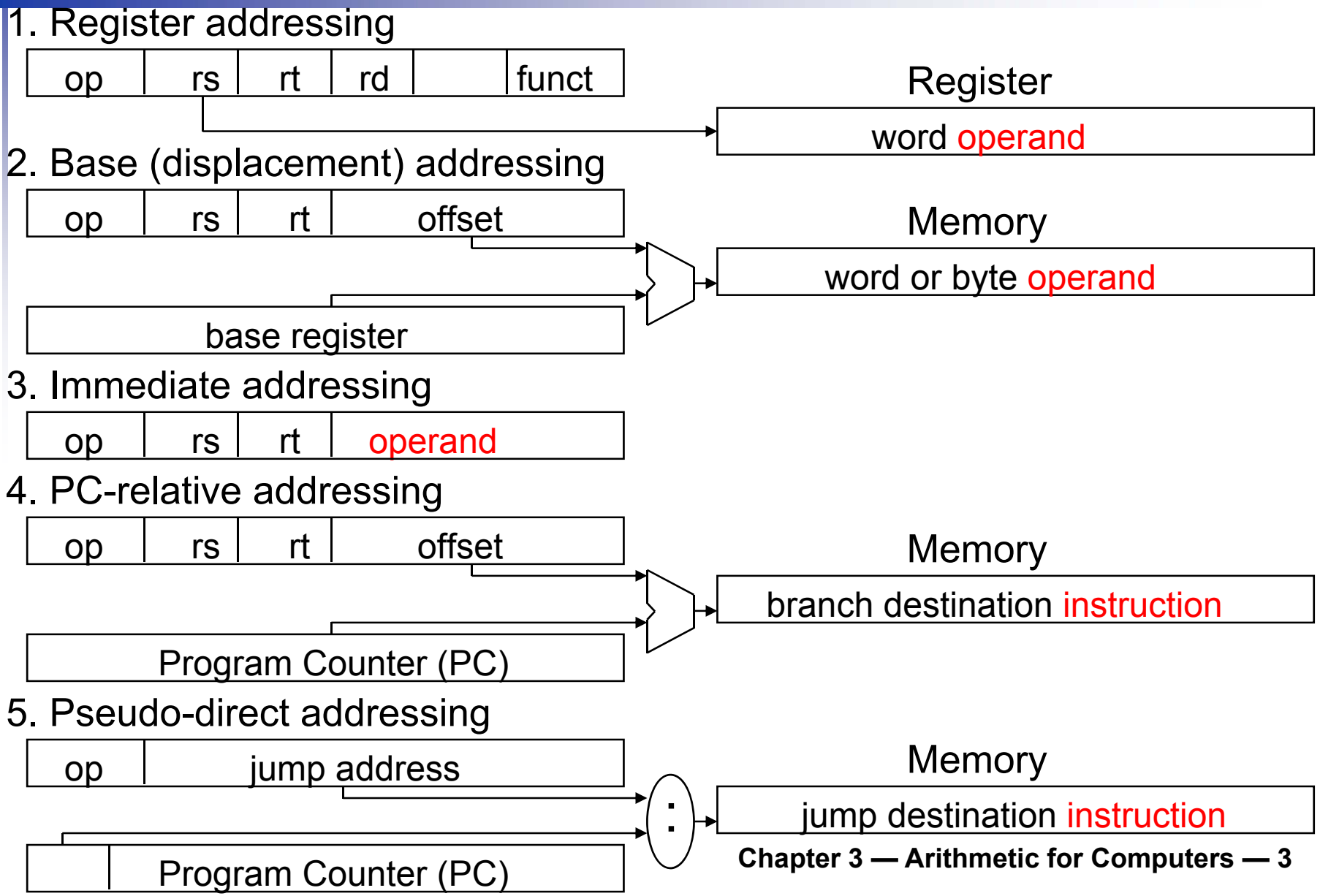
Computer Organization and Design

Arithmetic for Computers

Review: MIPS (RISC) Design Principles

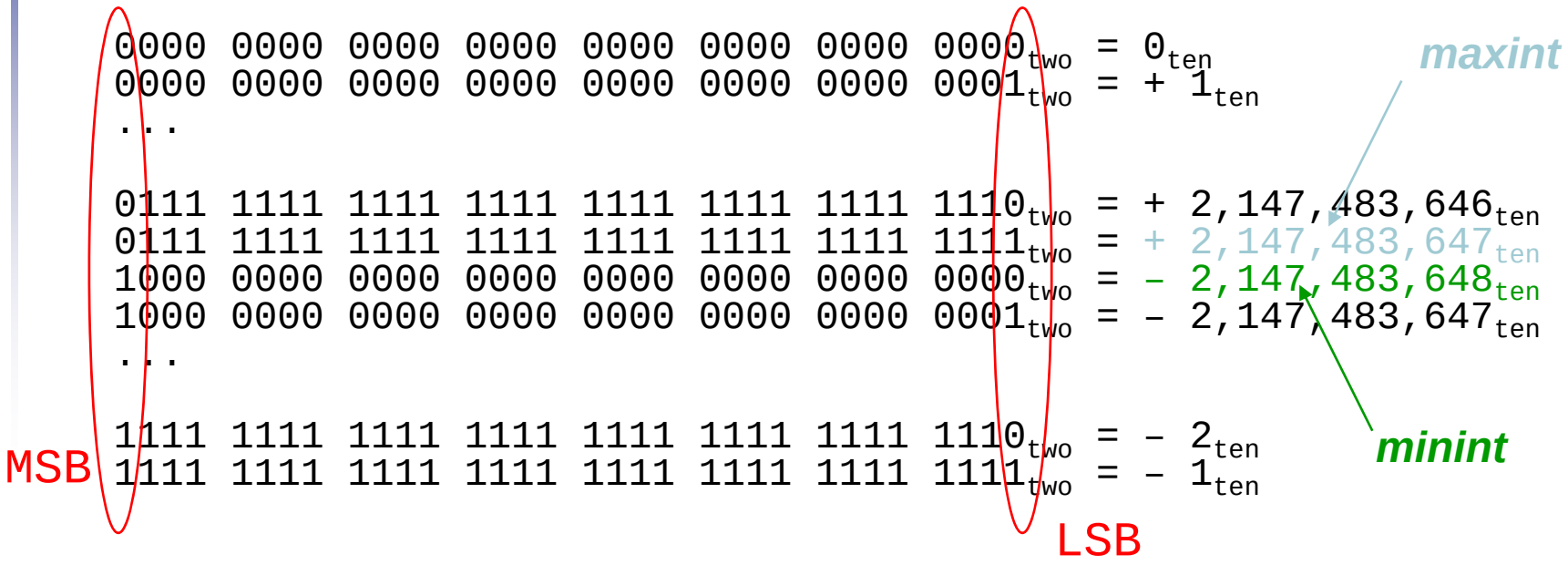
- Simplicity favors regularity
  - fixed size instructions
  - small number of instruction formats
  - opcode always the first 6 bits
- Smaller is faster
  - limited instruction set
  - limited number of registers in register file
  - limited number of addressing modes
- Make the common case fast
  - arithmetic operands from the register file (load-store machine)
  - allow instructions to contain immediate operands
- Good design demands good compromises
  - three instruction formats

Review: MIPS Addressing Modes



Review: Number Representations

- 32-bit signed numbers (2's complement):



- Converting <32-bit values into 32-bit values
  - copy the most significant bit (the sign bit) into the "empty" bits

```
0010   -> 0000 0010
1010   -> 1111 1010
```

  - sign extend versus zero extend (`lb` vs. `lbu`)

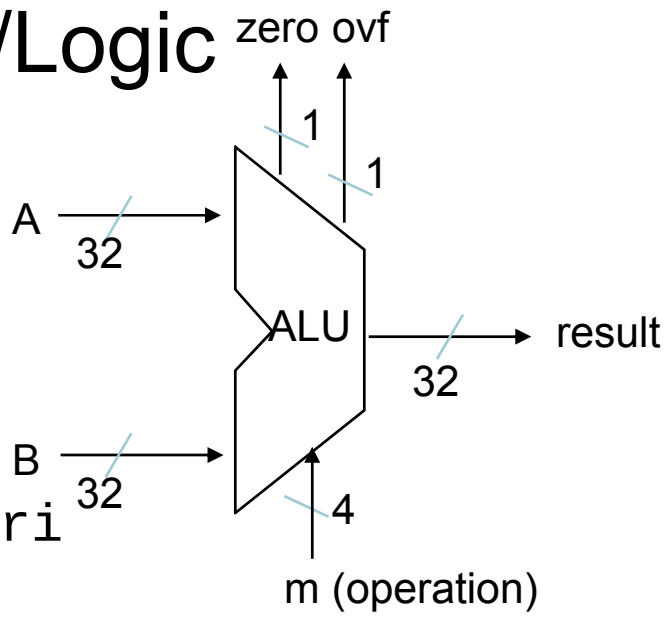
Arithmetic for Computers

- Operations on integers
  - Addition and subtraction
  - Multiplication and division
- What about fractions and real numbers?
  - Representation and operations
- How are overflow scenarios handled?
  - e.g. An operation creates a number bigger than can be represented
- How does hardware really multiply and divide numbers?

