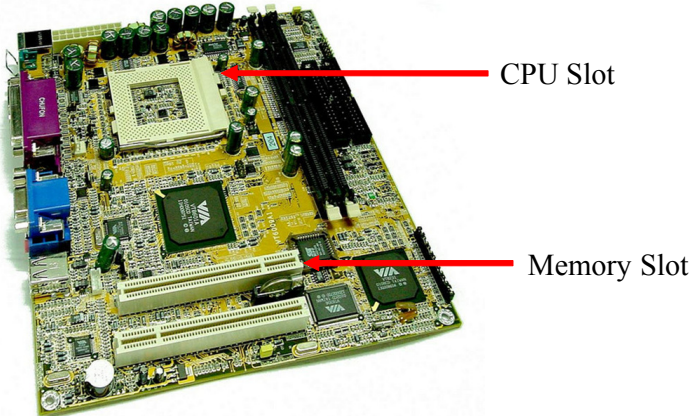


Introduction to Computer Science

Lecture 2: DATA MANIPULATION

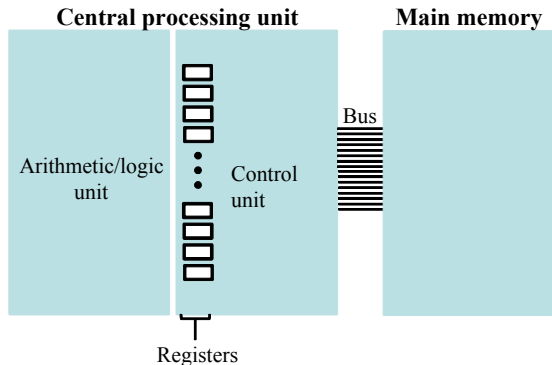
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Motherboard



Computer Architecture

- CPU
(central processing unit)
- Registers
- Memory
- Bus
- Motherboard



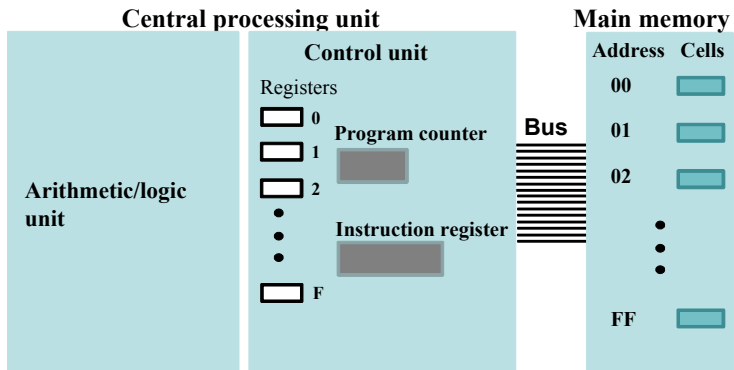
Adding Two Values Stored in Memory

- ① Get one of the values to be added from memory and place it in a register.
- ② Get the other value to be added from memory and place it in another register.
- ③ Activate the addition circuitry with the registers used in Steps 1 and 2 as inputs and another register designated to hold the result.
- ④ Store the result in memory.
- ⑤ Stop.

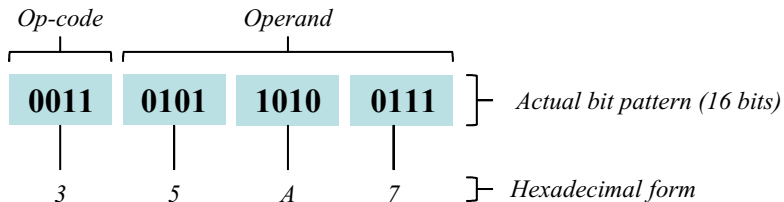
Machine Instructions

- Data transfer
 - LOAD, STORE, I/O
- Arithmetic/logic
 - AND, OR, ADD, SUB, etc.
 - SHIFT, ROTATE
- Control
 - JUMP, HALT
- RISC (reduced instruction set computing) (PRC, SPARC)
vs. CISC (complex instruction set computing) (x86, x86-64)

