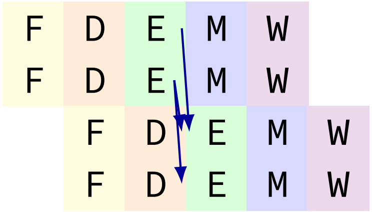
beyond pipelining: multiple issue

start more than one instruction/cycle

multiple parallel pipelines; many-input/output register file

hazard handling much more complex



	cycle # 0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
`addq %r8, %r9`	F	D	E	M	W				
`subq %r10, %r11`	F	D	E	M	W				
`xorq %r9, %r11`		F	D	E	M	W			
`subq %r10, %rbx`		F	D	E	M	W			

…

beyond pipelining: out-of-order

find later instructions to do instead of stalling

lists of available instructions in pipeline registers

- take any instruction with available values

provide illusion that work is still done in order

- much more complicated hazard handling logic

cycle #	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
`mov 0(%rbx), %r8`	F	D	R	I	E	M	M	M	W	C			
`sub %r8, %r9`		F	D	R				I	E	W	C		
`add %r10, %r11`			F	D	R	I	E	W				C	
`xor %r12, %r13`				F	D	R	I	E	W				C

…

interlude: real CPUs

modern CPUs:

execute multiple instructions at once

execute instructions out of order — whenever values available

out-of-order and hazards

out-of-order execution makes hazards harder to handle

problems for forwarding:

- value in last stage may not be most up-to-date
- older value may be written back before newer value?

problems for branch prediction:

- mispredicted instructions may complete execution before squashing

which instructions to dispatch?

- how to quickly find instructions that are ready?

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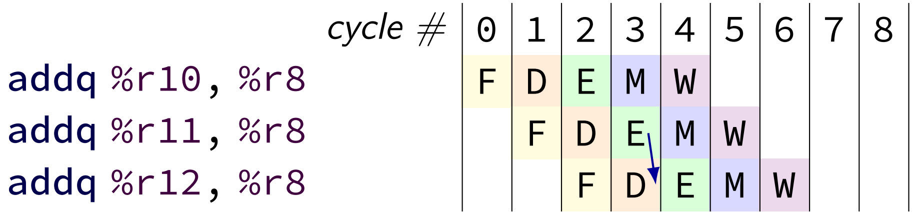


cycle #	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
`addq %r10, %r8`	F	D	E	M	W				
`addq %r11, %r8`		F	D	E	M	W			
`addq %r12, %r8`			F	D	E	M	W		

normal pipeline: two options for %r8?

choose the one from *earliest stage*

because it's from the most recent instruction

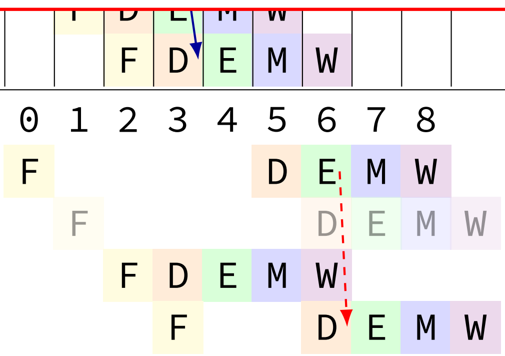
read-after-write examples (1)

out-of-order execution:

%r8 from earliest stage might be from *delayed instruction*

can't use same forwarding logic

```
addq
addq %r11, %r8
addq %r12, %r8
```



```
addq %r10, %r8
movq %r8, (%rax)
movq $100, %r8
addq %r13, %r8
```

register version tracking

goal: track different versions of registers

out-of-order execution: may compute versions at different times

only forward the correct version

strategy for doing this: preprocess instructions represent version info

makes forwarding, etc. lookup easier

rewriting hazard examples (1)

`addq %r10, %r8`	`addq %r10,` $\%r8_{v1} \rightarrow \%r8_{v2}$
`addq %r11, %r8`	`addq %r11,` $\%r8_{v2} \rightarrow \%r8_{v3}$
`addq %r12, %r8`	`addq %r12,` $\%r8_{v3} \rightarrow \%r8_{v4}$

read different version than the one written

- represent with three argument psuedo-instructions

forwarding a value? must match version *exactly*

for now: version numbers

later: something simpler to implement

write-after-write example

cycle #	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8				
`addq %r10, %r8`	F					D	E	M	$\boxed{W}$				
`movq %r8, (%rax)`	F									D	E	M	W
`movq %r11, %r8`		F	D	E	M	W							
`movq %r8, 8(%rax)`		F						D	E	M	W		
`movq $100, %r8`			F	D	E	M	$\boxed{W}$						
`addq %r13, %r8`			F							D	E	M	W

write-after-write example

cycle #	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8				
`addq %r10, %r8`	F					D	E	M	W				
`movq %r8, (%rax)`	F									D	E	M	W
`movq %r11, %r8`		F	D	E	M	W							
`movq %r8, 8(%rax)`		F						D	E	M	W		
`movq $100, %r8`			F	D	E	M	W						
`addq %r13, %r8`			F							D	E	M	W

out-of-order execution:
if we don't do something, newest value could be overwritten!

write-after-write example

cycle #	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8				
`addq %r10, %r8`	F					D	E	M	$\boxed{\text{W}}$				
`movq %r8, (%rax)`	F									D	E	M	W
`movq %r11, %r8`		F	D	E	M	W							
`movq %r8, 8(%rax)`		F						D	E	M	W		
`movq $100, %r8`			F	D	E	M	$\boxed{\text{W}}$						
`addq %r13, %r8`			F							D	E	M	W

two instructions that haven't been started could need *different versions* of %r8!