MIPS Arithmetic Logic Unit (ALU)

- Must support the Arithmetic/Logic operations of the ISA

```
add, addi, addiu, addu
sub, subu
mult, multu, div, divu
sqrt
and, andi, nor, or, ori, xor, xori
beq, bne, slt, slti, sltiu, sltu
```

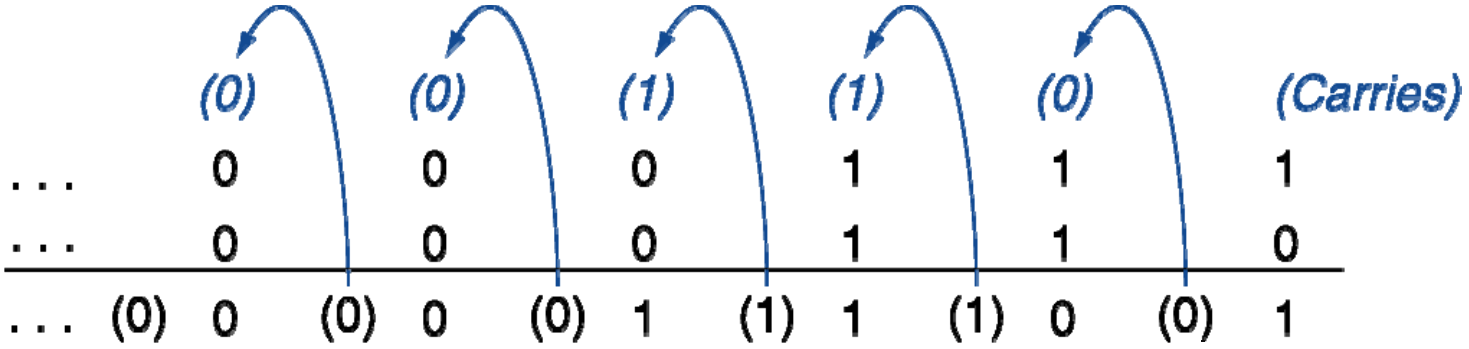


- With special handling for
  - sign extend – `addi, addiu, slti, sltiu`
  - zero extend – `andi, ori, xori`
  - overflow detection – `add, addi, sub`

Review Appendix C (from CD or lecture page) for more details on ALU design

Integer Addition

- Example: 7 + 6



- Overflow if result out of range
  - Adding +ve and –ve operands, no overflow
  - Adding two +ve operands
    - Overflow if result sign bit is 1
  - Adding two –ve operands
    - Overflow if result sign bit is 0

Integer Subtraction

- Add negation of second operand
- Example: 7 – 6 = 7 + (–6)

+7:	0000 0000 … 0000 0111
–6:	1111 1111 … 1111 1010
+1:	0000 0000 … 0000 0001

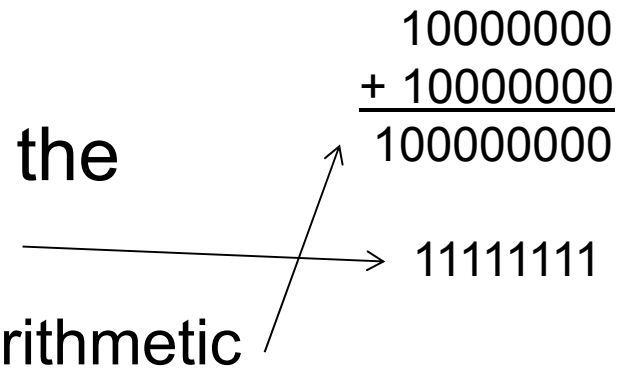
- Overflow if result out of range
  - Subtracting two +ve or two –ve operands, no overflow
  - Subtracting +ve from –ve operand
    - Overflow if result sign bit is 0
  - Subtracting –ve from +ve operand
    - Overflow if result sign bit is 1

Dealing with Overflow

- Some languages (e.g., C) ignore overflow
  - C compilers use MIPS `addu`, `addui`, `subu` instructions
- Other languages (e.g., Ada, Fortran) require raising an exception
  - Use MIPS `add`, `addi`, `sub` instructions
  - On overflow, invoke exception handler
    - Save PC in exception program counter (EPC) register
    - Jump to predefined handler address
    - `mfc0` (move from coprocessor reg) instruction can retrieve EPC value, to return after corrective action

Arithmetic for Multimedia

- Graphics and media processing operates on vectors of 8-bit and 16-bit data
  - Use 64-bit adder, with partitioned carry chain
    - Operate on 8×8-bit, 4×16-bit, or 2×32-bit vectors
  - SIMD (single-instruction, multiple-data)
- Saturating operations
  - On overflow, result is set to the largest representable value
    - c.f. 2s-complement modulo arithmetic
  - E.g., clipping in audio, saturation in video



Multiplication

- Start with long-multiplication approach

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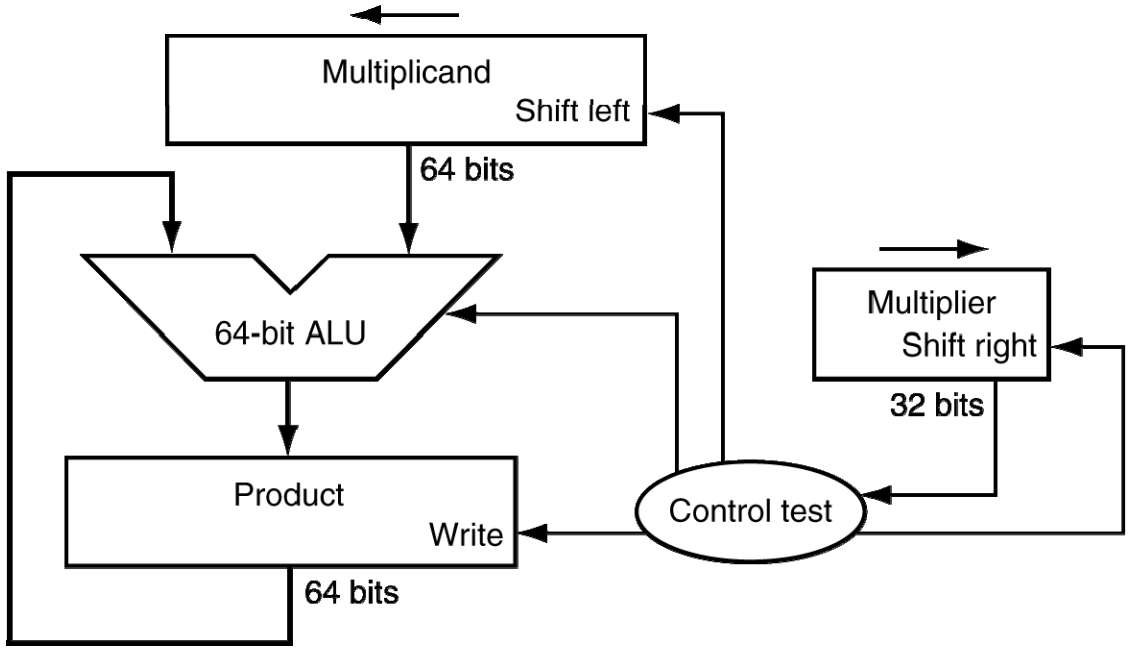
multiplier

