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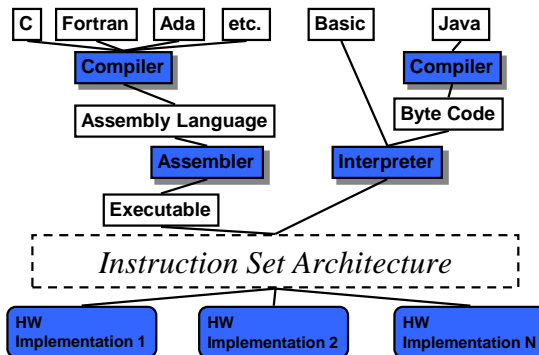
Advanced Computer Architecture

Instruction Set Architecture

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Instruction Set

- **Instruction:** Language of the machine
- **Instruction set:** Vocabulary of the language (Collection of instructions that are understood by a CPU)
 - lda, sta, brp, jmp, nop, ...
- Machine Code
 - machine readable
 - Binary(example: 1000110010100000)
- Usually represented by assembly codes
 - Human readable
 - Example: adding a number entered from keyboard and a number in memory location 40

0	in	
1	sta	30
2	add	40
3	sta	50
4	hlt	

Instruction Types

- Data processing
 - ADD, SUB
- Data storage (main memory)
 - STA
- Data movement (I/O)
 - IN, OUT, LDA
- Program flow control
 - BRZ

Elements of an Instruction

- Operation code (Op-code)
 - Do this
 - Example: ADD 30
- Source Operand reference
 - To this
 - Example: LDA 50
- Result Operand reference
 - Put the result here
 - Example: STA 60
- Next Instruction Reference
 - When you have done that, do this...
 - PC points to the next instruction

Source and Result Operands

- Source and Result Operands can be in one of the following areas:
 - Main memory
 - Virtual memory
 - Cache
 - CPU register
 - I/O device

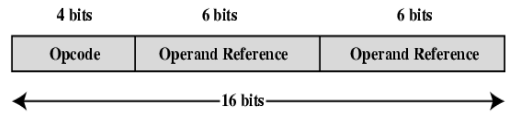
Instruction Representation

- In machine code each instruction has a unique bit pattern
- For human consumption a symbolic representation is used (**assembly language**)
- **Opcodes** are represented by abbreviations, called **mnemonics** indicating the operation
 - ADD, SUB, LDA, BRP, ...
- In an assembly language, operands can also be represented as following
 - ADD A,B (add contents of B and A and save the result into A)

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Simple Instruction Format

- Following is a 16 bit instruction format



- So...
 - What is the maximum number of instructions in this processor?
 - What is the maximum directly addressable memory size?

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Instruction Set Classification

- One way for classification:
 - Number of operands for typical arithmetic instruction
- `add $s1, $s2, $s3` → **3**
- What are the possibilities?
 - Will use this C statement as an example:
 - `a = b + c;`
 - Assume **a**, **b** and **c** are in memory

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Zero Address Machine

- a.k.a. **Stack Machines**
- Example: `a = b + c;`

```

PUSH b      # Push b onto stack
PUSH c      # Push c onto stack
ADD         # Add top two items
            # on stack and replace
            # with sum
POP  a      # Remove top of stack
            # and store in a
    
```

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One Address Machine

- a.k.a. **Accumulator Machine**
- One operand is implicitly the accumulator
- Example: `a = b + c;`

```

LOAD  b      # ACC ← b
ADD   c      # ACC ← ACC + c
STORE a      # a ← ACC
    
```

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Two Address Machine (1)

- a.k.a. **Register-Memory Instruction Set**
- One operand may be a value from memory
- Machine has **n** general purpose registers
 - \$0 through \$n-1
- Example: `a = b + c;`

```

LOAD  $1, b  # $1 ← M[b]
ADD   $1, c  # $1 ← $1 + M[c]
STORE $1, a  # M[a] ← $1
    
```

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Two Address Machine (2)

- a.k.a. **Memory-Memory Machine**
- Another possibility do stuff in memory!
- These machines have registers used to compute memory addresses
- 2 addresses (One address doubles as operand and result)
- Example: $a = b + c;$

```
MOVE a, b # M[a] ← M[b]
ADD a, c # M[a] ← M[a] + M[c]
```

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Two Address Machine (3)

