Digital Design Lab Report

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1 Arithmetic logic unit (ALU)

Write, as a SystemVerilog module with the name alu, a behavioural description of an arithmetic logic unit. The data inputs, SrcA and SrcB, and the data output, ALUResult, are 8-bit vectors. The ALUControl input is a 2-bit vector.

The 1-bit output flag Zero = 1 if ALUResult == 0, else Zero = 0. The ALU carries out bitwise logical operations, and addition and subtraction operations, as specified in the table below.

1.1 Module Code

The simulation result using Icarus Verilog is as following:

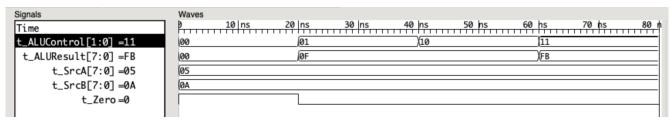
```
VCD info: dumpfile alu_tb.vcd opened for output.

t_ALUControl = 00 t_SrcA = 05 t_SrcB = 0a t_ALUResult = 00000000 t_Zero = 1

t_ALUControl = 01 t_SrcA = 05 t_SrcB = 0a t_ALUResult = 00001111 t_Zero = 0

t_ALUControl = 10 t_SrcA = 05 t_SrcB = 0a t_ALUResult = 00001111 t_Zero = 0

t_ALUControl = 11 t_SrcA = 05 t_SrcB = 0a t_ALUResult = 11111011 t_Zero = 0
```



2 Register File

The register file has sixteen 8-bit registers. The register with address 0 always contains the value 0. The other 15 registers can have values written into them through the WD3 port.

The contents of any two of the registers (with addresses specified by the 4-bit inputs RA1 and RA) are continuously output as RD1 and RD2. On the positive edge of the clock, if write_enable is asserted, and A3 $\stackrel{.}{,}$ 0, the input ALUResult is written into the register at address A3 through the WD3 port. The module includes an output port cpu_out, which continuously outputs the contents of the register at address 15. This will form the main external output of the microprocessor.

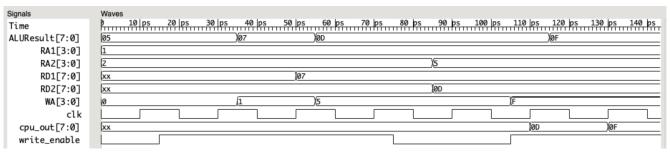
2.1 Module Code

```
module reg_file(input logic [3:0] RA1, RA2, WA,
              input logic [7:0] ALUResult,
              input logic clk, write_enable,
              output logic [7:0] RD1, RD2, cpu_out);
logic [7:0] rf [0:15];
assign RD1 = rf[RA1];
assign RD2 = rf[RA2];
assign cpu_out = rf[15];
// register with adress 0 always 0
initial begin
rf[4'b0] = 8'b0;
end
always_ff @(posedge clk)
if (write_enable && WA > 0)
rf[WA] <= ALUResult;
endmodule
```

```
`timescale 1ps/1ps
`include "reg_file.sv"
module reg_file_tb;
logic [3:0] RA1, RA2, WA;
logic clk, write_enable;
logic [7:0] ALUResult, RD1, RD2, cpu_out;
reg_file dut (RA1, RA2, WA, ALUResult, clk, write_enable, RD1, RD2, cpu_out);
initial begin // Generate clock signal with 20 ns period
   clk = 0;
   forever #10 clk = ~clk;
end
initial begin // Apply stimulus
   $dumpfile("reg_file_tb.vcd");
   $dumpvars(0, reg_file_tb);
   RA1 = 1; RA2 = 2; WA = 0; ALUResult = 5; write_enable = 0;
   #15 write_enable = 1;
   #20 WA = 1; ALUResult = 7;
   #20 WA = 5; ALUResult = 13;
   #20 write_enable = 0;
   #10 RA2 = 5;
```

