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Marie project

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The goal of the project is to implement a complete Marie program. It is also a chance to practice Marie programming before your final lab exam.

The steps are the following:

- 1- Choose your problem (any problem you would like to solve on Marie like sorting an array for example)
 - The problem should be complicated enough to use all of the Marie instructions categories (Arithmetic, Data transfer, I/O, Branch, Subroutine, Indirect Addressing)
 - Take some time to learn about the two categories "Subroutine" and "Indirect Addressing"
- 2- Write your program in C++ (do not forget to comment your program)
- 3- Write your program on Marie (do not forget to comment your program)
- 4- Test it and verify that is working well using many test cases.
- 5- Write your report
- 6- Prepare your presentation

Your report should:

- 1- State the problem
- 2- Include your C++ program
- 3- Include your Marie program
- 4- All the explanations of the programs
- 5- The tests
- 6- Comparison between the C++ program (written in high-level language) and the Marie program (written in low-level language)
- 7- Conclusion

Take care of the report clarity and presentation.

The coding rubrics are available in your syllabus.

Your presentation duration is 10 minutes + 10 minutes of questions about the code.

The rubrics of the presentation will be available soon on BB.

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The Problem:

Our program requires the user to input an array of elements of his/her choice of numbers, while our C++ and Marie assembly code provides a solution to this problem by outputting the smallest element within the list. Our program aims to find the smallest element from the user's input.

C++ *Code*:

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main(){
  int size, i, smallest; //declaring variables
  //get the array size and store it
  cout << "Enter Number of Elements in Array\n";
  cin >> size;
  if (size > 0)
     cout << "Enter " << size << " numbers \n"; // get the elements
     int arr[size];
     for(i = 0; i < size; i++) // Read the array elements and store them
       cin >> arr[i];
     smallest = arr[0]; // set smallest = first element
     for (i = 1; i < \text{size}; i++) // search for the smallest through the array
        if(arr[i] < smallest) // if the current element is less than the smallest
            smallest = arr[i]; // set smallest = current element
     }
     // display the smallest number
     cout << "Minimum Element\n" << smallest;</pre>
    }
   // end
   return 0;
```



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```
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using namespace std;
int main(){
    int size, i, smallest; //declaring variables
    cout << "Enter Number of Elements in Array\n";</pre>
    cin >> size;
        cout << "Enter " << size << " numbers \n"; // get the elements</pre>
        int arr[size];
        for(i = 0; i < size; i++) // Read the array elements and store them
            cin >> arr[i];
        smallest = arr[0]; // set smallest = first element
        for(i = 1; i < size; i++) // search for the smallest through the array
             if(arr[i] < smallest) // if the current element is less than the smallest</pre>
                   smallest = arr[i]; // set smallest = current element
         cout << "Minimum Element\n" << smallest;</pre>
     return 0;
```



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The Execution:

Case 1: size > 0

```
Enter Number of Elements in Array

5
Enter 5 numbers

3
11
7
1
9
Minimum Element
1
```

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Case 2: size \leq 0
```

```
Enter Number of Elements in Array
O
```

In the C++ code:

- We started the code by declaring three integers "size", "i", and "smallest".
- Then, the code will ask the user to input the number of elements in the array and store it in the size variable (cin >> size)
- If size < = 0, the program will end.
- Else, the code will repeat a set of instructions to get the values of the elements from the user and store them in the array. This will repeat until we reach the end of the array.
- The smallest number will be set as the first element in the array
- The program will go to the next loop to find the actual smallest number, it will compare each element with the smallest. If arr[i] < smallest, it will set smallest = arr[i]. Else, the smallest won't change. Then, it will check the next element. This will be repeated until we check all the elements in the array. (while the counter is less than array size, and the counter will be increased each time)
- Finally, the code will then output the smallest element within the list.



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Marie Program:

```
Input
                   / get the array size
      Store
               SIZE
      Skipcond 800 / if size > 0 skip the next instruction
      Load
                   ARR
                          / else, Array address in AC arr[0]
      Store
                   ARRELEMENT / store Arr address in ARRELEMENT
/ first loop to get the array elements
GETVALUE,
                   Load
                            SIZE
                   Subt
                           INDEX
                                     / SIZE - INDEX (while i<size)
                                           / if SIZE > INDEX we're not done vet
                   Skipcond
                             800
                   Jump
                            FIND / if we entered all elements, go look for the smallest
                                / else, read the next element
                   Input
                   StoreI
                           ARRELEMENT / store in (arr[i+1] = ARRELEMENT)
                   Load
                            ARRELEMENT
                   Add
                           ONE
                           ARRELEMENT / ARRELEMENT++
                   Store
                  Load
                           INDEX
                   Add
                           ONE
                           INDEX / INDEX++
                   Store
                   Jump
                            GETVALUE / get the next element
/ make index = 1, start from the first element and set it as SMALLEST
FIND,
                                      / copy array address into ARRELEMENT
                   load
                               ARR
                               ARRELEMENT / to start from the first element
                   store
                  Load
                               ONE
                               INDEX / INDEX = 1
                   store
                  LoadI
                               ARRELEMENT / first element
                               SMALLEST / SMALLEST = first element
                   Store
                   JnS
                               FUNCTION / jump and store the address of the next instruction
                               PRINT
                   Jump
FUNCTION.
                  Dec
                        0
                               / the address of the instruction after JnS will be stored here
FINDSMALLEST, Load
                               SIZE / while i<size
                               INDEX
                   Subt
                   Skipcond 800 / if we reach the end of the array
                               FUNCTION / go back where we called the function
                   JumpI
                  Load
                               ARRELEMENT / else get arr[element]
                   Add
                               ONE
                               ARRELEMENT / ARRELEMENT++
                   Store
                  Load
                               INDEX
                   Add
                               ONE
                               INDEX / INDEX++
                   Store
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Jump SUB / function to check if arr[element+1]<arr[element] JumpI FUNCTION / go back where we called the function

