

Arithmetic Logic Unit

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***Processor
Architecture
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Report Details

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1. Introduction

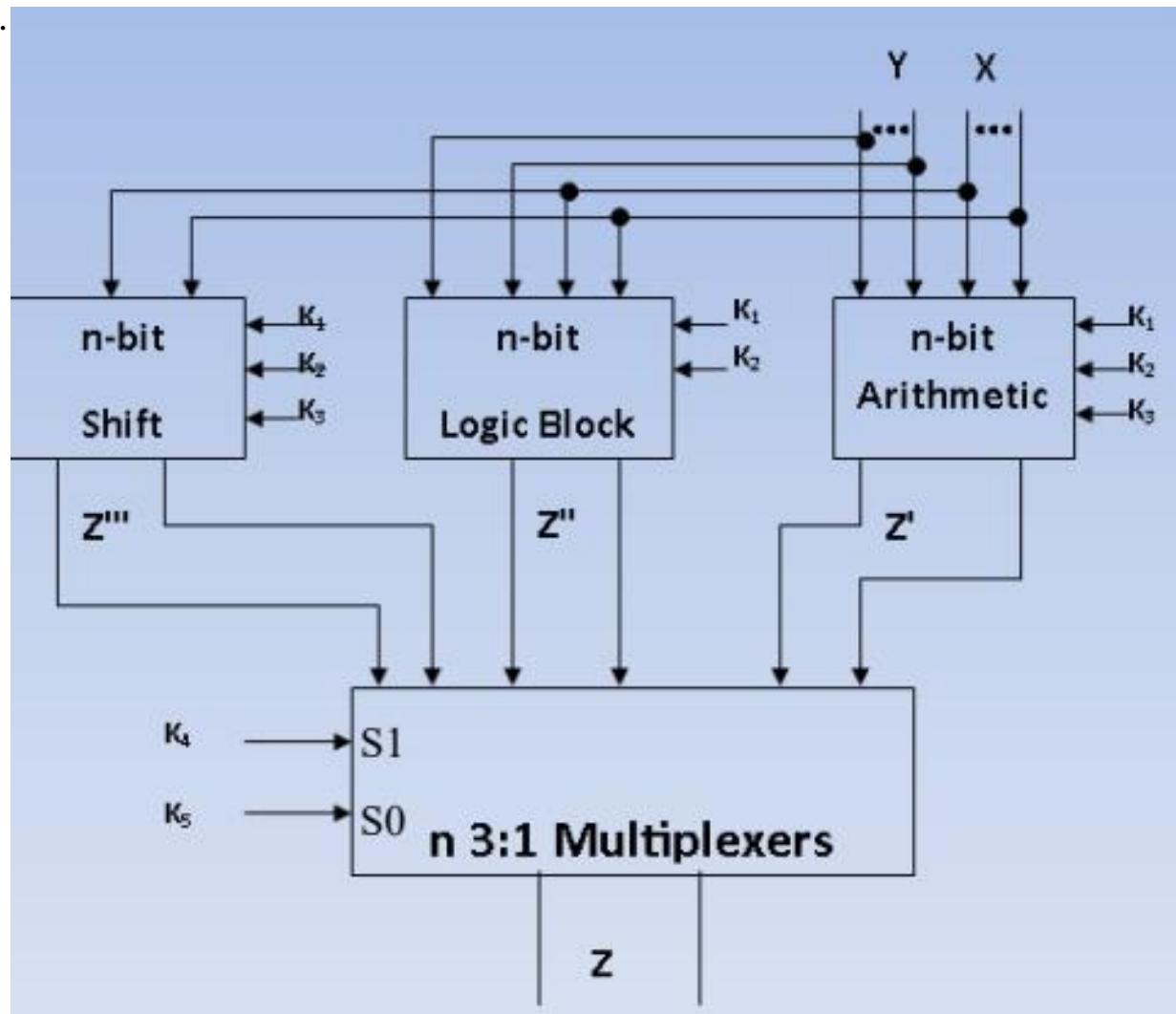
In this project, we designed a **16-bit combinational ALU** that implements the required **20 functions** across three major blocks:

- Arithmetic Unit
- Logic Unit
- Shift/Rotate Unit

Our Project ALU Codes are uploaded to the [Github Repository](#)

The main objective was to implement all operations and generate the 6 status flags (C, Z, N, V, P, A) as required in the assignment brief (page 1–3 of the PDF)

The main Design of the ALU was from Dr. Ibrahim Qamar Slides in Course Processor Architecture.



2. ALU Architecture Overview

The ALU uses the upper bits of F[4:3] to select a block:

00 → Arithmetic

01 → Logic

10 → Shift/Rotate

2.1 Arithmetic Unit

Implements: INC, DEC, ADD, ADD+CIN, SUB, SUB-CIN.

Generates flags: C, Z, N, V, P, Af.

2.2 Logic Unit

Implements: AND, OR, XOR, NOT.

Generates Z, N, P.

	Msgs											
checkbox /ALU_tb/A	0011010100100100	100001001000101	111101111100101	1101011000010010	0100100111110010	0111101011010000	0100100101011100	01011000000101101	01100001001100011	0010001010000000	01...	
checkbox /ALU_tb/B	0101110100000001	1101001001001010	01100001101111	11010110001111	0001011001001110	0100110101000101	0010100001011101	00100011000100101	10000011000001010	0010000100100000	11...	
checkbox /ALU_tb/F	00000	01000	01001	01010	01011	01100	01101	01110	01111	10000	10...	
checkbox /ALU_tb/Cin	1											
checkbox /ALU_tb/Out	0000000000000000	1000000000000000	111101111110111	0000101011001110	1001011000001101	0000000000000000				0100001010000000	00...	
checkbox /ALU_tb/Status	00000	001010	000010	001000	000000				000000			

2.3 Shift Unit

Implements: SHL, SHR, SAL, SAR, ROL, ROR, RCL, RCR.

Carry = shifted/rotated-out bit.

3. Verilog Code

3.1 Arithmetic Unit

```
tmodule Arithmetic
#(parameter Width=16)
(
    input      [Width-1:0] A,B,
    input      Cin,
    input      [2:0] F,
    output reg [Width-1:0] Out,
    output reg Cout,
    output reg [5:0] Status,
    output reg C,Z,N,V,P,Af
);
reg [Width:0] temp;
reg overflow;

always @(*)
begin

    case(F)
        3'b001:                               //INC
        begin
            temp=A+1;
            Out=temp[Width-1:0];
            Cout=temp[Width];
            if(A[Width-1]^Out[Width-1])
                overflow=1'b1;
            else
                overflow=1'b0;
        end
        /////////////////////////////////
        3'b011:                               //DEC
        begin
            temp=A-1;
            Out=temp[Width-1:0];
            Cout=temp[Width];
            if(A[Width-1]^Out[Width-1])
                overflow=1'b1;
            else
                overflow=1'b0;
        end
        /////////////////////////////////
        3'b100:                               //ADD
        begin
            temp=A+B;
            Out=temp[Width-1:0];
            Cout=temp[Width];
            if( (A[Width-1] & B[Width-1]& ~Out[Width-1]) | ( ~A[Width-1] & ~B[Width-1]& Out[Width-1] ) )
                overflow=1'b1;
            else
                overflow=1'b0;
        end
        /////////////////////////////////
        3'b101:                               //ADD_CARRY
        begin

