

DUE IN CLASS

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2.1 Simple execution, without data forwarding techniques

e)	Clock cycles	98	Instructions	7	Average CPI	2.571
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f)	Clock cycles	174	Stalls: - Data	101
	Instructions	61	- Structural	0
	Average CPI	2.852	- Branch Taken	8

- g) Na execução do programa, pode-se observar que ocorrem 8 Branch Taken stalls, num total de 9 ciclos executados; após cada instrução "bne", a instrução seguinte começa a ser executada mas não termina; logo, é flushed uma vez que a branch prediction foi incorreta. Logo, a branch prediction policy adotada pelo simulador é, então Predict not taken, o que provoca com que ocorram consistentemente stalls do pipeline uma vez que o branch é, na verdade, taken.

2.2 Application of data forwarding techniques

c)	Clock cycles	136	Stalls: - Data	63
	Instructions	61	- Structural	9
	Average CPI	2.230	- Branch Taken	8

d)

$$\text{speedup} = \frac{t_{\text{antigo}}}{t_{\text{novo}}} = \frac{\# \text{ ciclos antigo} \times t_{\text{cycle}}}{\# \text{ ciclos novo} \times t_{\text{cycle}}} = \frac{174}{136} \approx 1.279$$

2.3 Source code optimization: minimization of data and structural hazards

- a) Attach a copy of the new assembly program.

c)	Clock cycles	118	Stalls: - Data	36
	Instructions	61	- Structural	9
	Average CPI	1.934	- Branch Taken	8

d)

$$\text{speedup} = \frac{t_{\text{antigo}}}{t_{\text{novo}}} = \frac{\# \text{ cycles}_{\text{antigo}} \times t_{\text{cycle}}}{\# \text{ cycles}_{\text{novo}} \times t_{\text{cycle}}} = \frac{174}{148} \approx 1.475$$

2.4 Source code optimization: loop unrolling

a) Attach a copy of the new assembly program.

c)

Clock cycles	91
Instructions	49
Average CPI	1.857

Stalls: - Data	51
- Structural	9
- Branch Taken	2

d)

$$\text{speedup} = \frac{t_{\text{antigo}}}{t_{\text{novo}}} = \frac{\# \text{ cycles}_{\text{antigo}} \times t_{\text{cycle}}}{\# \text{ cycles}_{\text{novo}} \times t_{\text{cycle}}} = \frac{174}{91} \approx 1.912$$

2.5 Source code optimization: branch delay slot

a) Attach a copy of the new assembly program.

d)

Clock cycles	101
Instructions	61
Average CPI	1.656

Stalls: - Data	27
- Structural	9
- Branch Taken	0

e)

$$\text{speedup} = \frac{t_{\text{antigo}}}{t_{\text{novo}}} = \frac{\# \text{ cycles}_{\text{antigo}} \times t_{\text{cycle}}}{\# \text{ cycles}_{\text{novo}} \times t_{\text{cycle}}} = \frac{174}{101} \approx 1.723$$

Table 1: Pipeline time diagram, with data forwarding techniques.

	INSTRUCTIONS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40		
1	lw \$12, 0(\$1)	F	D	X	M	W																																					
2	dmul \$12, \$12, \$9		F	D	M ₀	R	M ₁	M ₂	M ₃	M ₄	M ₅	M ₆	M	W																													
3	add \$9, \$9, \$12			F	D	R	X	R	R	R	R	A	S	M	W																												
4	addi \$5, \$5, 1				F	F	D	D	D	D	D	D	D	X	M	W																											
5	addi \$1, \$1, 8						F	F	F	F	F	F	F	D	X	M	W																										
6	bne \$6, \$5, loop													F	D	X	M	W																									
7	sw \$9, mult(\$0)														F																												
8	lw \$12, 0(\$1)															F																											
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Table 2: Pipeline time diagram, with minimization techniques to reduce the data and structural hazards.

	INSTRUCTIONS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	
1	lw \$12, 0(\$1)	F	D	X	M	W																																				
2	addi \$5, \$5, 1		F	D	X	M	W																																			
3	mul \$12, \$12, \$9			F	D	M ₀	M ₁	M ₂	M ₃	M ₄	M ₅	M ₆	M	W																												
4	addi \$1, \$1, 8				F	D	X	M	W																																	
5	add \$9, \$9, \$12					F	D	X	R	R	R	R	S	M	W																											
6	bne \$6, \$5, loop						F	D	D	D	D	D	D	X	M	W																										
7	sw \$9, mult(\$0)							F	F	F	F	F	F																													
8	lw \$12, 0(\$1)													F																												
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Table 4: Pipeline time diagram: usage of branch delay slot techniques to reduce the control hazards.

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Table 5: Pipeline time diagram, without data forwarding techniques.