product

```
  1000
× 1001
------
  1000
 0000
0000
1000
------
1001000
```

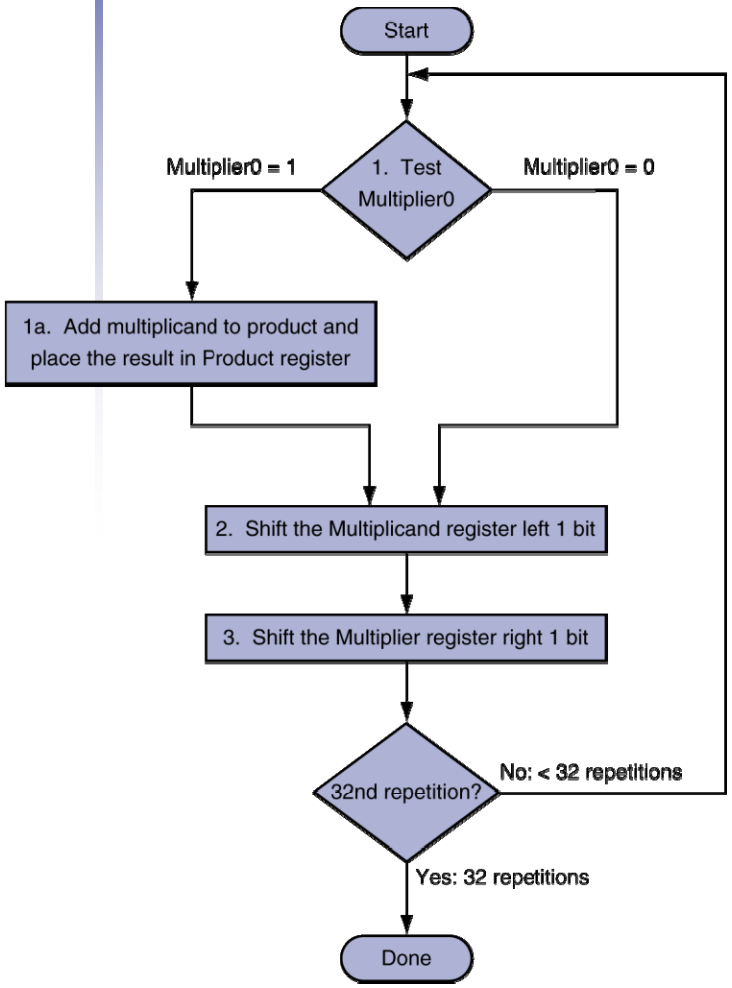
Length of product is the sum of operand lengths

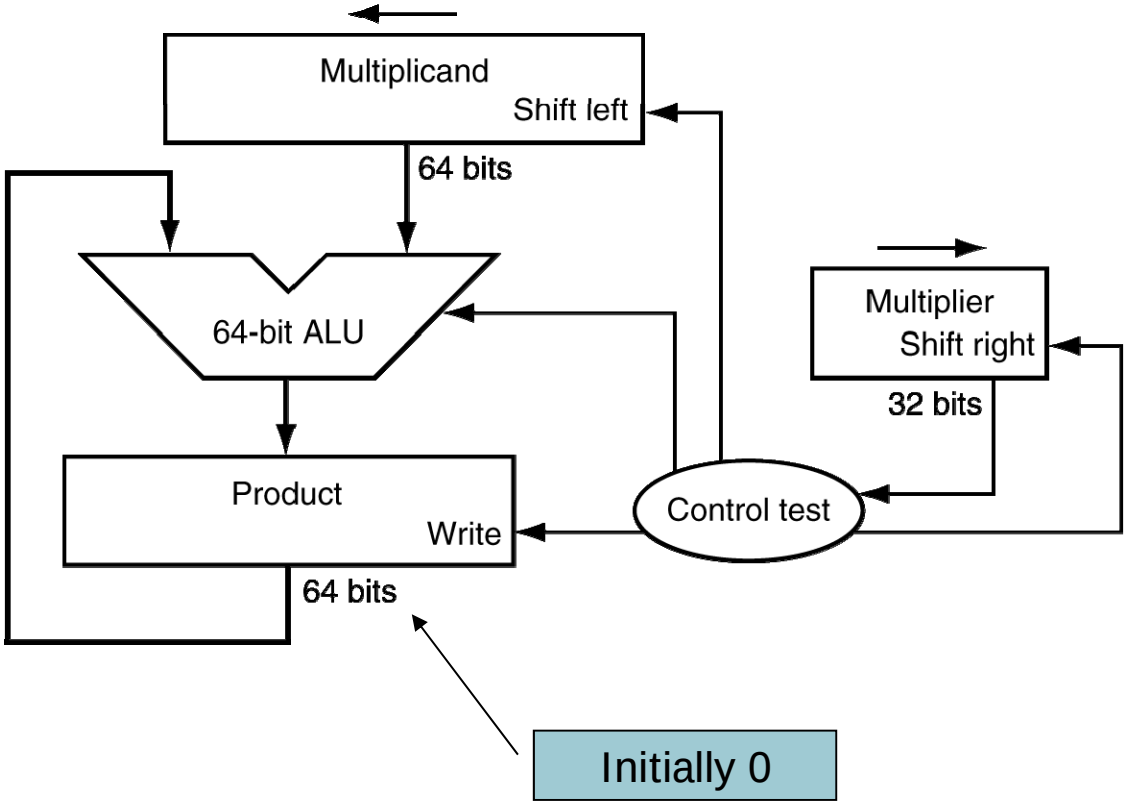


Multiplication Hardware

Sequential Implementation

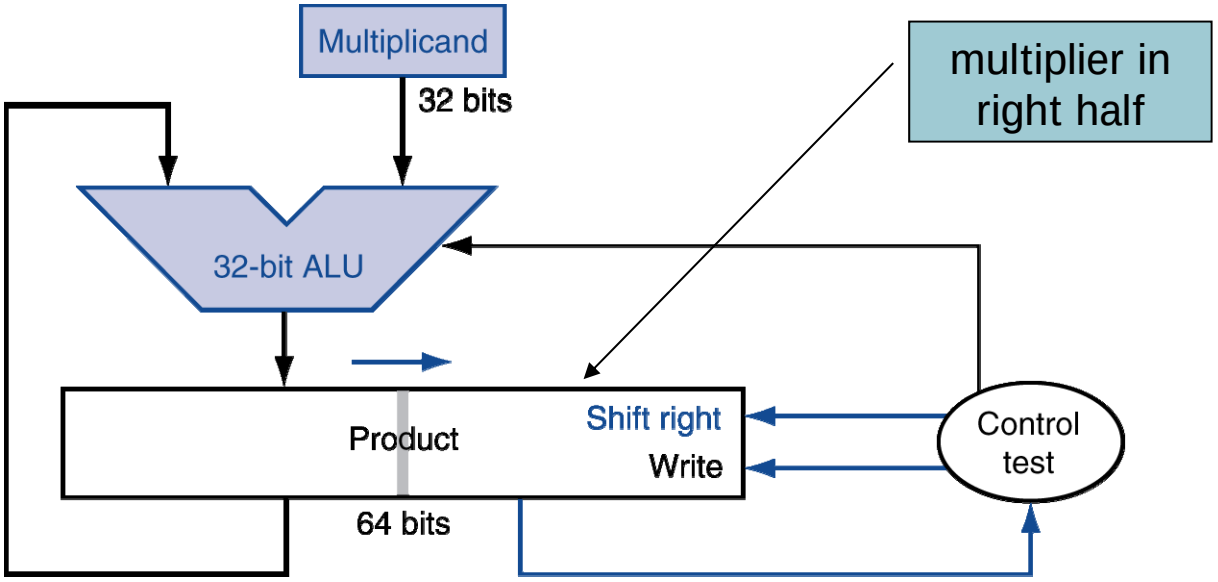
~100 cycles for multiplying 2 32-bit values