write-after-write example

cycle #	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8				
`addq %r10, %r8`	F					D	E	M	$\boxed{\text{W}}$				
`movq %r8, (%rax)`	F									D	E	M	W
`movq %r11, %r8`		F	D	E	M	W							
`movq %r8, 8(%rax)`		F						D	E	M	W		
`movq $100, %r8`			F	D	E	M	$\boxed{\text{W}}$						
`addq %r13, %r8`			F							D	E	M	W

keeping multiple versions

for write-after-write problem: need to keep copies of multiple versions

- both the new version and the old version needed by delayed instructions

for read-after-write problem: need to distinguish different versions

solution: have lots of extra registers

…and assign each version a new ‘real’ register

called register renaming

register renaming

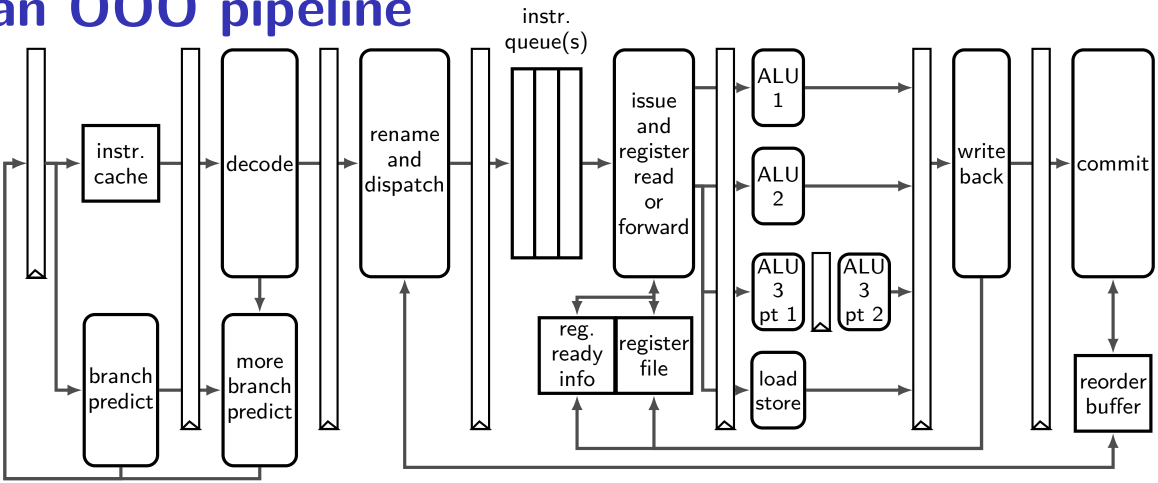
rename *architectural registers* to *physical registers*

different physical register for each version of architectural

track which physical registers are ready

compare physical register numbers to do forwarding

an OOO pipeline



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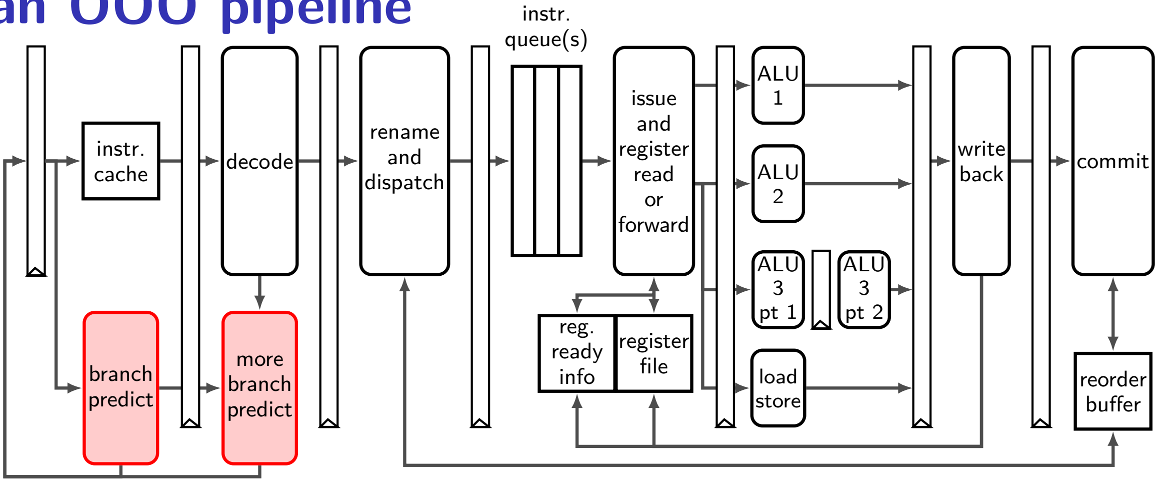
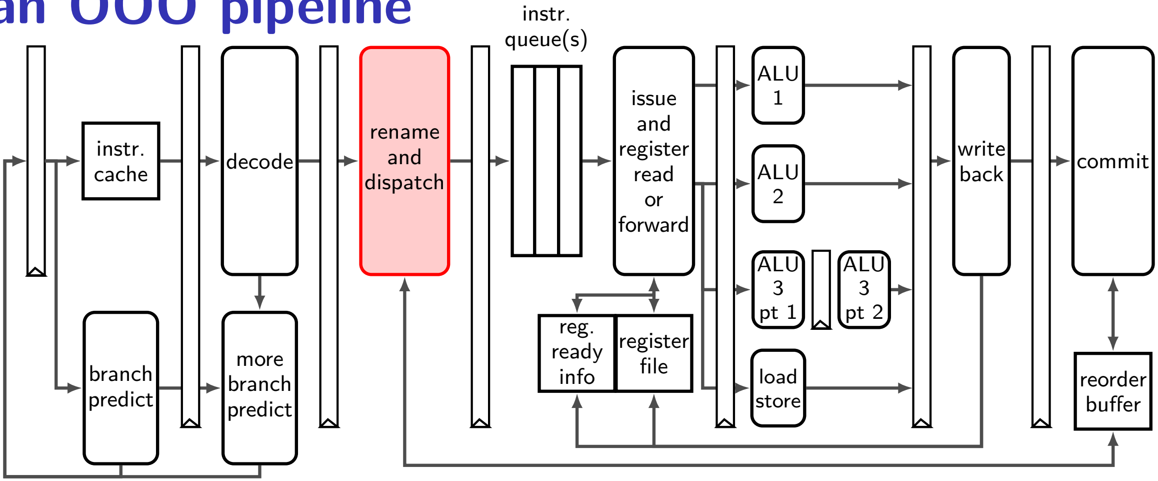