```

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```

temp=A+B+Cin;
Out=temp[Width-1:0];
Cout=temp[Width];
if( (A[Width-1] & B[Width-1]& ~Out[Width-1]) | ( ~A[Width-1] & ~B[Width-1]& Out[Width-1]) )
    overflow=1'b1;
else
    overflow=1'b0;
end
///////////
3'b110:                                //SUB
begin
    temp=A-B;
    Out=temp[Width-1:0];
    Cout=temp[Width];
    if( (A[Width-1] & ~B[Width-1]& ~Out[Width-1]) | ( ~A[Width-1] & B[Width-1]& Out[Width-1]) )
        overflow=1'b1;
    else
        overflow=1'b0;
end
///////////
3'b111:                                //SUB_BORROW
begin
    temp=A-B-Cin;
    Out=temp[Width-1:0];
    Cout=temp[Width];
    if( (A[Width-1] & ~B[Width-1]& ~Out[Width-1]) | ( ~A[Width-1] & B[Width-1]& Out[Width-1]) )
        overflow=1'b1;
    else
        overflow=1'b0;
end
///////////
default:
begin
    Out=0;
    Cout=0;
    overflow=0;
end
///////////
endcase

///////////
C = (F[2] | F[0]) ? Cout      : 1'b0;          // Carry Flag
Z = (F[2] | F[0]) ? (Out=={Width{1'b0}})      : 1'b0;          // Zero Flag
N = (F[2] | F[0]) ? Out[Width-1]           : 1'b0;          // Negative Flag
V = (F[2] | F[0]) ? overflow            : 1'b0;          // Overflow Flag
P = (F[2] | F[0]) ? ~^Out             : 1'b0;          // Parity Flag
Af = (F[2] | F[0]) ? ((A[3:0]+B[3:0]+Cin)>4'hF) : 1'b0;          // Auxiliary Flag

// The if condition here is just to make the Flags = 0 when the two not used OP Codes in the Project Details

Status={C,Z,N,V,P,Af}; // Concatenate

end
endmodule

```

3.2 Logic Unit

```

module Logic
#(parameter Width = 16)
(
    input      [Width-1:0] A,B,
    input      [2:0] F,
    output reg Z,N,P,
    output reg [Width-1:0] Out
);

always@(*) begin
    case(F)
        3'b000:                               //AND
        begin
            Out = A & B;
            Z = ~|Out;                      //Zero Flag
            N = Out[Width-1];                //Negative Flag
            P = ~^Out;                      //Parity Flag
        end
        /////////////////
        3'b001:                               //OR
        begin
            Out = A | B;
            Z = ~|Out;                      //Zero Flag
            N = Out[Width-1];                //Negative Flag
            P = ~^Out;                      //Parity Flag
        end
        /////////////////
        3'b010:                               //XOR
        begin
            Out = A ^ B;
            Z = ~|Out;                      //Zero Flag
            N = Out[Width-1];                //Negative Flag
            P = ~^Out;                      //Parity Flag
        end
        /////////////////
        3'b011:                               //NOT
        begin
            Out = ~A;
            Z = ~|Out;                      //Zero Flag
            N = Out[Width-1];                //Negative Flag
            P = ~^Out;                      //Parity Flag
        end
        /////////////////
        default:
        begin
            Out = 1'b0;
            Z = 1'b0;                      //Zero Flag
            N = 1'b0;                      //Negative Flag
            P = 1'b0;                      //Parity Flag
        end
        /////////////////
    endcase
end
endmodule

```

3.3 Shift Unit

```

module Shift
#(parameter Width=16)
(
    input      [Width-1:0] A,
    input      [2:0] F,
    output reg C,Z,N,P,
    output reg [Width-1:0] Out
);
reg Cshift;

