

CompRegReg computer designment
Computer designment techniques

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1 Introduction

1.1 Objective

Creation of a computer with the following characteristics:

- Architecture or execution mode: Register-Register
- Same memory for data and program code. (Von Neumann).
- Includes a registers bank
- Instruction Set Architecture (ISA) 7 Instructions:
 - LD dir,R2 – Load memory data into a register.
 - ST dir,R2 – Stores register data into memory.
 - ADD R1,R2 – Makes add operation between R1 and R2.
 - SUB R1,R2 – Makes subtraction operation between R1 and R2.
 - INC inm,R2 – Makes add operation between immediate and R2
 - DEC inm,R2 – Makes subtraction operation between immediate and R2
 - BeQ dir,XX – Jumps to dir if FZ = '1'
- Operation codes:
 - LD 000
 - ST 001
 - ADD 010
 - SUB 011
 - INC 100
 - DEC 101
 - BeQ 110
- Instruction lenght: 10 bits.
- Instruction format:
 - 1º Field: Operation code (3bits).
 - 2º Field: Memory address (4bits) / Immediate (4bits) / Register1 address (3bits).
 - 3º Field: Register2 address.

1.2 Used hardware

List and basic description of the elements ultimately used in the final design

1.2.1 Basys2 Spartan 3E FPGA

The Basys 2 FPGA development board is a circuit design and implementation platform for beginners to gain experience building real digital circuits. Built around a Xilinx® Spartan®-3E FPGA and an Atmel® AT90USB2 USB controller, the Basys 2 development board provides complete, ready-to-use hardware suitable for hosting circuits ranging from basic logic devices to complex controllers. A large collection of on-board I/O devices and all required FPGA support circuits are included, so countless designs can be created without the need for any other components.

1.2.2 Leds

- x3 Green leds.
- x1 Red led.

1.3 Used software

1.3.1 Xilinx Webpack ISE 14.2

<http://www.xilinx.com/support/download/index.html/content/xilinx/en/downloadNav/design-tools/v142.html>

2 Requirements Specification

2.1 Memory programming

Memory should have a program for properly testing all instructions.

- Use the RAM(0) to RAM(10) for instructions
- Use RAM(11) to RAM(15) for data.

2.2 Registers bank

Registers bank should have the following characteristics:

- 2 inputs for R1 and R2 addresses.
- 2 output for R1 and R2 content
- 1 input for R2 data-writing

2.3 Instruction structure

Most follow the following rules:

- All instruction will cross ALU, with exception of BeQ
- On LD/ST the "dir" refers the address.
- INC and DEC are using immediates of 4bits
- BeQ will jump if the previous instruction who modifies FZ, modified it to '1'.

3 Desing

CompRegReg machine is made with the conjunction of a few modules. For a better understanding see the explanation below:

3.1 TOP

Top module of the architecture, unifies all modules and connects the results with the outside.

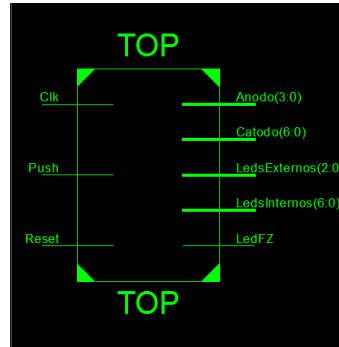


Figure 1: Module TOP from CompRegReg architecture.

3.1.1 Dependencies:

- Control Unit.
- Data Path.
- Display7Seg4ON.
- Debounce.

3.1.2 Signals

- signal-filteredPush connects Debounce's filteredPush with Control-unit's push and is used as datain on five and gates (CW2/3/4/7/8).
- signal-fz connects Data-Path's SalFZ with Control-unit's FZ.
- signal-controlWords connects Control-unit's ControlWord with DataPath CWs and five and gates (CW2/3/4/7/8).
- signal-busRam connects Data-Path's BusRam with Display7Seg-4ON's Dato1.
- signal-sal-opeA connects Data-Path's sal-opeA with Display7Seg-4ON's Dato2.
- signal-sal-opeB connects Data-Path's sal-opeB with Display7Seg-4ON's Dato3.
- signal-salALU connects Data-Path's salALU with Display7Seg-4ON's Dato4.
- signal-instruccion connects Data-Path's instruccion with Control-unit's opCode and Led-sExternos with the 3 MSB and the rest with LedsInternos.

