ECE 585 WINTER 2017 LAST LEVEL CACHE SIMULATOR PROJECT REPORT

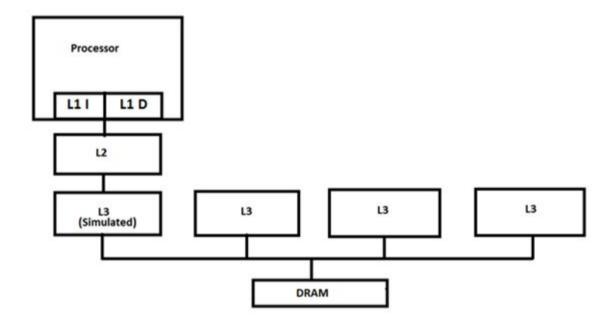
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Design Specification

The objective is to simulate the behavior of a unified Last Level Cache for a 32 bit processor. The cache can be used with three other processors in a shared memory configuration that communicates via a shared Front Side Bus (FSB). MESI protocol is used to ensure cache coherence. The simulated Last level cache has a total capacity of 16MB, uses 64 byte lines, and is 8 way set associative. It uses a write allocate and true Least Recently Used (LRU) replacement policy which is implemented using counter method. The last level cache maintains inclusivity with higher level caches. The actual data transfers are not simulated in this design.

The simulated Last level cache is backed by a DRAM based memory subsystem that reads and writes 64 bytes at a time.

Assuming the last-level cache is L3, a system block diagram is shown below:



Last Level Cache System Diagram

Next higher level cache Details

The processor's next higher level cache uses 32 byte lines and is 4-way set associative. It has split instruction and data caches. This cache is not modeled in the design.

Assumptions:

- The number of sets in this level and all higher levels are such that inclusivity is possible in the system.
- On an eviction of cache line in last level cache, a message is sent to next higher level cache. Since last level cache line size is 64 bytes and next higher level cache line size is 32 bytes, for one eviction in last level cache, multiple evictions are possible in higher level cache. The multiple evictions, if any, based on message from Last level cache are taken care by the higher level cache.

Last-level Cache Details

Cache Events:

The last-level cache, apart from servicing the requests from its own processor, it also snoops the operations of the other last -level caches in the system and responds to their requests.

All events to be handled by the last-level cache are listed below:

- CPU Data read
- CPU Data Write
- CPU Instruction read
- Snooped Invalidate
- Snooped Read
- Snooped Write
- Snooped Read with Intent to Modify (RWIM)
- Clear cache and reset all states
- Print cache contents and state of valid lines

The simulator tracks the cache hit and cache miss counts for all the requests from its own processor. For all the snoop requests, the last-level cache provides a snoop result depending on availability of the cache line and the state of cache line.

The operations to be performed for each of the events is shown below.

CPU Data Read:

- Check in cache.
- If hit, provide data to CPU.
- If miss, check if other cache have the data. If data is sourced by other cache, mark the state as SHARED. If none, of other cache have data, perform the bus operation from memory and mark the state and EXCLUSIVE.

CPU Data Write:

- Check in cache.
- If cache hit, check the state of line. If SHARED, indicate other caches to invalidate their copies. If EXCLUSIVE or MODIFIED, mark it as MODIFIED.
- If cache miss, perform bus operation of RWIM.

CPU Instruction Read:

- Steps are same as for CPU Data read.

Snooped Invalidate:

- If cache hit, mark the cache line as INVALID and send a message to next higher level cache to invalidate its copies.

Snooped Read:

- If cache hit and in modified state, put snoop result of HITM and writeback to memory and mark cache line to SHARED.
- If cache hit, put the snoop result of HIT and mark the cache line as SHARED.
- If cache miss, put snoop result of NO HIT.

Snooped Write:

- No actions to be performed on snooping write request.