- a.k.a. **Load-Store Instruction Set** or **Register-Register Instruction Set**
- Typically can only access memory using load/store instructions
- Example: $a = b + c;$

```
LOAD $1, b # $1 ← M[b]
LOAD $2, c # $2 ← M[c]
ADD $1, $2 # $1 ← $1 + $2
STORE $1, a # M[a] ← $1
```

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Three Address Machine

- a.k.a. **Load-Store Instruction Set** or **Register-Register Instruction Set**
- Typically can only access memory using load/store instructions
- 3 addresses (Operand 1, Operand 2, Result)
 - May be a forth - next instruction (usually implicit)
 - Needs very long words to hold everything
- Example: $a = b + c;$

```
LOAD $1, b # $1 ← M[b]
LOAD $2, c # $2 ← M[c]
ADD $3, $1, $2 # $3 ← $1 + $2
STORE $3, a # M[a] ← $3
```

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Utilization of Instruction Addresses

Number of Addresses	Symbolic Representation	Interpretation
3	OP A, B, C	$A \leftarrow B \text{ OP } C$
2	OP A, B	$A \leftarrow A \text{ OP } B$
1	OP A	$AC \leftarrow AC \text{ OP } A$
0	OP	$T \leftarrow (T - 1) \text{ OP } T$

AC = accumulator
 T = top of stack
 (T - 1) = second element of stack
 A, B, C = memory or register locations

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Types of Operand

- Addresses
 - Operand is in the address
- Numbers (actual operand)
 - Integer or fixed point
 - floating point
 - decimal
- Characters (actual operand)
 - ASCII etc.
- Logical Data (actual operand)
 - Bits or flags

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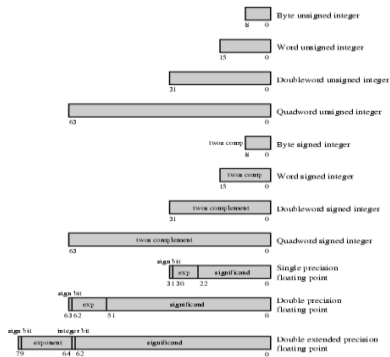
Pentium Data Types

- 8 bit (byte), 16 bit (word), 32 bit (double word), 64 bit (quad word)
- Addressing in Pentium is by 8 bit units
- A 32 bit double word is read at addresses divisible by 4:

```
0100 1A 22 F1 77
      +0 +1 +2 +3
```

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Pentium Numeric Data Formats



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PowerPC Data Types

- 8 (byte), 16 (halfword), 32 (word) and 64 (doubleword) length data types
- Fixed point processor recognises:
 - Unsigned byte, unsigned halfword, signed halfword, unsigned word, signed word, unsigned doubleword, byte string (<128 bytes)
- Floating point
 - IEEE 754
 - Single or double precision

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Types of Operation

- Data Transfer
- Arithmetic
- Logical
- Conversion
- I/O
- System Control
- Transfer of Control

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Data Transfer

- Need to specify
 - Source
 - Destination
 - Amount of data
- May be different instructions for different movements
- Or one instruction and different addresses

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Arithmetic

- Basic arithmetic operations are...
 - Add
 - Subtract
 - Multiply
 - Divide
 - Increment (a++)
 - Decrement (a--)
 - Negate (-a)
 - Absolute
- Arithmetic operations are provided for...
 - Signed Integer
 - Floating point?
 - Packed decimal numbers?

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Logical

- Bitwise operations
- AND, OR, NOT
 - Example1: bit masking using AND operation
 - (R1) = 10100101
 - (R2) = 00001111
 - (R1) AND (R2) = 00000101
 - Example2: taking ones complement using XOR operation
 - (R1) = 10100101
 - (R2) = 11111111
 - (R1) XOR (R2) = 01011010

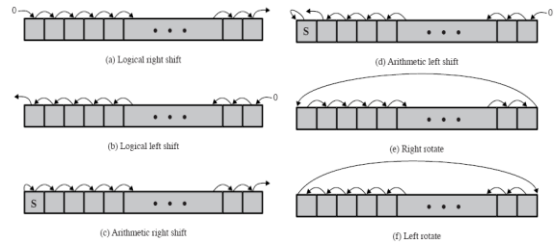
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Basic Logical Operations

P	Q	NOT P	P AND Q	P OR Q	P XOR Q	P=Q
0	0	1	0	0	0	1
0	1	1	0	1	1	0
1	0	0	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	1	1	0	1

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Shift and Rotate Operations



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Examples of Shift and Rotate Operations