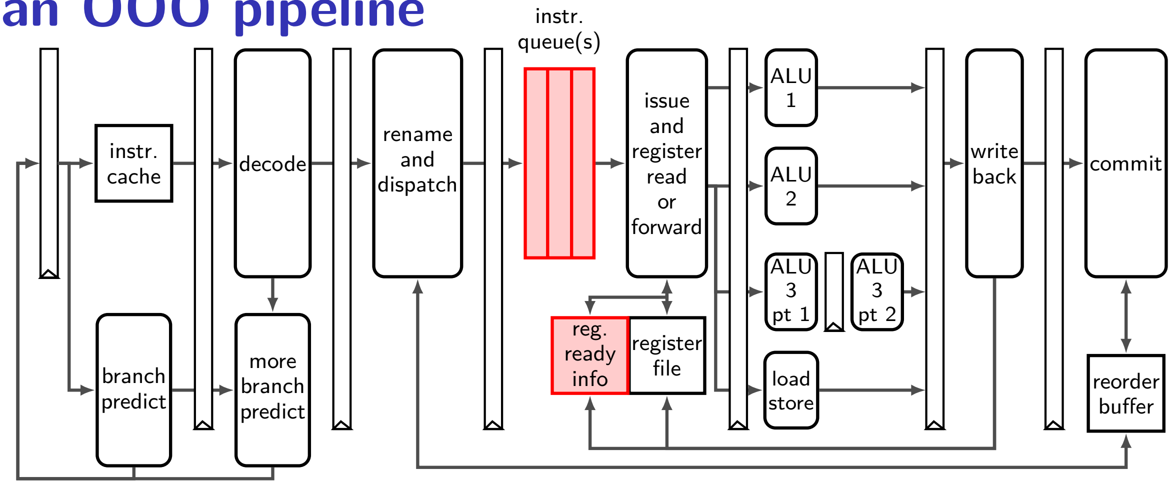
branch prediction needs to happen before instructions decoded
done with cache-like tables of information about recent branches

an OOO pipeline



register renaming done here
stage needs to keep mapping from architectural to physical names

an OOO pipeline



instruction queue holds pending renamed instructions combined with register-ready info to *issue* instructions (issue = start executing)

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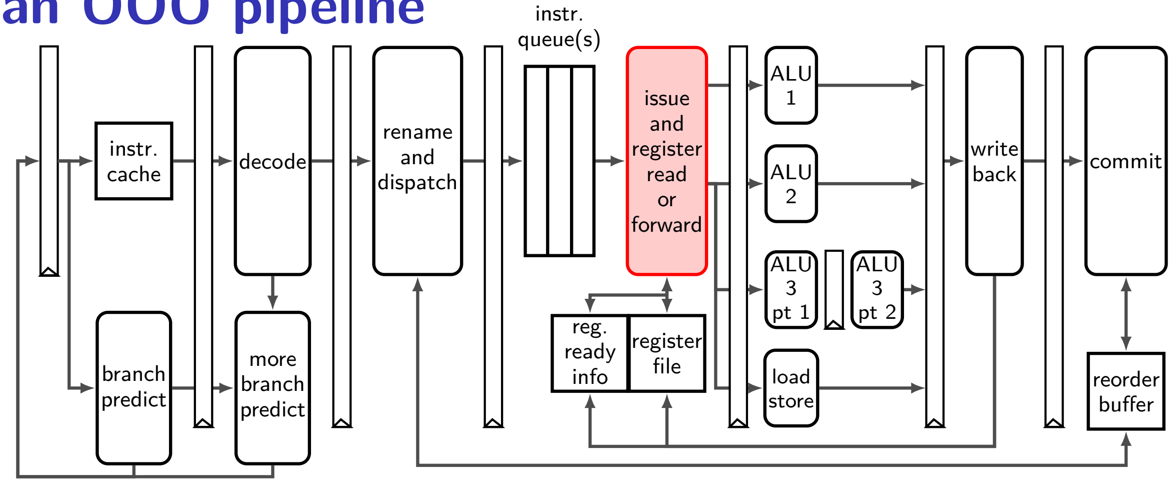
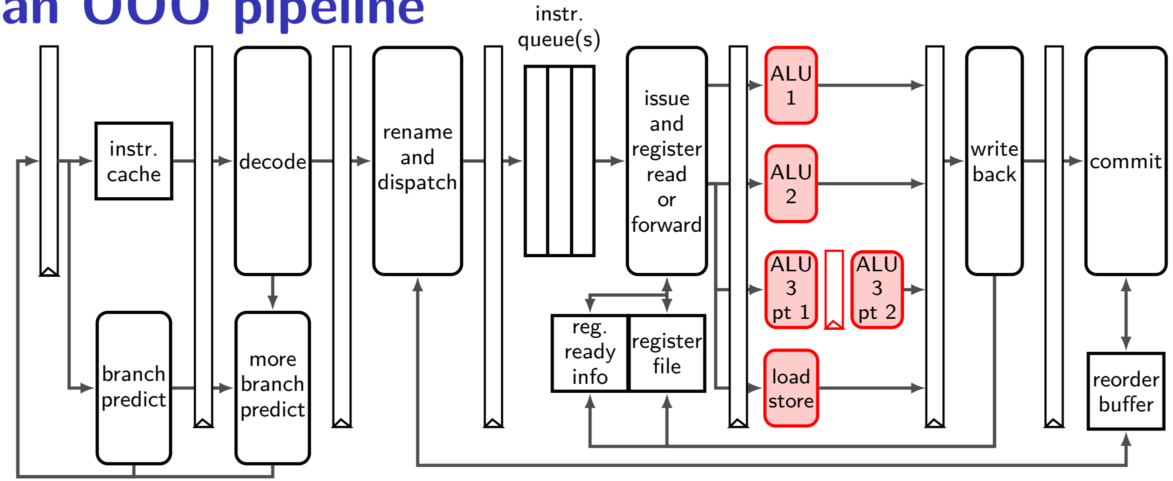


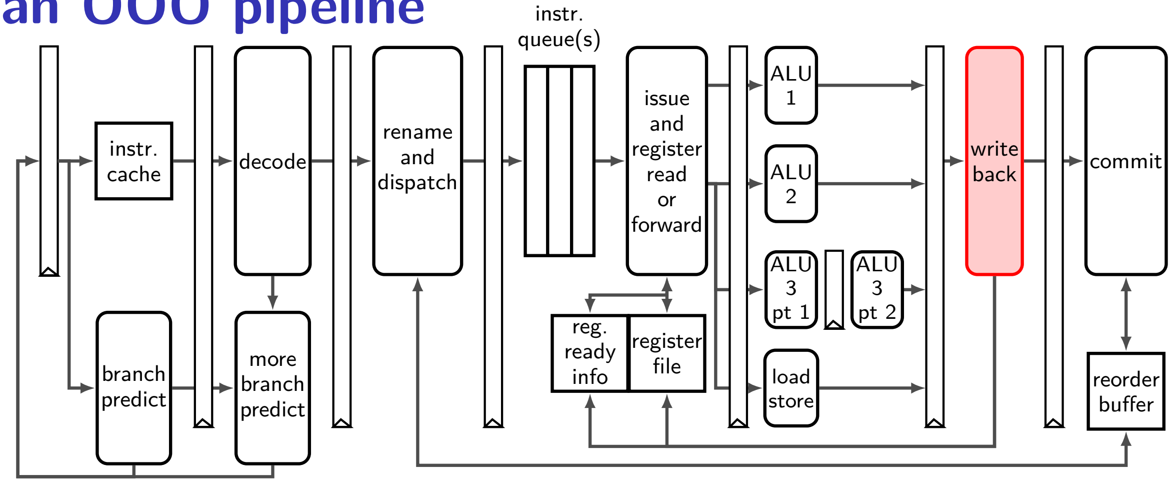
read from much larger register file and handle forwarding
register file: typically read 6+ registers at a time
(extra data paths wires for forwarding not shown)