Architecture of a Simple Machine



Example of Machine Instructions



Store (3) the content of register No. 5 to the memory cell addressed A7

Memory reference: $2^8 = 256$ cells (bytes)

Adding Two Values (Revisited)

Encoded Instructions	Translation	Possible Assembly	Possible C
156C	Load register 5 with the bit pattern found in the memory cell at address 6C.	LOAD 5, 6C	$c = a + b;$
166D	Load register 6 with the bit pattern found in the memory cell at address 6D.	LOAD 6, 6D	
5056	Add the contents of register 5 and 6 as two's complement representation and leave the result in register 0.	ADD 0, 5, 6	
306E	Store the contents of register 0 in the memory cell at address 6E.	STORE 0, 6E	
C000	Halt.	HALT	

Program Execution

- Instruction register (IR), program counter (PC)
- Machine cycle
 - clock
 - benchmarking

1. Retrieve the next instruction from memory (as indicated by the program counter) and then increment the program counter.

FETCH

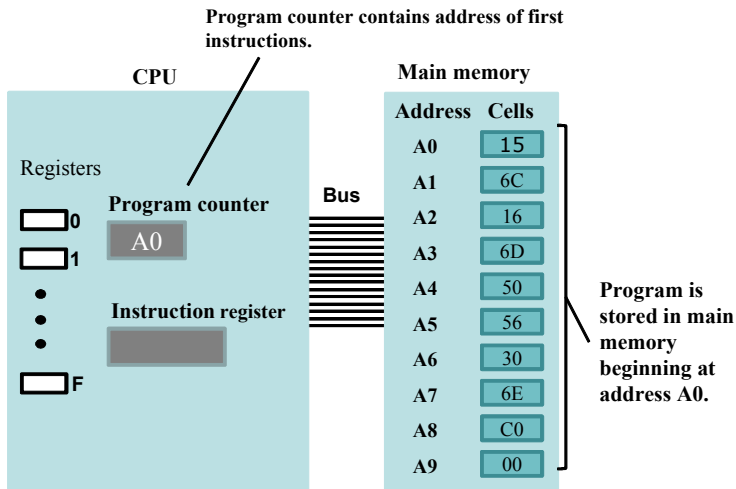
3. Perform the action required by the instruction in the instruction register.

EXECUTE

DECODE

2. Decode the bit pattern in the instruction register.

Fetch



Arithmetic and Logic Unit (ALU)

- Arithmetic operations
- Logic/bit operations
 - Masking

AND

```

01010101
00001111
-----
00000101

```

Setting the first 4 bits to 0.

OR

```

01010101
00001111
-----
01011111

```

Setting the latter 4 bits to 1.

XOR

```

01010101
00001111
-----
01011010

```

Inverting the latter 4 bits.

Shift/Rotation

- Logic shift

10110000 → 01011000 (right)
→ 01100000 (left)

- Arithmetic shift

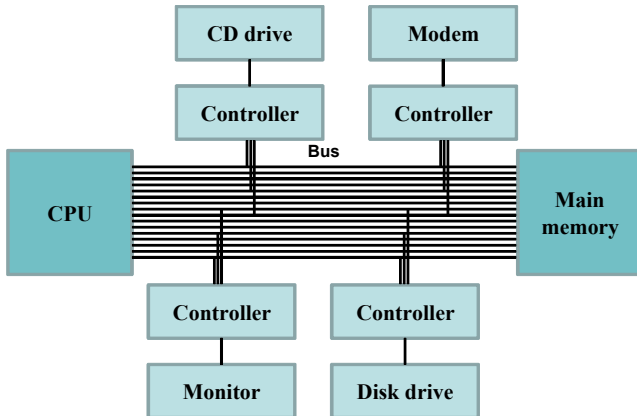
10110000 → 11011000 (right)
→ 11100000 (left)

- Rotation

10110000 → 01011000 (right)
→ 01100001 (left)