Input	Operation	Result
10100110	Logical right shift (3 bits)	00010100
10100110	Logical left shift (3 bits)	00110000
10100110	Arithmetic right shift (3 bits)	11110100
10100110	Arithmetic left shift (3 bits)	10110000
10100110	Right rotate (3 bits)	11010100
10100110	Left rotate (3 bits)	00110101

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An example - sending two characters in a word

- Suppose we wish to transmit characters of data to an I/O device, 1 character at a time.
 - If each memory word is 16 bits in length and contains two characters, we must unpack the characters before they can be sent.
- To send the left-hand character:
 - Load the word into a register
 - AND with the value 1111111100000000
 - This masks out the character on the right

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An example - sending two characters in a word

- Shift to the right eight times
 - This shifts the remaining character to the right half of the register
- Perform I/O
 - The I/O module reads the lower-order 8 bits from the data bus.
- To send the right-hand character:
 - Load the word again into the register
 - AND with 0000000011111111
 - Perform I/O

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Conversion

- Conversion instructions are those that change the format or operate on the format of data.
- For example:
 - Binary to Decimal conversion

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Input/Output

- May be specific instructions
 - IN, OUT
- May be done using data movement instructions (memory mapped)
- May be done by a separate controller (DMA)

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Systems Control

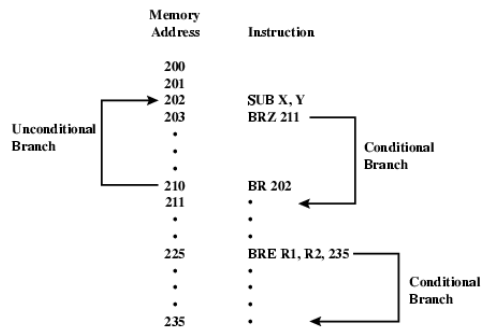
- Privileged instructions
- CPU needs to be in specific state
- For operating systems use

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Transfer of Control

- Branch
 - For example: brz 10 (branch to 10 if result is zero)
- Skip
 - e.g. increment and skip if zero
- Subroutine call
 - c.f. interrupt call

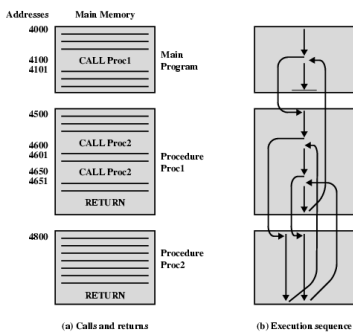
Branch Instruction



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Nested Procedure Calls

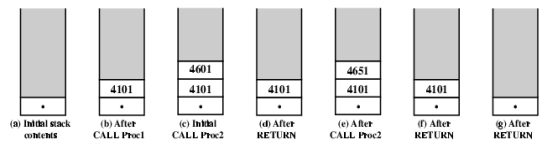


(a) Calls and returns

(b) Execution sequence

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Use of Stack



(a) Initial stack contents

(b) After CALL Proc1

(c) Initial CALL Proc2

(d) After RETURN

(e) After CALL Proc2

(f) After RETURN

(g) After RETURN

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Types of Operation

Type	Operation Name	Description	Type	Operation Name	Description
Data Transfer	Move (transfer)	Transfer word or block from source to destination	Transfer of Control	Jump (branch)	Unconditional transfer; load PC with specified address
	Store	Transfer word from processor to memory		Jump Conditional	Test specified conditions; either load PC with specified address or do nothing, based on conditions
	Load (fetch)	Transfer word from memory to processor		Jump to Subroutine	Place entry program control information in known location; jump to specified address
	Exchange	Swap contents of source and destination		Return	Register contents of PC and other register from known location
	Clear (reset)	Transfer word of 0's to destination		Interrupt	Fetch operand from specified location and execute as instruction; do not modify PC
	Set	Transfer word of 1's to destination		Stop	Interrupt PC to allow user interaction
	Push	Transfer word from source to top of stack		Stop Conditional	Test specified conditions; either stop or do nothing based on condition
	Pop	Transfer word from top of stack to destination		Bit	Stop program execution
	Add	Compute sum of two operands		Wait (halt)	Stop program execution; test specified conditions; operation resumes execution when condition is satisfied
	Subtract	Compute difference of two operands		Input/Output	Inport (read)
Multiply	Compute product of two operands	Outport (write)	Transfer data from specified source to I/O port or device		
Divide	Compute quotient of two operands	Start I/O	Transfer instructions to I/O processor to initiate I/O operation		
Absolute	Replace operand by its absolute value	Test I/O	Transfer status information from I/O system to specified destination		
Negate	Change sign of operand	Conversion	Transfer		Transfer values in a section of memory based on a table of correspondences
Increment	Add 1 to operand		Convert		Convert the contents of a word from one form to another (e.g., packed decimal to binary)
Decrement	Subtract 1 from operand				
AND	Perform logical AND				
OR	Perform logical OR				
NOT (complement)	Perform logical NOT				
Exclusive-OR	Perform logical XOR				
Test	Test specified conditions; set flag(s) based on outcome				
Compare	Make logical or arithmetic comparison of two or more operands; set flag(s) based on outcome				
Set Control Variables	Clear of instructions to set control for protection purposes; interrupt handling, timer control, etc.				
Shift	Left/right shift operand; arithmetic constant or end				
Rotate	Left/right shift operand; with wraparound and				