an OOO pipeline



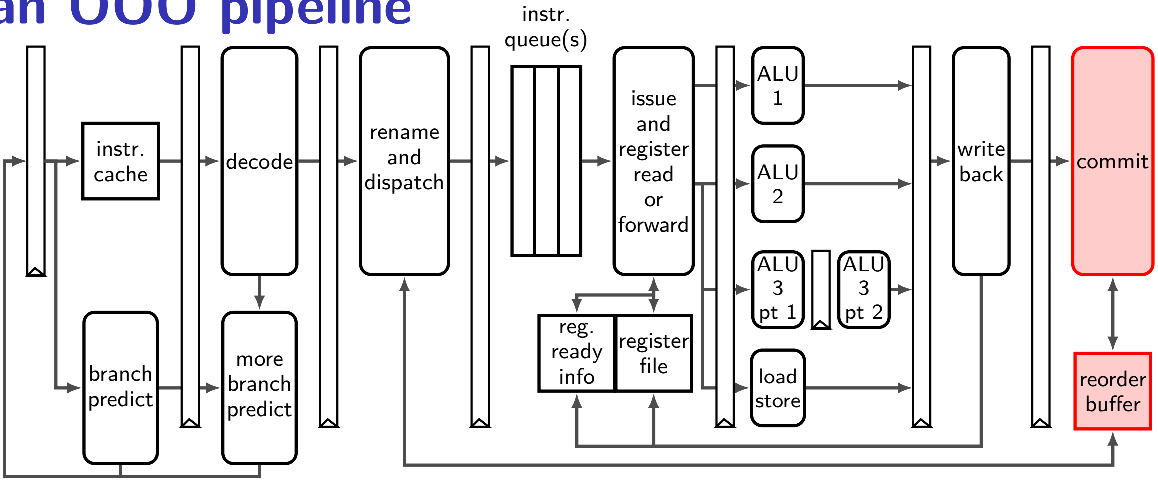
many *execution units* actually do math or memory load/store
some may have multiple pipeline stages
some may take variable time (data cache, integer divide, …)

an OOO pipeline



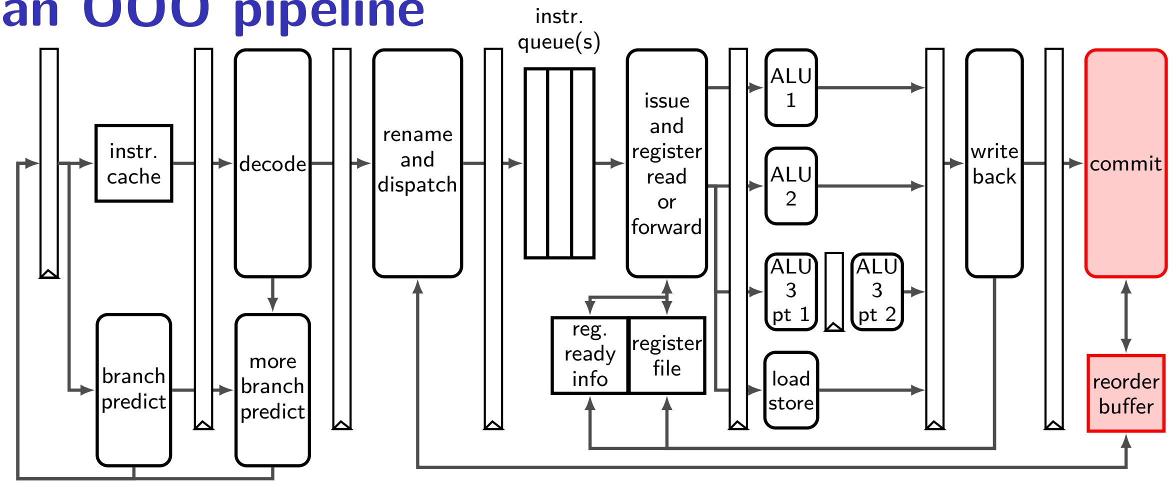
writeback results to physical registers
register file: typically support writing 3+ registers at a time

an OOO pipeline



new commit (sometimes *retire*) stage finalizes instruction
figures out when physical registers can be reused again

an OOO pipeline



commit stage also handles branch misprediction
reorder buffer tracks enough information to undo mispredicted instrs.

an OOO pipeline diagram

cycle #	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
`addq %r01, %r05`	F	D	R	I	E	W	C					
`addq %r02, %r05`	F	D	R		I	E	W	C				
`addq %r03, %r04`		F	D	R	I	E	W	C				
`cmpq %r04, %r08`		F	D	R		I	E	W	C			
`jne ...`			F	D	R		I	E	W	C		
`addq %r01, %r05`			F	D	R	I	E	W		C		
`addq %r02, %r05`				F	D	R	I	E	W		C	
`addq %r03, %r04`				F	D	R		I	E	W	C	
`cmpq %r04, %r08`					F	D	R		I	E	W	C

an OOO pipeline diagram

cycle #	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
`addq %r01, %r05`	F	D	R	I	E	W	C					
`addq %r02, %r05`	F	D	R		I	E	W	C				
`addq %r03, %r04`		F	D	R								
`cmpq %r04, %r08`		F	D	R								
`jne ...`			F	D								
`addq %r01, %r05`			F	D	R	I	E	W		C		
`addq %r02, %r05`				F	D	R	I	E	W		C	
`addq %r03, %r04`				F	D	R		I	E	W	C	
`cmpq %r04, %r08`					F	D	R		I	E	W	C

fetch instructions in order,
several per cycle
unless instruction queue full

an OOO pipeline diagram

cycle #	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
`addq %r01, %r05`	F	D	R	I	E	W	C					
`addq %r02, %r05`	F	D	R		I	E	W	C				
`addq %r03, %r04`		F	D	R	I	E						
`cmpq %r04, %r08`		F	D	R		I						
`jne ...`			F	D	R							
`addq %r01, %r05`			F	D	R	I	E	W		C		
`addq %r02, %r05`				F	D	R	I	E	W		C	
`addq %r03, %r04`				F	D	R		I	E	W	C	
`cmpq %r04, %r08`					F	D	R		I	E	W	C