Optimized Multiplier

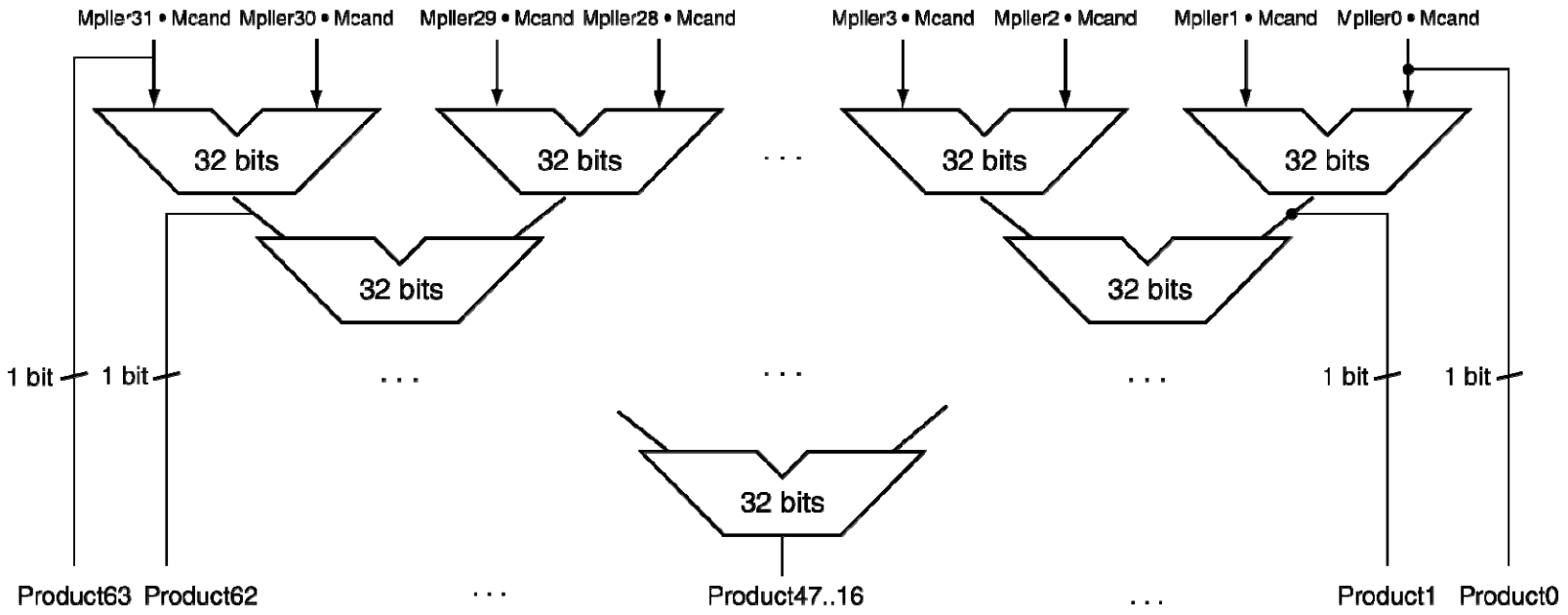
- Perform steps in parallel: add/shift



- One cycle per partial-product addition
  - That's ok, if frequency of multiplications is low
  - ~32 cycles for multiplying 2 32-bit values

Even Faster Multiplier

- Uses multiple adders
  - Cost/performance tradeoff
    - 31 adders → $\log_2(31)$ = ~5 cycles for multiplying 2 32-bit values

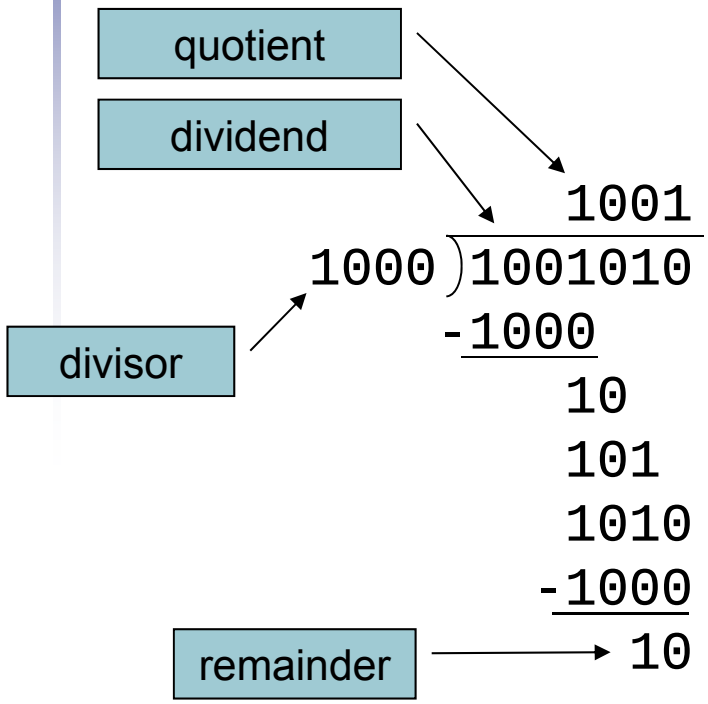


- Can be pipelined
  - Several multiplication performed in parallel

MIPS Multiplication

- Two 32-bit registers for product
  - HI: most-significant 32 bits
  - LO: least-significant 32-bits
- Instructions
  - `mult rs, rt` / `multu rs, rt`
    - 64-bit product in HI/LO
  - `mfhi rd` / `mflo rd`
    - Move from HI/LO to rd
    - Can test HI value to see if product overflows 32 bits
  - `mul rd, rs, rt`
    - Least-significant 32 bits of product –> rd

