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sw a0,36(x0)
addi a0,x0,23
sw a0,40(x0)
#Set a0 register as address of first element of arr[]
addi a0,x0,0
#value of key: element to be searched
addi a1,x0,17
#Size of the arr[]
addi a2,x0,10
#Start the Binary Search
  addi t1, zero, 0 # left = 0
  addi t2, a2, -1 # right = size - 1
LOOP1:
# while loop
  blt t2, t1, HALT # right < left, break
  add t0, t1, t2 # mid = left + right
  srai t0, t0, 1 # mid = (left + right) / 2
  # Get the element at the midpoint
  slli t4, t0, 2 # Scale the midpoint by 4
  add t4, a0, t4 # Get the memory address of arr[mid]
     t4, 0(t4) # Dereference arr[mid]
  lw
  # See if the needle (a1) > arr[mid] (t3)
  bge t4, a1, LOOP2 # if key <= t4, we need to check the next condition
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# If we get here, then the key is > arr[mid]
addi t1, t0, 1 # left = mid + 1
jal zero, LOOP1
LOOP2:
beq a1, t4, FOUND # skip if key === arr[mid]
# If we get here, then key < arr[mid]
addi t2, t0, -1 # right = mid - 1
jal zero, LOOP1
FOUND:
# If we get here, then key == arr[mid]
slli sp, t0, 2 # Scale the midpoint by 4
lw ra, 0(sp)
HALT:
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