3.2 Control Unit

Its the responsible of all control words, i could say its the brain. Its a state machine who decides the control words output looking at an operation code.

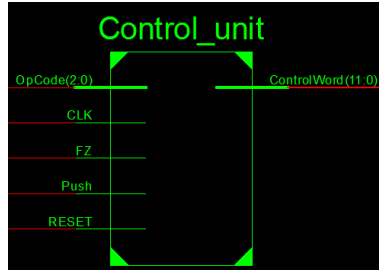


Figure 2: Module Control Unit from CompRegReg architecture.

3.2.1 States

Control Unit has nine states, every push = '1' will provoke a change on states.

- Idle: Initial state
- LoadInst: Loading instruction state
- Deco: Decodifying state (takes decision looking at operation code)
- Load: Load operation state
- Store: Store operation state
- AaddB: Add operation state
- AsubB: Substraction state
- INC: Immediate add state
- DEC: Immediate subtraction state
- BeQ: BeQ state

3.2.2 ControlWords

Control word output will be define with the following parameters:

- constant Outputs-Idle : std-logic-Vector(11 downto 0):="000000000000"
- constant Outputs-LoadInst : std-logic-Vector(11 downto 0):="000010001000"
- constant Outputs-Deco : std-logic-Vector(11 downto 0):="000000000000"
- constant Outputs-Load : std-logic-Vector(11 downto 0):="000001010010"
- constant Outputs-Store : std-logic-Vector(11 downto 0):="001000000110"
- constant Outputs-AaddB : std-logic-Vector(11 downto 0):="010100110000"

- constant Outputs-AsubB : std-logic-Vector(11 downto 0):="011100110000"
- constant Outputs-BincA : std-logic-Vector(11 downto 0):="100100010000"
- constant Outputs-BdecA : std-logic-Vector(11 downto 0):="101100010000"
- constant Outputs-BeQ : std-logic-Vector(11 downto 0):="110010000001"

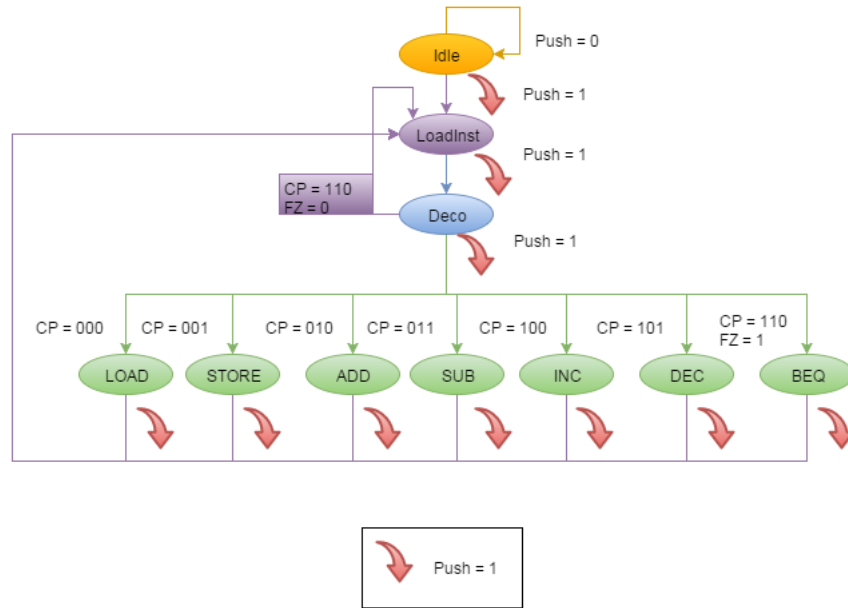


Figure 3: States changes from Control Unit.

3.3 Data Path

The hearth of CompRegReg machine. Will receive information from Control Unit and will process the data on his ALU (exception with BeQ).

