

Lecture 3: Introduction to Advanced Pipelining

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Review: Evaluating Branch Alternatives

- **Two part solution:**
 - Determine branch taken or not sooner, AND
 - Compute taken branch address earlier

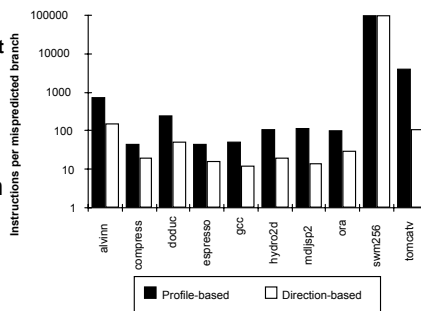
$$\text{Pipeline speedup} = \frac{\text{Pipeline depth}}{1 + \text{Branch frequency} \times \text{Branch penalty}}$$

Scheduling scheme	Branch penalty	CPI	speedup v. unpipelined	speedup v. stall
Stall pipeline	3	1.42	3.5	1.0
Predict taken	1	1.14	4.4	1.26
Predict not taken	1	1.09	4.5	1.29
Delayed branch	0.5	1.07	4.6	1.31

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Review: Evaluating Branch Prediction

- **Two strategies**
 - Backward branch predict taken, forward branch not taken
 - Profile-based prediction: record branch behavior, predict branch based on prior run
- “Instructions between mispredicted branches” a better metric than misprediction



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Review: Summary of Pipelining Basics

- **Hazards limit performance**
 - Structural: need more HW resources
 - Data: need forwarding, compiler scheduling
 - Control: early evaluation & PC, delayed branch, prediction
- Increasing length of pipe increases impact of hazards; pipelining helps instruction bandwidth, not latency
- Interrupts, Instruction Set, FP makes pipelining harder
- Compilers reduce cost of data and control hazards
 - Load delay slots
 - Branch delay slots
 - Branch prediction
- Today: Longer pipelines (R4000) => Better branch prediction, more instruction parallelism?

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Opérations multi-cycles

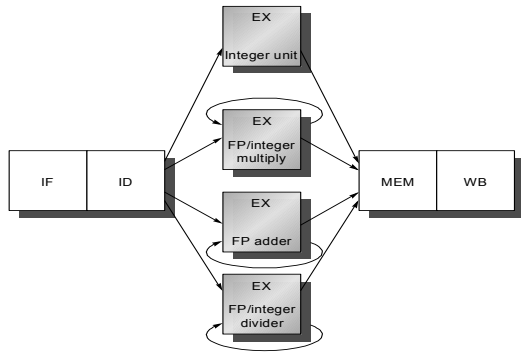


FIGURE 3.42 The DLX pipeline with three additional unpipelined, floating-point, functional units.

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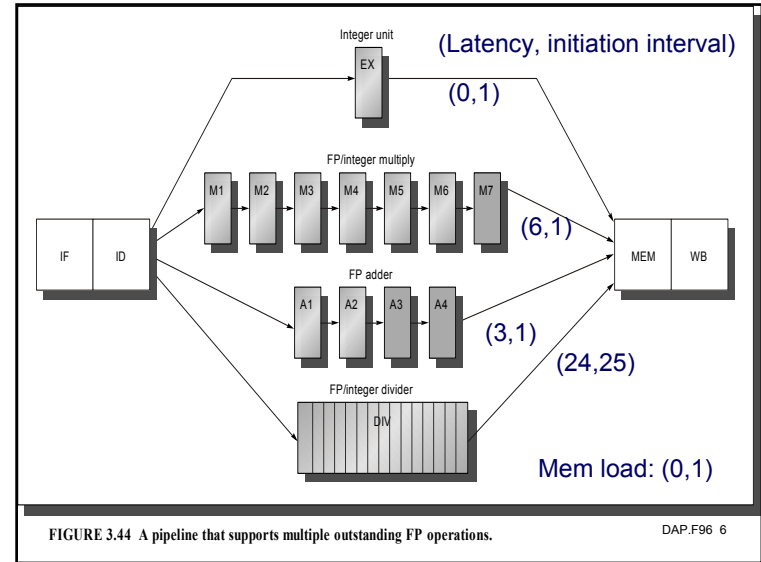


FIGURE 3.44 A pipeline that supports multiple outstanding FP operations.

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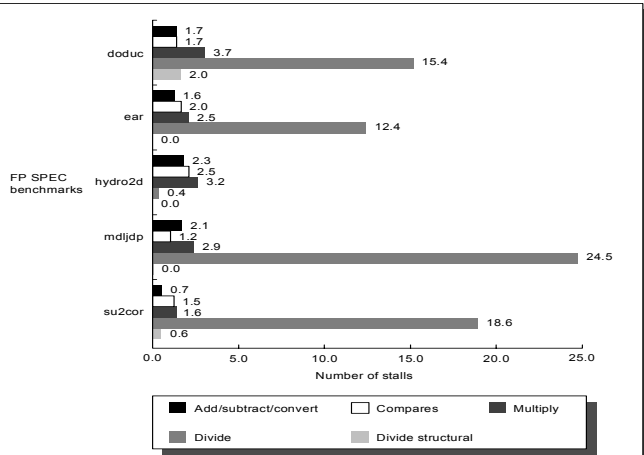


FIGURE 3.48 Stalls per FP operation for each major type of FP operation.