SUB, LoadI ARRELEMENT / arr[element] (because we increased ARRELEMENT)

Subt SMALLEST / if arr[element] - NUM < 0 then it's smaller Skipcond 000 / if AC < 0 (if it's smaller set as SMALLEST)

Jump FINDSMALLEST / else go to the next element

/ set as smallest

LoadI ARRELEMENT / arr[element]

Store SMALLEST / SMALLEST = arr[index+1]

Jump FINDSMALLEST / repeat

/ display the smallest number on the screen

PRINT, Load SMALLEST

Output

Jump END / end the program

SIZE, Dec 0 / user chosen array size INDEX, Dec 0 / current array index

SMALLEST, Dec 0 / value of smallest element

ONE, Dec 1 / for ++

ARRELEMENT, Dec 80 / address of current array index (current element) arr[0]

ARR, Dec 80 / address for start of the array storage arr[0]

END, Halt

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```
/ get the array size
 2
        Store
                    SIZE
        Skipcond 800 / if size > 0 skip the next instruction
 3
              END
 4
        Jump
 5
        Load
                    ARR
                            / else, Array address in AC arr[0]
                   ARRELEMENT / store Arr address in ARRELEMENT
 7
    / first loop to get the array elements
 8
    GETVALUE, Load
                           SIZE
 9
                            INDEX / SIZE - INDEX (while i<size)</pre>
                Subt
                Skipcond 800
                                    / if SIZE > INDEX we're not done yet
10
                            FIND / if we entered all elements, go look for the smallest
11
                Jump
                                    / else, read the next element
12
                Input
13
                StoreI
                            ARRELEMENT / store in (arr[i+1] = ARRELEMENT)
14
                Load
                            ARREI EMENT
                Add
15
                            ONE
16
                Store
                            ARRELEMENT / ARRELEMENT++
17
                Load
                Add
                            ONE
18
                Store
                            INDEX / INDEX++
19
                            GETVALUE / get the next element
20
                Jump
21
22
    / make index = 1, start from the first element and set it as SMALLEST
23
                                 / copy array address into ARRELEMENT
                            ARRELEMENT / to start from the first element
24
                store
25
                Load
                            ONE
26
                store
                           INDEX / INDEX = 1
                            ARRELEMENT / first element
27
                LoadI
                            SMALLEST / SMALLEST = first element
28
                Store
29
                JnS
                            FUNCTION / jump to the function and store the address of the next
30
                Jump
                    Dec 0 / the address of the instruction after JnS will be stored here
31
    FUNCTION,
32
    FINDSMALLEST,
                    Load
                           SIZE / while i<size
                    Subt
                            INDEX
33
                    Skipcond 800 / if we reach the end of the array
34
35
                            FUNCTION / go back where we called the function
                            ARRELEMENT / else get arr[element]
36
                    Load
                    Add
37
                    Store ARRELEMENT / ARRELEMENT++
38
39
                    Load
                            INDEX
40
                    Add
                            ONE
41
                    Store
                           INDEX / INDEX++
                            SUB / function to check if arr[element+1]<arr[element]</pre>
42
                           FUNCTION / go back where we called the function
43
                    JumpI
44
45
                    LoadI
                           ARRELEMENT / arr[element] (because we increased ARRELEMENT)
46
                            SMALLEST
                    / if arr[element] - NUM < 0 then it's smaller
47
                    Skipcond 000 / if AC < 0 (if it's smaller set as SMALLEST)
48
49
                            FINDSMALLEST / else go to the next element
50
                    / set as smallest
51
                    LoadI ARRELEMENT / arr[element]
```

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```
Store SMALLEST / SMALLEST = arr[index+1]
53
                    Jump
                            FINDSMALLEST / repeat
54
    / display the smallest number on the screen
56
   PRINT,
                    Load SMALLEST
57
                    Output
                    Jump END / end the program
58
59
                                      / user chosen array size
                                0
60
    SIZE,
                                      / current array index
61 INDEX,
                  Dec
                                      / value of smallest element
62 SMALLEST,
                  Dec
63 ONE, Dec Dec
                                      / for ++
                              / address of current array index (current element) ar
/ address for start of the array storage arr[0]
66 END,
                   Halt
```

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In the Marie code:

- Reading the input and storing it in the variable we declared (SIZE).
- If the size < 0, the program will stop. Else, the elements will be stored in the address and each time we will go to the next address. So, we will increase the variable ARRELEMENT (which has the array address) by adding one and storing it in the same variable (ARRELEMENT), then we will get the element as an input and store it in the address in ARRELEMENT.
- Then, the index will be increased by adding one to it and storing it in the same variable (INDEX) each time we get an input. This will be repeated as long as the index is less than size, which we tested be (SIZE INDEX) and then Skipcond 800.
- Then, we start searching for the smallest value, we started from the first element in the array by loading the array address to the AC (variable ARR) and storing it in the variable ARRELEMENT, then we loaded the number 1 to the AC (variable ONE) and stored it in INDEX to start from index one.
- then we loaded the data in the ARRELEMENT address which represents the first element in the array, and stored it in the variable SMALLEST, we tagged this set of instructions as FIND.
- Then, to find the smallest, we jump to FUNCTION and store the address of the next instruction (which is print)
- After FUNCTION, we will start the loop from FINDSMALLEST, here we will repeat the following instructions as long as INDEX<SIZE. The index will be increased by 1, it will stop (jump back to the stored address in FUNCTION) if INDEX<SIZE (we tested that condition by size index and then Skipcond 800). Else, it will continue, also, we added one to ARRELEMENT to go to the next element. This set of instructions was tagged as FINDSMALLEST.
- So, while we did not go through the whole array, we jumped to SUBT tag, which tested if the element is less than the SMALLEST by loading the element in the address ARRELEMENT and subtracting the SMMALLEST, if the result was less than zero, it means the element is less than SMALLEST, this was tested using Skipcond 000. If the element was smaller, it will be loaded in the AC and stored in the variable SMALLEST, then it will jump back to FINDSMALLEST to check the next element. (if the subtraction result was not less than 0, it will jump to FINDSMALLEST without setting the element to SMALLEST)
- After checking all elements, we will jump back to the stored address in FUNCTION which will take us to the instruction (Jump PRINT)
- In PRINT, we will load the SMALLEST, output it, and Jump END which will halt the program

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Cases:

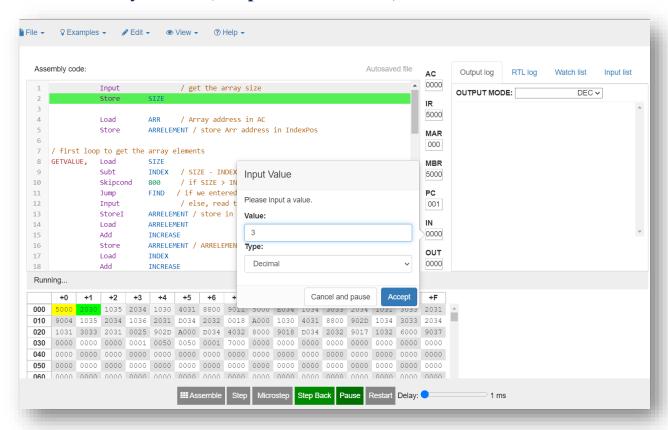
Case1: Sorted array of positive numbers (ascending)
Case2: Sorted array of positive numbers (descending)
Case3: Sorted array of negative numbers (ascending)
Case4: Sorted array of negative numbers (descending)

Case5: Unsorted array of negative numbers Case6: Unsorted array of positive numbers

Case7: array of the same number

Case8: array of integers Case9: array of size 0 or less

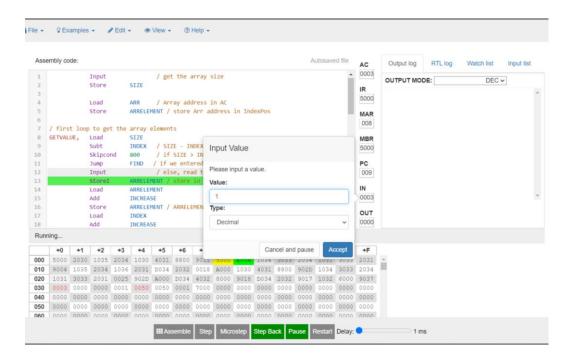
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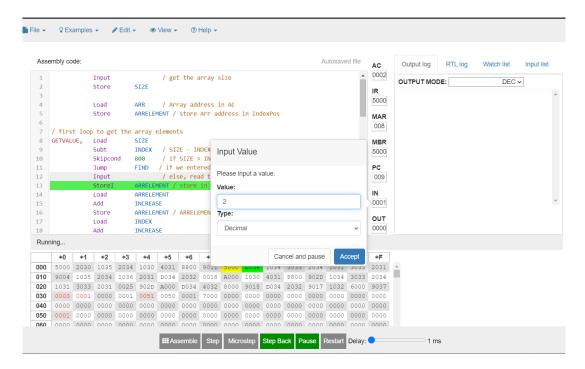




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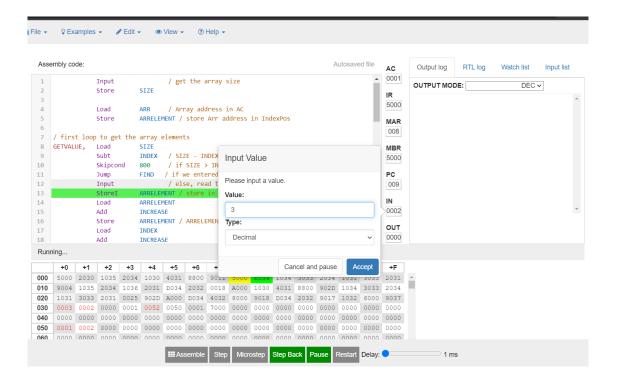
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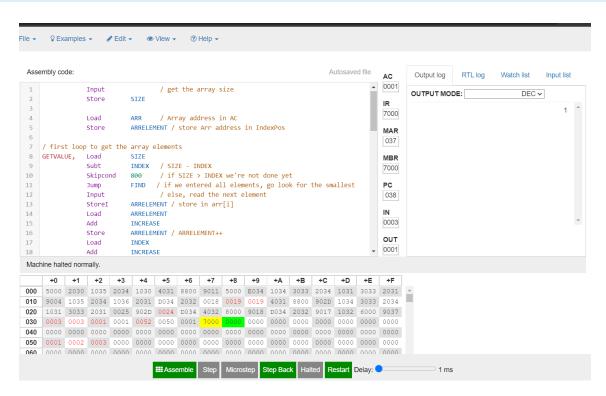






