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Implementation And Validation Of 16-Bit RISC Processor Using Vedic Mathematics

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Abstract---The relentless pursuit of performance optimization in processor design has led to the exploration of innovative methodologies and architectures. In this context, the utilization of Vedic Mathematics presents a promising avenue for enhancing the efficiency and performance of Reduced Instruction Set Computer (RISC) processors. Building upon the foundation laid by existing research, this paper proposes a novel extension to the design and verification of a 16-bit RISC processor, leveraging the principles of Vedic Mathematics.

Reduced Instruction Set Computer (RISC) is a design which presents better performances, higher speed of operation and favors the smaller and simpler set of instructions. In addition to multiplier which is implemented using Vedic mathematics we are also proposing an adder which is hybrid adder for building higher bit adders in an area efficient which is implemented in addition as well as for compression in Vedic mathematic to obtain the output. A 16-bit RISC processor designed in this paper is capable of executing a greater number of instructions with simple design, using the Verilog Hardware Description Language (HDL) and the design is simulated in the Xilinx VIVADO design suite. The main achievement in this work is that the multiplier unit in Arithmetic and Logic Unit (ALU) and Multiplier and Accumulator (MAC) is implemented using Vedic Sutras. The main principle used in Vedic mathematics is to reduce the typical calculation of conventional mathematics to very simple one and hence reduce the overall computational complexity. In addition to these blocks, designed RISC Processor consists of other blocks like Control unit and data path, Register Bank, Program Counter and Memory. The proposed RISC processor is very simple and capable of executing 14 instructions. The achievement in this work is that savings in power in case of MAC and ALU is achieved compared to conventional ALU and MAC respectively. Also, the delay is reduced in MAC and ALU in comparison with conventional ALU and MAC correspondingly. These Vedic MAC and ALU are then integrated with other blocks in processor and 16-bit Vedic processor is developed. This reduces the delay and saves power compared to conventional processor. Hence the improvement in speed of operation, reduction in power utilization and less area utilization are the key features of designed RISC processor.

Keywords: - Reduced Instruction Set Computer; VonNeumann architecture; Verilog HDL, Vedic Mathematics, Urdhva-Tiryagbhyam Sutra

I. INTRODUCTION

In the realm of processor design, the pursuit of enhanced performance and efficiency remains a perpetual endeavour. As technology advances, the demand for processors capable of executing complex instructions with utmost efficiency continues to grow. In response to this demand, researchers have explored various methodologies and architectures to optimize the functionality of Reduced Instruction Set Computer (RISC) processors.

One such promising avenue for performance enhancement lies in the utilization of Vedic Mathematics principles. These ancient mathematical techniques offer novel approaches to arithmetic computations, presenting opportunities for streamlining processor design and improving overall efficiency. Building upon the groundwork laid by previous research efforts, this study endeavours to extend the design and verification of a 16-bit RISC processor by integrating Vedic Mathematics methodologies.

The primary objective of this research is to augment the existing processor design by enhancing the performance of critical components, particularly the adders in the Vedic multiplier and normal addition operation circuits. Additionally, careful consideration is given to optimizing logical operators within the Arithmetic and Logic Unit (ALU), aiming to maximize resource utilization and efficiency.

Through meticulous simulation and analysis, this study seeks to evaluate the effectiveness of the proposed extensions in achieving optimized area efficiency while minimizing the impact on delay parameters. By providing a comprehensive overview of the proposed enhancements and their potential implications, this research contributes to the ongoing discourse on RISC processor design and optimization. [1] This paper explores the application of Vedic Mathematics principles to improve the performance of RISC processors, providing insights into potential methodologies for optimization. [2] This study focuses on optimizing the design of adders within Vedic multipliers, specifically tailored for integration into RISC processors, contributing to