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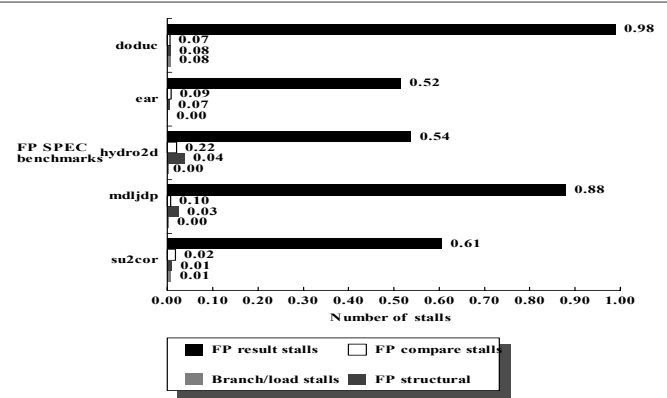


FIGURE 3.49 The stalls occurring for the DLX FP pipeline for the five FP SPEC benchmarks.

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Case Study: MIPS R4000 (200 MHz)

• 8 Stage Pipeline:

- IF—first half of fetching of instruction; PC selection happens here as well as initiation of instruction cache access.
- IS—second half of access to instruction cache.
- RF—instruction decode and register fetch, hazard checking and also instruction cache hit detection.
- EX—execution, which includes effective address calculation, ALU operation, and branch target computation and condition evaluation.
- DF—data fetch, first half of access to data cache.
- DS—second half of access to data cache.
- TC—tag check, determine whether the data cache access hit.
- WB—write back for loads and register-register operations.

• 8 Stages: What is impact on Load delay? Branch delay? Why?

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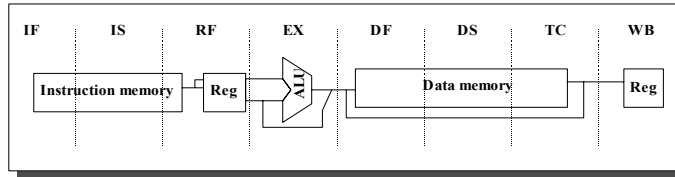


FIGURE 3.50 The eight-stage pipeline structure of the R4000 uses pipelined instruction and data caches.

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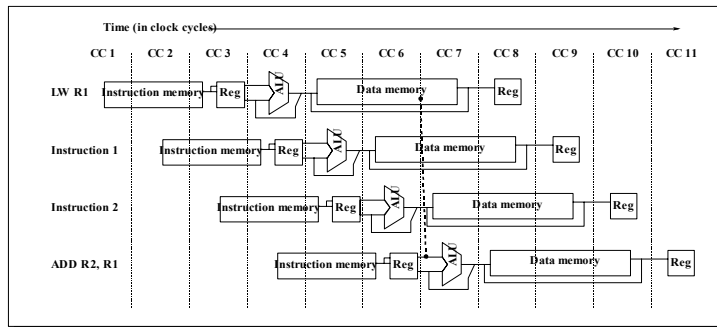


FIGURE 3.51 The structure of the R4000 integer pipeline leads to a two-cycle load delay.

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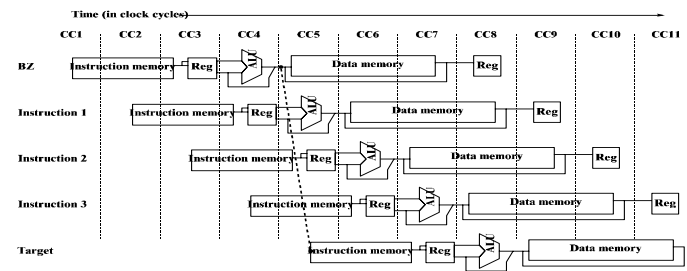
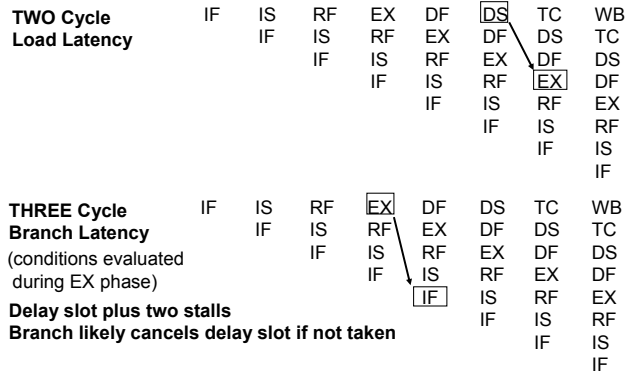


FIGURE 3.53 The basic branch delay is three cycles, since the condition evaluation is performed during EX.

