COE 301: Computer Organization – Term 211

Quiz 3: MIPS Arrays and Loops, Thursday, October 13, 2021

SOLUTION

Translate the following loop into MIPS assembly code, where **A**, **B**, and **C** are arrays of words (unsigned integers) whose base addresses are in **\$a0**, **\$a1**, and **\$a2**, respectively.

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for (i=0; i<99; i++) {
    A[i+1] = A[i] + B[i+1];
    C[i] = (A[i+1]<<2) / B[i];
}</pre>
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| | li | \$t0, 0 | # i = 0 |
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| | li | | |
| for | | | # load t2 = A[i] |
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| | lw | \$t3, 4(\$a1) | # load t3 = B[i+1] |
| | addu | \$t4, \$t2, \$t3 | # t4 = A[i] + B[i+1] |
| | SW | \$t4, 4(\$a0) | # store A[i+1] = t4 |
| | sll | \$t5 = \$t4, 2 | # t5 = A[i+1]<<2 |
| | lw | \$t6, 0(\$a1) | # load t6 = B[i] |
| | divu | \$t5, \$t6 | <pre># Divide (A[i+1]<<2) / B[i]</pre> |
| | mflo | \$t7 | # t7 = quotient |
| | SW | \$t7, 0(\$a2) | <pre># store C[i] = t7</pre> |
| | addiu | \$a0, \$a0, 4 | <pre># point to next A[i]</pre> |
| | addiu | \$a1, \$a1, 4 | <pre># point to next B[i]</pre> |
| | addiu | \$a2,\$a2,4 | <pre># point to next C[i]</pre> |
| | addiu | \$t0, \$t0, 1 | # i++ |
| | bne | \$t0, \$t1, for | <pre># loop back if (i!=99)</pre> |