

MIPS Control Flow

1) What are the instructions to branch on each of the following conditions?

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| \$s0 < \$s1 | \$s0 <= \$s1 | \$s0 > 1 | \$s0 >= 1 |
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2) Complete the MIPS so that it flows like the C.

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| <pre>// Strcpy: // \$s1 -> char s1[] = "Hello!"; // \$s2 -> char *s2 = // malloc(sizeof(char)*7); int i=0; do { s2[i] = s1[i]; i++; } while(s1[i] != '\0'); s2[i] = '\0';</pre> | <pre>addiu \$t0, \$0, 0 Loop: addu \$t1, \$s1, \$t0 # s1[i] addu \$t2, \$s2, \$t0 # s2[i] lb \$t3, 0(\$t1) # char is sb \$t3, 0(\$t2) # 1 byte! addiu \$t0, \$t0, 1 addiu \$t1, \$t1, 1 _____ _____ _____ Done: addiu \$t2, \$t2, 1 sb \$t4, 0(\$t2)</pre> |
| <pre>// Nth_Fibonacci(n): // \$s0 -> n, \$s1 -> fib // \$t0 -> i, \$t1 -> j // assume the following values // are in registers already int fib = 1, i = 1, j = 1; if(n==0) return 0; else if(n==1) return 1; n-=2; while(n != 0) { fib = i + j; j = i; i = fib; n--; } return fib;</pre> | <pre>... _____ _____ _____ addiu \$s0, \$s0, -2 Loop: _____ addu \$s1, \$t0, \$t1 addiu \$t0, \$t1, 0 addiu \$t1, \$s1, 0 addiu \$s0, \$s0, -1 j Loop Ret0: addiu \$v0, \$0, 0 j Done Ret1: addiu \$v0, \$0, 1 j Done RetF: addu \$v0, \$0, \$s1 ... Done: jr \$ra</pre> |

Instruction Formats

R-Instruction format (register-to-register) *Examples: addu, and, sll, jr*

| op code | rs | rt | Rd | shamt | funct |
|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 6 bits | 5 bits | 5 bits | 5 bits | 5 bits | 6 bits |

See green sheet to see what registers are read from and what is written to

I-Instruction Format (register immediate) *Examples: addiu, andi, bne*

| op code | rs | rt | immediate |
|---------|--------|--------|-----------|
| 6 bits | 5 bits | 5 bits | 16 bits |

Note: Immediate is 0 or sign-extended depending on instruction (see green sheet)

J-Instruction Format (jump format) *For j and jal*

| op code | Address |
|---------|---------|
| 6 bits | 26 bits |

KEY: An instruction is R-Format if the opcode is 0. If the opcode is 2 or 3, it is J-format. Otherwise, it is I-format. Different R-format instructions are determined by the "funct".

1. How many total possible instructions can we represent with this format?
2. What could we do to increase the number of possible instructions?

MIPS Addressing Modes

3. You need to jump to an instruction that $2^{28} + 4$ bytes higher than the current PC. How do you do it? (HINT: you need multiple instructions)

4. You now need to branch to an instruction $2^{17} + 4$ bytes higher than the current PC, when \$t0 equals 0. Assume that we're not jumping to a new 2^{28} byte block. Write MIPS to do this.

5. Given the following MIPS code (and instruction addresses), fill in the blank fields for the following instructions (you'll need your green sheet!):

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0x002cfff0: loop: addu $t0, $t0, $t0      | 0 |   |   | 0 |   |
0x002cfff4:          jal  foo                    | 3 |   |   |   |   |
0x002cfff8:          bne $t0, $zero, loop        | 5 | 8 |   |   |   |
...
0x00300004: foo: jr $ra                      $ra=_____

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6. What instruction is 0x00008A03?