Chapter 03 Arithmetic optimization and the Linux Framebuffer

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FIGURE 3.1 Fractional source pixel.



FIGURE 3.2 Byte offsets for each color channel of each pixel within a 24-bit RGB frame.



FIGURE 3.3 Two (32,16) values multiplied to produce (64,32) product. To convert the product to a (32,16) value, the lower 16 bits of r5 and the upper 16 bits of r4 need to be combined into a single register. To do this, the compiler uses shift operations to isolate the bits and uses an OR instruction to combine them into a single register.

	32- <i>n</i> - <i>m</i> bits		n bits	<i>m</i> bits
Х	32- <i>n</i> - <i>m</i> bits		n bits	<i>m</i> bits
	32- <i>n</i> -2 <i>m</i> bits	n bits	2m bits	

FIGURE 3.4 Multiplying two (32,*m*) values when *n*+2 *m*<32.



FIGURE 3.5 Mandelbrot set.



FIGURE 3.6 An 8-bit multiplier implemented with 4-bit multipliers.