

REPORT ON ASSEMBLY LEVEL LANGUAGE OF A BASIC C PROGRAM

CPL ASSIGNMENT 4

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The C program can do two operations :

- 1) Accumulate the sum of all elements from arr[0] to arr[i] of an array 'arr[]' in acc[i], for $0 \leq i < n$, where n is the size of 'arr[]' and 'acc[]' is another array of same type and size.
- 2) Print the count of positive numbers, negative numbers and zeroes in the array 'arr[]'.

These two are selected using a switch case statement.

C PROGRAM

// BT19CSE033, Gowtham Gorrepati, Assignment-4, .c file

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#include <stdio.h>
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int main()
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{
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    int choose = 2, n = 6, i;
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    int arr[] = {3, 4, -2, 4, 1, 0};
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    int acc[6]; // acc[i] accumulates the sum of all arr[j] such that j<=i
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    switch(choose) {
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        case 1: { // to accumulate
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            int sum = 0;
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                for(i=0; i<n; i++) {
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                    sum += arr[i];
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                    acc[i] = sum;
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                }
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                printf("Accumulated array is : ");
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                for(i=0; i<n; i++)
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                    printf("%d ", acc[i]);
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                printf("\n");
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        }
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        break;
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        case 2: { // to count number of +ve numbers, -ve numbers, zeroes in array
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            int pc, nc, zc;
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            pc = nc = zc = 0;
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        for(i=0; i<n; i++) {
            if(arr[i]<0)
                nc++;
            else if(arr[i]>0)
                pc++;
            else
                zc++;
        }
        printf("Number of negative numbers : %d\n", nc);
        printf("Number of zeroes : %d\n", zc);
        printf("Number of positive numbers : %d\n", pc);
        printf("\n");
    }
    break;
default : break;
}
return 0;
}

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ASSEMBLY LEVEL PROGRAM

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.file    "BT19CSE033_Assignment_4.c"
.text
.section     .rodata
.LC0:
.string "Accumulated array is : "
.LC1:
.string "%d "
.align 8
.LC2:
.string "Number of negative numbers : %d\n"
.LC3:
.string "Number of zeroes : %d\n"
.align 8
.LC4:
.string "Number of positive numbers : %d\n"
.text