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Case Study: MIPS R4000



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MIPS R4000 Floating Point

- FP Adder, FP Multiplier, FP Divider
- Last step of FP Multiplier/Divider uses FP Adder HW
- 8 kinds of stages in FP units:

Stage	Functional unit	Description
A	FP adder	Mantissa ADD stage
D	FP divider	Divide pipeline stage
E	FP multiplier	Exception test stage
M	FP multiplier	First stage of multiplier
N	FP multiplier	Second stage of multiplier
R	FP adder	Rounding stage
S	FP adder	Operand shift stage
U		Unpack FP numbers

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MIPS FP Pipe Stages

FP Instr	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	...
Add, Subtract	U	S+A	A+R	R+S					
Multiply	U	E+M	M	M	M	N	N+A	R	
Divide	U	A	R	D ²⁸	...	D+A	D+R, D+R, D+A, D+R, A, R		
Square root	U	E	(A+R) ¹⁰⁸	...	A	R			
Negate	U	S							
Absolute value	U	S							
FP compare	U	A	R						

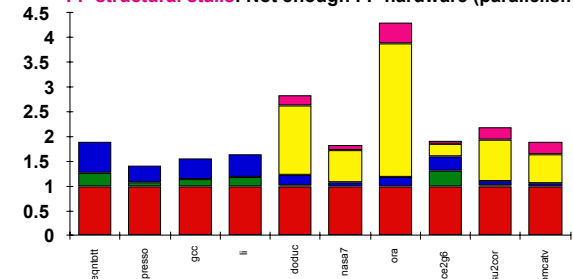
Stages:

M	First stage of multiplier	A	Mantissa ADD stage
N	Second stage of multiplier	D	Divide pipeline stage
R	Rounding stage	E	Exception test stage
S	Operand shift stage		
U	Unpack FP numbers		

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R4000 Performance

- Not ideal CPI of 1:
 - Load stalls (1 or 2 clock cycles)
 - Branch stalls (2 cycles + unfilled slots)
 - FP result stalls: RAW data hazard (latency)
 - FP structural stalls: Not enough FP hardware (parallelism)



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Advanced Pipelining and Instruction Level Parallelism (ILP)

- ILP: Overlap execution of unrelated instructions
- gcc 17% control transfer
 - 5 instructions + 1 branch
 - Beyond single block to get more instruction level parallelism
- Loop level parallelism one opportunity, SW and HW
- Do examples and then explain nomenclature
- DLX Floating Point as example
 - Measurements suggests R4000 performance FP execution has room for improvement

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FP Loop: Where are the Hazards?

```

Loop: LD  F0,0(R1) ;F0=vector element
      ADDD F4,F0,F2 ;add scalar from F2
      SD  0(R1),F4 ;store result
      SUBI R1,R1,8 ;decrement pointer 8B (DW)
      BNEZ R1,Loop ;branch R1!=zero
      NOP ;delayed branch slot
    
```

Instruction producing result	Instruction using result	Latency in clock cycles
FP ALU op	Another FP ALU op	3
FP ALU op	Store double	2
Load double	FP ALU op	1
Load double	Store double	0
Integer op	Integer op	0

- Where are the stalls?

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FP Loop Hazards

```

Loop: LD  F0,0(R1) ;F0=vector element
      ADDD F4,F0,F2 ;add scalar in F2
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FP Loop Showing Stalls

```

1 Loop: LD  F0,0(R1) ;F0=vector element
2      stall
3      ADDD F4,F0,F2 ;add scalar in F2
4      stall
5      stall
6      SD  0(R1),F4 ;store result
7      SUBI R1,R1,8 ;decrement pointer 8B (DW)
8      stall
9      BNEZ R1,Loop ;branch R1!=zero
10     stall ;delayed branch slot
    
```

Instruction producing result	Instruction using result	Latency in clock cycles
FP ALU op	Another FP ALU op	3
FP ALU op	Store double	2
Load double	FP ALU op	1

- 10 clocks: Rewrite code to minimize stalls?

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Revised FP Loop Minimizing Stalls

```

1 Loop: LD    F0,0(R1)
4      SUBI  R1,R1,8
3      ADDD  F4,F0,F2
2      stall
5      BNEZ  R1,Loop ;delayed branch
6      SD    8(R1),F4 ;altered when move past SUBI
    
```

Swap BNEZ and SD by changing address of SD

Instruction producing result	Instruction using result	Latency in clock cycles
FP ALU op	Another FP ALU op	3
FP ALU op	Store double	2
Load double	FP ALU op	1

6 clocks: Unroll loop 4 times code to make faster? DAP.F96 21

Unroll Loop Four Times (straightforward way)

```

1 Loop: LD    F0,0(R1)
2 +1  ADDD  F4,F0,F2
3 +2  SD    0(R1),F4
4      LD    F6,-8(R1)
5      ADDD  F8,F6,F2
6      SD    -8(R1),F8
7      LD    F10,-16(R1)
8      ADDD  F12,F10,F2
9      SD    -16(R1),F12
10     LD    F14,-24(R1)
11     ADDD  F16,F14,F2
12     SD    -24(R1),F16
13     SUBI  R1,R1,#32
14 +1  BNEZ  R1,LOOP
15     NOP

1 Loop: LD    F0,0(R1)
2      LD    F6,-8(R1)
3      LD    F10,-16(R1)
4      LD    F14,-24(R1)
5      ADDD  F4,F0,F2
6      ADDD  F8,F6,F2
7      ADDD  F12,F10,F2
8      ADDD  F16,F14,F2
9      SD    0(R1),F4
10     SD    -8(R1),F8
11     SUBI  R1,R1,#32
12     SD    F12,F10,F2
13     SD    R1,LOOP
14     SD    8(R1),F16; 8-32 = -24
15     NOP
    
```

15 + 4 x (1+2) + 1 = 28 clock cycles, or 7 per iteration
Assumes R1 is multiple of 4

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Unrolled Loop That Minimizes Stalls