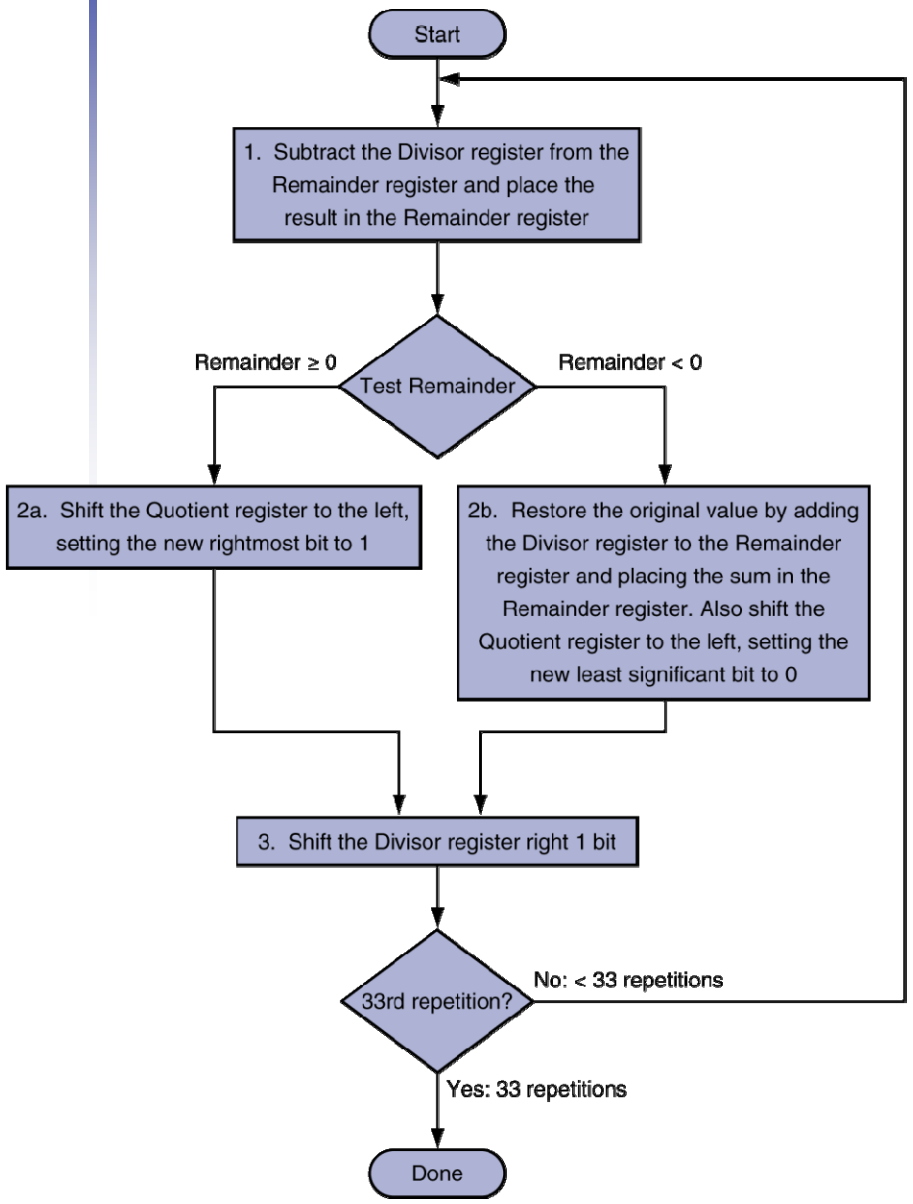
Division

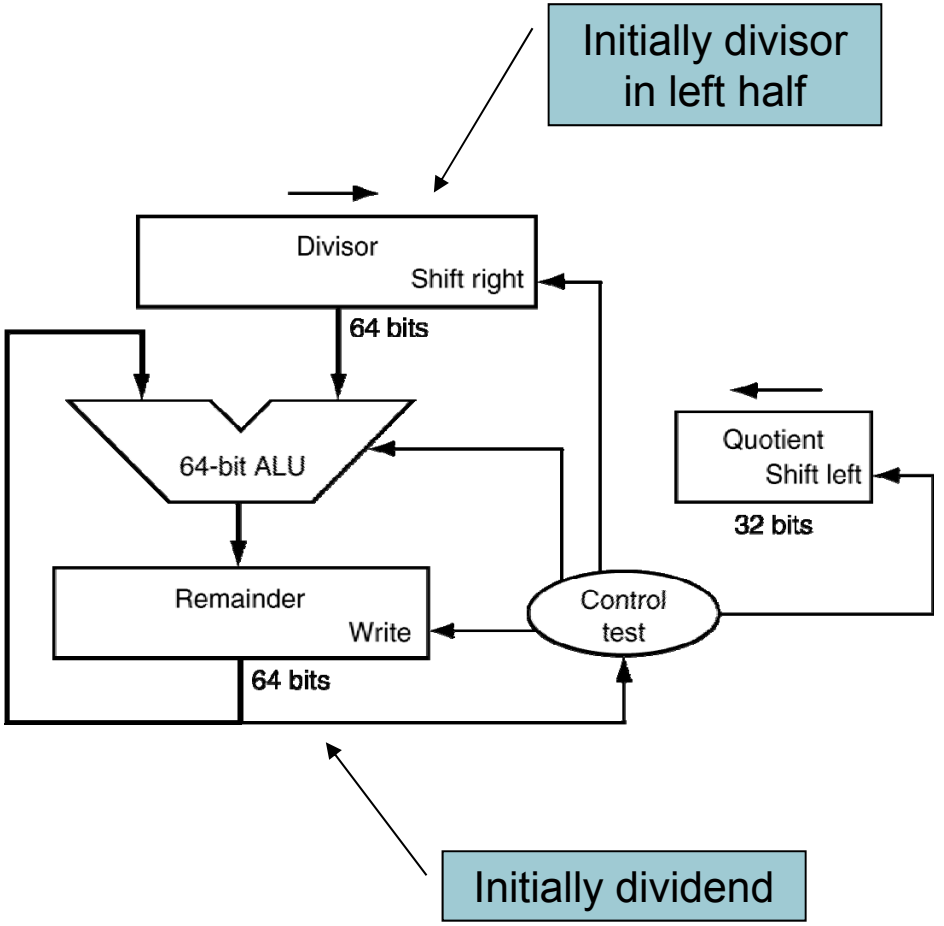


n-bit operands yield *n*-bit quotient and remainder

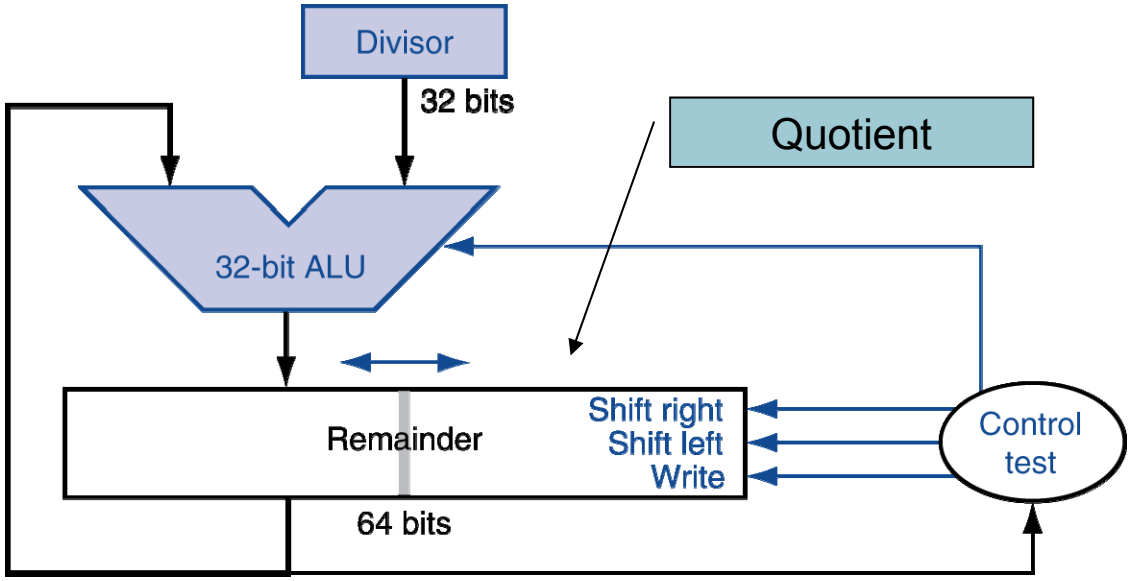
- Check for 0 divisor
- Long division approach
  - If divisor ≤ dividend bits
    - 1 bit in quotient, subtract
  - Otherwise
    - 0 bit in quotient, bring down next dividend bit
- Restoring division
  - Do the subtract, and if remainder goes < 0, add divisor back
- Signed division
  - Divide using absolute values
  - Adjust sign of quotient and remainder as required

Division Hardware





Optimized Divider



- One cycle per partial-remainder subtraction
- Looks a lot like a multiplier!
  - Same hardware can be used for both

Faster Division

- Can't use parallel hardware as in multiplier
  - Subtraction is conditional on sign of remainder
- Faster dividers (e.g. SRT division) generate multiple quotient bits per step
  - Guesses quotient bits using a table lookup based on upper bits of dividend, remainder
    - Subsequent steps correct wrong guesses
  - Still require multiple steps
- Other faster dividers exist
  - nonrestoring dividers, nonperforming dividers, …

MIPS Division

- Use HI/LO registers for result
  - HI: 32-bit remainder
  - LO: 32-bit quotient
- Instructions
  - `div rs, rt` / `divu rs, rt`
  - Use `mfhi`, `mflo` to access result
  - No overflow or divide-by-0 checking
    - Software must perform checks if required

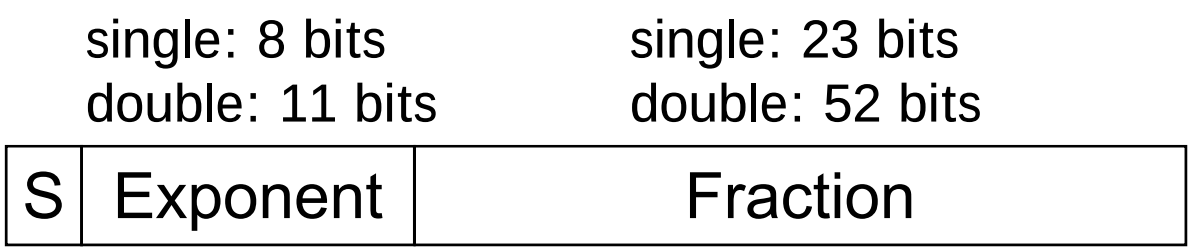
Floating Point

- Representation for non-integral numbers
  - Including very small and very large numbers
- Like scientific notation
  - -2.34×10^{56} ← normalized
  - $+0.002 \times 10^{-4}$ ← not normalized
  - $+987.02 \times 10^{9}$ ← not normalized
- In binary
  - $\pm 1.xxxxxxx_2 \times 2^{yyyy}$
- Types `float` and `double` in C

Floating Point Standard

- Defined by IEEE 754 Standard
- Developed in response to divergence of representations
  - Portability issues for scientific code
- Now almost universally adopted
  - In every computer invented since 1980
- Two representations
  - Single precision (32-bit)
  - Double precision (64-bit)
    - reduces chance of underflow and overflow

IEEE Floating-Point Format



$$x = (-1)^S \times (1 + \text{Fraction}) \times 2^{(\text{Exponent} - \text{Bias})}$$

- S: sign bit (0 ⇒ non-negative, 1 ⇒ negative)
- Normalize significand: 1.0 ≤ |significand| < 2.0
  - Always has a leading pre-binary-point 1 bit, so no need to represent it explicitly (hidden bit)
  - Significand is Fraction with the "1." restored
- Exponent: excess representation: actual exponent + Bias
  - Ensures exponent is unsigned
  - Single: Bias = 127; Double: Bias = 1203