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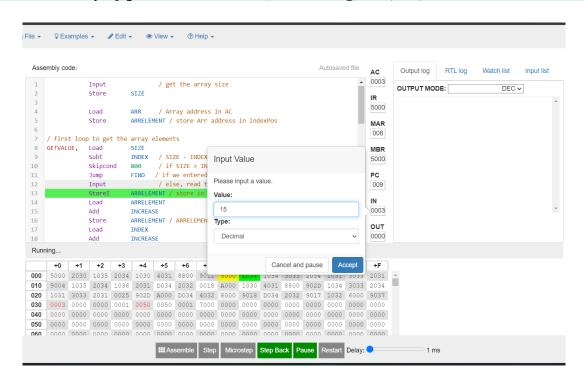


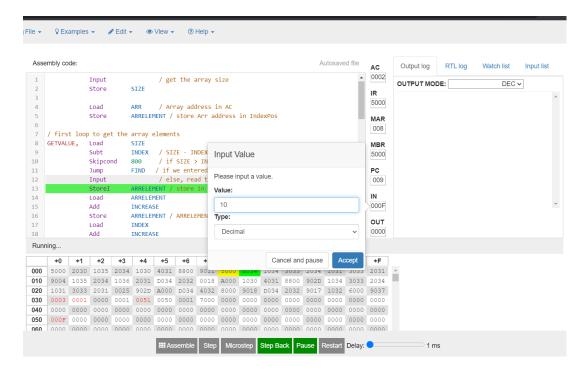




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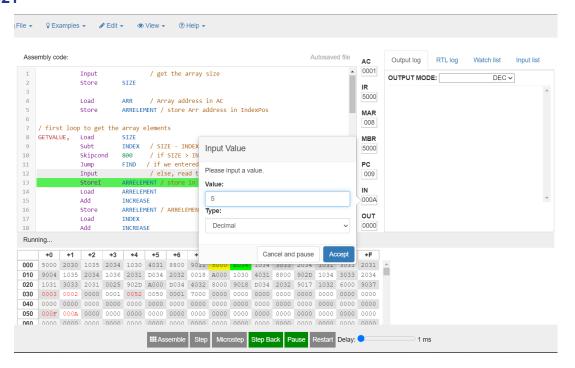
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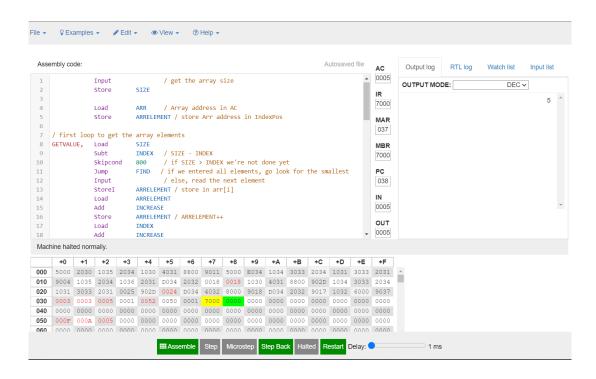






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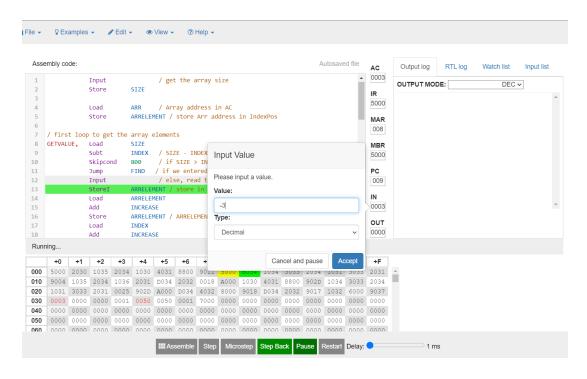