```

1 Loop: LD    F0,0(R1)
2      LD    F6,-8(R1)
3      LD    F10,-16(R1)
4      LD    F14,-24(R1)
5      ADDD  F4,F0,F2
6      ADDD  F8,F6,F2
7      ADDD  F12,F10,F2
8      ADDD  F16,F14,F2
9      SD    0(R1),F4
10     SD    -8(R1),F8
12     SUBI  R1,R1,#32
13     SD    16(R1),F12
13     BNEZ  R1,LOOP
14     SD    8(R1),F16 ; 8-32 = -24
    
```

- What assumptions made when moved code?
 - OK to move store past SUBI even though changes register
 - OK to move loads before stores: get right data?
 - When is it safe for compiler to do such changes?

14 clock cycles, or 3.5 per iteration
When safe to move instructions?

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Compiler Perspectives on Code Movement

- Definitions: compiler concerned about dependencies in **program**, whether or not a HW hazard depends on a given **pipeline**
- Try to schedule to avoid hazards
- (True) **Data dependencies** (RAW if a hazard for HW)
 - Instruction i produces a result used by instruction j, or
 - Instruction j is data dependent on instruction k, and instruction k is data dependent on instruction i.
- If dependent, can't execute in parallel
- Easy to determine for registers (fixed names)
- Hard for memory:
 - Does 100(R4) = 20(R6)?
 - From different loop iterations, does 20(R6) = 20(R6)?

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Where are the data dependencies?

```

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2      ADDD  F4,F0,F2
3      SUBI  R1,R1,8
4      BNEZ  R1,Loop ;delayed branch
5      SD    8(R1),F4 ;altered when move past SUBI
    
```

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Compiler Perspectives on Code Movement

- Another kind of dependence called **name dependence**: two instructions use same name (register or memory location) but don't exchange data
- **Antidependence** (WAR if a hazard for HW)
 - Instruction j writes a register or memory location that instruction i reads from and instruction i is executed first
- **Output dependence** (WAW if a hazard for HW)
 - Instruction i and instruction j write the same register or memory location; ordering between instructions must be preserved.

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Where are the name dependencies?

1 Loop: LD	F0,0(R1)	1 Loop: LD	F0,0(R1)
2	ADDD F4,F0,F2	2	ADDD F4,F0,F2
3	SD 0(R1),F4	3	SD 0(R1),F4
4	LD F0,-8(R1)	4	LD F6,-8(R1)
2	ADDD F4,F0,F2	5	ADDD F8,F6,F2
3	SD -8(R1),F4	6	SD -8(R1),F8
7	LD F0,-16(R1)	7	LD F10,-16(R1)
8	ADDD F4,F0,F2	8	ADDD F12,F10,F2
9	SD -16(R1),F4	9	SD -16(R1),F12
10	LD F0,-24(R1)	10	LD F14,-24(R1)
11	ADDD F4,F0,F2	11	ADDD F16,F14,F2
12	SD -24(R1),F4	12	SD -24(R1),F16
13	SUBI R1,R1,#32	13	SUBI R1,R1,#32
14	BNEZ R1,LOOP	14	BNEZ R1,LOOP
15	NOP	15	NOP

How can remove them?

Where are the name dependencies?

1 Loop: LD	F0,0(R1)	
2	ADDD F4,F0,F2	
3	SD 0(R1),F4	;drop SUBI & BNEZ
4	LD F6,-8(R1)	
5	ADDD F8,F6,F2	
6	SD -8(R1),F8	;drop SUBI & BNEZ
7	LD F10,-16(R1)	
8	ADDD F12,F10,F2	
9	SD -16(R1),F12	;drop SUBI & BNEZ
10	LD F14,-24(R1)	
11	ADDD F16,F14,F2	
12	SD -24(R1),F16	
13	SUBI R1,R1,#32	;alter to 4*8
14	BNEZ R1,LOOP	
15	NOP	

Called "register renaming"

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Compiler Perspectives on Code Movement

- Again Name Dependencies are Hard for Memory Accesses
 - Does $100(R4) = 20(R6)$?
 - From different loop iterations, does $20(R6) = 20(R6)$?
- Our example required compiler to know that if R1 doesn't change then:

$0(R1) \neq -8(R1) \neq -16(R1) \neq -24(R1)$

There were no dependencies between some loads and stores so they could be moved by each other

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Compiler Perspectives on Code Movement

- Final kind of dependence called **control dependence**
- Example

```
if p1 {S1;};  
if p2 {S2;};
```

S1 is control dependent on p1 and S2 is control dependent on p2 but not on p1.

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Compiler Perspectives on Code Movement

- Two (obvious) constraints on control dependences:
 - An instruction that is **control dependent** on a branch cannot be moved **before** the branch so that its execution is no longer controlled by the branch.
 - An instruction that is not **control dependent** on a branch cannot be moved to **after** the branch so that its execution is controlled by the branch.
- Control dependencies relaxed to get parallelism; get same effect if preserve order of exceptions (address in register checked by branch before use) and data flow (value in register depends on branch)

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Where are the control dependencies?