	INSTRUCTIONS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
1	lw \$12, 0(\$1)	F	D	X	M	W																																			
2	mul \$12, \$12, \$9		F	D	R	R	M ₀	M ₁	M ₂	M ₃	M ₄	M ₅	M ₆	M	W																										
3	add \$9, \$9, \$12			F	F	F	D	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	R	X	M	W																							
4	addi \$5, \$5, 1						F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	D	X	M	W																						
5	addi \$1, \$1, 8															F	D	X	M	W																					
6	bne \$6, \$5, loop															F	D	R	X	M	W																				
7	sw \$9, mult(\$0)																F	F																							
8	lw \$12, 0(\$1)																			F																					
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Code for exercise 2.3:

```
1      .data
2  A:      .word    1, 3, 1, 6, 4
3          .word    2, 4, 3, 9, 5
4  mult:   .word    0
5
6      .code
7  daddi    $1, $0, A      ; *A[0]
8  daddi    $5, $0, 1      ; $5 = 1 ;; i
9  daddi    $6, $0, 10     ; $6 = N ;; N = 10
10 lw      $9, 0($1)      ; $9 = A[0] ;; mult
11 daddi    $1, $1, 8      ;
12
13 loop:   lw      $12, 0($1) ; $12 = A[i]
14         daddi    $5, $5, 1 ; i++
15         dmul     $12, $12, $9 ; $12 = $12*$9 ;; $12 = A[i]*mult
16         daddi    $1, $1, 8 ; moves to next A element
17         dadd     $9, $9, $12 ; $9 = $9 + $12 ;; mult = mult + A[i]*mult
18         bne     $6, $5, loop ; Exit loop if i == N
19
20         sw      $9, mult($0) ; Store result
21         halt
22
23 ;; Expected result: mult = f6180 (hex), 1008000 (dec)
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Code for exercise 2.4:

```
1      .data
2  A:      .word    1, 3, 1, 6, 4
3          .word    2, 4, 3, 9, 5
4  mult:   .word    0
5
6      .code
7  daddi    $1, $0, A      ; $1 = &A[0]
8  daddi    $5, $0, 1      ; $5 = i (começa a 1 e vai até 4, para o loop correr 3x)
9  daddi    $6, $0, 4      ; $6 = N (para comparar no bne)
10 lw      $9, 0($1)      ; $9 = A[0] (mult)
11 lw      $12, 8($1)     ; $12 = A[1]
12 lw      $13, 16($1)    ; $13 = A[2]
13 lw      $14, 24($1)    ; $14 = A[3]
14 daddi    $1, $1, 8      ; $1 = &A[1] ( )
15
16 loop:
17  dmul     $16, $12, $9   ; $16 = A[i]*mult
18  daddi    $1, $1, 8      ; avança 1 elemento de A (fica em &A[i+1])
19  lw      $12, 16($1)    ; $12 = A[i+3]
20  dadd     $9, $9, $16     ; mult = mult + A[i+1]*mult
21
22  dmul     $17, $13, $9   ; $16 = A[i+1]*mult
23  daddi    $1, $1, 16     ; Avança 2 elementos de A (fica em &A[i+3])
24  lw      $13, 8($1)     ; $12 = A[i+4]
25  dadd     $9, $9, $17     ; mult = mult + A[i+1]*mult
26
27  dmul     $18, $14, $9   ; $16 = A[i+2]*mult
28  daddi    $5, $5, 1      ; i+=1
29  lw      $14, 16($1)    ; $12 = A[i+5]
30  dadd     $9, $9, $18     ; mult = mult + A[i+2]*mult
31
32  bne      $6, $5, loop   ; Exit loop if index == N ;; 1ª e 2ª iter bne checks (2 stalls), 3ª iter bne falha -> guarda valor
33
34  sw      $9, mult($0)    ; Store result
35  halt
36
37 ;; Expected result: mult = f6180 (hex), 1008000 (dec)
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Code for exercise 2.5:

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1      .data
2  A:      .word  1, 3, 1, 6, 4
3          .word  2, 4, 3, 9, 5
4  mult:   .word  0
5
6          .code
7  daddi    $1, $0, A      ; *A[0]
8  daddi    $5, $0, 1      ; $5 = 1 ;; i
9  daddi    $6, $0, 10     ; $6 = N ;; N = 10
10 lw      $9, 0($1)      ; $9 = A[0] ;; mult
11 daddi    $1, $1, 8      ;
12
13 loop:   lw      $12, 0($1) ; $12 = A[i]
14         daddi    $1, $1, 8 ;
15         dmul     $12, $12, $9 ; $12 = $12*$9 ;; $12 = A[i]*mult
16         daddi    $5, $5, 1 ; i++
17         bne     $6, $5, loop ; Exit loop if i == N
18         dadd     $9, $9, $12 ; $9 = $9 + $12 ;; mult = mult + A[i]*mult
19
20         sw      $9, mult($0) ; Store result
21         halt
22
23 ;; Expected result: mult = f6180 (hex), 1008000 (dec)
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