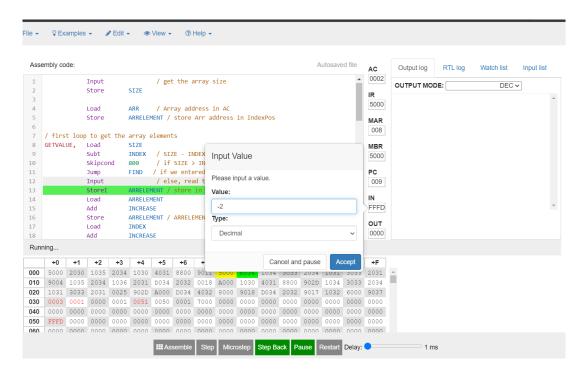




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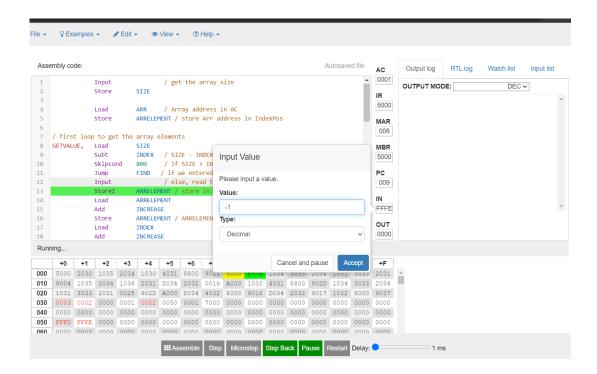
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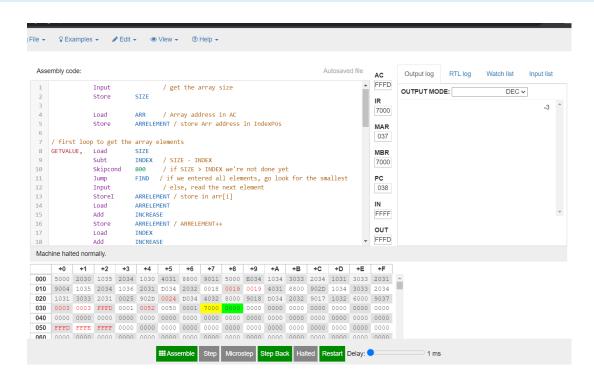






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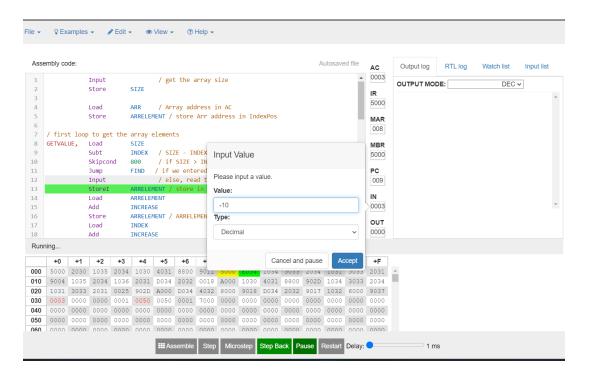


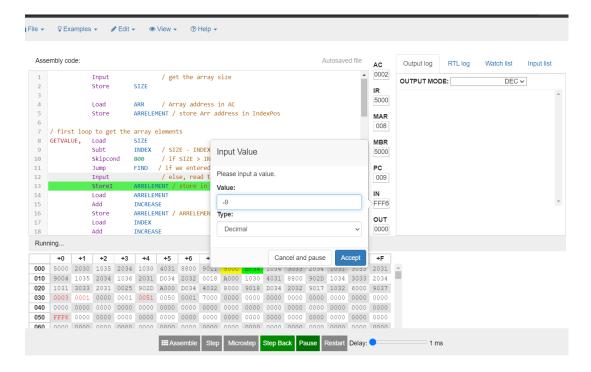




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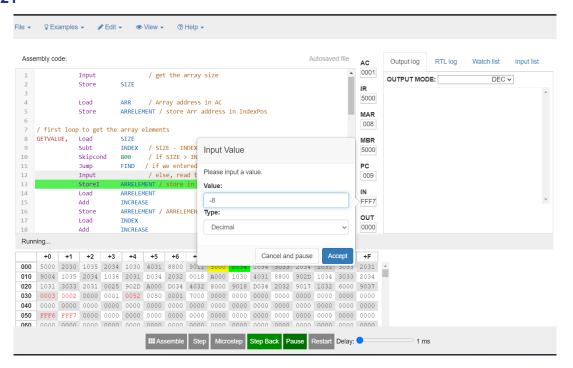
Case 4: Sorted array of negative numbers (descending) [-10, -9, -8]

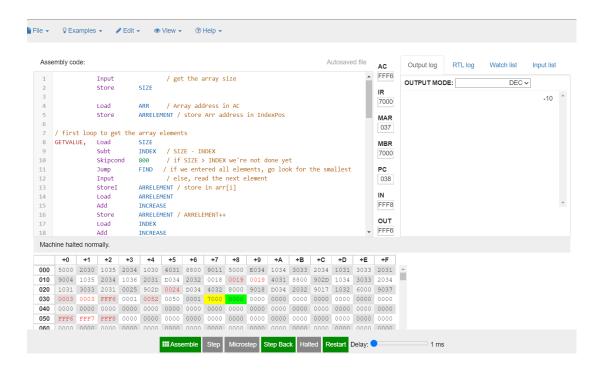






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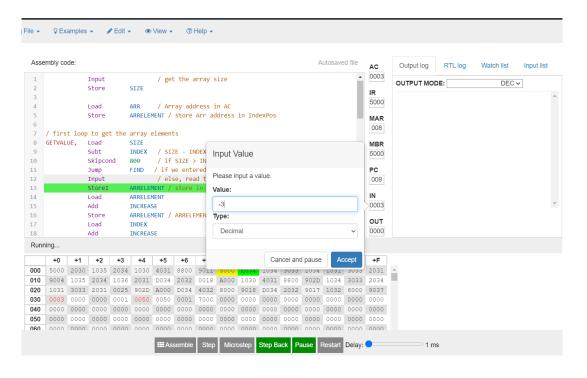