```
1 Loop: LD      F0,0(R1)  
2      ADDD   F4,F0,F2  
3      SD     0(R1),F4  
4      SUBI   R1,R1,8  
5      BEQZ  R1,exit  
6      LD     F0,0(R1)  
7      ADDD   F4,F0,F2  
8      SD     0(R1),F4  
9      SUBI   R1,R1,8  
10     BEQZ  R1,exit  
11     LD     F0,0(R1)  
12     ADDD   F4,F0,F2  
13     SD     0(R1),F4  
14     SUBI   R1,R1,8  
15     BEQZ  R1,exit  
....
```

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When Safe to Unroll Loop?

- **Example: Where are data dependencies? (A,B,C distinct & nonoverlapping)**

```
for (i=1; i<=100; i=i+1) {  
    A[i+1] = A[i] + C[i]; /* S1 */  
    B[i+1] = B[i] + A[i+1]; /* S2 */  
}
```

1. S2 uses the value, A[i+1], computed by S1 in the same iteration.
 2. S1 uses a value computed by S1 in an earlier iteration, since iteration i computes A[i+1] which is read in iteration i+1. The same is true of S2 for B[i] and B[i+1].
This is a “**loop-carried dependence**”: between iterations
- Implies that iterations are dependent, and can't be executed in parallel
 - Not the case for our prior example; each iteration was distinct

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HW Schemes: Instruction Parallelism

- **Why in HW at run time?**
 - Works when can't know real dependence at compile time
 - Compiler simpler
 - Code for one machine runs well on another
- **Key idea: Allow instructions behind stall to proceed**

```
DIVD  F0,F2,F4  
ADDD  F10,F0,F8  
SUBD  F12,F8,F14
```

- Enables out-of-order execution => out-of-order completion
- ID stage checked both for structural and data hazards
- Scoreboard dates to CDC 6600 in 1963

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HW Schemes: Instruction Parallelism

- **Out-of-order execution divides ID stage:**
 1. **Issue**—decode instructions, check for structural hazards
 2. **Read operands**—wait until no data hazards, then read operands
- **Scoreboards allow instruction to execute whenever 1 & 2 hold, not waiting for prior instructions**
- **CDC 6600: In order issue, out of order execution, out of order commit (also called completion)**

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Scoreboard Implications

- **Out-of-order completion => WAR, WAW hazards?**
- **Solutions for WAR**
 - Queue both the operation and copies of its operands
 - Read registers only during Read Operands stage
- **For WAW, must detect hazard: stall until other completes**
- **Need to have multiple instructions in execution phase => multiple execution units or pipelined execution units**
- **Scoreboard keeps track of dependencies, state or operations**
- **Scoreboard replaces ID, EX, WB with 4 stages**

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Four Stages of Scoreboard Control

1. Issue—decode instructions & check for structural hazards (ID1)

If a functional unit for the instruction is free and no other active instruction has the same destination register (WAW), the scoreboard issues the instruction to the functional unit and updates its internal data structure. If a structural or WAW hazard exists, then the instruction issue stalls, and no further instructions will issue until these hazards are cleared.

2. Read operands—wait until no data hazards, then read operands (ID2)

A source operand is available if no earlier issued active instruction is going to write it, or if the register containing the operand is being written by a currently active functional unit. When the source operands are available, the scoreboard tells the functional unit to proceed to read the operands from the registers and begin execution. The scoreboard resolves RAW hazards dynamically in this step, and instructions may be sent into execution out of order. DAP.F96 37

Four Stages of Scoreboard Control

3. Execution—operate on operands (EX)

The functional unit begins execution upon receiving operands. When the result is ready, it notifies the scoreboard that it has completed execution.

4. Write result—finish execution (WB)

Once the scoreboard is aware that the functional unit has completed execution, the scoreboard checks for WAR hazards. If none, it writes results. If WAR, then it stalls the instruction.

Example:

```
DIVD  F0,F2,F4
ADDD  F10,F0,F8
SUBD  F8,F8,F14
```

CDC 6600 scoreboard would stall SUBD until ADDD reads operands

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Three Parts of the Scoreboard

1. Instruction status—which of 4 steps the instruction is in

2. Functional unit status—Indicates the state of the functional unit (FU). 9 fields for each functional unit

Busy—Indicates whether the unit is busy or not

Op—Operation to perform in the unit (e.g., + or -)

Fi—Destination register

Fj, Fk—Source-register numbers

Qj, Qk—Functional units producing source registers Fj, Fk

Rj, Rk—Flags indicating when Fj, Fk are ready

3. Register result status—Indicates which functional unit will write each register, if one exists. Blank when no pending instructions will write that register

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Detailed Scoreboard Pipeline Control

Instruction status	Wait until	Bookkeeping
Issue	Not busy (FU) and not result(D)	Busy(FU)← yes; Op(FU)← op; Fi(FU)← 'D'; Fj(FU)← 'S1'; Fk(FU)← 'S2'; Qj← Result('S1'); Qk← Result('S2'); Rj← not Qj; Rk← not Qk; Result('D')← FU;
Read operands	Rj and Rk	Rj← No; Rk← No
Execution complete	Functional unit done	
Write result	$\forall f((Fj(f) \neq Fi(FU) \text{ or } Rj(f) = \text{No}) \& (Fk(f) \neq Fi(FU) \text{ or } Rk(f) = \text{No}))$	$\forall f(\text{if } Qj(f) = \text{FU} \text{ then } Rj(f) \leftarrow \text{Yes}; \text{if } Qk(f) = \text{FU} \text{ then } Rj(f) \leftarrow \text{Yes}; \text{Result}(Fi(FU)) \leftarrow 0; \text{Busy}(FU) \leftarrow \text{No}$

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Scoreboard Example

Instruction status			Read	Executi	Write
Instruction	j	k	Issue	operand complet	Result
LD	F6	34+ R2			
LD	F2	45+ R3			
MULT	F0	F2 F4			
SUBD	F8	F6 F2			
DIVD	F10	F0 F6			
ADDD	F6	F8 F2			

Functional unit status		dest	S1	S2	FU for j	FU for k	Fj?	Fk?		
Time	Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk
	Integer	No								
	Mult1	No								
	Mult2	No								
	Add	No								
	Divide	No								

Register result status		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30	
Clock	1	FU Integer									

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 1

Instruction status			Read	Executi	Write
Instruction	j	k	Issue	operand complet	Result
LD	F6	34+ R2	1		
LD	F2	45+ R3			
MULT	F0	F2 F4			
SUBD	F8	F6 F2			
DIVD	F10	F0 F6			
ADDD	F6	F8 F2			

Functional unit status		dest	S1	S2	FU for j	FU for k	Fj?	Fk?		
Time	Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk
	Integer	Yes	Load	F6		R2				Yes
	Mult1	No								
	Mult2	No								
	Add	No								
	Divide	No								

Register result status		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30	
Clock	1	FU Integer									

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 2

Instruction status			Read	Executi	Write
Instruction	j	k	Issue	operand complet	Result
LD	F6	34+ R2	1	2	
LD	F2	45+ R3			
MULT	F0	F2 F4			
SUBD	F8	F6 F2			
DIVD	F10	F0 F6			
ADDD	F6	F8 F2			

Functional unit status		dest	S1	S2	FU for j	FU for k	Fj?	Fk?		
Time	Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk
	Integer	Yes	Load	F6		R2				Yes
	Mult1	No								
	Mult2	No								
	Add	No								
	Divide	No								

Register result status		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30	
Clock	2	FU Integer									

• Issue 2nd LD?

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 3

Instruction status			Read	Executi	Write
Instruction	j	k	Issue	operand complet	Result
LD	F6	34+ R2	1	2	3
LD	F2	45+ R3			
MULT	F0	F2 F4			
SUBD	F8	F6 F2			
DIVD	F10	F0 F6			
ADDD	F6	F8 F2			

Functional unit status		dest	S1	S2	FU for j	FU for k	Fj?	Fk?		
Time	Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk
	Integer	Yes	Load	F6		R2				Yes
	Mult1	No								
	Mult2	No								
	Add	No								
	Divide	No								

Register result status		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30	
Clock	3	FU Integer									

• Issue MULT?

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 4

Instruction status				Read				Executiv				Write			
Instruction	j	k		Issue	operand	completi	Result	Issue	operand	completi	Result	Issue	operand	completi	Result
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4								
LD	F2	45+	R3												
MULT	F0	F2	F4												
SUBD	F8	F6	F2												
DIVD	F10	F0	F6												
ADDD	F6	F8	F2												

Functional unit status		dest		S1	S2	FU for j			FU for k			Fj?	Fk?
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk				
Integer	Yes	Load	F6		R2								Yes
Mult1	No												
Mult2	No												
Add	No												
Divide	No												

Register result status		Clock											
Time Name	Busy	F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30			
Integer	4	FU Integer											

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 5

Instruction status				Read				Executiv				Write			
Instruction	j	k		Issue	operand	completi	Result	Issue	operand	completi	Result	Issue	operand	completi	Result
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4								
LD	F2	45+	R3	5											
MULT	F0	F2	F4												
SUBD	F8	F6	F2												
DIVD	F10	F0	F6												
ADDD	F6	F8	F2												

Functional unit status		dest		S1	S2	FU for j			FU for k			Fj?	Fk?
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk				
Integer	Yes	Load	F2		R3								Yes
Mult1	No												
Mult2	No												
Add	No												
Divide	No												

Register result status		Clock											
Time Name	Busy	F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30			
Integer	5	FU Integer											

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 6

Instruction status				Read				Executiv				Write			
Instruction	j	k		Issue	operand	completi	Result	Issue	operand	completi	Result	Issue	operand	completi	Result
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4								
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6										
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6											
SUBD	F8	F6	F2												
DIVD	F10	F0	F6												
ADDD	F6	F8	F2												

Functional unit status		dest		S1	S2	FU for j			FU for k			Fj?	Fk?
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk				
Integer	Yes	Load	F2		R3								Yes
Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4	Integer		No	Yes				
Mult2	No												
Add	No												
Divide	No												

Register result status		Clock											
Time Name	Busy	F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30			
Mult1	6	FU Integer											

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 7

Instruction status				Read				Executiv				Write			
Instruction	j	k		Issue	operand	completi	Result	Issue	operand	completi	Result	Issue	operand	completi	Result
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4								
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7									
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6											
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7											
DIVD	F10	F0	F6												
ADDD	F6	F8	F2												

Functional unit status		dest		S1	S2	FU for j			FU for k			Fj?	Fk?
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk				
Integer	Yes	Load	F2		R3								Yes
Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4	Integer		No	Yes				
Mult2	No												
Add	Yes	Sub	F8	F6	F2			Integer	Yes	No			
Divide	No												

Register result status		Clock											
Time Name	Busy	F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30			
Mult1	7	FU Integer											
Add		FU Add											

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• Read multiply operands?

Scoreboard Example Cycle 8a

Instruction status				Read				Executiv Write			
