

Project Help

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Spimcore.c

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    Halt = instruction_fetch(PC,Mem,&instruction);

    if(!Halt)
    {
        /* partition the instruction */
        instruction_partition(instruction,&op,&r1,&r2,&r3,&funct,&offset,&jsec);

        /* instruction decode */
        Halt = instruction_decode(op,&controls);
    }

    if(!Halt)
    {
        /* read_register */
        read_register(r1,r2,Reg,&data1,&data2);

        /* sign_extend */
        sign_extend(offset,&extended_value);

        /* ALU */
        Halt = ALU_operations(data1,data2,extended_value,funct,controls.ALUOp,controls.ALUSrc,&ALUresult,&Zero);
    }

    if(!Halt)
    {
        /* read/write memory */
        Halt = rw_memory(ALUresult,data2,controls.MemWrite,controls.MemRead,&memdata,Mem);
    }

    if(!Halt)
    {
        /* write to register */
        write_register(r2,r3,memdata,ALUresult,controls.RegWrite,controls.RegDst,controls.MemtoReg,Reg);

        /* PC update */
        PC_update(jsec,extended_value,controls.Branch,controls.Jump,Zero,&PC);
    }
}
```

How to compile and run

Make an empty project
Add all 3 files to the project
From debug, add test file

Misconceptions

Do not have to make any changes to spimcore.c or spimcore.h

Do not have to worry about input/output

Do not have to convert between HEX and/or DEC

Controls

r	Dump registers contents
m	Dump memory contents (in Hexadecimal format)
s[n]	Step n instructions (simulate the next n instruction). If n is not typed, 1 is assumed
c	Continue (carry on the simulation until the program halts (with illegal instruction))
H	Check if the program has halted
d	ads1 ads2 Hexadecimal dump from address ads1 to ads2
I	Inquire memory size
P	Print the input file
g	Display all control signals
X, X, q, Q	Quit

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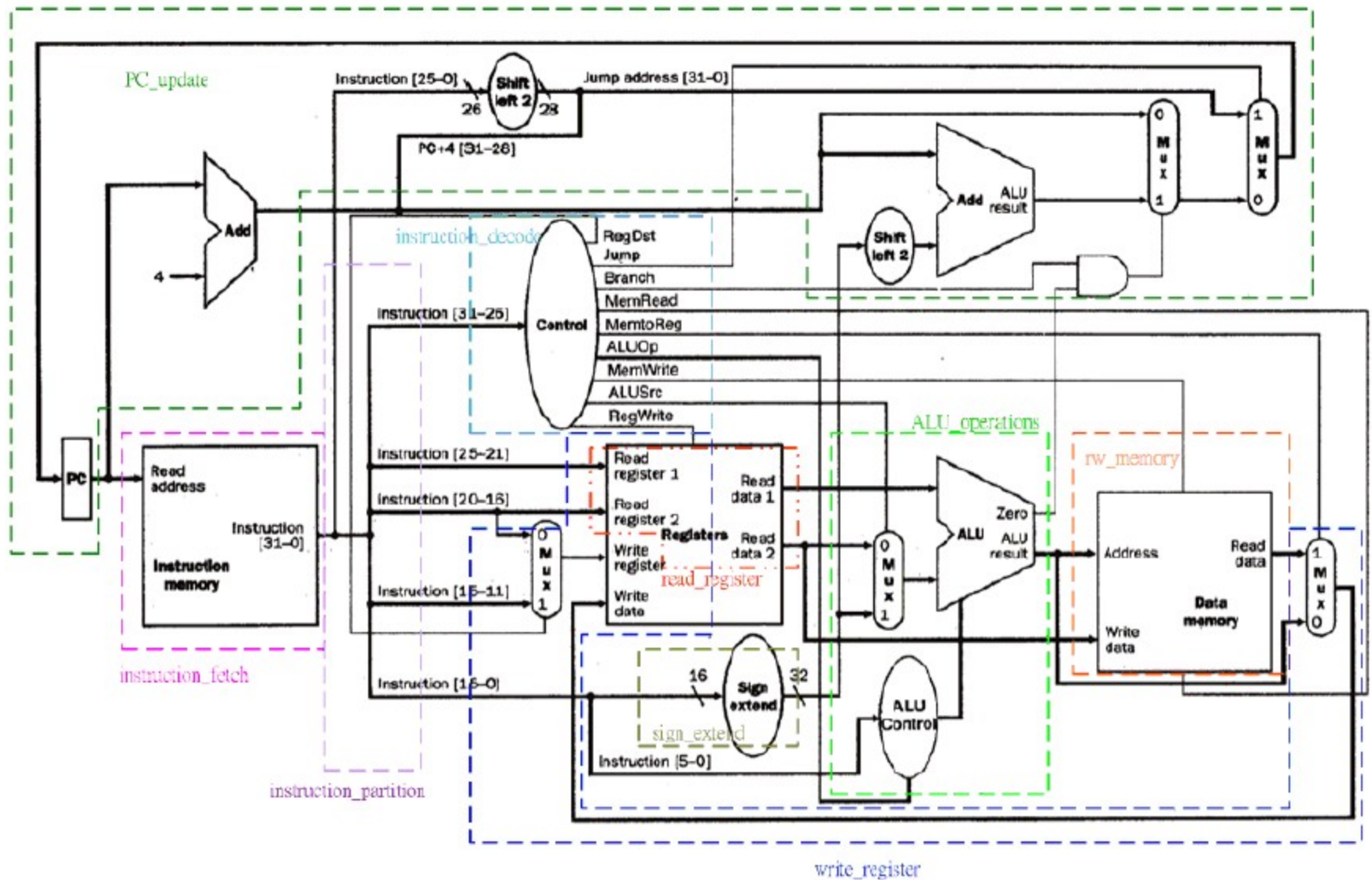
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How to start

Implement functions in order so that you can check each functions output...

IF

IP

ID

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```
int instruction_fetch(unsigned PC,unsigned *Mem,unsigned *instruction)
```