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CPU Actions for Various Types of Operations

Data Transfer	Transfer data from one location to another
	If memory is involved: Determine memory address Perform virtual-to-actual memory address transformation Check cache Initiate memory read/write
Arithmetic	May involve data transfer, before and/or after
	Perform function in ALU Set condition codes and flags
Logical	Same as arithmetic
Conversion	Similar to arithmetic and logical. May involve special logic to perform conversion
Transfer of Control	Update program counter. For subroutine call/return, manage parameter passing and linkage
I/O	Issue command to I/O module
	If memory-mapped I/O, determine memory-mapped address

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Pentium Operation Types

Instruction	Description	String Operations
MOV	Move operand between register or between register and memory.	MOVSB Move byte, word, double word. The instruction operates on one element of a string, indexed by registers ESI and EDI. After each string operation, the registers are automatically incremented or decremented to point to the next element of the string.
MOVB	Push 8-bit operand on stack.	MOVD Load byte, word, double word.
PSHQB	Push 8-bit operand on stack.	High-Level Language Support
MOVB	Move byte, word, double word operand. Move a byte or a word or a double word with zero-operand sign extension.	ENTER Create a stack frame that can be used to implement the rules of a block-structured high-level language.
LEA	Load effective address. Loads the offset of the source operand, either from the value in the destination register.	LEAVE BOUND Check array bounds. Verifies that the value is internal to a 32-bit word and upper bound. The limit set in a two-argument memory location information by operand 2; the attempt occurs if the value is out of bounds. This instruction is used to check in array indices.
XLAT	Table lookup instruction. Replaces bytes in EAX with bytes from a one-operand table. When XLAT is executed, all should have an unpaired index to the table. XLAT changes the contents of AL from the table entry to the table entry. Index register operand from ESI register.	Flag Control
SCASB	String compare. Compares bytes in ESI with bytes from a one-operand table.	STC Set Carry flag.
SCASD	String compare. Compares double words in ESI with double words from a one-operand table.	LODSB Load a register from Data, Code, SF, ZF, AF, PF, and CF bits into a register.
SCASQ	String compare. Compares quadwords in ESI with quadwords from a one-operand table.	LDS Load pointer and D segment register.
AND	AND operand.	STSW Store status.
BT	Bit test and set. Operates on a bit field operand. The instruction copies the current value of a bit to flag CF and sets the operand bit to 1.	HLT Halt.
BTS	Bit test and set. Same as BT, but also sets the number of the first 1 bit into register.	LOCK Assists in hold on shared memory so that the Pentium has exclusive use of it during the instruction that immediately follows the LOCK.
BSF	Bit scan forward. Same as BT, but also returns the number of the first 1 bit into register.	ESC Processor executes escape. An escape code that allows the executing instructions not to be executed by a numeric coprocessor that supports high-precision integer and floating-point calculations.
BSR	Bit scan reverse. Same as BT, but also returns the number of the first 0 bit into register.	WAIT Wait until BUSY signal. Supports Pentium processors using the processor device that the BUSY pin is active, indicating that the numeric coprocessor has finished execution.
BSR	Bit scan reverse. Same as BT, but also returns the number of the first 0 bit into register.	Protection
SEIB	Set byte to zero or one depending on any of the 16 conditions defined by status flags.	SGDT Save global descriptor table.
REP	Repeat instruction.	LSL Load segment limit. Loads a user-specified register with a segment limit.
CALL	Transfer control to another location. Before transfer, the address of the instruction following the CALL is placed on the stack.	VERR/VERW Verify segment for reading/writing.
JMP	Jump instruction.	Cache Management
LOOP/LOOPZ	Loop of equivalent. This is a conditional jump using a value stored in register ECX. The instruction first decrements ECX before testing ECX for the branch condition.	INVD Flushes the internal cache memory.
INSTR	Instruction of overflow. Transfer control to an interrupt service routine.	WBINVD Flushes the internal cache memory after writing dirty lines to memory.
		INVLPG Invalidates a translation lookaside buffer (TLB) entry.