always @(*)
begin
    case (F)
        3'b000: {C,Out} = {A,1'b0}; //SHL
        3'b001: {Out,C} = {1'b0,A}; //SHR
        3'b010: {C,Out} = {A,1'b0}; //SAL
        3'b011: {Out,C} = {A[Width-1],A}; //SAR
        3'b100: {C,Out} = {A,A[Width-1]}; //ROL
        3'b101: {Out,C} = {A[0],A}; //ROR
        3'b110: {C,Out} = {A,Cshift}; //RCL
        begin
            Cshift = C;
            {C,Out} = {A,Cshift};
        end
        3'b111: {Cshift = C;
                  {Out,C} = {Cshift,A};}
        end
        default:
        begin
            Out = {Width{1'b0}};
            C = 1'b0;
            Z = 1'b0;
            N = 1'b0;
            P = 1'b0;
        end
    endcase
    Z = ~Out; //Zero Flag
    N = Out[Width-1]; //Negative Flag
    P = ~^Out; //Parity Flag
end
endmodule

```

3.4 ALU Unit

```

module ALU
#(parameter Width=16)
(
    input      [Width-1:0] A,B,
    input      Cin,
    input      [4:0] F,           // F[4:3] -> block select, lower bits -> sub-op
    output reg [Width-1:0] Out,
    output reg [5:0] Status
);
// Registers for the Flags Used
reg      C,Z,N,V,P,Af,Cout;

// Arithmetic Wires
wire [Width-1:0] arith_out;
wire      arith_C,arith_Z,arith_N,arith_V,arith_P,arith_Af;

// Logic Wires
wire [Width-1:0] logic_out;
wire      logic_Z,logic_N,logic_P;

// Shift Wires
wire [Width-1:0] shift_out;
wire      shift_C,shift_Z,shift_N,shift_P;

// ===== Instantiations =====
// Arithmetic block (F[2:0] from ALU F)
Arithmetic#.Width(Width) U_ARITH (
    .A(A),
    .B(B),
    .Cin(Cin),
    .F(F[2:0]),
    .Out(arith_out),
    .Cout(),        // not used
    .Status(),      // not used
    .C(arith_C),
    .Z(arith_Z),
    .N(arith_N),
    .V(arith_V),
    .P(arith_P),
    .Af(arith_Af)
);

// Logic block (F[1:0] from ALU F)
Logic#.Width(Width) U_LOGIC (
    .A(A),
    .B(B),
    .F(F[2:0]),
    .Z(logic_Z),
    .N(logic_N),
    .P(logic_P),
    .Out(logic_out)
);

// Shift block (F[2:0] from ALU F)
Shift#.Width(Width) U_SHIFT (
    .A(A),
    .F(F[2:0]),
    .Out(shift_out),

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```
.C(shift_C),
.Z(shift_Z),
.N(shift_N),
.P(shift_P)
);
// ===== ALU Mux Logic =====

always@(*) begin
  case (F[4:3])
    2'boo:
      begin
        // Arithmetic operations
        Out = arith_out;
        C = arith_C;
        Z = arith_Z;
        N = arith_N;
        V = arith_V;
        P = arith_P;
        Af = arith_Af;
      end
    /////////////////////////////////
    2'b01:
      begin
        // Logic operations
        Out = logic_out;
        C = 1'bo;
        Z = logic_Z;
        N = logic_N;
        V = 1'bo;
        P = logic_P;
        Af = 1'bo;
      end
    /////////////////////////////////
    2'b10:
      begin
        // Shift operations
        Out = shift_out;
        C = shift_C;
        Z = shift_Z;
        N = shift_N;
        V = 1'bo;
        P = shift_P;
        Af = 1'bo;
      end
    /////////////////////////////////
    default:
      begin
        // Unused opcodes -----> everything zero
        Out = {Width{1'bo}};
        C = 1'bo;
        Z = 1'bo;
        N = 1'bo;
        V = 1'bo;
        P = 1'bo;
        Af = 1'bo;
      end
    /////////////////////////////////
  endcase
  Cout = C;
  Status = {C,Z,N,V,P,Af};
end

endmodule
```

3.5 ALU_TB Unit

```
`timescale 1ns/1ps
```

```
module ALU_tb
#(parameter Width = 16);
reg [Width-1:0] A,B;
reg [4:0] F;
reg Cin;
wire[Width-1:0] Out;
wire[5:0] Status;

