

Lab 1

Write a program in **LC-3 machine language** (use zeros and ones) to detect whether or not a 16-bit value has at least three consecutive '1's.

The following examples satisfy this property:

```
0000 0000 0000 0111
0000 0001 1100 0000
1111 1101 1101 1101
```

The following examples **do not** satisfy this property:

```
0000 0000 0000 0000
0101 0101 0101 0101
1101 1011 0110 1101
```

Requirements

1. Your program should start at x3000 which means the first instruction of your program is located in position x3000.

Hint: The first line of each program specify the start address of the program.

```
0011 0000 0000 0000 ; (.ORIG x3000)
..... ; your first instruction of the program
```

2. Your program should load memory location x3100 to get the value to be detected. If the value satisfy this property, store value 1 in R2, otherwise store 0.
3. Halt the machine after executing your program.

Hint: Machine code for HALT `TRAP x25` is `1111 0000 0010 0101`.

Grading

Lab 1 takes 5 points of the total score, consisting of Check part (60%) and Report part (40%).

Due: July 13, Monday

- **Check** (60% of each lab)
 - Find a TA to check your code in person, TAs may ask you questions when grading your lab assignment, you will get 100%, 80% or 60% of the checking score according to your response.
 - You can try again if you fail in checking, but there will be a penalty of -10% (of checking part) for each try.

- **Report** (40% of each lab)

- English report should be concise and carrying main ideas. Try to use the report to convince TAs that you complete the task by yourself.
- Your lab report should contains the following contents:
 - Your algorithm. The complexity of your algorithm will not affect your score.
 - Brief explanation of your code.
 - Source code with sufficient comments. Comments begin with semicolon ';'.

- **Penalty**

- Delay: -10% per day. If more than 5 days, -100%.
- Cheating: -100% of this lab. Besides, -10% of the total score.