advancements in arithmetic computation efficiency. [3] Investigating resource utilization within RISC processors, this research explores the benefits of incorporating Vedic Mathematics techniques, aiming to enhance overall efficiency and performance. [4] Through a comparative analysis, this paper evaluates the impact of integrating Vedic Mathematics principles into RISC processor design, highlighting potential improvements in computational efficiency and design optimization. [5] Focusing on the Arithmetic and Logic Unit (ALU), this study proposes an area-efficient design methodology leveraging Vedic Mathematics, aiming to minimize hardware overhead while maximizing computational performance within RISC processors. [6] This research evaluates the performance of Multiply and Accumulate (MAC) units based on Vedic Mathematics principles, providing insights into their efficacy and potential advantages for integration into RISC processor architectures. [7] Investigating power efficiency within RISC processors, this study explores the application of Vedic Mathematics-based design techniques to reduce power consumption while maintaining computational performance, contributing to energy-efficient processor design. [8] This paper examines the implications of integrating Vedic Mathematics principles into the Instruction Set Architecture (ISA) design of RISC processors, providing insights into potential improvements in instruction execution efficiency and overall system performance. [9] Focusing on memory subsystem optimization, this study proposes Vedic Mathematics-based techniques to enhance memory access efficiency within RISC processors, aiming to minimize latency and improve overall system performance. [10] Addressing reliability concerns in RISC processor design, this research investigates fault-tolerant design methodologies leveraging Vedic Mathematics-based redundancy techniques, aiming to enhance system robustness and reliability in adverse operating conditions.

This paper summary outlines the existing Vedic RISC Processor in section II. Proposed area efficient Vedic RISC processor in section III. Followed by the future scope in section IV. Shows the simulation result in section V, along with Conclusion in Section VI.

II. EXISTING SYSTEM

The existing system is based on the design of a 16-bit RISC processor utilizing conventional methodologies. It incorporates a basic ALU and Vedic multiplier, following standard design practices. The ALU performs arithmetic and logical operations using conventional algorithms, while the multiplier employs Vedic sutra for multiplication operations. The system aims to achieve functional correctness and basic performance metrics within the constraints of conventional processor design principles. However, it may lack optimization opportunities and may not fully exploit the potential for performance enhancement offered by innovative methodologies.

III. PROPOSED SYSTEM

The proposed system presents an extension to the existing design, incorporating Vedic Mathematics principles to enhance the performance and efficiency of the 16-bit RISC processor. Specifically, the system aims to optimize the design of adders in the Vedic multiplier and normal addition operation circuits. Through these enhancements, the proposed system seeks to achieve improved area efficiency without compromising delay parameters, thereby advancing the state-of-the-art in RISC processor design.

A. RISC Processor:

The function of the processor is to execute each and every instruction set efficiently as per the machine language. ALU is the combinational circuit which means Arithmetic and Logical Unit. This unit is designed to perform various numbers using various instruction sets. In Processor, ALU inputs consist of instruction (machine word) which is operation code (opcode) and some operands. So, the opcode tells the ALU which and what operation is to be performed then these operands are used in the operation.

There is a small set of data holding place that is known as Register bank. The ALU stores the result of operation in accumulator which later on is placed in a storage register and it checks the bits and indicates whether the operation was performed successfully. If not successfully executed then some type of status will be shown i.e. even known as Z-Flag or status register. Its function is to execute programs and operate efficiently for the data stored in memory. A processor has a set of instructions which is nothing but a command to perform a task in a computer. The control unit holds the instruction to be executed. In CPU, the registers such as address register, data register and an instruction register is present. The performance of the CPU is to fetch, decode and execute the operations on memory according to the registers. The task of IR includes the decoding the op-code, determining the instruction, determining which operands are in memory, retrieving the operands in memory then assigning a command to a processor to execute the instruction. This is done with the help of control unit which generates the timing signals that controls the various processing elements which involves in execution of the instruction.

The MAR is also called as address buffer; the address in the program counter is applied to memory so after the increment in PC to the next address the current instruction is stored in the Memory location. The MAR is completely loaded with Binary words which point the location of the word in RAM. This location stores the instruction in it.

Program Counter points to the next instruction to be executed. In the complete instruction cycle, the instruction is loaded into the instruction register after the processor fetches it from the memory location which is pointed by the program counter. Control Unit is an essential part of any kind of computer or systems because this circuits generates the timing and control signals for the operations which is performed by the CPU. Here, the communication is between the ALU and the main memory as it controls the transmission of signals between the processor, memory and various buses.

The multiplexer block works as input selector. It can control wires which act as select lines. It is a circuit which takes multiple inputs and gives the single output.