Snooped RWIM:

- If cache hit, put the snoop result of HIT/HITM depending on cache state line. In case of HITM writeback to memory. Then Invalidate the state of cache line and send a message to higher level cache too.
- If cache miss, put snoop result of NO HIT.

Clear cache and reset all states:

- Clear the cache hit and miss counts.
- Set all the cache line states to INVALID.

Print cache content and state of valid lines:

- Print Tag and state of all valid lines.

Other actions:

- Maintaining a sequence for LRU cache way for each set. Cache line from least recently used way is evicted to make place for a new cache line.
- All evictions are to be reported to the next higher level cache, so that the cache line can be evicted from the higher level cache as well. This is required to maintain inclusivity.

Assumptions:

- On bus operation of RWIM or CPU read, if other last level caches have the same line in Modified state, it is expected that the other cache will write-back the line to memory.
- In case of snooped RWIM, if snooping cache has the same line in Exclusive or Shared state, it is expected to source the line and invalidate its copy.

Last-level Cache Simulator Code Design

Addressing:

Address width: 32-bit

Number of Sets: 32K

Ways per set: 8

Cache line Size: 64 bytes

32-bit address from the CPU is split as below:

Tag (11 bits) Index (15 bits) By	te-Offset (6 bits)
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Parameters in the code:

Parameter	Description	Configurable	Value
TOTAL_CACHE_SIZ	Specifies the total size of the	Yes	Defined
E	cache	1 05	(16777216)
CACHE_LINE_SIZE	specifies the size of the cache line in bytes	Yes	Defined (64)
WAYS_PER_SET	specifies the number of ways	Yes	Defined (8)
NO_OF_SETS	Number of Cache Sets	No	Calculated
BYTE_BITS	Number of bits of 32-bit address allocated for byte offset	No	Calculated
INDEX_BITS	Number of bits of 32-bit address allocated for index	No	Calculated
TAG_BITS	Number of bits of 32-bit address allocated for tag	No	Calculated

Data Structures:

For each cache line 11 bit Tag and MESI Coherence state is to be stored. The data structure can be defined as:

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typedef struct info
{
    unsigned int tag;
    unsigned int state : 2;
}cache_info_t;
cache_info_t cache[NO_OF_SETS][WAYS_PER_SET];
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Similarly LRU counter values for each cache line is to be maintained. The data structure can be defined as:

unsigned int lru_sequence[NO_OF_SETS][WAYS_PER_SET];

Code Modules:

The code can be broadly classified into 4 modules:

- 1. Trace decoder: Reads the trace file line by line and decodes (converts from ascii to hex value) the event and address. Based on the event calls the appropriate event handler.
- 2. Cache Operations: There are 8 different events which the cache needs to respond to. They are listed in the table below. Once common operation required for most of these events is to first check the availability of data in cache and determine if it is a cache hit or cache miss. MESI states are handled in this module too.
- 3. Notification operations: Perform bus operation or snooping or put snoop result or send a message to higher level cache
- 4. LRU policy: Maintains LRU counters for ways in a set. Promotes a way to LRU position or MRU position. Returns LRU way for a set when required.

The functions required in each of these modules are listed in the table below:

Module	Function	Description
		Converts the ascii string to hexadecimal
	AsciiToHex	value.
		Calls appropriate functions for all the trace
Trace Decoder	HandleTraceCommand	events
	CPUReadData	Handles CPU Data Read request
	CPUWriteData	Handles CPU Data Write request
	CPUReadInstruction	Handles CPU Instruction Read request
	SnoopedInvalidate	Handles Snooped invalidate request
	SnoopedRead	Handles Snooped Read request
	SnoopedWrite	Handles Snooped Write request
	SnoopedReadModify	Handles Snooped RWIM request
		Clear Cache counts and resets the states of
	ClearCacheAndReset	all lines
		Prints the information of all valid lines in
	PrintCacheInfo	the cache.
		Used to check whether the data for
	CheckInL3	requested address is present in cache.
Cache	UpdateCacheTag,	
Operations	UpdateCacheState	Update the cache line tag and state.
	GetSnoopResult	Gets the snoop result from other processors.
Notification	BusOperation	Emulates bus operation.
Operations	PutSnoopResult	Puts snoop result for snoop requests.

