# Intro to Processor Architecture

**Assignment 1** 

# **ALU**

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## **APPROACH**

The assignment consists of 4 modules with one wrapper module that is used to access the other 4 modules. The four modules are:

### ADD

The *ADD* function adds two 64-bit numbers. There is a *fulladder* module that acts like a normal full adder. It adds two numbers *a* and *b* to give *sum* and a *carry* as output. This module is used in the *ADD* module in a for loop to perform this operation 64 times – one for every bit in both the numbers. The 65<sup>th</sup> bit, if any, is stored in the final carry output *Cout*. The testbench for this code is also given as *ADDTb.v* 

### **SUB**

The *SUB* function subtracts 64-bit numbers from another. There is a *fulladder* module that acts like a normal full adder. It adds two numbers *a* and *b* to give *sum* and a *carry* as output. This module is used in the *SUB* module in a for loop to perform this operation 64 times – one for every bit in both the numbers. There is a *not* gate as well. The 65<sup>th</sup> bit, if any, is stored in the final carry output *Cout*. The testbench for this code is also given as *SUBTb.v* 

### AND

The *and* function calculates the result when we and two 64-bit numbers. This operation is usually done using bitwise operator '&'. There is an *andgate* module that finds out the and of two numbers. It ands two numbers x and y to give z. This module is used in the *andfunc* module in a for loop to perform this operation 64 times — one for every bit in both the numbers. The testbench for this code is also given as *AndTb*.v

### OR

The *or* function calculates the result when we or two 64-bit numbers. This operation is usually done using bitwise operator '|'. There is an *orgate* module that finds out the or of two numbers. It ors two numbers x and y to give z. This module is used in the *orfunc* module in a for loop to perform this operation 64 times – one for every bit in both the numbers. The testbench for this code is also given as *OrTb.v* 

### WRAPPER ALU UNIT

The wrapper ALU unit consists of an **ALU** module which decides the operation to be done upon the two input 64-bit numbers. We used the case statements to decide which control input should be activated. The previous modules and functions are accessed using include statements.

The control input 1 allows the *ADD* function to run.

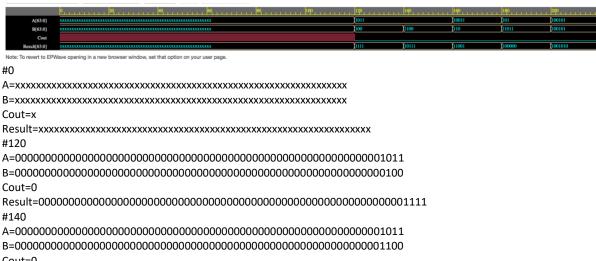
The control input 2 allows the *SUB* function to run.

The control input 3 allows the **AND** function to run.

The control input 4 allows the **OR** function to run.

# **RESULTS**

### **ADD**



Cout=0





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#0

Cout=x

Cout=1

### **AND**



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#0