As mentioned before, Mem has already been populated, and PC should be the starting address

Check for word alignment

Use $PC \gg 2$ to get the actual location

IP

```
void instruction_partition(unsigned instruction, unsigned *op, unsigned *r1, unsigned  
*r2, unsigned *r3, unsigned *funct, unsigned *offset, unsigned *jsec)
```

```
unsigned op, // instruction [31-26]
```

```
    r1, // instruction [25-21]
```

```
    r2, // instruction [20-16]
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    r3, // instruction [15-11]
```

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    funct, // instruction [5-0]
```

```
    offset, // instruction [15-0]
```

```
    jsec; // instruction [25-0]
```

ID

```
int instruction_decode(unsigned op,struct_controls *controls)
typedef struct
{
    char RegDst;
    char Jump;
    char Branch;
    char MemRead;
    char MemtoReg;
    char ALUOp;
    char MemWrite;
    char ALUSrc;
    char RegWrite;
}struct_controls;
```

Read register

```
void read_register(unsigned r1,unsigned r2,unsigned *Reg,unsigned *data1,unsigned  
*data2)
```

Sign Extend

```
void sign_extend(unsigned offset,unsigned *extended_value)
```

16th bit is the sign bit

When we partitioned we put all zeros in the first 16 bits...

ALU_operations

```
int ALU_operations(unsigned data1,unsigned data2,unsigned  
extended_value,unsigned funct,char ALUOp,char ALUSrc,unsigned *ALUresult,char  
*Zero)
```

Set parameters for A, B, and ALUControl

If R-type instruction, look at funct

In the end, call

rw_memory

```
int rw_memory(unsigned ALUresult,unsigned data2,char MemWrite,char  
MemRead,unsigned *memdata,unsigned *Mem)
```

If MemWrite = 1, write into memory...

If MemRead = 1, read from memory

write_register

```
void write_register(unsigned r2,unsigned r3,unsigned memdata,unsigned  
ALUresult,char RegWrite,char RegDst,char MemtoReg,unsigned *Reg)
```

If RegWrite == 1, and MemtoReg ==1, then data coming from memory...

If RegWrite == 1, and MemtoReg ==0, then data coming from ALU_result

PC_update

```
void PC_update(unsigned jsec,unsigned extended_value,char Branch,char Jump,char  
Zero,unsigned *PC)
```

```
PC = PC + 4;
```

Take care of Branch and Jump

Zero – Branch taken or not

Jump: Left shift bits of jsec by 2 and use upper 4 bits of PC

Questions