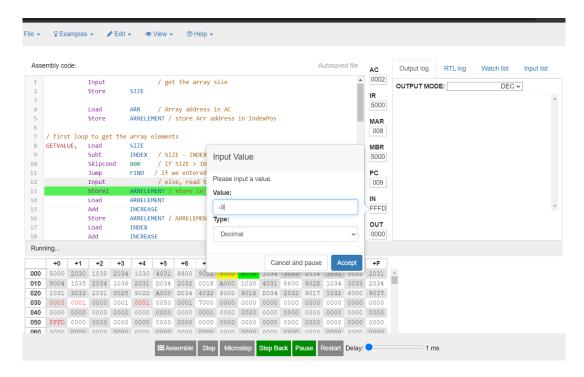




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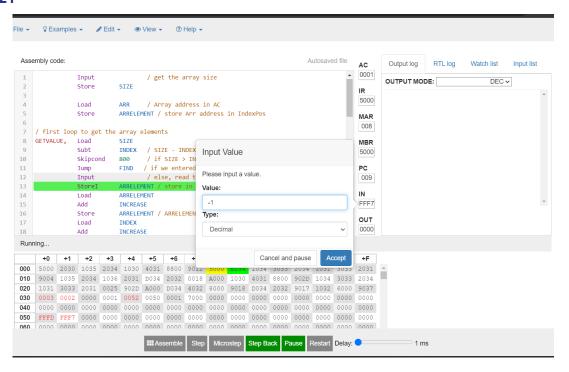
Case 5: Unsorted array of negative numbers [-3, -9, -1]

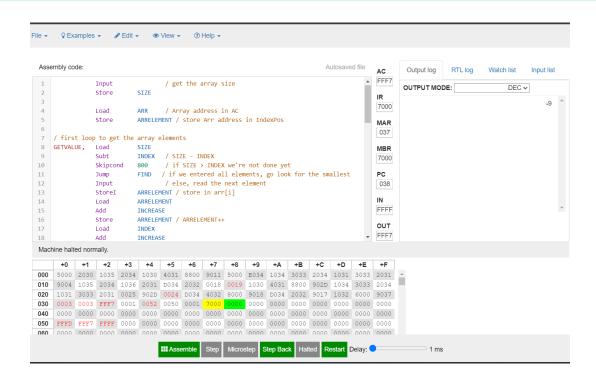






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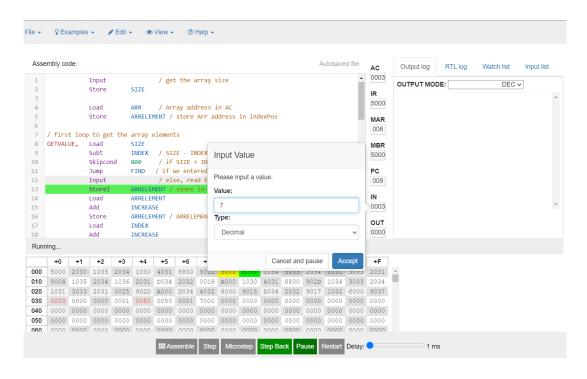


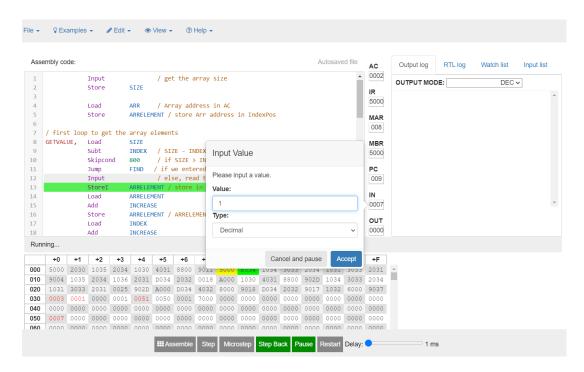




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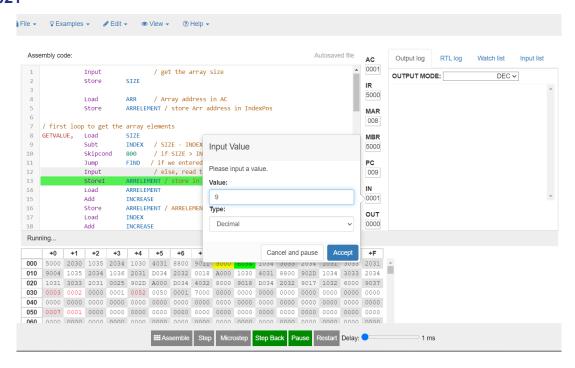
Case 6: Unsorted array of positive numbers [7, 1, 9]

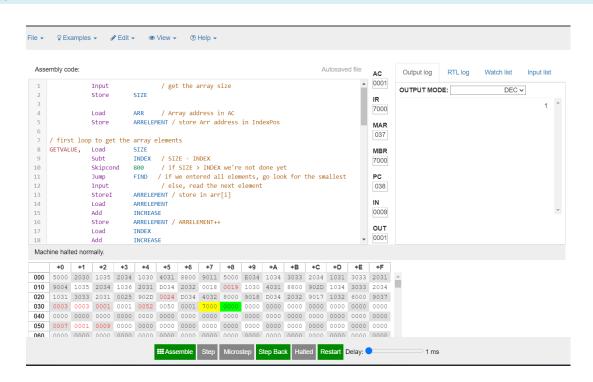






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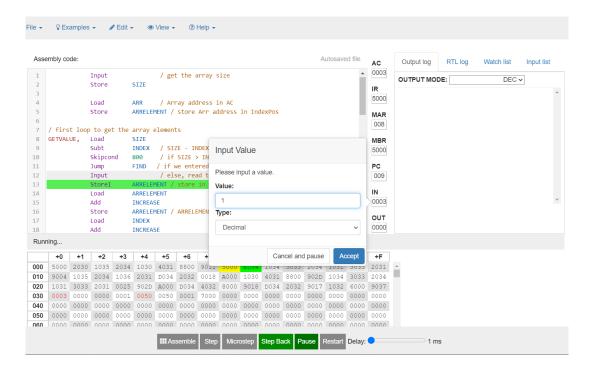