Single-Precision Range

- Exponents 00000000 and 11111111 reserved
- Smallest value
  - Exponent: 00000001
    $\Rightarrow$ actual exponent = 1 – 127 = –126
  - Fraction: 000…00 $\Rightarrow$ significand = 1.0
  - $\pm 1.0 \times 2^{-126} \approx \pm 1.2 \times 10^{-38}$
- Largest value
  - exponent: 11111110
    $\Rightarrow$ actual exponent = 254 – 127 = +127
  - Fraction: 111…11 $\Rightarrow$ significand $\approx$ 2.0
  - $\pm 2.0 \times 2^{+127} \approx \pm 3.4 \times 10^{+38}$

Double-Precision Range

- Exponents 0000…00 and 1111…11 reserved
- Smallest value
  - Exponent: 00000000001
    ⇒ actual exponent = 1 – 1023 = –1022
  - Fraction: 000…00 ⇒ significand = 1.0
  - $\pm 1.0 \times 2^{-1022} \approx \pm 2.2 \times 10^{-308}$
- Largest value
  - Exponent: 11111111110
    ⇒ actual exponent = 2046 – 1023 = +1023
  - Fraction: 111…11 ⇒ significand ≈ 2.0
  - $\pm 2.0 \times 2^{+1023} \approx \pm 1.8 \times 10^{+308}$

Floating-Point Precision

- Relative precision
  - all fraction bits are significant
  - Single: approx 2^{-23}
    - Equivalent to $23 \times \log_{10}2 \approx 23 \times 0.3 \approx 6$ decimal digits of precision
  - Double: approx 2^{-52}
    - Equivalent to $52 \times \log_{10}2 \approx 52 \times 0.3 \approx 16$ decimal digits of precision

Single precision		Double precision		Object represented
Exponent	Fraction	Exponent	Fraction	
0	0	0	0	0
0	Nonzero	0	Nonzero	± denormalized number
1–254	Anything	1–2046	Anything	± floating-point number
255	0	2047	0	± infinity
255	Nonzero	2047	Nonzero	NaN (Not a Number)

Floating-Point Example

- Represent –0.75
  - $-0.75 = -0.11_2 = (-1)^1 \times 1.1_2 \times 2^{-1}$
  - S = 1
  - Fraction = $1000\ldots00_2$
  - Exponent = –1 + Bias
    - Single: –1 + 127 = 126 = 01111110_2
    - Double: –1 + 1023 = 1022 = 01111111110_2
- Single: 10111111101000…00
- Double: 10111111111101000…00

Floating-Point Example

- What number is represented by the single-precision float

  1100000010101000…00

  - S = 1
  - Fraction = $01000\ldots00_2$
  - Exponent = $10000001_2 = 129$

- $x = (-1)^1 \times (1 + .01_2) \times 2^{(129 - 127)}$

  $= (-1) \times 1.25 \times 2^2$

  $= -5.0$

Infinities and NaNs

- Exponent = 111...1, Fraction = 000...0
  - ±Infinity
  - Can be used in subsequent calculations, avoiding need for overflow check
- Exponent = 111...1, Fraction ≠ 000...0
  - Not-a-Number (NaN)
  - Indicates illegal or undefined result
    - e.g., 0.0 / 0.0
  - Can be used in subsequent calculations

Floating-Point Addition

- Consider a 4-digit decimal example
  - $9.999 \times 10^{1} + 1.610 \times 10^{-1}$
- 1. Align decimal points
  - Shift number with smaller exponent
  - $9.999 \times 10^{1} + 0.016 \times 10^{1}$
- 2. Add significands
  - $9.999 \times 10^{1} + 0.016 \times 10^{1} = 10.015 \times 10^{1}$
- 3. Normalize result & check for over/underflow
  - 1.0015×10^{2}
- 4. Round and renormalize if necessary
  - 1.002×10^{2}

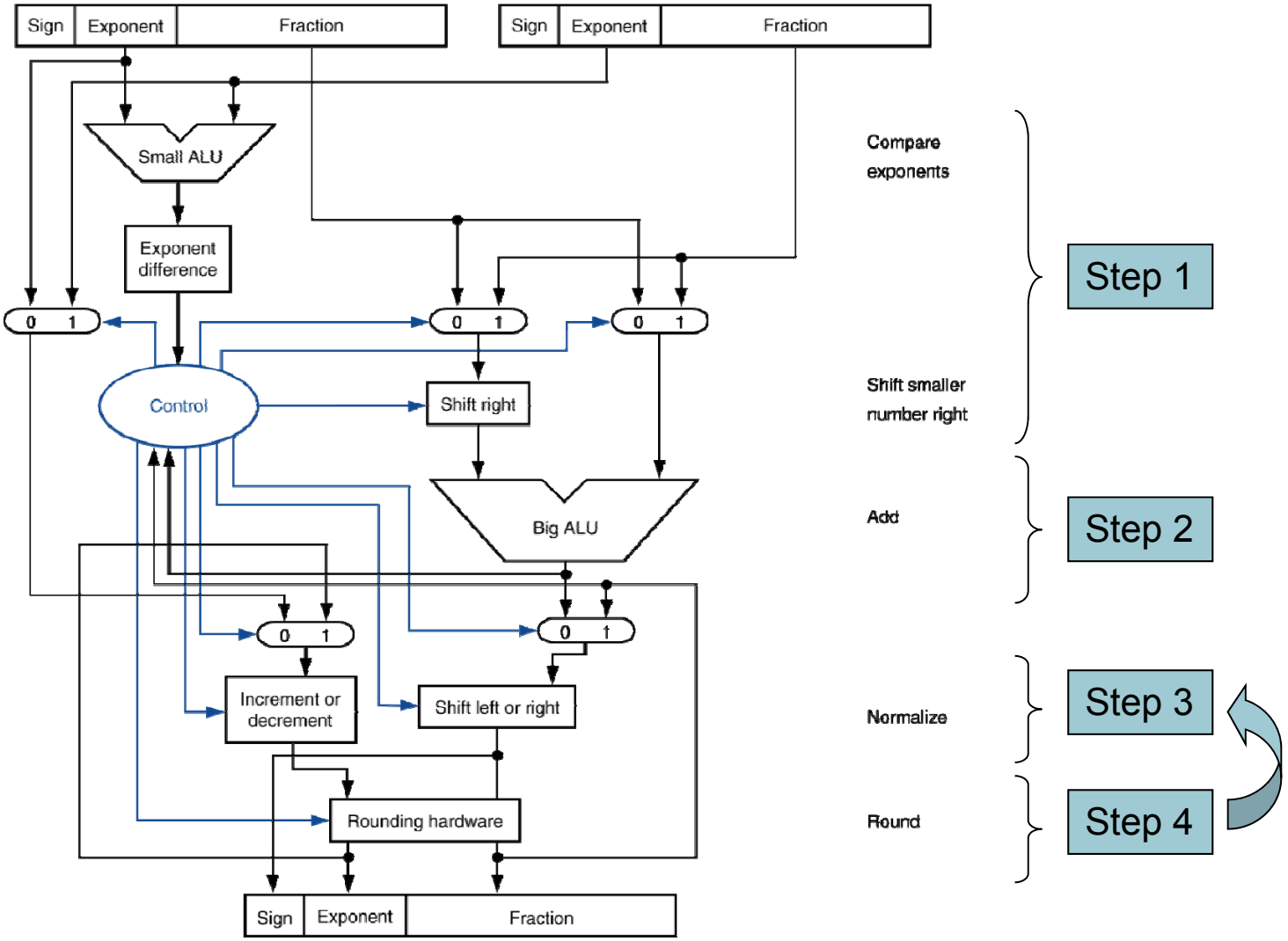
Floating-Point Addition

- Now consider a 4-digit binary example
  - $1.000_2 \times 2^{-1} + -1.110_2 \times 2^{-2}$ (0.5 + –0.4375)
- 1. Align binary points
  - Shift number with smaller exponent
  - $1.000_2 \times 2^{-1} + -0.111_2 \times 2^{-1}$
- 2. Add significands
  - $1.000_2 \times 2^{-1} + -0.111_2 \times 2^{-1} = 0.001_2 \times 2^{-1}$
- 3. Normalize result & check for over/underflow
  - $1.000_2 \times 2^{-4}$, with no over/underflow
- 4. Round and renormalize if necessary
  - $1.000_2 \times 2^{-4}$ (no change) = 0.0625

FP Adder Hardware

- Much more complex than integer adder
- Doing it in one clock cycle would take too long
  - Much longer than integer operations
  - Slower clock would penalize all instructions
- FP adder usually takes several cycles
  - Can be pipelined

