

CS2400

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Modify the factorial code so that we can reduce the number of instructions?



Modified Factorial Program

```
; Factorial with conditional branch
        MOV r3, #5; load n into r3
        MOV r2, #1;
loop
        CMP r3, #0 ; compare r3 with 0
        MULGT r2, r3, R2
        SUBGT r3, r3, #1 ; decrement n
        BGT loop ; do another mul if counter! = 0
stop B stop
        END
```



Swapping two numbers

To swap the contents of two registers without using an intermediate storage location is to use the exclusive OR operator.

$$A = A \oplus B$$

$$B = A \oplus B$$

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Program Example

Swapping two numbers in Register r0 and r1

```
LDR r0,=2; load some data

LDR r1, =4; load some data

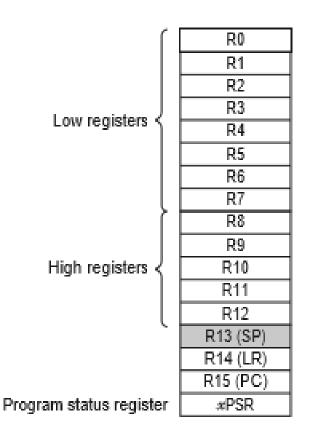
EOR r0, r0, r1; r0 XOR r1

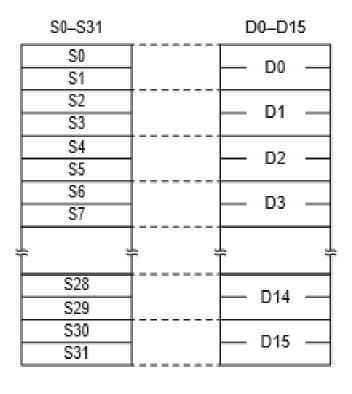
EOR r1, r0, r1; r1 XOR r0

EOR r0, r0, r1; r0 XOR r1
```



FLOATING-POINT NUMBERS







Example

```
LDR r3, =0x3F800000; single precision 1.0

VMOV.F32 s3, r3; transfer contents from ARM to FPU

VLDR.F32 s4, =6.02

VMOV.F32 r4, s4; transfer contents from FPU to ARM
```



Example

```
;Area of circle
VLDR.F32 s4, =3.14
VLDR.F32 s2, =2
VMUL.F32 S3,S2,S2
VMUL.F32 S3,S4,S2
```



Program Exercise

- 1. Replace the last LSL instructions in code with ADD r2, r1, r1, LSL #2
 - What value is in register r2 when the code Ends? What is the ADD instruction actually doing?

```
MOV r0, #1 ; load initial value

LSL r1, r0, #1 ; shift 1 bit left

LSL r2, r1, #1 ; shift 1 bit left

stop B stop ; stop program

END
```



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Write a program to implement

```
if (char = = '!' || char = ='?')
found ++;
```



Q solutions

```
LDR r0, ='!'
TEQ r0,#'!'
TEQNE r0,#'?'
ADDEQ r1,r1,#1
```



Array

LDR r0,=a

LOOP

LDR R1,[R0,#0]

ADD R2,R2, R1

ADD R0, R0, #4

ADD R3,R3,#1

CMP R3,#4

BLT LOOP

a DCD 4,2,3,1



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What will be the output of this program?

LDR r0,=a

LOOP

LDR R1,[R0,#0]

ADD R2,R2, R1

ADD R0,R0,#8

ADD R3,R3,#1

CMP R3,#3

BLT LOOP

a DCD 6,4,2,3,1



Program Exercise

•Write an ARM instruction program to read array of 3 elements 1,3, and 5 and find the product of array elements and store the product in memory.

 Write an ARM instruction program to read array and check if the given number is present in array. Modify the program to count number of occurrences of the given number.

