translations of each instruction is easily seen:

Address	Assembly	Machine code	Comments
0x0000	add x1, x2, x3	0101 1010 1111 0000	//an add instruction
0x0002	L: beq x1, x8, L	0101 1010 1111 0000	//a branch with a label

As an example of a professional report on a processor you can reference [the data sheet for the MIPS R4300i processor](#). This has much more information than you will have ready during this milestone, but you should reference it early and often.

### 2. An individual design journal for each member. This must:

- Include details about what that member worked on for the week (including time taken)
- Include design decisions the team and individual member made during this milestone, including summary of meetings' outcomes, and work that may not be reflected in the design journal.
- Include a list of tasks the member was assigned for the next milestone (planning for the next Milestone), including estimated time required for each task.
- Be committed by the individual author. Each member must commit their own log. Teammates cannot do this for you.
- If you need help writing the journal, try adding one or two sentences for each work session in the form "I did X because of Y". The

justification ("Y") is really important to show the depth of your design process.