The simulation results using Icarus Verilog is as below:

```
0, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 2 WA = 0 ALUResult =
                                                                                         x cpu_out =
                                              5 clk = 0 write_enable = 0 RD1 =
                                                                               x RD2 =
t = 10, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 2 WA = 0 ALUResult = 5 clk = 1 write_enable = 0 RD1 =
                                                                                x RD2 =
                                                                                         x cpu_out =
    15, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 2 WA = 0 ALUResult =
                                              5 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
                                                                                x RD2 =
                                                                                         x cpu_out =
    20, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 2 WA = 0 ALUResult =
                                              5 clk = 0 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
                                                                                x RD2 =
                                                                                         x cpu out =
    30, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 2 WA = 0 ALUResult =
                                              5 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
                                                                                x RD2 =
                                                                                         x cpu_out =
    35, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 2 WA = 1 ALUResult =
                                             7 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
                                                                                x RD2 =
                                                                                         x cpu_out =
t = 40, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 2 WA = 1 ALUResult = 7 clk = 0 write_enable = 1 RD1 = 1
                                                                                x RD2 =
                                                                                         x cpu_out =
    50, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 2 WA = 1 ALUResult =
                                             7 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 =
                                                                                         x cpu_out =
    55, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 2 WA = 5 ALUResult = 13 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 =
t = 60, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 2 WA = 5 ALUResult = 13 clk = 0 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 =
                                                                                         x cpu_out =
t = 70, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 2 WA = 5 ALUResult = 13 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 =
                                                                                         x cpu_out =
t = 75, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 2 WA = 5 ALUResult = 13 clk = 1 write_enable = 0 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 =
                                                                                         x cpu_out =
t = 80, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 2 WA = 5 ALUResult = 13 clk = 0 write_enable = 0 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 =
                                                                                         x cpu_out =
t = 85, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 5 WA = 5 ALUResult = 13 clk = 0 write_enable = 0 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 =
                                                                                        13 cpu_out =
t = 90, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 5 WA = 5 ALUResult = 13 clk = 1 write_enable = 0 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 = 13 cpu_out =
t = 100, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 5 WA = 5 ALUResult = 13 clk = 0 write_enable = 0 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 = 13 cpu_out =
t = 105, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 5 WA = 15 ALUResult = 13 clk = 0 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 = 13 cpu_out =
t = 110, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 5 WA = 15 ALUResult = 13 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 = 13 cpu_out =
                                                                                                      13
t = 115, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 5 WA = 15 ALUResult = 15 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 = 13 cpu_out =
t = 120, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 5 WA = 15 ALUResult = 15 clk = 0 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 = 13 cpu_out = 13
t = 130, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 5 WA = 15 ALUResult = 15 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
                                                                                7 RD2 = 13 cpu_out = 15
                                                                                7 RD2 = 13 cpu_out = 15
t = 140, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 5 WA = 15 ALUResult = 15 clk = 0 write_enable = 1 RD1 =
```



3 Combining the ALU and register file

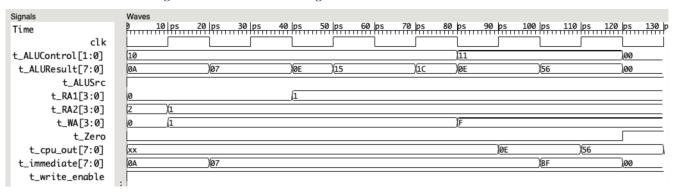
Write a SystemVerilog module with the name reg_file_alu, implementing the combined ALU and register file as shown above. Include a 2-to-1 multiplexer, which selects either the RD2 output from the register file, or an external input (immediate) to be input to the ALU input port SrcB.

3.1 Module Code

```
`timescale 1ps/1ps
`include "reg_file_alu.sv"
module reg_file_alu_tb;
logic [3:0] t_RA1, t_RA2, t_WA;
logic [7:0] t_immediate, t_ALUResult, t_cpu_out;
logic [1:0] t_ALUControl;
logic t_write_enable, t_ALUSrc, clk, t_Zero;
reg_file_alu dut (t_RA1, t_RA2, t_WA, t_immediate, t_ALUControl, t_write_enable, t_ALUSrc, clk,
              t_ALUResult, t_cpu_out, t_Zero);
initial begin
   clk = 0;
   forever #10 clk = ~clk;
end
initial begin // Apply stimulus
   $dumpfile("reg_file_alu_tb.vcd");
   $dumpvars(0, reg_file_alu_tb);
   t_RA1 = 4'h0; t_RA2 = 4'h2; t_WA = 4'h0; t_immediate = 8'h0A;
   t_ALUSrc = 1; t_ALUControl = 2'b10; t_write_enable = 1;
   #10 t_RA2 = 4'h1; t_WA = 4'h1;
   #10 t_immediate = 8'h07;
   #20 t_RA1 = 4'h1; t_WA = 4'h1;
   #40 t_ALUControl = 2'b11; t_WA = 4'hF;
   #20 t_immediate = 8'b10111111;
   #20 t_immediate = 8'h0; t_ALUControl = 2'b00;
   #10
```