// Instanstaite of ALI Block
ALU#.Width(Width) U_ALU (
    .A(A),
    .B(B),
    .Cin(Cin),
    .F(F),
    .Out(Out),
    .Status(Status)
);

initial
begin
    $display(" time |     A     |     B     | Cin | F |     Out     | Status");
    $display("-----");
    F = 5'b00000;
    repeat(100)

        begin
            A = $random;
            B = $random;
            Cin = 1;      // $random;
            #1
            $display("%5t | %b %b %b %b | %b %b",
                $time, A, B, Cin, F, Out, Status);
            F = F + 1;
            #10;

        end
    end
end
endmodule
```

4. Testbench

#	time	A	B	Cin	F	Out	Status
# -----							
# 10000		0011010100100100	13604	0101111010000001	24193	1 00000 000000000000000000 0	000000
# 20000		1101011000001001	54793	0101011001100011	22115	1 00001 1101011000001010 54794	001000
# 30000		0111101100001101	31501	1001100110001101	39309	1 00010 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 40000		1000010001100101	33893	0101001000010010	21010	1 00011 1000010001100100 33892	001000
# 50000		1110001100000001	58113	1100110100001101	52493	1 00100 10110000000001110 45070	101010
# 60000		1111000101110110	61814	1100110100111101	52541	1 00101 101111010110100 48820	101010
# 70000		010101111101101	22509	11110111100001100	63372	1 00110 0110000001100001 24673	100000
# 80000		111010011111001	59897	00100100011000110	9414	1 00111 1100010100110010 50482	001000
# 90000		10000100011000101	33989	11010001010101010	53930	1 01000 1000000010000000 32896	001010
# 100000		1111011111100101	63461	0111001001110111	29303	1 01001 111101111110111 63479	001010
# 110000		1101011000010010	54802	11011011100001111	56207	1 01010 0000110110011101 3485	000010
# 120000		0110100111110010	27122	1001011011001110	38606	1 01011 1001011000001101 38413	001000
# 130000		0111101011101000	31464	0100111011000101	20165	1 01100 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 140000		0100100101011100	18780	0010100010111101	10429	1 01101 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 150000		0101100000101101	22573	0010011001100101	9829	1 01110 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 160000		0110001001100011	25187	10000111000001010	34570	1 01111 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 170000		0010001010000000	8832	0010000100100000	8480	1 10000 0100010100000000 17664	000000
# 180000		0100010110101010	17834	1100110010011101	52381	1 10001 0010001011010101 8917	000000
# 190000		0011111010010110	16022	1011100000010011	47123	1 10010 011110100101100 32044	000000
# 200000		0011100000001101	14349	1101011001010011	54867	1 10011 0001110000000110 7174	100000
# 210000		1101110101101011	56683	0010101011010101	10965	1 10100 1011101011010111 47831	101000
# 220000		0100101000000010	18946	0011111010101110	16046	1 10101 0010010100000001 9473	000010
# 230000		1110100100011101	59677	0111001011001111	29391	1 10110 1101001000111010 53818	101010
# 240000		01001001000111	18723	0110010100001010	25866	1 10111 1010010010001 42129	101010
# 250000		00000101011001010	2762	0100110000111100	19516	1 11000 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 260000		1011110111110010	48626	0110000110001010	24970	1 11001 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 270000		1011001101000001	45889	00110100011011000	13528	1 11010 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 280000		1111001101111000	62328	0001000100001001	4745	1 11011 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 290000		0000010111101011	3563	0110010110110110	26038	1 11100 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 300000		1111100111000110	63942	0001001110101110	5038	1 11101 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 310000		00000001010111100	700	1101110100101010	56618	1 11110 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 320000		1001101000001011	39435	1011111001110001	48753	1 11111 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 330000		01000000110000101	16773	0101010101001111	21839	1 00000 0000000000000000 0	000000
# 340000		0110000000111011	24635	0011001100111010	13114	1 00001 0110000000111100 24636	000010
# 350000		0011001001111110	12926	0100101100010101	19221	1 00010 0000000000000000 0	000000

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Transcript =