FP Adder Hardware



Floating-Point Multiplication

- Consider a 4-digit decimal example
  - $1.110 \times 10^{10} \times 9.200 \times 10^{-5}$
- 1. Add exponents
  - For biased exponents, subtract bias from sum
  - New exponent = 10 + –5 = 5
- 2. Multiply significands
  - $1.110 \times 9.200 = 10.212 \Rightarrow 10.212 \times 10^{5}$
- 3. Normalize result & check for over/underflow
  - 1.0212×10^{6}
- 4. Round and renormalize if necessary
  - 1.021×10^{6}
- 5. Determine sign of result from signs of operands
  - $+1.021 \times 10^{6}$

Floating-Point Multiplication

- Now consider a 4-digit binary example
  - $1.000_2 \times 2^{-1} \times -1.110_2 \times 2^{-2}$ (0.5 × –0.4375)
- 1. Add exponents
  - Unbiased: –1 + –2 = –3
  - Biased: (–1 + 127) + (–2 + 127) = –3 + 254 – 127 = –3 + 127
- 2. Multiply significands
  - $1.000_2 \times 1.110_2 = 1.1102 \Rightarrow 1.110_2 \times 2^{-3}$
- 3. Normalize result & check for over/underflow
  - $1.110_2 \times 2^{-3}$ (no change) with no over/underflow
- 4. Round and renormalize if necessary
  - $1.110_2 \times 2^{-3}$ (no change)
- 5. Determine sign: +ve × –ve ⇒ –ve
  - $-1.110_2 \times 2^{-3} = -0.21875$

FP Arithmetic Hardware

- FP multiplier is of similar complexity to FP adder
  - But uses a multiplier for significands instead of an adder
- FP arithmetic hardware usually does
  - Addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, reciprocal, square-root
  - FP $\leftrightarrow$ integer conversion
- Operations usually takes several cycles
  - Can be pipelined

FP Instructions in MIPS

- FP hardware is coprocessor 1
  - Adjunct processor that extends the ISA
- Separate FP registers
  - 32 single-precision: $f0, $f1, … $f31
  - Paired for double-precision: $f0/$f1, $f2/$f3, …
    - Release 2 of MIPs ISA supports 32 × 64-bit FP reg's
- FP instructions operate only on FP registers
  - Programs generally don't do integer ops on FP data, or vice versa
  - More registers with minimal code-size impact
- FP load and store instructions
  - `lwc1`, `ldc1`, `swc1`, `sdc1`
    - e.g., `ldc1 $f8, 32($sp)`

FP Instructions in MIPS

- Single-precision arithmetic
  - `add.s`, `sub.s`, `mul.s`, div.s
    - e.g., `add.s $f0, $f1, $f6`
- Double-precision arithmetic
  - `add.d`, `sub.d`, `mul.d`, `div.d`
    - e.g., `mul.d $f4, $f4, $f6`
- Single- and double-precision comparison
  - `c.`*`xx`*`.s`, `c.`*`xx`*`.d` (*xx* is `eq`, `lt`, `le`, …)
  - Sets or clears FP condition-code bit
    - e.g. `c.lt.s $f3, $f4`
- Branch on FP condition code true or false
  - `bc1t`, `bc1f`
    - e.g., `bc1t TargetLabel`

FP Example: °F to °C

- C code:

```
float f2c (float fahr) {
  return ((5.0/9.0)*(fahr - 32.0));
}
```

  - `fahr` in $f12, result in $f0, literals in global memory space

- Compiled MIPS code:

```
f2c: lwc1  $f16, const5($gp)
     lwc2  $f18, const9($gp)
     div.s $f16, $f16, $f18
     lwc1  $f18, const32($gp)
     sub.s $f18, $f12, $f18
     mul.s $f0,  $f16, $f18
     jr    $ra
```

FP Example: Array Multiplication

- X = X + Y × Z
  - All 32 × 32 matrices, 64-bit double-precision elements
- C code:

```
void mm (double x[][],
         double y[][], double z[][]) {
  int i, j, k;
  for (i = 0; i! = 32; i = i + 1)
    for (j = 0; j! = 32; j = j + 1)
      for (k = 0; k! = 32; k = k + 1)
        x[i][j] = x[i][j]
                + y[i][k] * z[k][j];
}
```

  - Addresses of x, y, z in $a0, $a1, $a2, and i, j, k in $s0, $s1, $s2

FP Example: Array Multiplication

- MIPS code:

```
    li   $t1, 32        # $t1 = 32 (row size/loop end)
    li   $s0, 0         # i = 0; initialize 1st for loop
L1: li   $s1, 0         # j = 0; restart 2nd for loop
L2: li   $s2, 0         # k = 0; restart 3rd for loop
    sll  $t2, $s0, 5    # $t2 = i * 32 (size of row of x)
    addu $t2, $t2, $s1  # $t2 = i * size(row) + j
    sll  $t2, $t2, 3    # $t2 = byte offset of [i][j]
    addu $t2, $a0, $t2  # $t2 = byte address of x[i][j]
    l.d  $f4, 0($t2)    # $f4 = 8 bytes of x[i][j]
L3: sll  $t0, $s2, 5    # $t0 = k * 32 (size of row of z)
    addu $t0, $t0, $s1  # $t0 = k * size(row) + j
    sll  $t0, $t0, 3    # $t0 = byte offset of [k][j]
    addu $t0, $a2, $t0  # $t0 = byte address of z[k][j]
    l.d  $f16, 0($t0)   # $f16 = 8 bytes of z[k][j]
    …
```

FP Example: Array Multiplication

…

```
    sll  $t0, $s0, 5        # $t0 = i*32 (size of row of y)
    addu  $t0, $t0, $s2     # $t0 = i*size(row) + k
    sll   $t0, $t0, 3       # $t0 = byte offset of [i][k]
    addu  $t0, $a1, $t0     # $t0 = byte address of y[i][k]
    l.d   $f18, 0($t0)      # $f18 = 8 bytes of y[i][k]
    mul.d $f16, $f18, $f16  # $f16 = y[i][k] * z[k][j]
    add.d $f4, $f4, $f16    # f4=x[i][j] + y[i][k]*z[k][j]
    addiu $s2, $s2, 1       # $k = k + 1
    bne   $s2, $t1, L3      # if (k != 32) go to L3
    s.d   $f4, 0($t2)       # x[i][j] = $f4
    addiu $s1, $s1, 1       # $j = j + 1
    bne   $s1, $t1, L2      # if (j != 32) go to L2
    addiu $s0, $s0, 1       # $i = i + 1
    bne   $s0, $t1, L1      # if (i != 32) go to L1
```

Accurate Arithmetic

- Infinite variety of real numbers between, say, 0 and 1
  - Only 2^{53} can be represented by double precision FP
- IEEE Std 754 specifies additional rounding control
  - Extra bits of precision (guard, round, sticky)
  - guard and round bits are 2 extra bits kept on the right during intermediate additions
  - sticky bit used in rounding in addition to guard and round bits; is set whenever a 1 bit shifts right of the round bit

    F = 1 . xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx G R S
- Not all FP units implement all options
  - Most programming languages and FP libraries just use defaults
- Trade-off between hardware complexity, performance, and market requirements

Interpretation of Data

The BIG Picture

- Bits have no inherent meaning
  - Same bits can represent a variety of objects
  - Interpretation depends on the instructions applied
- Computer representations of numbers
  - Finite range and precision
  - Programmers, computer systems must minimize gap between computer arithmetic and real world arithmetic

Parallelism and Associativity

- Parallel programs may interleave operations in unexpected orders
  - Integer addition is associative
  - Assumptions of associativity for FP numbers may fail!