	MessageToL2Cache	used to send a message to L2
	InitializeLRU	Initializes all the LRU counters for all the ways of each set.
	IIIIIaiizeLKU	Update the way as Least recently used
	MakeLRU	(LRU).
		Update the way as Most recently used
	MakeMRU	(MRU).
		Returns the Least Recently Used (LRU)
LRU	GetLRU	way.

Definition for GetSnoopResult function:

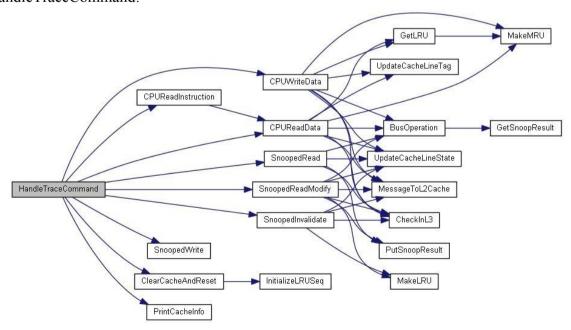
Bit 0 and Bit 1 of the Tag part of the address are evaluated to generate the snoop result. The mapping is as follows:

Value of (Tag Bit 1,Bit 0)	Result
0	HIT
1	HIT
2	HITM
3	NO HIT

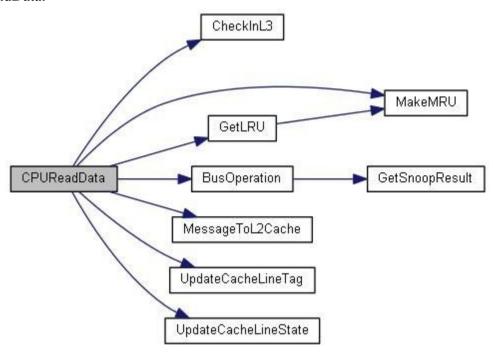
Code Flow:

Doxygen generated code flow snippets are shown below:

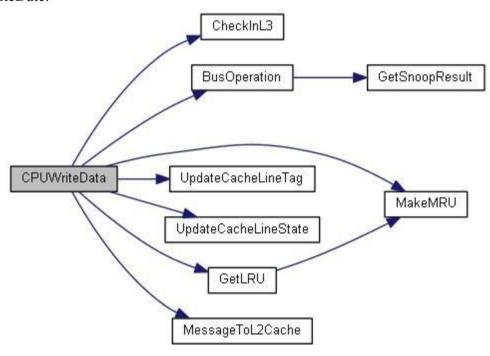
HandleTraceCommand:



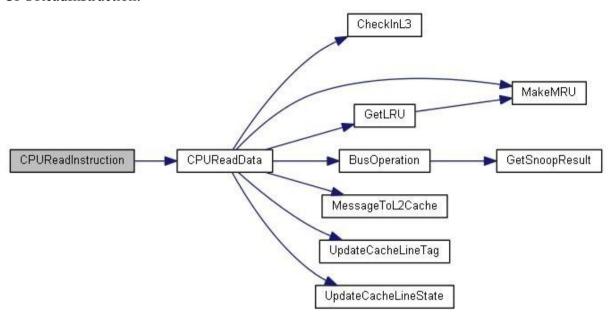
CPUReadData:



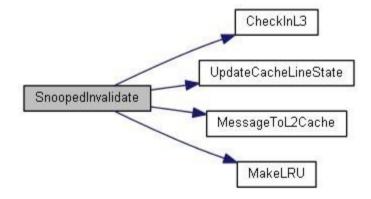
CPUWriteDate:



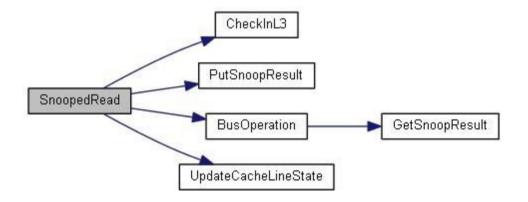
CPUReadInstruction:



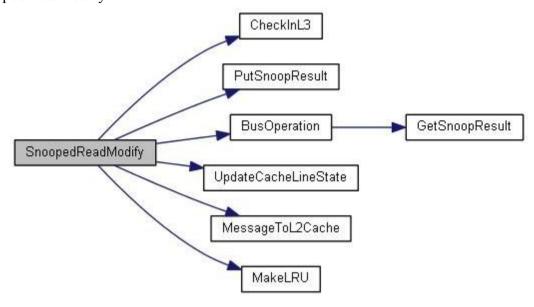
SnoopedInvalidate:



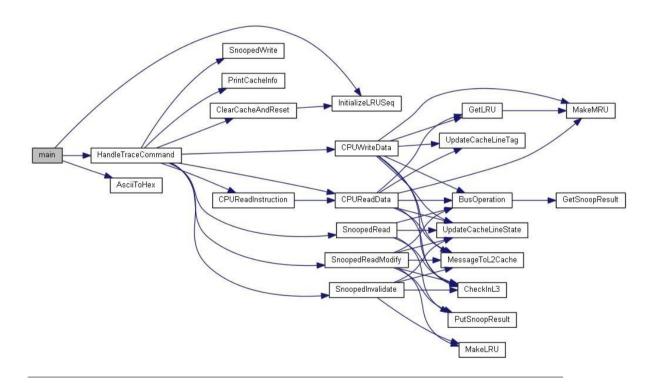
SnoopedRead:



SnoopedReadModify:



Main:



User Interface

Building executable:

To build the executable from Cygwin shell using gcc, the following can be used:

1) Building cacheapp.exe:

make all

2) Cleaning cacheapp.exe:

make clean

Run Command:

To run the executable:

1) From Windows command line, give the following command:

cacheapp.exe -f <trace file name>

E.g: cacheapp.exe -f cc1.din

2) From Cygwin command line, give the following command:

./cacheapp.exe -f <trace file name>

E.g: ./cacheapp.exe -f cc1.din

Output:

The bus operations are output as below:

BusOp: 2, Address: d000, Snoop Result: 1

where

BusOp = 1 for Read, 2 for Write, 3 for Invalidate, 4 for Read with Intent to Modify

Address = Address in Hexadecimal format

Snoop Result = 0 for No Hit, 1 for Hit, 2 for Hit Modified

Similarly the snoop result output is as below:

SnoopResult: Address a000, SnoopResult: 1

The message to higher level cache is as below (format: L2 <Bus Op> <Address>):

L2: 3 b004

Simulator Validation

Test Cases:

Test No.	Module	Test Case	Expected Result	Test Result
1	Trace decoder	Get the arguments from the command line		Passed.
2	Trace decoder	Open and Read Trace File line	Successfully open and read the file.	Passed.
3	Trace decoder	Decode event and address	Successfully decode event and address.	Passed.
4	Trace decoder			Passed.
5	LRU	For a index, fill ways of set to convert invalid ways to valid ways	Most recent way accessed way becomes MRU.	Passed.
6	LRU	All ways are valid and a way is randomly accessed	The accessed way becomes MRU.	Passed.
7	LRU	Some/all ways are valid and a valid way is evicted	The evicted way becomes LRU. A message is sent to higher level cache on eviction.	
8	LRU	All ways are valid and another way is to be written	The LRU way is replaced and way becomes MRU	Passed.
9	Cache Operations	Verify get snoop result algorithm	NOHIT/HIT/HITM is returned as expected based on function defined provided earlier.	
10	Cache Operations	CPU Read- test all MESI possibilities	Cache hit/miss is as expected. If cache miss, the MESI state transition happens correctly depending on snoop result. On obtaining LRU, if a cache line is evicted a message is	into shared state in case of HITM.