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Pentium Condition Codes

Status Bit	Name	Description
C	Carry	Indicates carrying or borrowing into the left-most bit position following an arithmetic operation. Also modified by some of the shift and rotate operations.
P	Parity	Parity of the result of an arithmetic or logic operation. 1 indicates even parity; 0 indicates odd parity.
A	Auxiliary Carry	Represents carrying or borrowing between half-bytes of an 8-bit arithmetic or logic operation using the AL register.
Z	Zero	Indicates that the result of an arithmetic or logic operation is 0.
S	Sign	Indicates the sign of the result of an arithmetic or logic operation.
O	Overflow	Indicates an arithmetic overflow after an addition or subtraction.

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Pentium Conditions for Conditional Jump and SETcc Instructions

Symbol	Condition Tested	Comment
A, NBE	C=0 AND Z=0	Above; Not below or equal (greater than, unsigned)
AE, NB, NC	C=0	Above or equal; Not below (greater than or equal, unsigned); Not carry
B, NA, E, C	C=1	Below; Not above or equal (less than, unsigned); Carry set
BE, NA	C=1 OR Z=1	Below or equal; Not above less than or equal, unsigned
E, Z	Z=1	Equal; Zero (signed or unsigned)
G, NLE	(S=1 AND O=1) OR (S=0 AND O=0) AND [Z=0]	Greater than; Not less than or equal (signed)
GE, NL	(S=1 AND O=1) OR (S=0 AND O=0)	Greater than or equal; Not less than (signed)
L, NGE	(S=1 AND O=0) OR (S=0 AND O=1)	Less than; Not greater than or equal (signed)
LE, NG	(S=1 AND O=0) OR (S=0 AND O=1) OR (Z=1)	Less than or equal; Not greater than (signed)
NE, NZ	Z=0	Not equal; Not zero (signed or unsigned)
NO	O=0	No overflow
NS	S=0	Not sign (not negative)
NP, PO	P=0	Not parity; Parity odd
O	O=1	Overflow
P	P=1	Parity; Parity even
S	S=1	Sign (negative)

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MMX Instruction Set

Category	Instruction	Description
Arithmetic	PADD (B, W, D)	Packed add of packed eight bytes, four 16-bit words, or two 32-bit doublewords, with wraparound.
	ADD (B, W)	Add with saturation.
	PADDS (B, W)	Add unsigned with saturation.
	PUS (B, W, D)	Subtract with wraparound.
	PSUB (B, W)	Subtract with saturation.
	PSUBS (B, W)	Subtract unsigned with saturation.
Comparison	PMULLB	Packed multiply of four signed 16-bit words, with high-order 16 bits of 32-bit result chosen.
	PMULLW	Packed multiply of four signed 16-bit words, with low-order 16 bits of 32-bit result chosen.
	PREADSD	Packed multiply of four signed 16-bit words, add together adjacent pairs of 32-bit results.
	PCMPGQ (B, W, D)	Packed compare for equality; result is mask of 1's if true or 0's if false.
	PCMPEQ (B, W, D)	Packed compare for greater than; result is mask of 1's if true or 0's if false.
	PACKSSWB	Pack words into bytes with unsigned saturation.
Conversion	PUNPCKHB (B, W, D)	Packed unpack (interleaved source) high-order bytes, words, or doublewords from MMX register.
	PUNPCKLB (B, W, D)	Packed unpack (interleaved source) low-order bytes, words, or doublewords from MMX register.
	PAND	64-bit bitwise logical AND.
	POR	64-bit bitwise logical OR.
	PSHR	64-bit bitwise logical SHR.
	PXOR	64-bit bitwise logical XOR.
Shift	PSLL (B, D, Q)	Packed logical left shift of packed words, doublewords, or quadwords by amount specified in MMX register or immediate value.
	PSRL (B, D, Q)	Packed logical right shift of packed words, doublewords, or quadwords.
	PSRA (B, D)	Packed arithmetic right shift of packed words, doublewords, or quadwords.
Data Transfer	MOV (D, Q)	Move doubleword or quadword to/from MMX register.
State Mgr	EMMS	Empty MMX state (empty FP registers too).