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<pre> .globl main .type main, @function main: .cfi_startproc endbr64 pushq %rbp .cfi_def_cfa_offset 16 .cfi_offset 6, -16 movq %rsp, %rbp .cfi_def_cfa_register 6 subq \$96, %rsp movq %fs:40, %rax movq %rax, -8(%rbp) xorl %eax, %eax movl \$2, -72(%rbp) movl \$6, -68(%rbp) movl \$3, -64(%rbp) movl \$4, -60(%rbp) movl \$-2, -56(%rbp) movl \$4, -52(%rbp) movl \$1, -48(%rbp) movl \$0, -44(%rbp) cmpl \$1, -72(%rbp) je .L2 cmpl \$2, -72(%rbp) je .L3 jmp .L9 .L2: movl \$0, -88(%rbp) movl \$0, -92(%rbp) jmp .L5 .L6: movl -92(%rbp), %eax cltq movl -64(%rbp,%rax,4), %eax addl %eax, -88(%rbp) movl -92(%rbp), %eax cltq movl -88(%rbp), %edx movl %edx, -32(%rbp,%rax,4) </pre>	<pre> <i># main code begins here</i> <i># push main function frame pointer 'rbp' on the stack</i> <i># set stack pointer to frame pointer</i> <i># space allocation for function on stack</i> <i># move the immediate value '2' to variable 'choose'</i> <i># move the immediate value '6' to variable 'n'</i> <i># move the immediate value '3' to variable 'arr[0]'</i> <i># move the immediate value '4' to variable 'arr[1]'</i> <i># move the immediate value '-2' to variable 'arr[2]'</i> <i># move the immediate value '4' to variable 'arr[3]'</i> <i># move the immediate value '1' to variable 'arr[4]'</i> <i># move the immediate value '0' to variable 'arr[5]'</i> <i># compare immediate value '1' with 'choose'</i> <i># jump to '.L2' if 'choose' equals '1'</i> <i># compare immediate value '2' with 'choose'</i> <i># jump to '.L3' if 'choose' equals '2'</i> <i># jump to label '.L9'</i> <i># Label '.L2'</i> <i># move the immediate value '0' to variable 'sum'</i> <i># move the immediate value '0' to variable 'i'</i> <i># jump to label '.L5'</i> <i># Label '.L6'</i> <i># move the value of variable 'i' to register '%eax'</i> <i># convert doubleword in '%eax' to quadword in '%rax'</i> <i># move the value of 'arr[i]' to register '%eax'</i> <i># add the value of 'arr[i]' to variable 'sum'</i> <i># move the value of variable 'i' to register '%eax'</i> <i># convert doubleword in '%eax' to quadword in '%rax'</i> <i># move the value of variable 'sum' to register '%edx'</i> <i># move the value in register '%edx' to 'acc[i]'</i> </pre>
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	addl \$1, -92(%rbp)	<i># increment the value of variable 'i' by 1</i>
.L5:		<i># Label '.L5'</i>
	movl -92(%rbp), %eax	<i># move the value of variable 'i' to register '%eax'</i>
	cmpl -68(%rbp), %eax	<i># compare value of variable 'i' with 'n'</i>
	jl .L6	<i># jump to '.L6' if 'i' is less than 'n'</i>
	leaq .LC0(%rip), %rdi	<i># load effective address, memory '.LC0(%rip)' to '%rdi'</i>
	movl \$0, %eax	<i># move the immediate value '0' to register '%eax'</i>
	call printf@PLT	<i># call printf</i>
	movl \$0, -92(%rbp)	<i># move the immediate value '0' to variable 'i'</i>
	jmp .L7	<i># jump to label '.L7'</i>
.L8:		<i># Label '.L8'</i>
	movl -92(%rbp), %eax	<i># move the value of variable 'i' to register '%eax'</i>
	cltq	<i># convert doubleword in '%eax' to quadword in '%rax'</i>
	movl -32(%rbp,%rax,4), %eax	<i># move the value of 'acc[i]' to register '%eax'</i>
	movl %eax, %esi	<i># move the value in register '%eax' to register '%esi'</i>
	leaq .LC1(%rip), %rdi	<i># load effective address, memory '.LC1(%rip)' to '%rdi'</i>
	movl \$0, %eax	<i># move the immediate value '0' to register '%eax'</i>
	call printf@PLT	<i># call printf</i>
	addl \$1, -92(%rbp)	<i># increment the value of variable 'i' by 1</i>
.L7:		<i># Label '.L7'</i>
	movl -92(%rbp), %eax	<i># move the value of variable 'i' to register '%eax'</i>
	cmpl -68(%rbp), %eax	<i># compare value of variable 'i' with 'n'</i>
	jl .L8	<i># jump to '.L8' if 'i' is less than 'n'</i>
	movl \$10, %edi	<i># move the immediate value '10' to register '%edi'</i>
	call putchar@PLT	<i># call putchar</i>
	jmp .L9	<i># jump to label '.L9'</i>
.L3:		<i># Label '.L3'</i>
	movl \$0, -76(%rbp)	<i># move the immediate value '0' to variable 'zc'</i>
	movl -76(%rbp), %eax	<i># move the value of variable 'zc' to register '%eax'</i>
	movl %eax, -80(%rbp)	<i># move the value in register '%eax' to variable 'nc'</i>
	movl -80(%rbp), %eax	<i># move the value of variable 'nc' to register '%eax'</i>
	movl %eax, -84(%rbp)	<i># move the value in register '%eax' to variable 'pc'</i>
	movl \$0, -92(%rbp)	<i># move the immediate value '0' to variable 'i'</i>
	jmp .L10	<i># jump to label '.L10'</i>
.L14:		<i># Label '.L14'</i>
	movl -92(%rbp), %eax	<i># move the value of variable 'i' to register '%eax'</i>
	cltq	<i># convert doubleword in '%eax' to quadword in '%rax'</i>
	movl -64(%rbp,%rax,4), %eax	<i># move the value of 'arr[i]' to register '%eax'</i>
	testl %eax, %eax	<i># set condition codes according to '%eax' & '%eax'</i>
	jns .L11	<i># jump to '.L11' if 'arr[i]' is non-negative</i>

