Experiment 1： Loop and Branch Programming

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1. Experiment Requirements and Objective

a) Be able to code, assemble, and execute a program with Visual C++ and MASM.
b) Know how to link your programs to an external code library.
c) Know how to create conditional and looping structures using assembly language.

2. Experiment Environment

a) Hardware environment

The microcomputer CPU more than Pentium, more than 120GB capacity hard drive, more than 1GB of memory.

b) Software environment

Visual Studio 2008 and above versions of applications.

3. Experiment Content

a) The sum and the maximum

Write a program that inputs 10 decimal integers from the keyboard and outputs the sum and the maximum value of them on the console window.

b) Print Fibonacci until overflow

Write a program that calculates and displays the Fibonacci number sequence {1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13 …}, stopping only when the Carry flag is set. Display each unsigned decimal integer value on a separate line.

c) Test Score Evaluation

Using the following table as a guide, write a program that asks the user to enter multiple integer test scores until the test score is less than 0 or greater than 100.

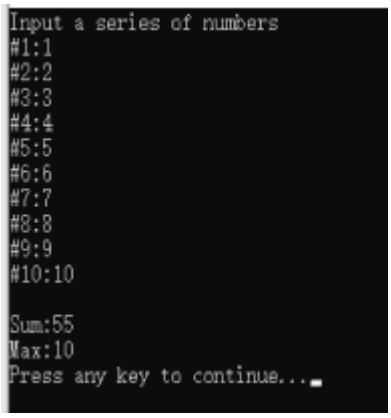
Score Range	Letter Grade
90 to 100	A
80 to 89	B
70 to 79	C
60 to 69	D
0 to 59	F

The program should accumulate a counter of the number of test scores, and display test scores in descending order with an appropriate letter grade for each test score

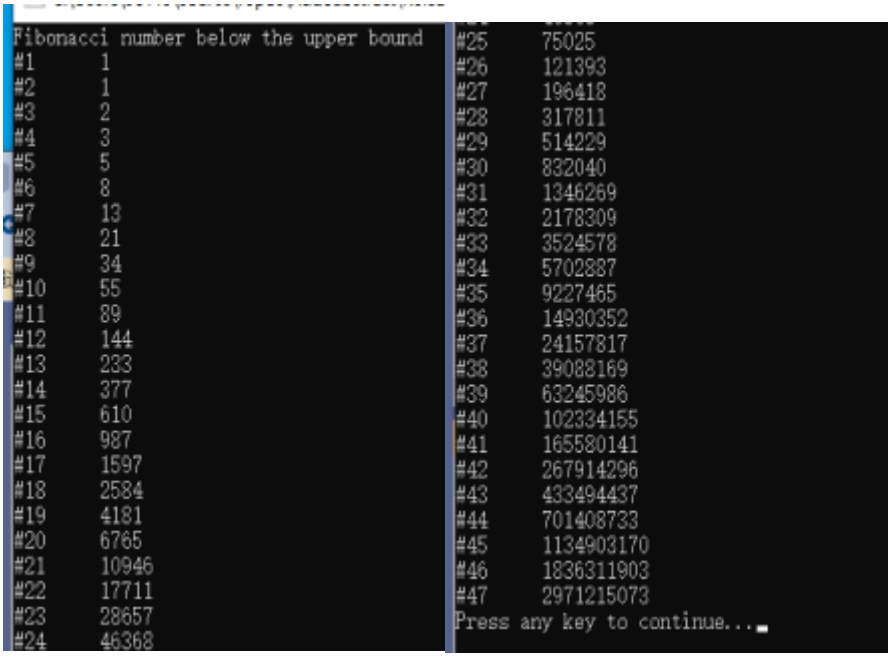
4. Experiment Result

Screenshots of program execution:

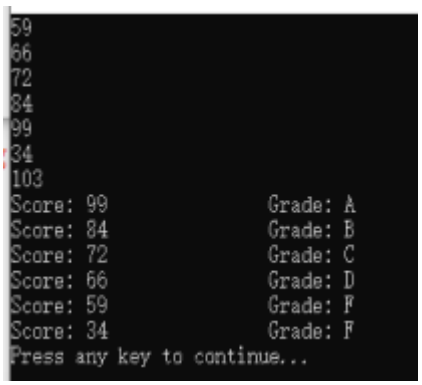
a) Content one:



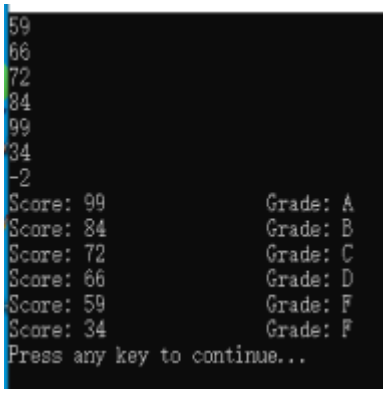
b) Content two:



c) Content three:



End with the number larger than 100



End with the number smaller 0

5. Source Code of Programs

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title one
include Irvine32.inc
.data
    num     dword 10 dup(?)
    sum     dword 0
    max     dword ?
    hint BYTE "Input a series of numbers",0
    hints   BYTE "Sum:",0
    hintm   BYTE "Max:",0

.code
main proc
    mov     ecx,10
    mov     esi,0
    ;mov sum,0
    mov     edx,OFFSET hint
    call WriteString
    call Crlf
l1:
    mov     al,'#'
    call WriteChar
    mov     ebx,esi
    sar     ebx,2    ;右移2位
    add     ebx,1
    mov     eax,ebx
    call WriteDec
    mov     al,':'
    call WriteChar
    call ReadInt  ;读入后放入eax寄存器里
    add     sum,eax
    cmp     esi,0
    jne     notFirstInt
    mov     max,eax

notFirstInt:
    cmp     max,eax
    jnb     l2
    mov     max,eax

l2:
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    add     esi,4
    loop l1
    call Crlf
    mov     edx,OFFSET hints
    call WriteString
    mov     eax,sum
    call WriteDec
    call Crlf
    mov     edx,OFFSET hintm
    call WriteString
    mov     eax,max
    call WriteDec
    call Crlf
    call WaitMsg
    exit

main endp
end main
;.data
;   num dword 10 dup(?)
;   sum dword ?
;   max dword ?

;.code
;   mov ecx,10
;   mov esi,0
;   mov sum,0
;next:
;   call readdec
;   mov num[esi],eax
;   add sum,eax
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title two

INCLUDE Irvine32.inc

.data
    temp DWORD 0
    count    DWORD 1
    hint BYTE "Fibonacci number below the upper bound",0

.code
main proc
    mov      edx,OFFSET hint
    call WriteString
    call Crlf
    MOV      AL,'#'
    CALL WriteChar
    mov      eax,count
    call WriteDec
    add      count,1
    mov      al,' '
    call WriteChar
    mov      eax,1
    call WriteDec
    call Crlf
    MOV      AL,'#'
    CALL WriteChar
    mov      eax,count
    call WriteDec
    add      count,1
    mov      al,' '
    call WriteChar
    mov      eax,1
    call WriteDec
    call Crlf
    mov      ebx,1
    mov      edx,1
    jmp      processing

processing:
    mov      temp,edx
    add      edx,ebx
    jc       outstep
    MOV      AL,'#'
    CALL WriteChar
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    mov     eax,count
    call WriteDec
    add     count,1
    mov     al,''
    call WriteChar
    mov     eax,edx
    call WriteDec
    call Crlf
    mov     ebx,temp
    jmp     processing

outstep:
    call WaitMsg
    exit

main endp
end main
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title  Again

INCLUDE  Irvine32.inc

.data
    array    dword    128      DUP(?)
    time dword    0
    desOut   dword    ?
    desIn    dword    ?
    total    dword    ?
    four DWORD    4
    hintScore        BYTE "Score: ",0
    hintGrade        BYTE "       Grade: ",0

.code
main proc
    mov     ebx, 0
    mov     edx, 0
Input:
    call ReadInt
    cmp     eax,0
    jl      Bubble
    cmp     eax,100
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    jg      Bubble
    mov     [ebx+array],eax
    add     ebx,4
    mov     eax,lengthof array
    mul     four
    cmp     ebx,lengthof array
    jge     Bubble
    jmp     Input