The simulation result using Icarus Verilog is as following:

```
VCD info: dumpfile reg_file_alu_tb.vcd opened for output.
     0, RA1 = 0 RA2 = 2 WA = 0 Immediate = 10 clk = 0 write_enable = 1 alusRC = 1 alucontrol = 2 aluresult = 10 cpu_out =
    10, RA1 = 0 RA2 = 1 WA = 1 Immediate = 10 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 alusRC = 1 aluscontrol = 2 aluresult =
                                                                                                                   10 cpu_out =
                                                                                                                                  x zero = 0
    20, RA1 = 0 RA2 =
                        1 WA =
                               1 Immediate =
                                                7 clk = 0 write_enable = 1 alusRC = 1 alucontrol = 2 aluresult =
                                                                                                                   7 cpu out =
                                                                                                                                  x zero = 0
    30, RA1 = 0 RA2 = 1 WA = 1 Immediate =
                                                7 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 alusRC = 1 alucontrol = 2 aluresult =
                                                                                                                                  x zero = 0
                                                                                                                    7 cpu out =
              1 RA2 =
    40, RA1 =
                        1 WA =
                               1 Immediate =
                                                7 clk = 0 write_enable = 1 alusRC = 1 alucontrol = 2 aluresult =
                                                                                                                   14 cpu_out =
                                                                                                                                  x zero = 0
    50, RA1 = 1 RA2 =
                        1 WA = 1 Immediate =
                                                7 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 alusRC = 1 alucontrol = 2 aluresult =
                                                                                                                  21 cpu_out =
                                                                                                                                  x zero = 0
               1 RA2 =
    60, RA1 =
                               1 Immediate =
                                                7 clk = 0 write_enable = 1 alusRC = 1 alucontrol = 2 aluresult =
                        1 WA =
                                                                                                                   21 cpu_out =
                                                                                                                                  x zero = 0
t = 70, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 1 WA = 1 Immediate =
                                                7 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 alusRC = 1 alucontrol = 2 aluresult =
                                                                                                                   28 cpu_out =
                                                                                                                                  x zero = 0
   80. RA1 =
               1 RA2 =
                        1 WA = 15 Immediate =
                                                7 clk = 0 write enable = 1 alusRC = 1 alucontrol = 3 aluresult =
                                                                                                                  14 cpu_out =
                                                                                                                                  x zero = 0
                                                7 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 alusRC = 1 alucontrol = 3 aluresult =
t = 90, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 1 WA = 15 Immediate =
                                                                                                                   14 cpu_out =
                                                                                                                                 14 \text{ zero} = 0
t = 100. RA1 =
              1 RA2 = 1 WA = 15 Immediate = 191 clk = 0 write_enable = 1 alusRC = 1 alucontrol = 3 aluresult =
                                                                                                                  86 cpu_out =
                                                                                                                                 14 \text{ zero} = 0
t = 110, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 1 WA = 15 Immediate = 191 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 alusRC = 1 alucontrol = 3 aluresult =
                                                                                                                  86 cpu_out =
                                                                                                                                 86 \text{ zero} = 0
t = 120, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 1 WA = 15 Immediate = 0 clk = 0 write_enable = 1 alusRC = 1 alucontrol = 0 aluresult =
                                                                                                                   0 cpu_out =
                                                                                                                                 86 \text{ zero} = 1
                                                0 clk = 1 write_enable = 1 alusRC = 1 alucontrol = 0 aluresult =
t = 130, RA1 = 1 RA2 = 1 WA = 15 Immediate =
                                                                                                                   0 cpu_out =
                                                                                                                                 0 \text{ zero} = 1
```



4 Instruction memory

4.1 Module Code

4.2 Text File

```
This is the content of the text file named "program.txt": 610001
```

620020 6F0000

701207

211100

6FF001

700003

700007

```
`timescale 1ns/1ps
`include "instruction_memory.sv"
module instruction_memory_tb;
logic [7:0] t_PC;
logic [23:0] t_Instr;
instruction_memory dut (t_PC, t_Instr);
initial begin
   $dumpfile("instruction_memory_tb.vcd");
   $dumpvars(0, instruction_memory_tb);
   // Stimulus generator
   t_PC = 8'h00;
   #10 t_PC = 8'h01;
   #10 t_PC = 8'h02;
   #10 t_PC = 8'h03;
   #10 t_PC = 8'h04;
   #10 t_PC = 8'h05;
   #10 t_PC = 8'h06;
   #10 t_PC = 8'h07;
end
initial begin // Response monitor
   $monitor ("t_PC = %h t_Instr = %h", t_PC, t_Instr);
end
endmodule
```