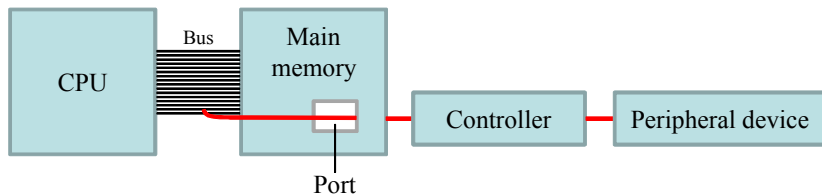
Controller

- Specialized
- General: USB, FireWire



Memory-mapped I/O

- I/O as LOAD, STORE

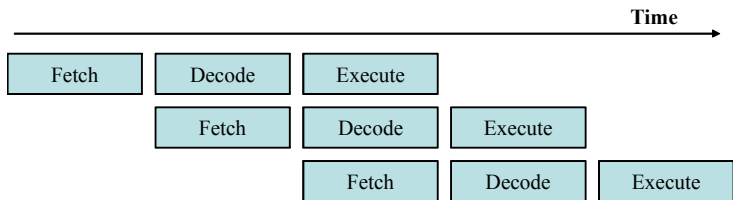


Communication with Other Devices

- **DMA**: direct memory access
 - Once authorized, controllers can access data directly from main memory without notifying CPU.
- Hand shaking
 - 2-way communication
 - Coordinating activities
- Parallel/Serial
- Transfer rate: **bit** per second (bps, Kbps, Mbps, etc)

Pipelining

- Throughput increased
 - Total amount of work accomplished in a given amount of time.
- Example: pre-fetching
 - Issue: conditional jump



Parallel/distributed Computing

- Parallel
 - Multiprocessor
 - SISD, MISD (e.g., pipelining), SIMD (e.g., MMX, SSE, vectorization), and MIMD.
- Distributed
 - Linking several computers via network
 - Separate processors, separate memory
- Issues:
 - Data dependency
 - Load balancing
 - Synchronization
 - Reliability

To Parallelize XOR Not to Parallelize

How to parallelize?

```
declare  $A[0] \sim A[99]$ 
input  $A[0]$ 
```

```
for ( $i = 1; i < 100; i++$ )
     $A[i] = A[i-1] * 2;$ 
```



2 CPUs

```
 $A[1] = A[0] * 2;$ 
for ( $i = 2; i < 100; i += 2$ ) {
     $A[i] = A[i-2] * 4;$ 
     $A[i+1] = A[i-1] * 4;$ 
}
```

← CPU 0

← CPU 1

```
declare  $A[0] \sim A[99]$ 
input  $A[0], A[1], A[2]$ 
```

```
for ( $i = 3; i < 100; i++$ )
     $A[i] = A[i-2] + A[i-3];$ 
```



```
for ( $i = 3; i < 98; i += 2$ ) {
     $A[i] = A[i-2] + A[i-3];$ 
     $A[i+1] = A[i-1] + A[i-2];$ 
}
 $A[99] = A[97] + A[96];$ 
```

← CPU 0

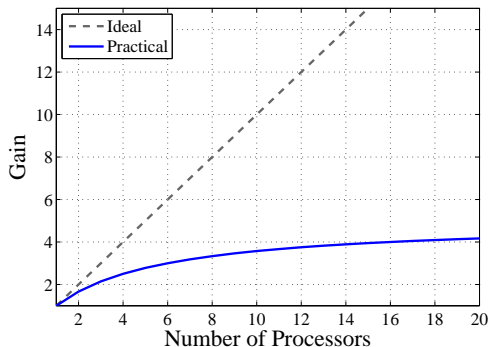
← CPU 1

Speedup & Scaling

- Speedup (Amdahl's law)

P : proportion that can be parallelized.

$$Gain = \frac{1}{\frac{P}{M} + (1 - P)}$$



- $P = 0.8$.
- Maximum gain is $\frac{1}{1-0.8} = 5$.