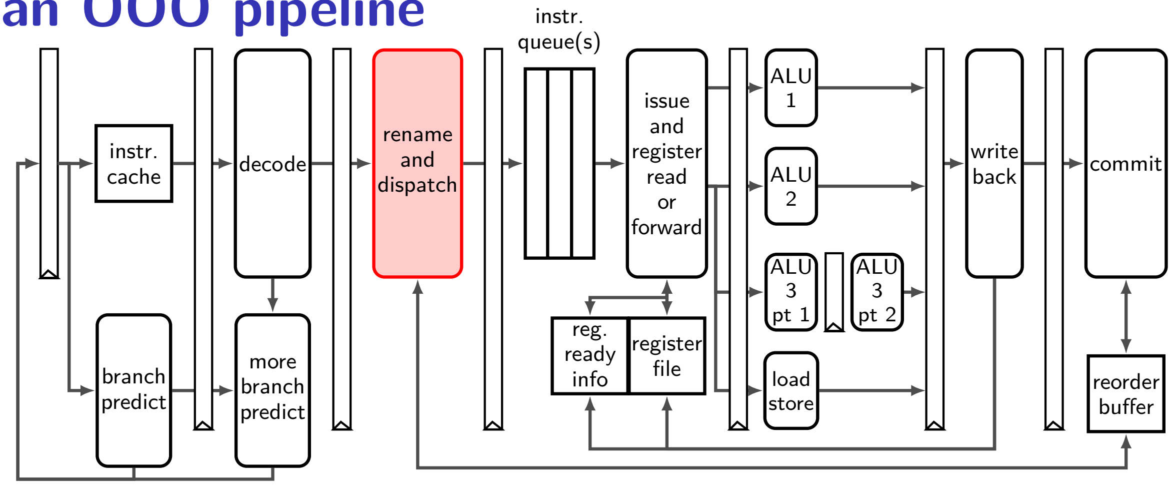
issue instructions (to “execution units”) when operands ready

an OOO pipeline diagram

cycle #	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
`addq %r01, %r05`	F	D	R	I	E	W	C					
`addq %r02, %r05`	F	D	R		I	E	W	C				
`addq %r03, %r04`		F	D	R	I	E	W	C				
`cmpq %r0`						I	E	W	C			
`jne ...`			F	D	R		I	E	W	C		
`addq %r01, %r05`			F	D	R	I	E	W		C		
`addq %r02, %r05`				F	D	R	I	E	W		C	
`addq %r03, %r04`				F	D	R		I	E	W	C	
`cmpq %r04, %r08`					F	D	R		I	E	W	C

commit instructions in order
waiting until next complete

an OOO pipeline



register renaming

rename *architectural registers* to *physical registers*

architectural = part of instruction set architecture

different name for each version of architectural register

register renaming state

original

```
add %r10, %r8   …
add %r11, %r8   …
add %r12, %r8   …
```

renamed

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	%x13
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	%x07
%r12	%x05
…	…

free reg list

%x18
%x20
%x21
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming state

original

```
add %r10, %r8   …
add %r11, %r8   …
add %r12, %r8   …
```

renamed

table for architectural (external) and physical (internal) name (for next instr. to process)

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	%x13
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	%x07
%r12	%x05
…	…

free reg list

%x18
%x20
%x21
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming state

original

```
add %r10, %r8   …
add %r11, %r8   …
add %r12, %r8   …
```

renamed

list of available physical registers added to as instructions finish

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	%x13
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	%x07
%r12	%x05
…	…

free reg list

%x18
%x20
%x21
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming example (1)

original

```
add %r10, %r8
add %r11, %r8
add %r12, %r8
```

renamed

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	%x13
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	%x07
%r12	%x05
…	…

free reg list

%x18
%x20
%x21
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming example (1)

original

```
add %r10, %r8
add %r11, %r8
add %r12, %r8
```

renamed

```
add %x19, %x13 → %x18
```

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	~~%x13~~%x18
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	%x07
%r12	%x05
…	…

free reg list

~~%x18~~
%x20
%x21
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming example (1)

original

```
add %r10, %r8
add %r11, %r8
add %r12, %r8
```

renamed

```
add %x19, %x13 → %x18
add %x07, %x18 → %x20
```

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	~~%x13~~~~%x18~~%x20
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	%x07
%r12	%x05
…	…

free reg list

~~%x18~~
~~%x20~~
%x21
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming example (1)

original	renamed
`add %r10, %r8`	`add %x19, %x13 → %x18`
`add %r11, %r8`	`add %x07, %x18 → %x20`
`add %r12, %r8`	$\boxed{\texttt{add \%x05, \%x20 → \%x21}}$

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	~~%x13~~~~%x18~~~~%x20~~%x21
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	%x07
%r12	%x05
…	…

free reg list

~~%x18~~
~~%x20~~
~~%x21~~
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming example (1)

original	renamed
`add %r10, %r8`	`add %x19, %x13` $\rightarrow$ `%x18`
`add %r11, %r8`	`add %x07, %x18` $\rightarrow$ `%x20`
`add %r12, %r8`	`add %x05, %x20` $\rightarrow$ `%x21`

arch $\rightarrow$ phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	~~%x13~~~~%x18~~~~%x20~~%x21
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	%x07
%r12	%x05
…	…

free reg list

~~%x18~~
~~%x20~~
~~%x21~~
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming example (2)

original

```
addq %r10, %r8
movq %r8, (%rax)
subq %r8, %r11
movq 8(%r11), %r11
movq $100, %r8
addq %r11, %r8
```

renamed

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	%x13
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	%x07
%r12	%x05

free regs

%x18
%x20
%x21
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming example (2)