			sent to higher level cache.	
11	Cache Operations	CPU Write- test all MESI possibilities	Cache hit/miss is as expected. If cache hit, depending on MESI state Invalidate bus operation is performed. If cache miss bus operation of RWIM is performed	Passed.
12	Cache Operations	Snoop Read	If cache hit, put appropriate snoop result of HIT/HITM. If cache miss put snoop result of NOHIT.	
13	Cache Operations	Snoop Write	Do nothing.	Passed.
14	Cache Operations	Snoop Invalidate	If cache hit, invalidate the line and send a message to higher level cache. If cache miss put snoop result of NOHIT.	missing in case of
15	Cache Operations	Snoop RWIM	If cache hit, invalidate the line and send a message to higher level cache. If cache hit upto snoop result of NOHIT.	case the line is in
16	Cache Operations	Clear cache- at the end of trace file	zero at the end of file. LRU counters are initialized again.	
	Cache		Print Tag, Way, Index, State	
17	Operations	Print cache info	and Address of all valid lines.	representation.

Test Report:

There are two trace files used for testing events. Trace1.din covers test cases 5 to 8. Trace2.din covers test cases 10 to 15. The output of these trace files is given at the end of test report. The test configuration for each of the test cases is mentioned below.

The format of trace file: event address

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Test Case 5: Filled the cache and verify the LRU counter value.
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Test Configuration: 2 sets, 4 ways, 4 byte cache line size

Trace Used:(part of Trace1.din)

0 a000 0 b000

1 c000

1 d000

0 a004

0 b004

1 c004

1 d004

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Index Way Tag
                 State Address LRU Number
00000000 00 006656 M
                       d000 0
00000000 01 006144 M
                       c000
                            1
00000000 02 005632 S
                       b000 2
00000000 03 005120 S
                       a000
                            3
00000001 00 006656 M
                       d004 0
00000001 01 006144 M
                       c004
                            1
00000001 02 005632 S
                       b004
                            2
00000001 03 005120 S
                       a004
                            3
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Test Case 6: Access a random way to verify LRU count.

Test Configuration: 2 sets, 4 ways, 4 byte cache line size

Trace Used:(part of Trace1.din)

0 a000 0 b004

Index Way Tag State Address LRU Number

00000000 00 006656 M d000 1 2 00000000 01 006144 M c000 00000000 02 005632 S b000 3 00000000 03 005120 S a000 0 00000001 00 006656 M d004 1 00000001 01 006144 M c004 2

00000001 02 005632 S b004 0 00000001 03 005120 S a004 3

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Test Configuration: 2 sets, 4 ways, 4 byte cache line size.
Trace Used:(part of Trace1.din)
6 a000
6 b004
SnoopResult: Address a000, SnoopResult: 1
L2: 3 a000
SnoopResult: Address b004, SnoopResult: 1
L2: 3 b004
Index Way Tag
                  State Address LRU Number
00000000 00 006656 M
                         d000 0
00000000 01 006144 M
                         c000
                              1
00000000 02 005632 S
                         b000 2
00000001 00 006656 M
                         d004 0
00000001 01 006144 M
                         c004 1
00000001 03 005120 S
                         a004
                              2
Test Case 8: Fill cache and replace a modified way in cache
Test Configuration: 2 sets, 4 ways, 4 byte cache line size.
Trace Used:(part of Trace1.din)
0 c000
0 c004
0 e000
0 e004
1 f000
1 f004
0 a000
BusOp: 2, Address: d000, Snoop Result: 1
L2: 3 d000
Index Way Tag
                  State Address LRU Number
00000000 00 005120 S
                         a000
                              0
00000000 01 006144 M
                         c000
                              3
00000000 02 007680 M
                         f000
                               1
00000000 03 007168 S
                         e000 2
00000001 00 006656 M
                         d004 3
00000001 01 006144 M
                         c004
                               2
00000001 02 007168 S
                         e004
                               1
00000001 03 007680 M
                         f004
                               0
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Test Case 7: Evict a valid way.