The simulation result using Icarus Verilog is as following:

```
t_PC = 00 t_Instr = 610001
t_PC = 01 t_Instr = 620020
t_PC = 02 t_Instr = 6f0000
t_PC = 03 t_Instr = 701207
t_PC = 04 t_Instr = 211100
t_PC = 05 t_Instr = 6ff001
t_PC = 06 t_Instr = 700003
t_PC = 07 t_Instr = 700007
```

5 Program Counter

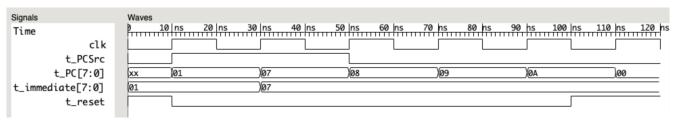
Implement the 8-bit program counter shown above, as a SystemVerilog module with the name pc. The register should be updated on the positive edges of the clock, and have an active high reset. The 2-to-1 multiplexer selects the next value of PC as either PC+1 (the next instruction in the program will be fetched) or the input immediate (the program branches to an instruction elsewhere).

5.1 Module Code

```
`timescale 1ns/1ps
`include "pc.sv"
module pc_tb;
logic [7:0] t_PC, t_immediate;
logic t_PCSrc, clk, t_reset;
pc pc(t_immediate, t_PCSrc, clk, t_reset, t_PC);
initial begin
   clk = 0;
   forever #10 clk = ~clk;
end
initial begin
   $dumpfile("pc_tb.vcd");
   $dumpvars(0, pc_tb);
   // Stimulus generator
   t_reset = 1; t_PCSrc = 0; t_immediate = 8'b01;
   #10 t_reset = 0; t_PCSrc = 1;
   #20 t_immediate = 8'b111;
   #20 t_PCSrc = 0;
   #50 t_reset = 1;
end
initial begin // Response monitor
   $monitor ("t = %3d clk = %d, t_immediate = %b t_PCSrc = %b t_reset = %d t_PC = %d", $time, clk,
        t_immediate, t_PCSrc, t_reset, t_PC);
   #120;
   $finish;
end
endmodule
```

The simulation result using Icarus Verilog is as following:

```
0 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000001 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 1 t_PC =
     10 clk = 1, t_immediate = 00000001 t_PCSrc = 1 t_reset = 0 t_PC =
    20 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000001 t_PCSrc = 1 t_reset = 0 t_PC =
                                                                         1
    30 clk = 1, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 1 t_reset = 0 t_PC =
                                                                         7
   40 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 1 t_reset = 0 t_PC =
    50 clk = 1, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 0 t_PC =
    60 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 0 t_PC =
                                                                         8
t = 70 clk = 1, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 0 t_PC =
t = 80 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 0 t_PC =
t = 90 clk = 1, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 0 t_PC =
                                                                        10
t = 100 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 1 t_PC =
                                                                        10
t = 110 clk = 1, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 1 t_PC =
t = 120 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 1 t_PC =
```



6 Combining the ROM with program counter

6.1 Module Code

```
`timescale 1ps/1ps
`include "instruction_memory_pc.sv"
module instruction_memory_pc_tb;
logic [7:0] t_immediate;
logic t_PCSrc, clk, t_reset;
logic [23:0] t_Instr;
instruction_memory_pc dut(t_immediate, t_PCSrc, clk, t_reset, t_Instr);
initial begin
   clk = 0;
   forever #10 clk = ~clk;
end
initial begin
   $dumpfile("instruction_memory_pc_tb.vcd");
   $dumpvars(0, instruction_memory_pc_tb);
   // Stimulus generator
   t_reset = 1; t_PCSrc = 0; t_immediate = 8'b01;
   #10 t_reset = 0; t_PCSrc = 1;
   #20 t_immediate = 8'b101;
   #20 t_PCSrc = 0; t_reset = 1;
   #20 t_reset = 0;
   #20 t_immediate = 8'b111;
   #20 t_PCSrc = 1;
end
initial begin // Response monitor
   $monitor ("t = %3d clk = %d, t_immediate = %b t_PCSrc = %b t_reset = %d t_Instr = %h", $time, clk,
       t_immediate, t_PCSrc, t_reset, t_Instr);
   #120;
   $finish;
end
endmodule
```