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PowerPC Operation Types

Instruction	Description
Branch-Oriented	
b	Unconditional branch
bl	Branch to target address and place effective address of instruction following the branch into the Link Register.
bc	Branch conditional on Count Register and/or on bit in Condition Register.
sc	System call to invoke an operating system service.
trap	Compare two operands and invoke system trap handler if specified conditions are met.
Load/Store	
lwz	Load word and zero extend to left; update source register.
ld	Load doubleword.
lww	Load multiple word; load consecutive words into contiguous registers from the target register through general purpose register 31.
lwx	Load a string of bytes into registers beginning with target register; 4 bytes per register; wrap around from register 31 to register 0.
Integer Arithmetic	
add	Add contents of two registers and place in third register.
subf	Subtract contents of two registers and place in third register.
mulhw	Multiply low-order 32-bit contents of two registers and place 64-bit product in third register.
divd	Divide 64-bit contents of two registers and place in quotient in third register.
Logical and Shift	
cmp	Compare two operands and set four condition bits in the specified condition register field.
cmovd	Condition register AND; two bits of the Condition Register are ANDed and the result placed in one of the two bit positions.
and	AND contents of two registers and place in third register.
cntlrd	Count number of consecutive 0 bits starting at bit zero in source register and place count in destination register.
rlwic	Rotate left doubleword register; AND with mask; and store in destination register.
slw	Shift left bits in source register and store in destination register.

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PowerPC Operation Types

Floating-Point	
lfs	Load 32-bit floating-point number from memory, convert to 64-bit format, and store in floating-point register.
fadd	Add contents of two registers and place in third register.
fmadd	Multiply contents of two registers, add the contents of a third, and place result in fourth register.
fcmpu	Compare two floating-point operands and set condition bits.
Cache Management	
dcbf	Data cache block flush; perform lookup in cache on specified target address and perform flushing operation.
icbi	Instruction cache block invalidate

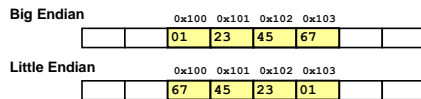
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Byte Ordering

- How should bytes within multi-byte word be ordered in memory?
- Some conventions
 - Sun's, Mac's are "Big Endian" machines
 - Least significant byte has highest address
 - Alphas, PC's are "Little Endian" machines
 - Least significant byte has lowest address

Byte Ordering Example

- Big Endian
 - Least significant byte has highest address
- Little Endian
 - Least significant byte has lowest address
- Example
 - Variable x has 4-byte representation 0x01234567
 - Address given by &x is 0x100



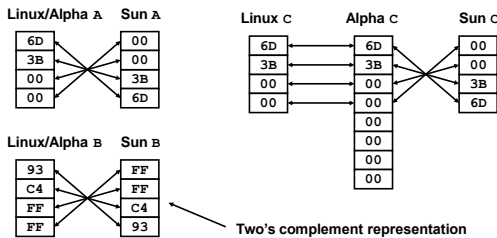
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Representing Integers

- int A = 15213;
- int B = -15213;
- long int C = 15213;

Decimal: 15213
Binary: 0011 1011 0110 1101
Hex: 3 B 6 D



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Representing Pointers

- int B = -15213;
- int *P = &B;

Alpha Address
Hex: 1 F F F F F F C A 0
Binary: 0001 1111 1111 1111 1111 1111 1100 1010 0000

Sun P	Sun Address
EF	Hex: E F F F F B 2 C
FF	Binary: 1110 1111 1111 1111 1111 1011 0010 1100
FB	
2C	

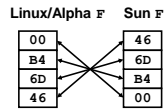
Linux P	Linux Address
D4	Hex: B F F F F 8 D 4
F8	Binary: 1011 1111 1111 1111 1111 1000 1101 0100
FF	
BE	

Different compilers & machines assign different locations to objects

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Representing Floats

- Float F = 15213.0;

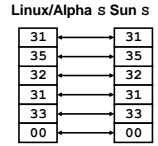


IEEE Single Precision Floating Point Representation									
Hex:	4	6	6	D	B	4	0	0	
Binary:	0100	0110	0110	1101	1011	0100	0000	0000	
15213:	1110 1101 1011 01								

Not same as integer representation, but consistent across machines
 Can see some relation to integer representation, but not obvious

Representing Strings

- Strings in C
 - char S[6] = "15213";
 - Represented by array of characters
 - Each character encoded in ASCII format
 - Standard 7-bit encoding of character set
 - Character "0" has code 0x30
 - Digit i has code 0x30+i
 - String should be null-terminated
 - Final character = 0
- Compatibility
 - Byte ordering is not an issue
 - Data are single byte quantities
 - Text files generally platform independent
 - Except for different conventions of line termination character(s)!