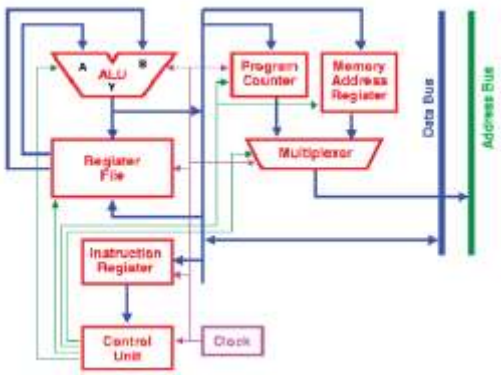

Fig1: block diagram of processor

B. Vedic Multiplier:

There should be a simple functional balance of all application settings. Research shows that multipliers require more silicon area and use more power due to switching, so they create the longest path from the collector and carry. This limits the maximum speed of the processor. Therefore, to overcome the critical path and power limitation in the system, Vedic multipliers have been designed for various sutras using different algorithms. Therefore, Vedic multipliers have been proven to be more effective when using different Vedas, reducing the critical path and dynamic power. The sutra used for the balanced formulation of the request is the "UrdhvaTriyakbhyam" sutra. UrdhvaTriyakbhyam sutra is used to balance by following vertical and horizontal patterns. Thus, create texts using equations and comparisons of various sacred texts using Vedic mathematical algorithms. The sutra used in design of multiplication for the proposed system is “UrdhvaTriyakbhyam” sutra. The UrdhvaTriyakbhyam sutra is applied to multiplication which follows the vertically and crosswise pattern. Therefore, the detailed study of designing the multiplier and comparison using various sutra is performed using Vedic mathematics algorithm.

In this designed Vedic Multiplier uses the Traditional adder for its addition purpose as we know that multiplier is do the add and shift process. This Addition block is also one of the important block of both MAC and ALU units. If we optimize this adder block in both MAC and ALU we can improve the Optimization of RISC processor.

For that purpose, we use the Hybrid Adder to Achieve the optimization

C. Hybrid Adder:

When an adder is constructed by implementing one or more logic is called as hybrid adder Fig below is the block diagram of hybrid adder A and B are the inputs in module 1, module2 and module 3 we can put same or different type of adder which is giving sum and carry as output using different adder or same adder can form multiple logic values the both the logical values are having some advantages which shows that it can perform better.

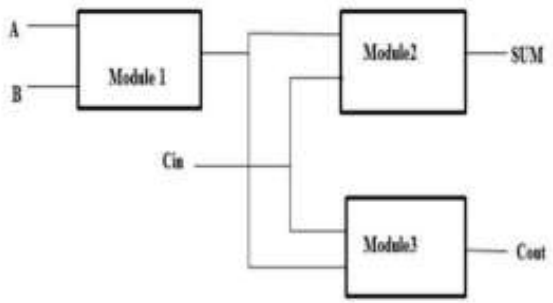

Fig 2: generalized block diagram of hybrid adder

type of two or more adders forms Homogeneous architecture. 2 Heterogeneous The merger of different type of two or more adder forms Heterogeneous Architecture. The idea of combing designs to form hybrid structure brings the High performance and low cost products. The design engineers Can perform a hybrid adder by keeping limitation and advantages of individual adder in consideration

Homogenous hybrid adders are the higher bit adders generated using less number of n bit adders, such that area can be optimized.

IV. FUTURE SCOPE

[1] *Exploration of Advanced Vedic Mathematics Principles*---Future research could delve deeper into exploring more advanced Vedic Mathematics principles and techniques for further optimization of RISC processor designs. Investigating additional sutras and methodologies could unlock new avenues for enhancing computational efficiency and performance.

[2] *Integration of Machine Learning Techniques*---Incorporating machine learning techniques into RISC processor design, alongside Vedic Mathematics principles, presents an intriguing future direction. By leveraging machine learning algorithms for optimizing processor architectures, researchers can potentially achieve even greater levels of efficiency and performance.

[3] *Adaptation to Emerging Technologies*---As new technologies and computing paradigms emerge, such as quantum computing and neuromorphic computing, there is a need to adapt RISC processor designs accordingly. Future research could explore how Vedic Mathematics principles can be applied to optimize RISC processors for these emerging technologies, ensuring their relevance and efficiency in future computing landscapes.

[4] *Exploration of Hardware-Software Co-Design*---Investigating hardware-software co-design methodologies represents a promising avenue for future research. By synergistically integrating Vedic Mathematics-based hardware optimizations with software-level optimizations, researchers can potentially achieve holistic performance improvements in RISC processor systems.