Test Case 10: CPU Read- test all MESI possibilities

Test Configuration: 32K sets, 4 ways, 64 byte cache line size. The operations are performed on one index only. So in essence the test configuration is 1 set, 4 ways, 64 byte cache line.

Trace Used:(part of Trace2.din)

0 100

0 20011C

0 400100

0 60012C

0 80010F

0 A00124

0 C00126

0 60012C

0 107

Tag	Index	Byte select	Hit/Miss	BUS OP	Current State	New State	SNOOP RES
0	0 0000 0000 0001 00	00 0000	CACHE MISS	1	INVALID	SHARED	HIT
1	0 0000 0000 0001 00	01 1100	CACHE MISS	1	INVALID	SHARED	HIT
10	0 0000 0000 0001 00	00 0000	CACHE MISS	1	INVALID	SHARED	HITM
11	0 0000 0000 0001 00	10 1100	CACHE MISS	1	INVALID	SHARED	HITM
100	0 0000 0000 0001 00	00 1111	CACHE MISS	1	INVALID	EXCLUSIVE	NO HIT
101	0 0000 0000 0001 00	10 0100	CACHE MISS	1	INVALID	EXCLUSIVE	NO HIT
110	0 0000 0000 0001 00	01 0110	CACHE MISS	1	INVALID	EXCLUSIVE	NO HIT
11	0 0000 0000 0001 00	10 1100	CACHE HIT		SHARED	SHARED	
0	0 0000 0000 0001 00	00 0111	CACHE HIT		SHARED	SHARED	

Test Case 11: CPU Write

Test Configuration: 32K sets, 4 ways, 64 byte cache line size. The operations are performed on one index only. So in essence the test configuration is 1 set, 4 ways, 64 byte cache line.

Trace Used:(part of Trace2.din)

1 400100

1 60012C

1 A00124

1 1000100

1 100

1 A00124

Tag	Index	Byte select	Hit/Miss	BUS OP	Current State	New State	SNOOP RES
10	0 0000 0000 0001 00	00 0000	CACHE HIT	3	SHARED	MODIFIED	HITM
11	0 0000 0000 0001 00	10 1100	CACHE HIT	3	SHARED	MODIFIED	HITM
101	0 0000 0000 0001 00	10 0100	CACHE HIT		EXCLUSIVE	MODIFIED	
1 000	0 0000 0000 0001 00	00 0000	CACHE MISS	4	EXCLUSIVE	MODIFIED	HIT
0	0 0000 0000 0001 00	00 0000	CACHE HIT	3	SHARED	MODIFIED	HIT
101	0 0000 0000 0001 00	10 0100	CACHE HIT		MODIFIED	MODIFIED	

Test Case 12: Snooped Read

Test Configuration: 32K sets, 4 ways, 64 byte cache line size. The operations are performed

on one index only. So in essence the test configuration is 1 set, 4 ways, 64 byte cache line.

Trace Used:(part of Trace2.din)

4 80010F

4 A00124

4 1000100

4 C00126

Tag	Index	Byte select	Hit/Miss	BUS OP	Current State	New State	SNOOP RES
100	0 0000 0000 0001 00	00 1111	NOHIT		SHARED	SHARED	NOHIT
101	0 0000 0000 0001 00	10 0100	HITM		MODIFIED	SHARED	HITM
1 000	0 0000 0000 0001 00	00 0000	HITM		MODIFIED	SHARED	HITM
110	0 0000 0000 0001 00	01 0110	HIT		EXCLUSIVE	SHARED	HIT

Test Case 13: Snooped Write

Test Configuration: 32K sets, 4 ways, 64 byte cache line size. The operations are performed on one index only. So in essence the test configuration is 1 set, 4 ways, 64 byte cache line.