original

```
addq %r10, %r8
movq %r8, (%rax)
subq %r8, %r11
movq 8(%r11), %r11
movq $100, %r8
addq %r11, %r8
```

renamed

```
addq %x19, %x13 → %x18
```

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	~~%x13~~%x18
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	%x07
%r12	%x05

free regs

~~%x18~~
%x20
%x21
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming example (2)

original

```
addq %r10, %r8
movq %r8, (%rax)
subq %r8, %r11
movq 8(%r11), %r11
movq $100, %r8
addq %r11, %r8
```

renamed

```
addq %x19, %x13 → %x18
movq %x18, (%x04) → (memory)
```

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	~~%x13~~%x18
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	%x07
%r12	%x05

free regs

~~%x18~~
%x20
%x21
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming example (2)

original

```
addq %r10, %r8
movq %r8, (%rax)
subq %r8, %r11
movq 8(%r11), %r11
movq $100, %r8
addq %r11, %r8
```

renamed

```
addq %x19, %x13 → %x18
movq %x18, (%x04) → (memory)
```

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	~~%x13~~%x18
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	%x07
%r12	%x05

could be that %rax = 8+%r11
could load before value written!
possible data hazard!
not handled via register renaming
option 1: run load+stores in order
option 2: compare load/store addresse

%x21
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming example (2)

original

```
addq %r10, %r8
movq %r8, (%rax)
subq %r8, %r11
movq 8(%r11), %r11
movq $100, %r8
addq %r11, %r8
```

renamed

```
addq %x19, %x13 → %x18
movq %x18, (%x04) → (memory)
subq %x18, %x07 → %x20
```

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
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…	…
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%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	~~%x07~~%x20
%r12	%x05

free regs

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~~%x20~~
%x21
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming example (2)

original

```
addq %r10, %r8
movq %r8, (%rax)
subq %r8, %r11
movq 8(%r11), %r11
movq $100, %r8
addq %r11, %r8
```

renamed

```
addq %x19, %x13 → %x18
movq %x18, (%x04) → (memory)
subq %x18, %x07 → %x20
movq 8(%x20), (memory) → %x21
```

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	~~%x13~~%x18
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	~~%x07~~~~%x20~~%x21
%r12	%x05

free regs

~~%x18~~
~~%x20~~
~~%x21~~
%x23
%x24
…

register renaming example (2)

original

```
addq %r10, %r8
movq %r8, (%rax)
subq %r8, %r11
movq 8(%r11), %r11
movq $100, %r8
addq %r11, %r8
```

renamed

```
addq %x19, %x13 → %x18
movq %x18, (%x04) → (memory)
subq %x18, %x07 → %x20
movq 8(%x20), (memory) → %x21
movq $100 → %x23
```

arch → phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	~~%x13~~~~%x18~~%x23
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	~~%x07~~~~%x20~~%x21
%r12	%x05

free regs

~~%x18~~
~~%x20~~
~~%x21~~
~~%x23~~
%x24
…

register renaming example (2)

original	renamed
`addq %r10, %r8`	`addq %x19, %x13` $\rightarrow$ `%x18`
`movq %r8, (%rax)`	`movq %x18, (%x04)` $\rightarrow$ (memory)
`subq %r8, %r11`	`subq %x18, %x07` $\rightarrow$ `%x20`
`movq 8(%r11), %r11`	`movq 8(%x20),` (memory) $\rightarrow$ `%x21`
`movq $100, %r8`	`movq $100` $\rightarrow$ `%x23`
`addq %r11, %r8`	$\boxed{\texttt{addq \%x21, \%x23} \rightarrow \texttt{\%x24}}$

arch $\rightarrow$ phys register map

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	~~%x13~~~~%x18~~~~%x23~~%x24
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	~~%x07~~~~%x20~~%x21
%r12	%x05

free regs

~~%x18~~
~~%x20~~
~~%x21~~
~~%x23~~
~~%x24~~
…

register renaming exercise

original

```
addq %r8, %r9
movq $100, %r10
subq %r10, %r8
xorq %r8, %r9
andq %rax, %r9
```

renamed

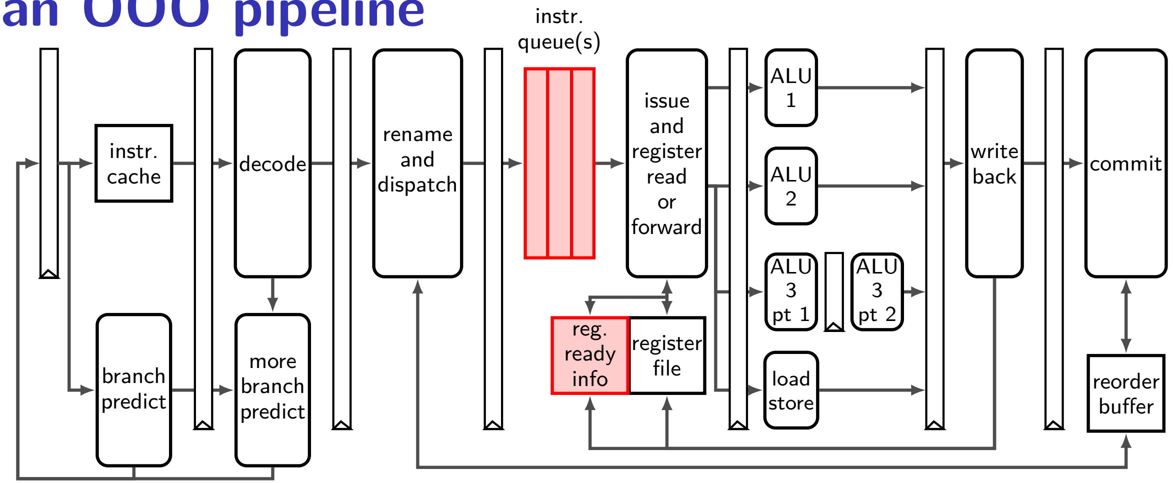
arch → phys

%rax	%x04
%rcx	%x09
…	…
%r8	%x13
%r9	%x17
%r10	%x19
%r11	%x29
%r12	%x05
%r13	%x02
…	…

free regs

%x18
%x20
%x21
%x23
%x24
…

an OOO pipeline



instruction queue and dispatch

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…	…

scoreboard

reg	*status*
%x01	ready
%x02	ready
%x03	ready
%x04	ready
%x05	ready
%x06	pending
%x07	pending
%x08	pending
%x09	pending
%x10	pending
%x11	pending
%x12	pending
%x13	pending
…	…