#	time		A		B	Cin	F		Out		Status
# -----											
# 10000	0011010100100100	13604	0101111010000001	24193	1	00000	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 20000	1101011000001001	54793	0101011001100011	22115	1	00001	1101011000001010	54794	001000		
# 30000	0111101100001101	31501	1001100110001101	39309	1	00010	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 40000	1000010001100101	33893	0101001000010010	21010	1	00011	1000010001100100	33892	001000		
# 50000	1110001100000001	58113	1100110100001101	52493	1	00100	1011000000001110	45070	101010		
# 60000	111000101110110	61814	1100110100111101	52541	1	00101	1011111010110100	48820	101010		
# 70000	0101011111101101	22509	1111011110001100	63372	1	00110	0110000001100001	24673	100000		
# 80000	1110100111111001	59897	0010010011000110	9414	1	00111	1100010100110010	50482	001000		
# 90000	1000010011000101	33989	1101001010101010	53930	1	01000	1000000100000000	32896	001010		
# 100000	1111011111100101	63461	0111001001110111	29303	1	01001	1111011111110111	63479	001010		
# 110000	1101011000010010	54802	1101101110001111	56207	1	01010	0000110110011101	3485	000010		
# 120000	01101001111110010	27122	1001011011001110	38606	1	01011	1001011000001101	38413	001000		
# 130000	0111101011101000	31464	0100111011000101	20165	1	01100	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 140000	0100100101011100	18780	001010001011101	10429	1	01101	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 150000	0101100000101101	22573	0010011001100101	9829	1	01110	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 160000	0110001001100011	25187	1000011100001010	34570	1	01111	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 170000	0010001010000000	8832	0010000100100000	8480	1	10000	0100010100000000	17664	000000		
# 180000	0100010110101010	17834	1100110010011101	52381	1	10001	0010001011010101	8917	000000		
# 190000	0011111010010110	16022	1011100000010011	47123	1	10010	0111110100101100	32044	000000		
# 200000	0011100000001101	14349	1101011001010011	54867	1	10011	0001110000000110	7174	100000		
# 210000	1101110101101011	56683	0010101011010101	10965	1	10100	1011101011010111	47831	101000		
# 220000	0100101000000010	18946	0011111010101110	16046	1	10101	0010010100000001	9473	000010		
# 230000	1110100100011101	59677	0111001011001111	29391	1	10110	1101001000111010	53818	101010		
# 240000	0100100100100011	18723	0110010100001010	25866	1	10111	1010010010010001	42129	101010		
# 250000	0000101011001010	2762	0100110000111100	19516	1	11000	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 260000	1011110111110010	48626	0110000110001010	24970	1	11001	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 270000	1011001101000001	45889	0011010011011000	13528	1	11010	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 280000	1111001101111000	62328	0001001010001001	4745	1	11011	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 290000	0000110111101011	3563	0110010110110110	26038	1	11100	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 300000	1111100111000110	63942	0001001110101110	5038	1	11101	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 310000	0000001010111100	700	1101110100101010	56618	1	11110	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 320000	1001101000001011	39435	1011111001110001	48753	1	11111	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 330000	01000000110000101	16773	0101010101001111	21839	1	00000	0000000000000000	0	000000		
# 340000	0110000000111011	24635	0011001100111010	13114	1	00001	0110000000111100	24636	000010		
# 350000	0011001001111110	12926	0100101100010101	19221	1	00010	0000000000000000	0	000000		

5. Do file

```
vlib work
vlog ALU.v ALU_TB.v
vsim -voptargs=+acc work.ALU_tb
add wave -r /*
run -all
```

To run the simulation the Transcript we type :

Do run.txt