Trace Used:(part of Trace2.din)

5 300010C

Tag	Index	Byte select	Hit/Miss	BUS OP	Current State	New State
11000	100	00 1100		DO NOTHING		

Test Case 14: Snooped Invalidate

Test Configuration: 32K sets, 4 ways, 64 byte cache line size. The operations are performed on one index only. So in essence the test configuration is 1 set, 4 ways, 64 byte cache line.

Trace Used:(part of Trace2.din)

3 80010F

3 A00124

3 3000105

3 1000100

Tag	Index	Byte select	Hit/Miss	BUS OP	Current State	New State
100	0 0000 0000 0001 00	00 1111			SHARED	INVALIDATE
101	0 0000 0000 0001 00	10 0100				
11 000	0 0000 0000 0001 00	00 0101		DO NOTHING		
1 000	0 0000 0000 0001 00	00 0000			SHARED	INVALIDATE

Test Case 15: Snooped RWIM

Test Configuration: 32K sets, 4 ways, 64 byte cache line size. The operations are performed on one index only. So in essence the test configuration is 1 set, 4 ways, 64 byte cache line.

Trace Used: (part of Trace2.din)

6 E0011C

6 60012C

6 300010F

6 C00126

Tag	Index	Byte select	Hit/Miss	BUS OP	Current State	New State
111	0 0000 0000 0001 00	01 1100	HITM		MODIFIED	INVALIDATE
11	0 0000 0000 0001 00	10 1100		2		
11 000	0 0000 0000 0001 00	00 1111	HIT		SHARED	INVALIDATE
110	0 0000 0000 0001 00	01 0110				

Test Trace Files:

Trace1.din and usage statistics:

0 a000

0 b000

1 c000

1 d000

0 a004

0 b004

1 c004

1 d004

1 4004

0 a000

0 b004

6 a000

6 b004

0~c000

0 c004

0 e000

0 e004

1 f000

1 f004

0 a000

a

Output:

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Total Cache Size in Bytes:

Cache Line Size:	4	
Ways per set:		4
No. of Sets:	2	
Trace File Name:	Trace	1.din
BusOp: 1, Address: a000, Sr	noop Re	sult: 1
BusOp: 1, Address: b000, Sr	100p Re	esult: 1
BusOp: 4, Address: c000, Sr	100p Re	sult: 1
BusOp: 4, Address: d000, Sr	100p Re	esult: 1
BusOp: 1, Address: a004, Sr	-	
BusOp: 1, Address: b004, Sr	100p Re	esult: 1
BusOp: 4, Address: c004, Sr	noop Re	sult: 1
BusOp: 4, Address: d004, Sr	-	
Index Way Tag State	-	
00000000 00 006656	M	d000
00000000 01 006144	M	c000
00000000 02 005632	S	b000
00000000 03 005120	S	a000
00000001 00 006656	M	d004
00000001 01 006144	M	c004
00000001 02 005632	S	b004
00000001 03 005120	S	a004
Index Way Tag State	Address	}
Index Way Tag State 2 00000000 00 006656	Address M	d000
, ,		
00000000 00 006656	M	d000
00000000 00 006656 00000000 01 006144	M M	d000 c000
00000000 00 006656 00000000 01 006144 00000000 02 005632	M M S	d000 c000 b000
00000000 00 006656 00000000 01 006144 00000000 02 005632 00000000 03 005120	M M S S	d000 c000 b000 a000
00000000 00 006656 00000000 01 006144 00000000 02 005632 00000000 03 005120 00000001 00 006656	M M S S M	d000 c000 b000 a000 d004
00000000 00 006656 00000000 01 006144 00000000 02 005632 00000000 03 005120 00000001 00 006656 00000001 01 006144	M M S S M M S	d000 c000 b000 a000 d004 c004
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BusOp: 1, Address: e004, Snoop Result: 1
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L2: 3 b000

