Review Problem 3

* In assembly, compute the average of positive values X0, X1, X2, X3, and put into X10

Addressing Example

The address of the start of a character array is stored in X0. Write assembly to load the following <u>characters</u>

Store

Array Example

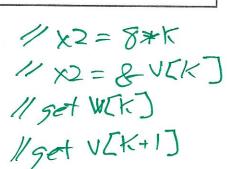
/* Swap the kth and (k+1)th element of an array */

swap(int v[], int k) { int temp = v[k]: v[k] = v[k+1];v[k+1] = temp;

// Assume v in X0, k in X1

SWAP: LSL X2, X1, #3 ADD X2, X0, X2 // X2 = & V[K] LDUR X3, [x2,#0] // get W[K] LDUR X4, [X2,#8] // get V[K+1 STUR X4, [x2, #0] 5TAR X3, [x2,#8]

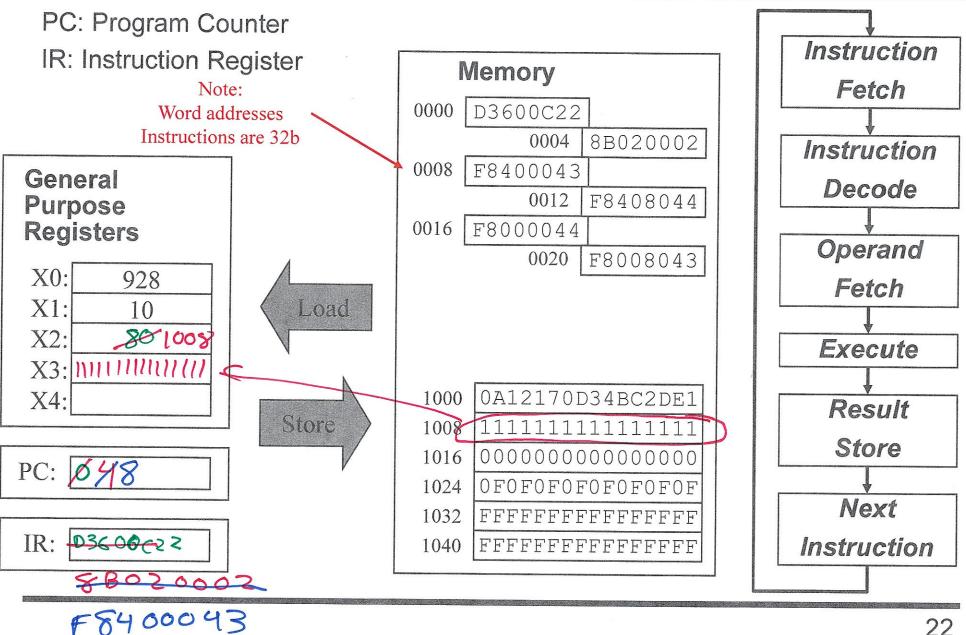
GPRs X0: 928 X1: 10 X2: X3: X4:



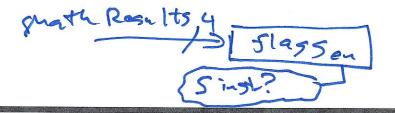
Memory 1000 0A12170D34BC2DE1 Load 11111111111111111 1008 1016 0000000000000000 1024 | 0F0F0F0F0F0F0F0F 1032 FFFFFFFFFFFFFFF

1040 FFFFFFFFFFFFFFF

Execution Cycle Example



Flags/Condition Codes



Flag register holds information about result of recent math operation

Negative: was result a negative number?

Zero: was result 0?

Overflow: was result magnitude too big to fit into 64-bit register?

Carry: was the carry-out true?

Operations that set the flag register contents:

ADDS, ADDIS, ANDS, ANDIS, SUBS, SUBIS, some floating point.

Most commonly used are subtracts, so we have a synonym: CMP

CMP X0, X1 same as SUBS X31, X0, X1

CMPI X0, #15 same as SUBIS X31, X0, #15

Control Flow

Unconditional Branch – GOTO different next instruction B START // go to instruction labeled with "START" label BR X30 // go to address in X30: PC = value of X30Conditional Branches - GOTO different next instruction if condition is true 1 register: CBZ (==0), CBNZ (!= 0) CBZ X0, FOO // if X0 == 0 GOTO FOO: PC = Address of instr w/FOO label 2 register: B.LT (<), B.LE(<=), B.GE (>=), B.GT(>), B.EQ(==), B.NE(!=) first compare (CMP X0, X1, CMPI X0, #12), then b.cond instruction CMP X0, X1 // compare X0 with X1 - same as SUBS X31, X0, X1 B.EO FOO // if X0 == X1 GOTO FOO: PC = Address of instr w/FOO label CMP X0, X1 // set flags B.NE ELSEIF // branch if a!=b ADDI X0, X0, #3 // a = a + 3 // X0 = a, X1 = b, X2 = c// avoid else ELSEIF: → ADDI X1, X1, #7 DONE: ADD X2, X0, X16