		(x+y)+z	x+(y+z)
x	-1.50E+38		-1.50E+38
y	1.50E+38	0.00E+00	
z	1.0	1.0	1.50E+38
		1.00E+00	0.00E+00

- Floating point numbers are approximations of real numbers – not associative!
- Need to validate parallel programs under varying degrees of parallelism

x86 FP Architecture

- Originally based on 8087 FP coprocessor
  - 8 × 80-bit extended-precision registers
  - Used as a push-down stack
  - Registers indexed from TOS: ST(0), ST(1), …
- FP values are 32-bit or 64-bit in memory
  - Converted on load/store of memory operand
  - Integer operands can also be converted on load/store

x86 FP Instructions

Data transfer	Arithmetic	Compare	Transcendental
FILD mem/ST(i) FISTP mem/ST(i) FLDPI FLD1 FLDZ	FIADDP mem/ST(i) FISUBRP mem/ST(i) FIMULP mem/ST(i) FIDIVRP mem/ST(i) FSQRT FABS FRNDINT	FICOMP FIUCOMP FSTSW AX/mem	FPATAN F2XMI FCOS FPTAN FPREM FPSIN FYL2X

- No FP branch – FSTSW sends result of CMP to INT CPU
- Optional variations
  - I: integer operand
  - P: pop operand from stack
  - R: reverse operand order
  - But not all combinations allowed

Streaming SIMD Extension 2 (SSE2)

- Adds 4 × 128-bit registers
  - Extended to 8 registers in AMD64/EM64T
- Can be used for multiple FP operands
  - 2 × 64-bit double precision
  - 4 × 32-bit single precision
  - Instructions operate on them simultaneously
    - Single-Instruction Multiple-Data

Fallacy: Right Shift and Division

- Left shift by *i* places multiplies an integer by 2^i
- Right shift divides by 2^i?
  - Only for unsigned integers!
- For signed integers
  - Logical right shift is clearly erroneous
    - e.g., –5 / 4
    - 11111011_2 >>> 2 = 00111110_2 = +62
  - Arithmetic right shift - replicate the sign bit
    - 11111011_2 >> 2 = 11111110_2 = –2
    - Result is -2 instead of -1; close, but no cigar

Who Cares About FP Accuracy?

- Important for scientific code
  - But for everyday consumer use?
    - “My bank balance is out by 0.0002¢!” ☹
- The Intel Pentium FDIV bug (~1994)
  - Bug in LUT used to guess multiple quotient bits per step; wrong values in some LUT locations
  - Cost Intel $300+ million
  - The market expects accuracy
  - See Colwell, *The Pentium Chronicles*

Summary: MIPS Instruction Set

MIPS core instructions	Name	Format	MIPS arithmetic core	Name	Format
add	add	R	multiply	mult	R
add immediate	addi	I	multiply unsigned	multu	R
add unsigned	addu	R	divide	div	R
add immediate unsigned	addiu	I	divide unsigned	divu	R
subtract	sub	R	move from Hi	mfhi	R
subtract unsigned	subu	R	move from Lo	mflo	R
AND	AND	R	move from system control (EPC)	mfc0	R
AND immediate	ANDi	I	floating-point add single	add.s	R
OR	OR	R	floating-point add double	add.d	R
OR immediate	ORi	I	floating-point subtract single	sub.s	R
NOR	NOR	R	floating-point subtract double	sub.d	R
shift left logical	sll	R	floating-point multiply single	mul.s	R
shift right logical	srl	R	floating-point multiply double	mul.d	R
load upper immediate	lui	I	floating-point divide single	div.s	R
load word	lw	I	floating-point divide double	div.d	R
store word	sw	I	load word to floating-point single	lwc1	I
load halfword unsigned	lhu	I	store word to floating-point single	swc1	I
store halfword	sh	I	load word to floating-point double	ldc1	I
load byte unsigned	lbu	I	store word to floating-point double	sdc1	I
store byte	sb	I	branch on floating-point true	bc1t	I
load linked (*atomic update*)	ll	I	branch on floating-point false	bc1f	I
store cond. (*atomic update*)	sc	I	floating-point compare single	c.x.s	R
branch on equal	beq	I	(x = eq, neq, lt, le, gt, ge)		
branch on not equal	bne	I	floating-point compare double	c.x.d	R
jump	j	J	(x = eq, neq, lt, le, gt, ge)		
jump and link	jal	J			
jump register	jr	R			
set less than	slt	R			
set less than immediate	slti	I			
set less than unsigned	sltu	R			
set less than immediate unsigned	sltiu	I			

Summary: MIPS Instruction Set

Remaining MIPS-32	Name	Format
exclusive or (*rs* ⊕ *rt*)	xor	R
exclusive or immediate	xori	I
shift right arithmetic	sra	R
shift left logical variable	sllv	R
shift right logical variable	srlv	R
shift right arithmetic variable	srav	R
move to Hi	mthi	R
move to Lo	mtlo	R
load halfword	lh	I
load byte	lb	I
load word left *(unaligned)*	lwl	I
load word right *(unaligned)*	lwr	I
store word left *(unaligned)*	swl	I
store word right *(unaligned)*	swr	I
load linked *(atomic update)*	ll	I
store cond. *(atomic update)*	sc	I
move if zero	movz	R
move if not zero	movn	R
multiply and add (S or *uns.*)	madd*s*	R
multiply and subtract (S or *uns.*)	msub*s*	I
branch on ≥ zero and link	bgezal	I
branch on < zero and link	bltzal	I
jump and link register	jalr	R
branch compare to zero	bxz	I
branch compare to zero likely	bxzl	I
(x = lt, le, gt, ge)		
branch compare reg likely	bxl	I
trap if compare reg	tx	R
trap if compare immediate	txi	I
(x = eq, neq, lt, le, gt, ge)		
return from exception	rfe	R
system call	syscall	I
break *(cause exception)*	break	I
move from FP to integer	mfc1	R
move to FP from integer	mtc1	R
FP move (*s* or *d*)	mov.*f*	R
FP move if zero (*s* or *d*)	movz.*f*	R
FP move if not zero (*s* or *d*)	movn.*f*	R
FP square root (*s* or *d*)	sqrt.*f*	R
FP absolute value (*s* or *d*)	abs.*f*	R
FP negate (*s* or *d*)	neg.*f*	R
FP convert (*w*, *s*, or *d*)	cvt.*f*.*f*	R
FP compare un (*s* or *d*)	c.xn.*f*	R

Pseudo MIPS	Name	Format
absolute value	abs	rd,rs
negate *(signed or unsigned)*	neg*s*	rd,rs
rotate left	rol	rd,rs,rt
rotate right	ror	rd,rs,rt
multiply and don't check oflw *(signed or uns.)*	mul*s*	rd,rs,rt
multiply and check oflw *(signed or uns.)*	mulo*s*	rd,rs,rt
divide and check overflow	div	rd,rs,rt
divide and don't check overflow	divu	rd,rs,rt
remainder *(signed or unsigned)*	rem*s*	rd,rs,rt
load immediate	li	rd,imm
load address	la	rd,addr
load double	ld	rd,addr
store double	sd	rd,addr
unaligned load word	ulw	rd,addr
unaligned store word	usw	rd,addr
unaligned load halfword *(signed or uns.)*	ulh*s*	rd,addr
unaligned store halfword	ush	rd,addr
branch	b	Label
branch on equal zero	beqz	rs,L
branch on compare *(signed or unsigned)*	bx*s*	rs,rt,L
(x = lt, le, gt, ge)		
set equal	seq	rd,rs,rt
set not equal	sne	rd,rs,rt
set on compare *(signed or unsigned)*	sx*s*	rd,rs,rt
(x = lt, le, gt, ge)		
load to floating point (*s* or *d*)	l.*f*	rd,addr
store from floating point (*s* or *d*)	s.*f*	rd,addr

Frequency of Common MIPS Instructions

- Only included those with >3% (table 1) and >1% (table 2)

MIPS core	SPECint	SPECfp
addu	5.2%	3.5%
addiu	9.0%	7.2%
or	4.0%	1.2%
sll	4.4%	1.9%
lui	3.3%	0.5%
lw	18.6%	5.8%
sw	7.6%	2.0%
lbu	3.7%	0.1%
beq	8.6%	2.2%
bne	8.4%	1.4%
slt	9.9%	2.3%
slti	3.1%	0.3%
sltu	3.4%	0.8%

Arith core + MIPS-32	SPECint	SPECfp
add.d	0.0%	10.6%
sub.d	0.0%	4.9%
mul.d	0.0%	15.0%
add.s	0.0%	1.5%
sub.s	0.0%	1.8%
mul.s	0.0%	2.4%
l.d	0.0%	17.5%
s.d	0.0%	4.9%
l.s	0.0%	4.2%
s.s	0.0%	1.1%
lhu	1.3%	0.0%

Concluding Remarks

- ISAs support arithmetic
  - Signed and unsigned integers
  - Floating-point approximation for reals
- Bounded range and precision
  - Operations can overflow and underflow
- MIPS ISA
  - MIPS core and arithmetic core instructions: 54 most frequently used
    - 100% of SPECINT, 97% of SPECFP
  - Other instructions: less frequent