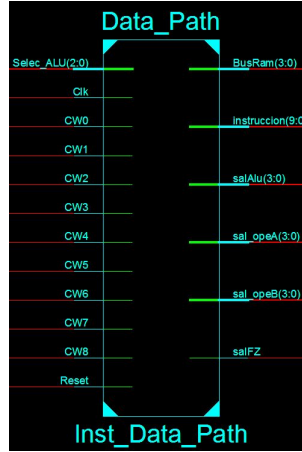


Figure 4: Module Data Path from CompRegReg architecture.

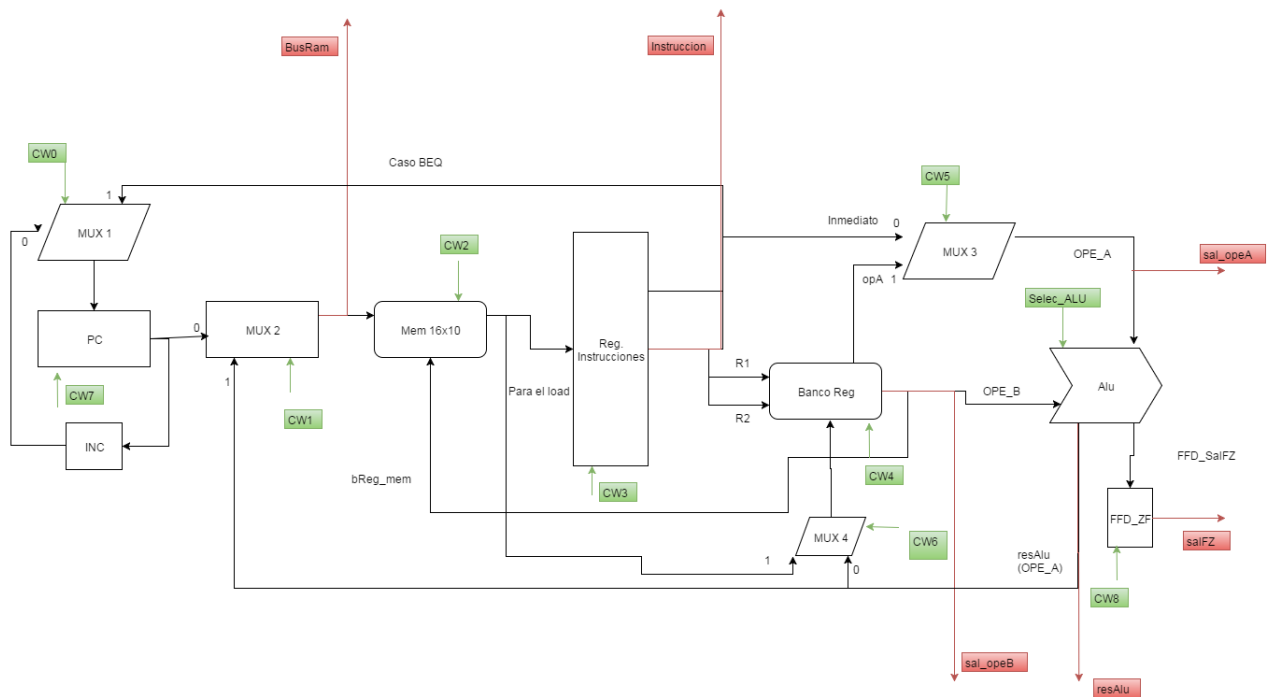


Figure 5: Module Data Path from CompRegReg architecture.

Looking deep-inside the module. We could see there are 4 multiplexors, a memory ram module, the program counter...etc.

Red cables are outputs, and green signals are controlwords.

3.3.1 Dependencies:

- Mux2-4bits.
- Ram16x10.
- Inc1-4bits.
- Reg-4bits.
- ALU-4bits
- FFD-Basic.
- Banco Registros8x4.