Instruction	j	k		Issue	operand	complete	Result				
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4				
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7					
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6							
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7							
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8							
ADDD	F6	F8	F2								

Functional unit status		dest		S1	S2	FU for j		FU for k		Fj?	Fk?
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk		
Integer	Yes	Load	F2		R3					No	Yes
Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4	Integer				No	Yes
Mult2	No										
Add	Yes	Sub	F8	F6	F2			Integer	Yes	Yes	No
Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6	Mult1			No	Yes	Yes

Register result status		Clock									
		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30	
8	FU	Mult1	Integer			Add	Divide				

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 8b

Instruction status				Read				Executiv Write			
Instruction	j	k		Issue	operand	complete	Result				
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4				
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8				
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6							
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7							
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8							
ADDD	F6	F8	F2								

Functional unit status		dest		S1	S2	FU for j		FU for k		Fj?	Fk?
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk		
Integer	No										
Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4					Yes	Yes
Mult2	No										
Add	Yes	Sub	F8	F6	F2					Yes	Yes
Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6	Mult1				No	Yes

Register result status		Clock									
		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30	
8	FU	Mult1			Add	Divide					

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 9

Instruction status				Read				Executiv Write			
Instruction	j	k		Issue	operand	complete	Result				
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4				
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8				
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9						
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9						
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8							
ADDD	F6	F8	F2								

Functional unit status		dest		S1	S2	FU for j		FU for k		Fj?	Fk?
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk		
Integer	No										
Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4					Yes	Yes
Mult2	No										
Add	Yes	Sub	F8	F6	F2					Yes	Yes
Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6	Mult1				No	Yes

Register result status		Clock									
		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30	
9	FU	Mult1			Add	Divide					

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• Read operands for MULT & SUBD? Issue ADDD?

Scoreboard Example Cycle 11

Instruction status				Read				Executiv Write			
Instruction	j	k		Issue	operand	complete	Result				
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4				
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8				
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9						
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9	11					
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8							
ADDD	F6	F8	F2								

Functional unit status		dest		S1	S2	FU for j		FU for k		Fj?	Fk?
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk		
Integer	No										
Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4					Yes	Yes
Mult2	No										
Add	Yes	Sub	F8	F6	F2					Yes	Yes
Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6	Mult1				No	Yes

Register result status		Clock									
		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30	
11	FU	Mult1			Add	Divide					

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 12

Instruction status				Read		Executiv Write	
Instruction	j	k	Issue	operand complet	Result		
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9		
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9	11	12
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8			
ADDD	F6	F8	F2				

Functional unit status		dest		S1	S2	FU for j		FU for k		Fj?	Fk?
Time	Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk	
	Integer	No									
7	Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4				Yes	Yes
	Mult2	No									
	Add	No									
	Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6	Mult1		No	Yes	

Register result status		Clock									
	FU	F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30	
12											
	Mult1										Divide

- Read operands for DIVD?

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 13

Instruction status				Read		Executiv Write	
Instruction	j	k	Issue	operand complet	Result		
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9		
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9	11	12
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8			
ADDD	F6	F8	F2	13			

Functional unit status		dest		S1	S2	FU for j		FU for k		Fj?	Fk?
Time	Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk	
	Integer	No									
6	Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4				Yes	Yes
	Mult2	No									
	Add	Yes	Add	F6	F8	F2				Yes	Yes
	Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6	Mult1		No	Yes	

Register result status		Clock									
	FU	F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30	
13											
	Mult1										Add
											Divide

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 14

Instruction status				Read		Executiv Write	
Instruction	j	k	Issue	operand complet	Result		
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9		
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9	11	12
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8			
ADDD	F6	F8	F2	13	14		

Functional unit status		dest		S1	S2	FU for j		FU for k		Fj?	Fk?
Time	Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk	
	Integer	No									
5	Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4				Yes	Yes
	Mult2	No									
2	Add	Yes	Add	F6	F8	F2				Yes	Yes
	Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6	Mult1		No	Yes	

Register result status		Clock									
	FU	F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30	
14											
	Mult1										Add
											Divide

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 15

Instruction status				Read		Executiv Write	
Instruction	j	k	Issue	operand complet	Result		
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9		
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9	11	12
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8			
ADDD	F6	F8	F2	13	14		

Functional unit status		dest		S1	S2	FU for j		FU for k		Fj?	Fk?
Time	Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk	
	Integer	No									
4	Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4				Yes	Yes
	Mult2	No									
1	Add	Yes	Add	F6	F8	F2				Yes	Yes
	Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6	Mult1		No	Yes	

Register result status		Clock									
	FU	F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30	
15											
	Mult1										Add
											Divide

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 16

Instruction status				Read		Executiv Write	
Instruction	j	k	Issue	operand complete	Result		
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9		
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9	11	12
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8			
ADDD	F6	F8	F2	13	14	16	

Functional unit status		dest	S1	S2	FU for j	FU for k	Fj?	Fk?	
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk
Integer	No								
3 Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4			Yes	Yes