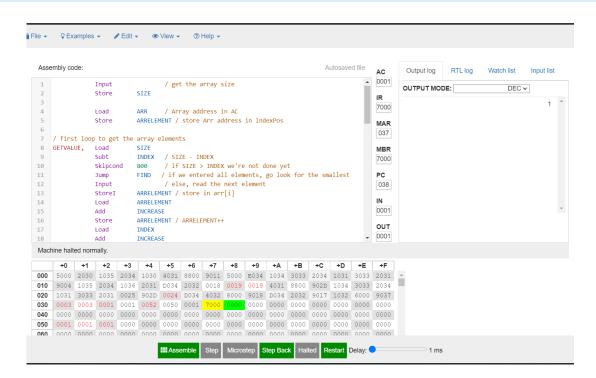




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Case 7: array of the same number [1, 1, 1]

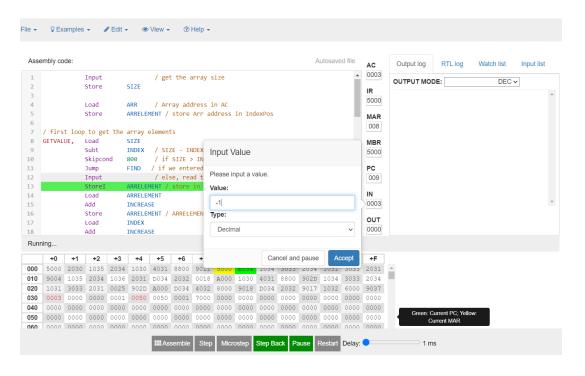


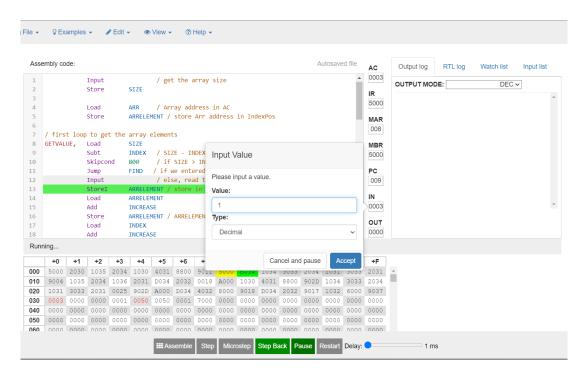




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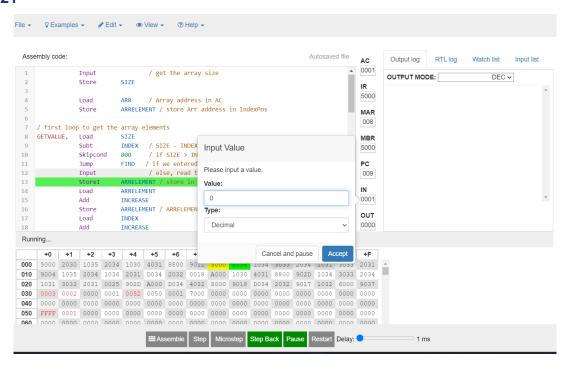
Case 8: array of integers [-1, 1, 0]

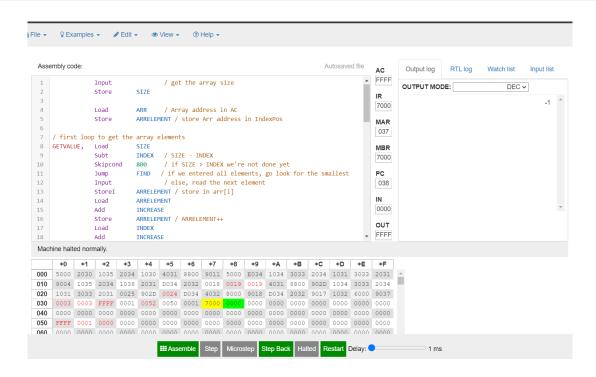






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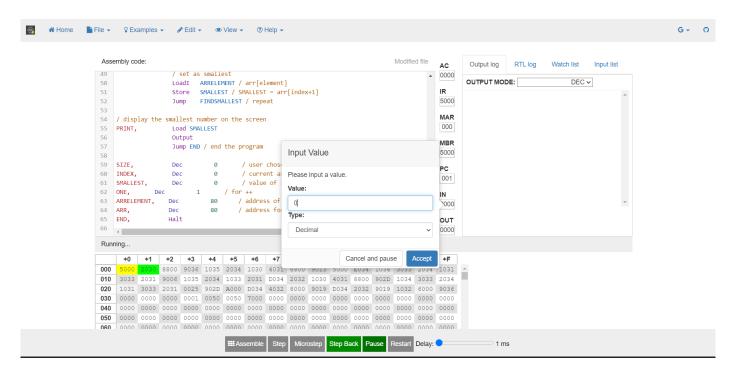