Example of C Data Structure

```

struct {
    int a; //0x1112_1314 word
    int pad; //
    double b; //0x2122_2324_2526_2728 doubleword
    char* c; //0x3132_3334 word
    char d[7]; // 'A','B','C','D','E','F','G' byte array
    short e; //0x5152 halfword
    int f; //0x6161_6364 word
} s;
    
```

Big-endian address mapping

11	12	13	14				
00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
08	09	0A	0B	0C	0D	0E	0F
31	32	33	34	'A'	'B'	'C'	'D'
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
'E'	'F'	'G'		51	52		
18	19	1A	1B	1C	1D	1E	1F
61	62	63	64				
20	21	22	23				

Little-endian address mapping

				11	12	13	14	
07	06	05	04	03	02	01	00	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
0F	0E	0D	0C	0B	0A	09	08	
'D'	'C'	'B'	'A'	31	32	33	34	
17	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	
				51	52	'G'	'F'	'E'
1F	1E	1D	1C	1B	1A	19	18	
				61	62	63	64	
				23	22	21	20	

Common file formats and their endian order

- Adobe Photoshop -- Big Endian
- BMP (Windows and OS/2 Bitmaps) -- Little Endian
- DXF (AutoCad) -- Variable
- GIF -- Little Endian
- IMG (GEM Raster) -- Big Endian
- JPEG -- Big Endian
- FLI (Autodesk Animator) -- Little Endian
- MacPaint -- Big Endian
- PCX (PC Paintbrush) -- Little Endian
- PostScript -- Not Applicable (text!)
- POV (Persistence of Vision ray-tracer) -- Not Applicable (text!)
- QTM (Quicktime Movies) -- Little Endian (on a Mac!)
- Microsoft RIFF (.WAV & .AVI) -- Both
- Microsoft RTF (Rich Text Format) -- Little Endian
- SGI (Silicon Graphics) -- Big Endian
- Sun Raster -- Big Endian
- TGA (Targa) -- Little Endian
- TIFF -- Both, Endian identifier encoded into file
- WPG (WordPerfect Graphics Metafile) -- Big Endian (on a PC!)
- XWD (X Window Dump) -- Both, Endian identifier encoded into file

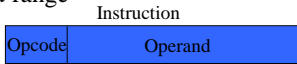
Addressing Modes and Formats

Addressing Modes

- Immediate
- Direct
- Indirect
- Register
- Register Indirect
- Displacement (Indexed)
- Stack

Immediate Addressing

- Operand is part of instruction
- Operand = address field
- e.g. **ADD 5**
 - Add 5 to contents of accumulator
 - Here 5 is operand
- No memory reference to fetch data
- Fast
- Limited range



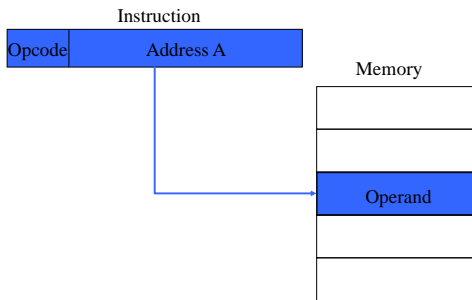
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Direct Addressing

- Address field contains address of operand
- Effective address (EA) = address field (A)
- e.g. **ADD A**
 - Add contents of cell A to accumulator
 - Look in memory at address A for operand
- Single memory reference to access data
- No additional calculations to work out effective address
- Limited address space

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Direct Addressing Diagram



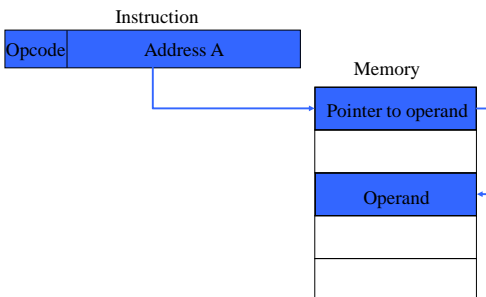
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Indirect Addressing (1)