BusOp: 4, Address: f000, Snoop Result: 1

L2: 3 a004

BusOp: 4, Address: f004, Snoop Result: 1 BusOp: 2, Address: d000, Snoop Result: 1

L2: 3 d000

BusOp: 1, Address: a000, Snoop Result: 1

Index Way Tag State Address

00000000	00	005120	S	a000
00000000	01	006144	M	c000
00000000	02	007680	M	f000
00000000	03	007168	S	e000
00000001	00	006656	M	d004
00000001	01	006144	M	c004
00000001	02	007168	S	e004
00000001	03	007680	M	f004

BusOp: 2, Address: c000, Snoop Result: 1

L2: 3 c000

BusOp: 1, Address: 0, Snoop Result: 1

Cache misses = 14

Cache hits = 4

Cache reads = 12

Cache writes = 6

Cache hit ratio = 0.2222

Trace2.din and usage statistics:

0 100

0 20011C

0 400100

0 60012C

0 80010F

0 A00124

0 C00126

0 60012C

0 107

1 400100

1 60012C

1 A00124

1 1000100

1 100

1 A00124

0 400100

- 4 80010F
- 4 A00124
- 4 1000100
- 4 C00126
- 5 300010C
- 3 80010F
- 3 A00124
- 3 3000105
- 3 80010F
- 3 A00124
- 3 1000100
- 3 E0011C
- 6 E0011C
- 6 60012C
- 6 300010F
- 6 C00126
- 0 5000124
- 6 5000124

Output:

Implementing Last-level Unified Cache shared with 4 processors

Total Cache Size in Bytes: 8388608

Cache Line Size: 64

Ways per set: 4

No. of Sets: 32768

Trace File Name: Trace2.din

BusOp: 1, Address: 100, Snoop Result: 1 BusOp: 1, Address: 200100, Snoop Result: 2

BusOp: 1, Address: 400100, Snoop Result: 0

BusOp: 1, Address: 600100, Snoop Result: 0

L2: 3 100

BusOp: 1, Address: 800100, Snoop Result: 1

L2: 3 200100

BusOp: 1, Address: a00100, Snoop Result: 2

L2: 3 400100

BusOp: 1, Address: c00100, Snoop Result: 0

L2: 3 800100

BusOp: 1, Address: 100, Snoop Result: 1

L2: 3 a00100

BusOp: 4, Address: 400100, Snoop Result: 0

L2: 3 c00100

BusOp: 4, Address: a00100, Snoop Result: 2

L2: 3 100

BusOp: 4, Address: 1000100, Snoop Result: 1

BusOp: 2, Address: 400100, Snoop Result: 0

L2: 3 400100

BusOp: 4, Address: 100, Snoop Result: 1

BusOp: 2, Address: 600100, Snoop Result: 0

L2: 3 600100

BusOp: 1, Address: 400100, Snoop Result: 0

SnoopResult: Address 800100, SnoopResult: 0

SnoopResult: Address a00100, SnoopResult: 2

BusOp: 2, Address: a00100, Snoop Result: 2

SnoopResult: Address 1000100, SnoopResult: 2

BusOp: 2, Address: 1000100, Snoop Result: 1

SnoopResult: Address c00100, SnoopResult: 0

L2: 3 a00100

L2: 3 1000100

SnoopResult: Address e00100, SnoopResult: 0

SnoopResult: Address 600100, SnoopResult: 0

SnoopResult: Address 3000100, SnoopResult: 0

SnoopResult: Address c00100, SnoopResult: 0

BusOp: 1, Address: 5000100, Snoop Result: 1

SnoopResult: Address 5000100, SnoopResult: 1

L2: 3 5000100

Cache misses = 14

Cache hits = 3

Cache reads = 11

Cache writes = 6

Cache hit ratio = 0.1765

For 8 way associativity:

Cache misses = 9

Cache hits = 8

Cache reads = 11

Cache writes = 6

Cache hit ratio = 0.4706