Architetture dei Sistemi di Elaborazione

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Laboratory

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Expected delivery of lab_07.zip must include:

- zipped project folder of the exercises 1 and 2
 - this document compiled possibly in pdf format.



Exercise 1)

A videogame speedrunner is tracking their daily attempts at speedrunning a game, recording both their best times and their total attempts per day. Write a program in **ARM assembly** language that analyzes their **speedrunning performance data**.

Days	DCB 0x01,	0x02,	0x03,	0x04,	0x05,	0x06,	0x07	
Best_times	DCD 0x06, DCD 0x05,	•	•	•	•	•	0x04,	1900,
Failed_runs	DCD 0x02, DCD 0x03,	•	,	•		0x01,	, 58,	
Num days	DCB 7							

Days is a table where each entry consists of a day of the week (e.g., 0x01 is Monday, 0x02 Tuesday, ..)

Best_times is a table where each entry consists of two integer values: the ID of the day (4 bytes) and the best time (in seconds) achieved that day by the speedrunner (4 bytes).

Failed_runs is a table where each entry consists of two integer values: the ID of the day (4 bytes) and the number of times the player had to reset the game (4 bytes). Notice that not all days he plays videogames.

Num days is a 1-byte constant and indicates the number of days in a week.

Compute the **total number of days** the speedrunner best time was better or equal to 1300 and store it in register R11. Then for each day this time was better or equal to 1300 sum the number of Failed_runs and store it in register R10.

Note: The constant data section must be defined in the code section, with a 2byte alignment and 4096 boundary zero bytes.

Example:

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// BOUNDARY (SPACE ....)
MY DATA
// BOUNDARY (SPACE ....)
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Exercise 2)

Save in two separate vectors <code>Best_times_ordered</code> and <code>Failed_runs_ordered</code>, the ID of the days in descending order by best times and failed runs, respectively.

For example at the end the vectors would be ordered as follows:

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Best_times_ordered DCD 0x04,0x03,0x01,0x06,0x02,0x05, 0x07
Failed_runs_ordered DCD 0x06,0x04,0x01, 0x02, 0x03, 0x05, 0x07
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Then, save in R11 the ID of the worst "best time" day.

Compute the needed bytes for the above vectors.

Vector	Size [bytes]
Best_times_ordered	28
Failed_runs_ordered	28

Report the following program characteristics (Hint: See the build output window in Keil).

	Size [bytes]
Program Size	4432
Read Only data	764
Read Write data	4264
Zero Initialized data	512

And provide a brief explanation about which directives can influence the previous program characteristics.

La SPACE modifica il Program Size: avendo messo le SPACE nell'area ReadWrite, influenza i bytes dei ReadWrite data. Anche le DCD e le DCB fanno lo stesso.