3.3.2 Signals

- opA connects Banco-registros-8x4's DataOut-reg1 with MUX3's B
- OpB connects Banco-registros-8x4's DataOut-reg2 with ALU-4bits's OPE-B in.
- resALU connects ALU's output with MUX2's B and MUX4's A and with the output salALU.
- mux3-alu connects MUX3's output with ALU-4bits's OPE-A in.
- mux4-bReg connects MUX4's output with Banco-registros-8x4's DataIn-reg2.
- mem-Reginst connects RAM-16x10's dataout with Reg-10bits's DataIn.
- sal-regInst connects Reg-10bits's Dataout with MUX1 B and MUX3 A and Banco-registros-8x4's Address-reg1/2 and the output instruccion.
- sal-regInst connects Reg-10bits's Dataout with MUX1 B and MUX3 A and Banco-registros-8x4's Address-reg1/2 and the output instruccion.
- bReg-mem connects 4 LSB from opeB + 0x000.. with RAM-16x10's DataIn.
- signal-salFZ connects ALU-4bits's salZF with FFD-Basic's D (datain).
- FFD-SALFZ connects FFD-Basic's Q (dataout) with salFZ output.
- pc-inc-mux2 connects Reg-4bits's dataout (PC dataout) with MUX2's A and Inc1-4bits's value (datain).
- inc-mux1 connects Inc1-4bits's value-inc (dataout) with MUX1's A.
- mux1-pc connects MUX1's Z (dataout) with Reg-4bits's datain.
- mux2-mem connects MUX2's Z (dataout) with RAM-16x10's address and output BusRam

3.4 Display7Seg-4ON

Our machine will use a seven segments display for showing the following:

- Display AN3: RAM Address.
- Display AN2: First operand in ALU.
- Display AN1: Operando B de la ALU.
- Display AN0: Salida de la ALU.

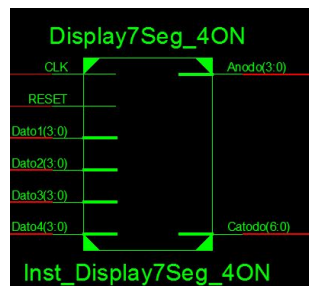


Figure 6: Module Display7Seg-4ON from CompRegReg architecture.

3.4.1 Dependencies:

- Mux4-4bits.
- Disp7Seg.
- YourTurn.
- CLK-1Khz.

3.5 Debounce

States machine used to increase resilience of ComRegReg against mechanic errors, like the problem with pushing on mechanical push buttons.

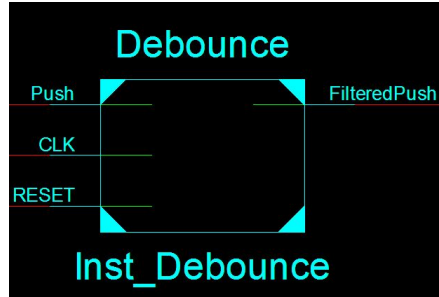


Figure 7: Module Debounce from CompRegReg architecture.

3.5.1 States

Inside Debounce, there is a module called debounce FSM who is the one who has the states. In fact, it has four states. The states are:

- Inic: Initial state. It will change if receives a '0', and will stay on this state if receives '1'.
- S0: It will stay on this state if receives '0', and it will swap if receives '1'.
- S01: This state will only work for one cycle, doesn't matter what it receives. Will put the enable timer in '1'.
- Espera: It will stay on this state if receives '0' otherwise it will swap.

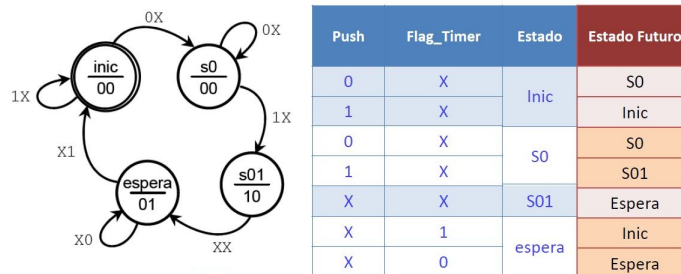


Figure 8: Image taken from practice 5 page 7.

3.5.2 Dependencies:

- Mux4-4bits.
- Disp7Seg.
- YourTurn.
- CLK-1Khz.