execution unit	
ALU 1	
ALU 2	…

instruction queue and dispatch

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%x08	pending
%x09	pending
%x10	pending
%x11	pending
%x12	pending
%x13	pending
…	…

execution unit	*cycle# 1*	…
ALU 1	**1**	
ALU 2		

instruction queue and dispatch

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…	…

scoreboard

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%x11	pending
%x12	pending
%x13	pending
…	…

execution unit	*cycle# 1*	…
ALU 1	1	
ALU 2		

instruction queue and dispatch

instruction queue

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…	…

scoreboard

reg	*status*
`%x01`	ready
`%x02`	ready
`%x03`	ready
`%x04`	ready
`%x05`	ready
`%x06`	~~pending~~ ready
`%x07`	pending
`%x08`	pending
`%x09`	pending
`%x10`	pending
`%x11`	pending
`%x12`	pending
`%x13`	pending
…	…

execution unit	*cycle# 1*	…
ALU 1	1	
ALU 2	—	

instruction queue and dispatch

instruction queue

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%x10	pending
%x11	pending
%x12	pending
%x13	pending
…	…

execution unit	*cycle#* 1	*2*	…
ALU 1	1	**2**	
ALU 2	—	—	

instruction queue and dispatch

instruction queue

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%x10	pending
%x11	pending
%x12	pending
%x13	pending
...	...

execution unit	*cycle# 1*	*2*	*3*	...
ALU 1	1	2	**3**	
ALU 2	—	—	—	

instruction queue and dispatch

instruction queue

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%x11	pending
%x12	pending
%x13	pending
…	…

execution unit	*cycle# 1*	*2*	*3*	…
ALU 1	1	2	3	
ALU 2	—	—	—	

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%x09	~~pending~~ ready
%x10	~~pending~~ ready
%x11	pending
%x12	pending
%x13	pending
…	…

execution unit	*cycle#* *1*	*2*	*3*	*4*	…
ALU 1	1	2	3	**4**	
ALU 2	—	—	—	**6**	

instruction queue and dispatch

instruction queue

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%x13	pending
…	…

execution unit	*cycle# 1*	*2*	*3*	*4*	…
ALU 1	1	2	3	4	
ALU 2	—	—	—	6	

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%x08	~~pending~~ ready
%x09	~~pending~~ ready
%x10	~~pending~~ ready
%x11	pending
%x12	pending
%x13	pending
...	...

execution unit	*cycle# 1*	*2*	*3*	*4*	*5*	...
ALU 1	1	2	3	4	**5**	
ALU 2	—	—	—	6	**7**	

instruction queue and dispatch

instruction queue

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…	…

scoreboard

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%x01	ready
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%x05	ready
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%x08	~~pending~~ ready
%x09	~~pending~~ ready
%x10	~~pending~~ ready
%x11	~~pending~~ ready
%x12	pending
%x13	pending
…	…

execution unit	*cycle#* 1	2	3	4	5	6	…
ALU 1	1	2	3	4	5	**8**	
ALU 2	—	—	—	6	7	—	

instruction queue and dispatch

instruction queue

#	*instruction*
~~1~~	~~addq %x01, %x05 → %x06~~
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…	…

scoreboard

reg	*status*
%x01	ready
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%x08	~~pending~~ ready
%x09	~~pending~~ ready
%x10	~~pending~~ ready
%x11	~~pending~~ ready
%x12	~~pending~~ ready
%x13	pending
…	…

execution unit	*cycle#* 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	…
ALU 1	1	2	3	4	5	8	**9**	
ALU 2	—	—	—	6	7	—	**…**	

instruction queue and dispatch

instruction queue

#	*instruction*
~~1~~	~~addq %x01, %x05 → %x06~~
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…	…

scoreboard

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%x09	~~pending~~ ready
%x10	~~pending~~ ready
%x11	~~pending~~ ready
%x12	~~pending~~ ready
%x13	~~pending~~ ready
…	…

execution unit	*cycle# 1*	*2*	*3*	*4*	*5*	*6*	*7*	…
ALU 1	1	2	3	4	5	8	9	
ALU 2	—	—	—	6	7	—	…	

instruction queue and dispatch

instruction queue

#	*instruction*
1	`mrmovq (%x04)` → `%x06`
2	`mrmovq (%x05)` → `%x07`
3	`addq %x01, %x02` → `%x08`
4	`addq %x01, %x06` → `%x09`
5	`addq %x01, %x07` → `%x10`
…	…

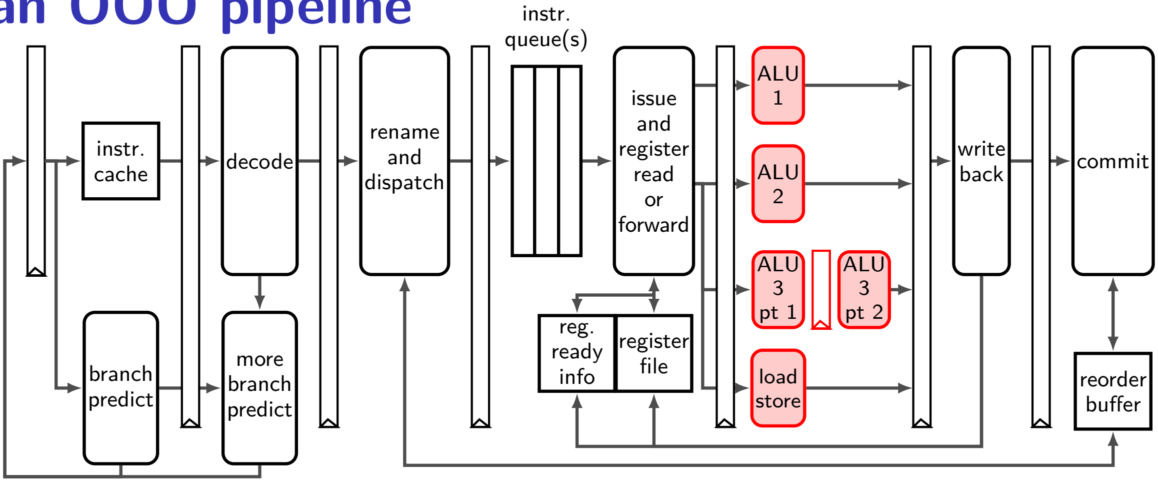
scoreboard

reg	*status*
%x01	ready
%x02	ready
%x03	ready
%x04	ready
%x05	ready
%x06	
%x07	
%x08	
%x09	
%x10	
…	…

execution unit	*cycle# 1*	*2*	*3*	*4*	*5*	*6*	*7*	…
ALU								
data cache								

↑

an OOO pipeline



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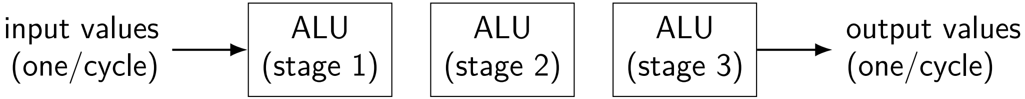
where actual work of instruction is done

e.g. the actual ALU, or data cache

sometimes pipelined:

(here: 1 op/cycle; 3 cycle latency)



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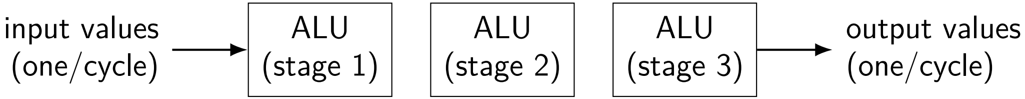

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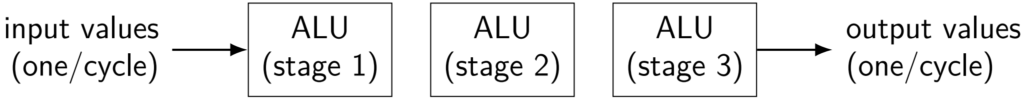


exercise: how long to compute $A \times (B \times (C \times D))$?

3×3 cycles $+$ any time to forward values

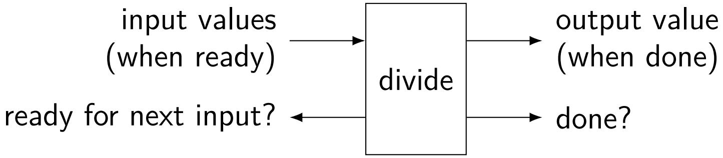
no parallelism!

execution units AKA functional units (2)

where actual work of instruction is done

e.g. the actual ALU, or data cache

sometimes unpipelined:



instruction queue and dispatch (multicycle)

instruction queue

#	*instruction*
1	`add %x01, %x02 → %x03`
2	`imul %x04, %x05 → %x06`
3	`imul %x03, %x07 → %x08`
4	`cmp %x03, %x08 → %x09.cc`
5	`jle %x09.cc, ...`
6	`add %x01, %x03 → %x11`
7	`imul %x04, %x06 → %x12`
8	`imul %x03, %x08 → %x13`
9	`cmp %x11, %x13 → %x14.cc`
10	`jle %x14.cc, ...`
…	…

scoreboard

reg	*status*
%x01	ready
%x02	ready
%x03	pending
%x04	ready
%x05	ready
%x06	pending
%x07	ready
%x08	pending
%x09	pending
%x10	pending
%x11	pending
%x12	pending
%x13	pending
%x14	pending
…	… …

execution unit

ALU 1 (add, cmp, jxx)

ALU 2 (add, cmp, jxx)

ALU 3 (mul) start

ALU 3 (mul) end

instruction queue and dispatch (multicycle)

instruction queue

#	*instruction*
1	`add %x01, %x02 → %x03`
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10	`jle %x14.cc, ...`
…	…

scoreboard

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%x03	pending
%x04	ready
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%x06	pending
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%x08	pending
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%x11	pending
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%x13	pending
%x14	pending
…	… …

execution unit

ALU 1 (add, cmp, jxx)

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instruction queue and dispatch (multicycle)

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…	…

scoreboard

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%x06	pending
%x07	ready
%x08	pending
%x09	pending
%x10	pending
%x11	pending
%x12	pending
%x13	pending
%x14	pending
…	… …

execution unit	**cycle# 1**	
ALU 1 (add, cmp, jxx)	**1**	
ALU 2 (add, cmp, jxx)	**–**	
ALU 3 (mul) start	**2**	
ALU 3 (mul) end		**2**

instruction queue and dispatch (multicycle)

instruction queue

#	*instruction*
~~1~~	~~add %x01, %x02 → %x03~~
~~2~~	~~imul %x04, %x05 → %x06~~
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10	jle %x14.cc, ...
…	…

scoreboard

reg	*status*
%x01	ready
%x02	ready
%x03	~~pending~~ ready
%x04	ready
%x05	ready
%x06	pending (still)
%x07	ready
%x08	pending
%x09	pending
%x10	pending
%x11	pending
%x12	pending
%x13	pending
%x14	pending
…	… …

execution unit	*cycle# 1*	**2**	
ALU 1 (add, cmp, jxx)	1	**6**	
ALU 2 (add, cmp, jxx)	–	**–**	
ALU 3 (mul) start	2	**3**	
ALU 3 (mul) end		2	**3**

instruction queue and dispatch (multicycle)

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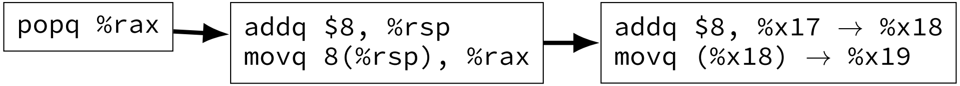
register renaming: missing pieces

what about "hidden" inputs like `%rsp`, condition codes?

one solution: translate to intructions with additional register parameters

- making %rsp explicit parameter
- turning hidden condition codes into operands!

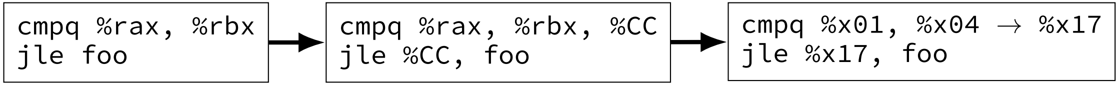
bonus: can also translate complex instructions to simpler ones



```
popq %rax
```

```
addq $8, %rsp
movq 8(%rsp), %rax
```

```
addq $8, %x17 → %x18
movq (%x18) → %x19
```



```
cmpq %rax, %rbx
jle foo
```

```
cmpq %rax, %rbx, %CC
jle %CC, foo
```

```
cmpq %x01, %x04 → %x17
jle %x17, foo
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