The simulation result using Icarus Verilog is as following: (t_pc is temperarily outputted as an output to check the working of the system)

```
t = 0 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000001 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 1 t_Instr = xxxxxx t_pc = xx t = 10 clk = 1, t_immediate = 00000001 t_PCSrc = 1 t_reset = 0 t_Instr = 620020 t_pc = 01 t = 20 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000001 t_PCSrc = 1 t_reset = 0 t_Instr = 620020 t_pc = 01 t = 30 clk = 1, t_immediate = 00000101 t_PCSrc = 1 t_reset = 0 t_Instr = 6ff001 t_pc = 05 t = 40 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000101 t_PCSrc = 1 t_reset = 0 t_Instr = 6ff001 t_pc = 05 t = 50 clk = 1, t_immediate = 00000101 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 1 t_Instr = 610001 t_pc = 00 t = 60 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000101 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 1 t_Instr = 610001 t_pc = 00 t = 70 clk = 1, t_immediate = 00000101 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 0 t_Instr = 620020 t_pc = 01 t = 80 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000101 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 0 t_Instr = 620020 t_pc = 01 t = 90 clk = 1, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 0 t_Instr = 660000 t_pc = 02 t = 100 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 0 t_reset = 0 t_Instr = 660000 t_pc = 02 t = 110 clk = 1, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 1 t_reset = 0 t_Instr = 700007 t_pc = 07 t = 120 clk = 0, t_immediate = 00000111 t_PCSrc = 1 t_reset = 0 t_Instr = 700007 t_pc = 07
```

7 Control Unit

7.1 Module Code

```
module control_unit (input logic[3:0] opcode,
                      output logic Branch, ALUSrc, RegWrite,
                      output logic[1:0]ALUControl);
always_comb
case (opcode)
   4'b0000 : begin
       RegWrite = 1; ALUSrc = 0; ALUControl = 2'b00; Branch = 0;
   4'b0001 : begin
       RegWrite = 1; ALUSrc = 0; ALUControl = 2'b01; Branch = 0;
   end
   4'b0010 : begin
       RegWrite = 1; ALUSrc = 0; ALUControl = 2'b10; Branch = 0;
   4'b0011 : begin
       RegWrite = 1; ALUSrc = 0; ALUControl = 2'b11; Branch = 0;
   4'b0100 : begin
       RegWrite = 1; ALUSrc = 1; ALUControl = 2'b00; Branch = 0;
   end
   4'b0101 : begin
       RegWrite = 1; ALUSrc = 1; ALUControl = 2'b01; Branch = 0;
   end
   4'b0110 : begin
       RegWrite = 1; ALUSrc = 1; ALUControl = 2'b10; Branch = 0;
   end
   4'b0111 : begin
       RegWrite = 0; ALUSrc = 0; ALUControl = 2'b11; Branch = 1;
   end
endcase
endmodule
```

```
`timescale 1ps/1ps
`include "control_unit.sv"
module control_unit_tb;
logic[3:0] t_opcode;
logic t_Branch, t_ALUSrc, t_RegWrite;
logic [1:0] t_ALUControl;
control_unit dut (t_opcode, t_Branch, t_ALUSrc, t_RegWrite, t_ALUControl);
initial begin
   $dumpfile("control_unit_tb.vcd");
   $dumpvars(0, control_unit_tb);
   // Stimulus generator
   t_{opcode} = 4'b0000;
   #20 t_opcode = 4'b0001;
   #20 t_opcode = 4'b0010;
   #20 t_opcode = 4'b0011;
   #20 t_opcode = 4'b0100;
   #20 t_opcode = 4'b0101;
   #20 t_opcode = 4'b0110;
```

The simulation result using Icarus Verilog is as following:

```
t = 0 t_opcode = 0000, t_RegWrite = 1, t_ALUSrc = 0, ALUControl = 00, Branch = 0
t = 20 t_opcode = 0001, t_RegWrite = 1, t_ALUSrc = 0, ALUControl = 01, Branch = 0
t = 40 t_opcode = 0010, t_RegWrite = 1, t_ALUSrc = 0, ALUControl = 10, Branch = 0
t = 60 t_opcode = 0011, t_RegWrite = 1, t_ALUSrc = 0, ALUControl = 11, Branch = 0
t = 80 t_opcode = 0100, t_RegWrite = 1, t_ALUSrc = 1, ALUControl = 00, Branch = 0
t = 100 t_opcode = 0101, t_RegWrite = 1, t_ALUSrc = 1, ALUControl = 01, Branch = 0
t = 120 t_opcode = 0110, t_RegWrite = 1, t_ALUSrc = 1, ALUControl = 10, Branch = 0
t = 140 t_opcode = 0111, t_RegWrite = 0, t_ALUSrc = 0, ALUControl = 11, Branch = 1
```