- Memory cell pointed to by address field contains the address of (pointer to) the operand
- Large address space
- 2^n where $n = \text{word length}$
- May be nested, multilevel, cascaded
- Multiple memory accesses to find operand
- Hence slower

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Indirect Addressing Diagram



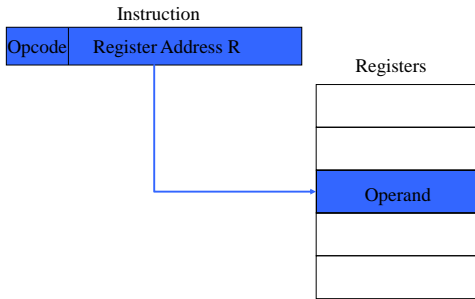
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Register Addressing (1)

- Operand is held in register named in address field
- $EA = R$
- Limited number of registers
- Very small address field needed
 - Shorter instructions
 - Faster instruction fetch
- No memory access
- Very fast execution
- Very limited address space
- Multiple registers helps performance
 - Requires good assembly programming or compiler writing

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Register Addressing Diagram



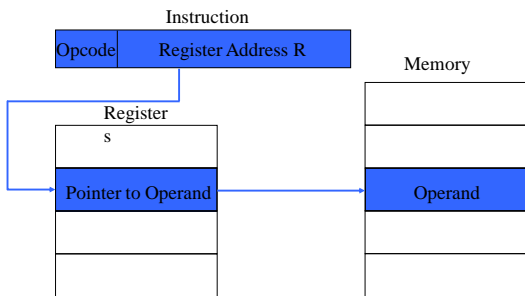
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Register Indirect Addressing

- Operand is held in memory cell pointed to by contents of register R named in address field
- $EA = (R)$
- Large address space (2^n)
- One fewer memory access than indirect addressing

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Register Indirect Addressing Diagram



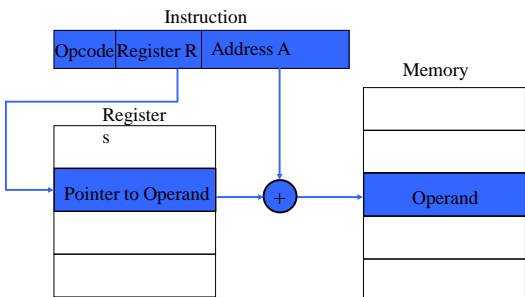
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Displacement Addressing

- $EA = A + (R)$
- Address field hold two values
 - A = base value
 - R = register that holds displacement
 - or vice versa

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Displacement Addressing Diagram



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Relative Addressing

- A version of displacement addressing
- $R = \text{Program counter (PC)}$
- $EA = A + (PC)$
- i.e. get operand from A cells from current location pointed to by PC

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Base-Register Addressing

- **A** holds displacement
- **R** holds pointer to base address
- **R** may be explicit or implicit
- e.g. segment registers in 80x86

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Indexed Addressing

- **A** = base
- **R** = displacement
- **EA = A + R**
- Good for accessing arrays
 - **EA = A + R**
 - **R++**

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Combinations

- Postindex
 - **EA = (A) + (R)**
- Preindex
 - **EA = (A+(R))**

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Stack Addressing

- Operand is (implicitly) on top of stack
- e.g.
 - **ADD** Pop top two items from stack and add

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Summary of basic addressing modes

Mode	Algorithm	Principal Advantage	Principal Disadvantage
Immediate	Operand = A	No memory reference	Limited operand magnitude
Direct	EA = A	Simple	Limited address space
Indirect	EA = (A)	Large address space	Multiple memory references
Register	EA = R	No memory reference	Limited address space
Register indirect	EA = (R)	Large address space	Extra memory reference
Displacement	EA = A + (R)	Flexibility	Complexity
Stack	EA = top of stack	No memory reference	Limited applicability

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Instruction Formats

- Layout of bits in an instruction
- Includes opcode
- Includes (implicit or explicit) operand(s)
- Usually more than one instruction format in an instruction set

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Instruction Length

- Affected by and affects:
 - Memory size
 - Memory organization
 - Bus structure
 - CPU complexity
 - CPU speed
- Trade off between powerful instruction repertoire and saving space

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Allocation of Bits

- Number of addressing modes
- Number of operands
- Register versus memory
- Number of register sets
- Address range
- Address granularity

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