Mult2	No								
0 Add	Yes	Add	F6	F8	F2			Yes	Yes
Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6	Mult1		No	Yes

Register result status		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30
Clock	FU									
16		Mult1			Add		Divide			

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 17

Instruction status				Read		Executiv Write	
Instruction	j	k	Issue	operand complete	Result		
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9		
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9	11	12
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8			
ADDD	F6	F8	F2	13	14	16	

Functional unit status		dest	S1	S2	FU for j	FU for k	Fj?	Fk?	
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk
Integer	No								
2 Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4			Yes	Yes
Mult2	No								
Add	Yes	Add	F6	F8	F2			Yes	Yes
Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6	Mult1		No	Yes

Register result status		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30
Clock	FU									
17		Mult1			Add		Divide			

• Write result of ADDD?

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 18

Instruction status				Read		Executiv Write	
Instruction	j	k	Issue	operand complete	Result		
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9		
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9	11	12
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8			
ADDD	F6	F8	F2	13	14	16	

Functional unit status		dest	S1	S2	FU for j	FU for k	Fj?	Fk?	
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk
Integer	No								
1 Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4			Yes	Yes
Mult2	No								
Add	Yes	Add	F6	F8	F2			Yes	Yes
Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6	Mult1		No	Yes

Register result status		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30
Clock	FU									
18		Mult1			Add		Divide			

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 19

Instruction status				Read		Executiv Write	
Instruction	j	k	Issue	operand complete	Result		
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9	19	
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9	11	12
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8			
ADDD	F6	F8	F2	13	14	16	

Functional unit status		dest	S1	S2	FU for j	FU for k	Fj?	Fk?	
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk
Integer	No								
0 Mult1	Yes	Mult	F0	F2	F4			Yes	Yes
Mult2	No								
Add	Yes	Add	F6	F8	F2			Yes	Yes
Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6	Mult1		No	Yes

Register result status		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30
Clock	FU									
19		Mult1			Add		Divide			

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 20

Instruction status				Read				Executiv Write			
Instruction	j	k		Issue	operand	complete	Result				
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4				
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8				
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9	19	20				
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9	11	12				
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8							
ADDD	F6	F8	F2	13	14	16					

Functional unit status		dest	S1	S2	FU for j	FU for k	Fj?	Fk?	
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk
Integer	No								
Mult1	No								
Mult2	No								
Add	Yes	Add	F6	F8	F2			Yes	Yes
Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6			Yes	Yes

Register result status		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30
Clock	20	FU Add Divide								

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 21

Instruction status				Read				Executiv Write			
Instruction	j	k		Issue	operand	complete	Result				
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4				
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8				
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9	19	20				
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9	11	12				
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8	21						
ADDD	F6	F8	F2	13	14	16					

Functional unit status		dest	S1	S2	FU for j	FU for k	Fj?	Fk?	
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk
Integer	No								
Mult1	No								
Mult2	No								
Add	Yes	Add	F6	F8	F2			Yes	Yes
Divide	Yes	Div	F10	F0	F6			Yes	Yes

Register result status		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30
Clock	21	FU Add Divide								

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 22

Instruction status				Read				Executiv Write			
Instruction	j	k		Issue	operand	complete	Result				
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4				
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8				
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9	19	20				
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9	11	12				
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8	21						
ADDD	F6	F8	F2	13	14	16	22				

Functional unit status		dest	S1	S2	FU for j	FU for k	Fj?	Fk?	
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk
Integer	No								
Mult1	No								
Mult2	No								
Add	No								
Divide	40	Div	F10	F0	F6			Yes	Yes

Register result status		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30
Clock	22	FU Divide								

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 61

Instruction status				Read				Executiv Write			
Instruction	j	k		Issue	operand	complete	Result				
LD	F6	34+	R2	1	2	3	4				
LD	F2	45+	R3	5	6	7	8				
MULT	F0	F2	F4	6	9	19	20				
SUBD	F8	F6	F2	7	9	11	12				
DIVD	F10	F0	F6	8	21	61					
ADDD	F6	F8	F2	13	14	16	22				

Functional unit status		dest	S1	S2	FU for j	FU for k	Fj?	Fk?	
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk
Integer	No								
Mult1	No								
Mult2	No								
Add	No								
Divide	0	Div	F10	F0	F6			Yes	Yes

Register result status		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30
Clock	61	FU Divide								

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Scoreboard Example Cycle 62

Instruction status				Read		Executic Write	
Instruction	j	k		Issue	operand complet	Result	
LD F6 34+ R2				1	2	3	4
LD F2 45+ R3				5	6	7	8
MULT F0 F2 F4				6	9	19	20
SUBD F8 F6 F2				7	9	11	12
DIVD F10 F0 F6				8	21	61	62
ADDD F6 F8 F2				13	14	16	22

Functional unit status		dest	S1	S2	FU for j	FU for k	Fj?	Fk?	
Time Name	Busy	Op	Fi	Fj	Fk	Qj	Qk	Rj	Rk
Integer	No								
Mult1	No								
Mult2	No								
Add	No								
0 Divide	No								

Register result status		F0	F2	F4	F6	F8	F10	F12	...	F30
Clock										
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CDC 6600 Scoreboard

- Speedup 1.7 from compiler; 2.5 by hand BUT slow memory (no cache) limits benefit
- Limitations of 6600 scoreboard:
 - No forwarding hardware
 - Limited to instructions in basic block (small *window*)
 - Small number of functional units (structural hazards), especially integer/load store units
 - Do not issue on structural hazards
 - Wait for WAR hazards
 - Prevent WAW hazards

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Summary

- Instruction Level Parallelism (ILP) in SW or HW
- Loop level parallelism is easiest to see
- SW parallelism dependencies defined for program, hazards if HW cannot resolve
- SW dependencies/compiler sophistication determine if compiler can unroll loops
 - Memory dependencies hardest to determine
- HW exploiting ILP
 - Works when can't know dependence at run time
 - Code for one machine runs well on another
- Key idea of Scoreboard: Allow instructions behind stall to proceed (Decode => Issue instr & read operands)
 - Enables out-of-order execution => out-of-order completion
 - ID stage checked both for structural

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