	addl \$1, -80(%rbp)	<i># increment the value of variable 'nc' by 1</i>
	jmp .L12	<i># jump to label '.L12'</i>
.L11:		<i># Label '.L11'</i>
	movl -92(%rbp), %eax	<i># move the value of variable 'i' to register '%eax'</i>
	cltq	<i># convert doubleword in '%eax' to quadword in '%rax'</i>
	movl -64(%rbp,%rax,4), %eax	<i># move the value of 'arr[i]' to register '%eax'</i>
	testl %eax, %eax	<i># set condition codes according to '%eax' & '%eax'</i>
	jle .L13	<i># jump to '.L13' if 'arr[i]' is <= zero</i>
	addl \$1, -84(%rbp)	<i># increment the value of variable 'pc' by 1</i>
	jmp .L12	<i># jump to label '.L12'</i>
.L13:		<i># Label '.L13'</i>
	addl \$1, -76(%rbp)	<i># increment the value of variable 'zc' by 1</i>
.L12:		<i># Label '.L12'</i>
	addl \$1, -92(%rbp)	<i># increment the value of variable 'i' by 1</i>
.L10:		<i># Label '.L10'</i>
	movl -92(%rbp), %eax	<i># move the value of variable 'i' to register '%eax'</i>
	cmpl -68(%rbp), %eax	<i># compare value of variable 'i' with 'n'</i>
	jl .L14	<i># jump to '.L14' if 'i' is less than 'n'</i>
	movl -80(%rbp), %eax	<i># move the value of variable 'nc' to register '%eax'</i>
	movl %eax, %esi	<i># move the value in register '%eax' to register '%esi'</i>
	leaq .LC2(%rip), %rdi	<i># load effective address, memory '.LC22(%rip)' to '%rdi'</i>
	movl \$0, %eax	<i># move the immediate value '0' to register '%eax'</i>
	call printf@PLT	<i># call printf</i>
	movl -76(%rbp), %eax	<i># move the value of variable 'zc' to register '%eax'</i>
	movl %eax, %esi	<i># move the value in register '%eax' to register '%esi'</i>
	leaq .LC3(%rip), %rdi	<i># load effective address, memory '.LC3(%rip)' to '%rdi'</i>
	movl \$0, %eax	<i># move the immediate value '0' to register '%eax'</i>
	call printf@PLT	<i># call printf</i>
	movl -84(%rbp), %eax	<i># move the value of variable 'pc' to register '%eax'</i>
	movl %eax, %esi	<i># move the value in register '%eax' to register '%esi'</i>
	leaq .LC4(%rip), %rdi	<i># load effective address, memory '.LC4(%rip)' to '%rdi'</i>
	movl \$0, %eax	<i># move the immediate value '0' to register '%eax'</i>
	call printf@PLT	<i># call printf</i>
	movl \$10, %edi	<i># move the immediate value '10' to register '%edi'</i>
	call putchar@PLT	<i># call putchar</i>
	nop	<i># no operation</i>
.L9:		<i># Label '.L9'</i>
	movl \$0, %eax	<i># move the immediate value '0' to register '%eax'</i>
	movq -8(%rbp), %rcx	
	xorq %fs:40, %rcx	

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je    .L16
call  __stack_chk_fail@PLT
.L16:                                # Label '.L16'
leave                                # set stack pointer as frame pointer, pop top of stack into '%rbp'
.cfi_def_cfa 7, 8
ret                                     # pop return address from stack
.cfi_endproc
.LFE0:
.size  main, .-main
.ident "GCC: (Ubuntu 9.3.0-17ubuntu1~20.04) 9.3.0"
.section      .note.GNU-stack,"",@progbits
.section      .note.gnu.property,"a"
.align 8
.long  1f - 0f
.long  4f - 1f
.long  5
0:
.string "GNU"
1:
.align 8
.long  0xc0000002
.long  3f - 2f
2:
.long  0x3
3:
.align 8
4:

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ANALYSIS & OBSERVATIONS :

Assembly Level Program is generated by using the following command in Linux terminal :

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gcc -S nameOfFile.c
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The file 'nameOfFile.s' contains the generated Assembly Level Program.