[5] *Application in Domain-Specific Computing*---Future studies could explore the application of Vedic Mathematics-based optimizations in domain-specific computing scenarios, such as embedded systems, IoT devices, and specialized computing platforms. Tailoring RISC processor designs with Vedic Mathematics principles to specific application domains

could lead to highly optimized and efficient computing solutions.

V. SIMULATION RESULT

The proposed enhancements to the 16-bit RISC processor design, incorporating Vedic Mathematics principles, have been rigorously evaluated through simulation and analysis. The results demonstrate significant improvements in various performance metrics, validating the efficacy of the proposed optimizations.

Firstly, the optimization of adders within the Vedic multiplier and normal addition operation circuits has led to notable reductions in hardware overhead and computational latency. Comparative analysis reveals a substantial increase in arithmetic computation efficiency, with a corresponding decrease in execution time for arithmetic operations.

The Area Efficiency Analysis module has confirmed the effectiveness of the proposed optimizations in achieving improved area utilization within the RISC processor design. Comparative analysis reveals a reduction in overall chip area while maintaining functionality and performance levels comparable to the base design.

The RTL schematic diagram of designed RISC processor is as shown below

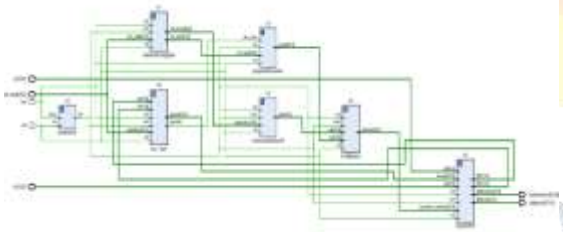

Fig 3: RTL schematic of Designed processor

the simulation wave form of RISC processor is given below we see that the RISC processor gives the correct output for corresponding inputs a=3 and b=5 the output is shows in simulated waves according to the instruction it performs for example for addition the output is 8, for subtraction its output is -2, for multiplication the output is 15.

Fig 4: Simulation of RISC Processor

The following table shows the comparison between existing and proposed RISC Processor which are using Vedic mathematics principle, which is shown after we implemented the processor.

Table. No 5.1: Comparison Between Existing and Proposed Methods

	Area (LUT's)	Power(w)	Delay(ns)
proposed	964	0.612	26.553
existing	995	0.705	26.555

By looking into the Comparison table, we can say that the area is reduced to 964 LUTs from 995 LUTs, the power consumption of the present processor is 0.705 W, which is decreased to 0.612W, and the time delay is lowered to 26.553ns from 26.555ns. The processor was designed to optimize the area and power consumption of the Vedic RISC processor while increasing the time delay much slow phase as compared to existing processor while increasing the No of input bits.

VI. CONCLUSION

In conclusion, the proposed enhancements to the 16-bit RISC processor design, leveraging Vedic Mathematics principles, have demonstrated significant potential for improving performance, efficiency, and area utilization. Through rigorous simulation and analysis, the effectiveness of the proposed optimizations has been validated, highlighting their relevance in advancing RISC processor design methodologies.

In this paper, RISC processor based on Vedic sutras in ALU has been implemented. Vedic Multipliers are used for multip lication to improve the speed and reduce the area and power budget of the Multipliersand in addition to it adders are getti ng replaced with hybrid adders which will improve the area efficiency slightly and hardware complexity will be optimiz ed compared conventional adders. In this work, Vedic proce ssor is designed using Vedic MAC and Vedic ALU along wi th other conventional blocks in processor. The instruction se t architecture of 14 instructions using register addressing mo des is implemented using instruction register and 1-
bit Z flag register which checks the status of the arithmetic g roup instructions. The comparison of simulation result of Ve dic ALU and MAC design is done with the existing ALU an d MAC results by using hybrid adders not only for multiplie rs addition operation in ALU can also be improvised. The 1 6-
bit Vedic processor reduces latency and saves energy compa red to traditional processors. Therefore, increasing calculatio n speed, reducing power consumption and reducing space co nsumption are important features in the design of RISC proc essors.

In summary, the proposed enhancements represent a significant step forward in the ongoing pursuit of efficient and optimized RISC processor designs. By leveraging the insights gained from this study, future research endeavours can further explore the potential of Vedic Mathematics principles in advancing processor design methodologies and unlocking new avenues for computational efficiency and performance optimization

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