Bubble:
    mov     eax,ebx
    dec     eax
    mul     four
    mov     desOut,eax
    add     eax,4
    mov     desIn,eax
    mov     ebx,0
    mov     edx,0
    .while  ebx < desOut
        mov     edx,ebx
        add     edx,4
        .while  edx  < desIn
            mov  ecx,[edx+array]
            .if [ebx+array] < ecx
                mov  eax,[ebx+array]
                mov  esi,[edx+array]
                mov [edx+array],eax
                mov [ebx+array],esi
            .endif
            add   edx,4
        .endw
        add   ebx,4
    .endw

    mov  ebx,0
    .while  ebx < desIn
Loop1:
        mov     eax,[ebx+array]
        cmp     eax,0
        jle     Over
        jmp     levelA
Iter:
        add     ebx,4
    .endw
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levelA:
    cmp     eax,90
    jl      levelB
    mov     edx,OFFSET hintScore
    call WriteString
    call WriteDec
    mov     edx,OFFSET hintGrade
    call WriteString
    mov     al,'A'
    call WriteChar
    call Crlf
    jmp     Iter

levelB:
    cmp     eax,80
    jl      levelC
    mov     edx,OFFSET hintScore
    call WriteString
    call WriteDec
    mov     edx,OFFSET hintGrade
    call WriteString
    mov     al,'B'
    call WriteChar
    call Crlf
    jmp     Iter

levelC:
    cmp     eax,70
    jl      levelD
    mov     edx,OFFSET hintScore
    call WriteString
    call WriteDec
    mov     edx,OFFSET hintGrade
    call WriteString
    mov     al,'C'
    call WriteChar
    call Crlf
    jmp     Iter

levelD:
    cmp     eax,60
    jl      levelF
    mov     edx,OFFSET hintScore
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    call WriteString
    call WriteDec
    mov     edx,OFFSET hintGrade
    call WriteString
    mov     al,'D'
    call WriteChar
    call Crlf
    jmp     Iter

levelF:
    mov     edx,OFFSET hintScore
    call WriteString
    call WriteDec
    mov     edx,OFFSET hintGrade
    call WriteString
    mov     al,'F'
    call WriteChar
    call Crlf
    jmp     Iter

Over:
    call WaitMsg
    exit
main endp
end main
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6. Summary

Preparations:
For the whole experiment, we prepare the environment first:

- Install Visual Studio and choose the corresponding addon.
- Install the library: Irvine32.inc.
- Add and link the path in the properties (Three places need to be modified).

Then, we can start with the creating a project

- Add the source file
- Modify the properties of the project → Generate the dependencies → Generate the self-defined → choose the masm
- Start to write

Writing the program:
a) For the content one, we can turn the requirements into the following contents:

- Get the input from the keyboard
- Find the maximal number
- Sum the numbers up.

We can decide whether to use the array or not. Here we choose not to use the array. Use two variables. One for storing the total, the other for storing the maximal number. The registers inside:

- Eax → Store the number input
- Al → Output the character
- Edx → Output the string

Add more details to make the interface more friendly.
Use some procedures in the library:

- WriteString → Output the string
- WriteChar → Output a single character
- WriteDec → Output an unsigned integer
- ReadInt → Get an integer from the keyboard
- Crlf → Line feed
- WaitMsg → Pause when complete the work

b) For the content two, we can turn the requirements into the following contents:

- Repeated calculation between the numbers, with the help of the registers. (We cannot operate with two memory operands)
- Check the carry flag instead of the overflow flag because of the unsigned integers.
- Output the number until it overflows. (Conditional jump)

We can also decide whether to use the array or not. Here we choose not to use the array. Use two variables. One for storing the current number. The other for counting the times we output

the Fibonacci number. Notice that flags will change through each arithmetic. The register inside:

- Eax → Store the number input
- Al → Output the character
- Edx → Output the string/Storing the Fibonacci number (Larger one)
- Ebx → Storing the Fibonacci number (Smaller one)

Add more details to make the interface more friendly.
Use some procedures in the library: The same as content one.

c) For the content three, we can turn the requirements into the following contents:

- Get the score input from the keyboard
- Store a series of scores in the array (Connect to the offset)
- Sort them in descending order (Conditional jump and loops)
- Judge the grade according to the score (Conditional jump)
- Output the number and the corresponding grade

Here we must use the array since we need to do the sorting. Pay attention to:

- Memory operands, it's too easy to make mistakes like operating with two memory operands.
- The same as the offset due to the "DWORD" variables. Each time we shift two bits instead of self-increasing.
- Data transformation through the memory operands and registers. Mistakes may be occurred (Covered by other numbers) due to the incorrect and careless operations.

Registers:

- Eax → Store the number input
- Al → Output the character
- Edx → Output the string/ Inner loop iterative number
- Ebx → Outer loop iterative number/Data transformation
- Esi/Ecx → Data transformation

Add more details to make the interface more friendly.
Use some procedures in the library: The same as content one.

In conclusion:

- Easy operations but lengthy procedures
- Sometimes what we thought is easy to realize with high-level language may not be easy to realize with the assembly language.
- More precisely coding, otherwise it has a higher probability to make mistakes.