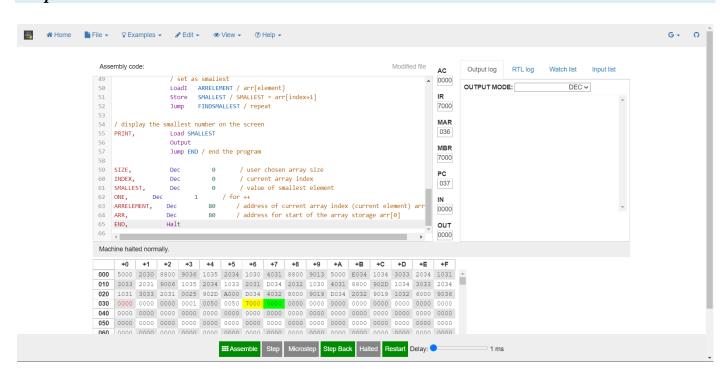




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Case 9: size = 0







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Comparison between the C++ program (High level language) and Marie Program(Low level language):

	<i>C</i> ++	Marie
Variables	We declared them with the data type and the variable name.	The variables will be declared using tags and its value.
Storing the elements	The elements will be stored in the array we declared and each time we will go to the next index using for loop, we will increase the index i by one each time (i++) and check if (i <size). and="" arr[i].="" array.<="" be="" element="" end="" in="" of="" reach="" read="" repeated="" store="" td="" the="" then,="" this="" until="" we="" will=""><td>The elements will be stored in the array address and each time we will go to the next address using jump, and each time we will go to the next array address by increasing the variable ARRELEMENT by adding one and storing it in the same variable (ARRELEMENT), and while we did not reach the end of the array, we will get the element as an input and store it in the address in ARRELEMENT. we will increase the index by adding one to it and storing it in the same variable (INDEX) each time we get an input. This will be repeated as long as the index is less than size, which we tested be (SIZE-INDEX) and then Skipcond 800 to make sure we didn't reach the end of the array.</td></size).>	The elements will be stored in the array address and each time we will go to the next address using jump, and each time we will go to the next array address by increasing the variable ARRELEMENT by adding one and storing it in the same variable (ARRELEMENT), and while we did not reach the end of the array, we will get the element as an input and store it in the address in ARRELEMENT. we will increase the index by adding one to it and storing it in the same variable (INDEX) each time we get an input. This will be repeated as long as the index is less than size, which we tested be (SIZE-INDEX) and then Skipcond 800 to make sure we didn't reach the end of the array.
find the smallest	we used a for loop and the counter i which was increased by one each time, and the loop will only stop if i is not less than the size. To find the smallest, we started by setting the smallest to the first element in the array arr[0]. Then in the loop, we tested if the next element is less than the smallest by using the logical operator less than (arr[i] <smallest). (if="" and="" array="" be="" condition="" correct,="" element="" if="" it="" not="" repeat="" repeat,="" set="" setting="" smaller,="" smallest="" smallest)<="" td="" the="" to="" was="" will="" without=""><td>To start searching for the smallest, we started from the first element in the array by loading the address to the AC (variable ARR) and storing it in the variable ARRELEMENT, then we loaded the number 1 to the AC (variable ONE) and stored it in INDEX to start from index one, then we loaded the data in the array address (variable ARRELEMENT) which represents the first element in the array, and stored it in the variable SMALLEST. We tagged this set of instructions as FIND. Then, to find the smallest, we jump to FUNCTION and store the address of the next instruction (which is print)</td></smallest).>	To start searching for the smallest, we started from the first element in the array by loading the address to the AC (variable ARR) and storing it in the variable ARRELEMENT, then we loaded the number 1 to the AC (variable ONE) and stored it in INDEX to start from index one, then we loaded the data in the array address (variable ARRELEMENT) which represents the first element in the array, and stored it in the variable SMALLEST. We tagged this set of instructions as FIND. Then, to find the smallest, we jump to FUNCTION and store the address of the next instruction (which is print)

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		After FUNCTION, we will start the loop from FINDSMALLEST, here we
		will repeat the following instructions as long as INDEX <size. (index),="" (jump="" (we="" 800).="" ac="" added="" adding="" address="" also,="" and="" arrelement="" as="" back="" be="" by="" condition="" continue,="" element.="" else,="" findsmallest.<="" function)="" go="" if="" in="" increased="" index="" index<size="" instructions="" it="" loading="" next="" of="" one="" result="" same="" set="" size="" skipcond="" stop="" stored="" storing="" tagged="" tested="" th="" that="" the="" then="" this="" to="" variable="" was="" we="" will="" –=""></size.>
		So, while we did not go through the whole array, we jumped to SUBT tag, which tested if the element is less than the SMALLEST by loading the element in the address ARRELEMENT and subtracting the SMMALLEST, if the result was less than zero, it means the element is less than SMALLEST, this was tested using Skipcond 000. If the element was smaller, it will be loaded in the AC and stored in the variable SMALLEST, then it will jump back to FINDSMALLEST to check the next element. (if the subtraction result was not less than 0, it will jump to FINDSMALLEST without setting the element to SMALLEST)
		After checking all elements, we will jump back to the stored address in FUNCTION which will take us to the instruction (Jump PRINT)
Output	Using cout to display the variable "smallest"	Using load the variable smallest to AC then outputting it then jumping to END
End	The program will stop when it reaches return 0 in the main function	The program will stop when it reaches the instruction halt.

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Conclusion:

This project was extremely beneficial for each one of us, although we faced some complex difficulties our teamwork helped us through them all. Marie isn't the easiest coding language yet we managed to create a program that finds the smallest element from all inputs by the user. After finishing this project, we also understood the difference between C++ "high level language" and Marie "low-level language"; Assembly language is used to write a code that interacts with the hardware, while C++ is a language with a user interface and much simpler commands to get the same result.