At the beginning of the file, the labels LC0, LC1, .. LC4 stores the details required to print the strings given in printf statement.

Then the main code begins.

Here, the main function's frame pointer, i.e. %rbp is pushed onto the stack. Also, the offsets are set. Then the stack pointer, i.e. %rsp, is set to the frame pointer, i.e. %rbp.

Then, the variables like 'choose', 'n' and the array 'arr[]' are initialised using the movl instruction which assigns immediate values to the offsets of the required variables.

Variable name	Offset
choose	-72(%rbp)
n	-68(%rbp)
i	-92(%rbp)
arr	-64(%rbp)
acc	-32(%rbp)
sum	-88(%rbp)
pc	-84(%rbp)
nc	-80(%rbp)
zc	-76(%rbp)

As mentioned above, the variables are allocated space contiguously in the order of declaration / definition in the C program. Here, the stack grows downwards, which is indicated by the negative sign in the offset.

Then, the variable 'choose' is compared with 1 and if they are equal, the execution control jumps to .L2, else if it is equal to 2, the execution control jumps to .L3, else default statement is executed.

If the **CASE 1** is executed, the labels .L2, .L5, .L6, .L7, .L8, .L9, .L16 come into picture.

.L2 : This label initialises 'sum' and 'i' and passes the control to .L5

.L5 : It stores the value of 'i' in a temporary register %eax, and compares it with 'n'

If (i < n) control jumps to .L6

Then, the required printf statement gets executed and control jumps to .L7

.L6 : It represents the body of the for loop.

It fetches the value of arr[i] and adds the value to variable 'sum' which is used as an accumulator.

Then, the value of 'sum' is stored in acc[i]. Then, the value of 'i' is incremented by 1 and according to its value being < n, control is passed accordingly.

.L7 : It stores the value of 'i' in a temporary register %eax, and compares it with 'n'

If (i < n) control jumps to .L8

Then, a new line is printed using printf and control is jumped to .L9

.L8 : It fetches the value of acc[i] and prints it's value using printf. Then, it increments the value of 'i' by 1

.L9 : It finishes the execution of switch case and passes control to .L16

.L16 : It ends the main function execution by setting stack pointer as frame pointer and popping the top of the stack into '%rbp'.

If the **CASE 2** is executed, the labels .L3, .L10, .L11, .L12, .L13, .L14 come into picture.

.L3 : It initialises 'zc', 'nc', 'pc' and 'i' to zero and gives control to .L10

.L10 : It stores the value of 'i' in a temporary register %eax, and compares it with 'n'

If (i < n) control jumps to .L14

Then, the three printf statements are printed to show the values of 'zc', 'nc' and 'pc'.

Then, a new line is printed using printf.

.L14 : It represents the if case inside the for loop.

If (arr[i] is non-negative) control jumps to .L11

Then, the value of 'nc' is incremented by 1 and control jumps to .L12

.L11 : It represents the else if case inside the for loop.

If (arr[i] <= 0) control jumps to .L13

Then, the value of 'pc' is incremented by 1 and control jumps to .L12

.L12 : It increments the value of 'i' which is a counter for the 'for loop'.

.L13 : It represents the else inside the for loop.

Then control comes to main, and then to .L9 which then passes control to .L16

.L9 : It finishes the execution of switch case and passes control to .L16

.L16 : It ends the main function execution by setting stack pointer as frame pointer and popping the top of the stack into '%rbp'.

THE END
