Assembly Project: Report 2

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1 Constants and Variables in Memory

Note: All data stored below are of data type "word".

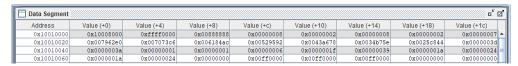
- 1. Address of the display: ADDR_DSPL = 0x10008000
- 2. Address of keyboard input: ADDR_KBRD = 0xffff0000
- 3. Color of the side walls (and the top bar): COLOR_WALLS = 0x00888888
- 4. Thickness (in units) of the top bar: TOP_BAR_THICKNESS = 8
- 5. Thickness (in units) of the side walls: SIDE_WALL_THICKNESS = 2
- 6. Gap (in units) between the top bar and the first row of bricks: TOP_GAP_THICKNESS = 8
- 7. Thickness (in units) of a row of bricks: BRICK_ROW_THICKNESS = 2
- 8. The number of rows of bricks: BRICK_ROW_AMOUNT = 7
- 9. An array containing the colors of each row of bricks: BRICK_COLORS = [0x008062e0, 0x007173c6, 0x006283ac, 0x00539492, 0x0043a577, 0x0034b55d, 0x0025c643]
- 10. The y-coordinate of the paddle (constant): PADDLE_Y = 61
- 11. The x-coordinates of the paddle, these are variable, one stores the x-coordinate of the left-most pixel of the paddle, one stores the rightmost. This enables us to adjust the length of the paddle, and makes it easier for us to update its position:

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PADDLE_X_LEFT = 26; PADDLE_X_RIGHT = 36
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- 12. The y-coordinate of the paddle (constant): PADDLE_2_Y = 58
- 13. The x-coordinates of the second paddle, these are variable, one stores the x-coordinate of the leftmost pixel of the paddle, one stores the rightmost. This enables us to adjust the length of the paddle, and makes it easier for us to update its position:

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PADDLE_2_X_LEFT = 26; PADDLE_2_X_RIGHT = 36
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- 14. The position of the ball (this is a variable): BALL_X = 31; BALL_Y = 58
- 15. The movement vectors for the ball (each cycle the balls position are calculated as such: $BALL_X = BALL_X + VEC_X$; $BALL_Y = BALL_Y + VEC_Y$). For ease of calculation, VEC_X and VEC_Y can only be either 1 or -1: $VEC_X = 1$; $VEC_Y = 1$
- 16. The width of a single brick (constant): BRICK_WIDTH = 6
- 17. The players' score, each time a brick is hit the score increments by 1 (variable): SCORE = 0
- 18. The players' lives, each time the players lose, one of the hearts turn black: LIVES = [0x00FF0000, 0x00FF0000 Data in Memory:

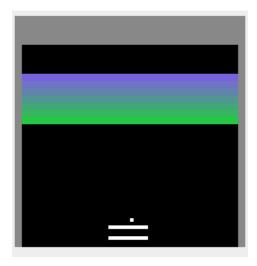


Data in Hexadecimal

□ Data Segment								
Address	Value (+0)	Value (+4)	Value (+8)	Value (+c)	Value (+10)	Value (+14)	Value (+18)	Value (+1c)
0x10010000	268468224	-65536	8947848	8	2	8	2	7
0x10010020	7955168	7369670	6390956	5412242	4433528	3454814	2476100	61
0x10010040	58	1	1	6	31	57	26	36
0x10010060	26	36	0	16711680	16711680	16711680	0	0

Data in Decimal

2 Scene



3 Collision Algorithm

In each game cycle, we check the 4 pixels directly adjacent to the pixel where the ball is at: (BALL_X + 1, BALL_Y), (BALL_X - 1, BALL_Y), (BALL_X, BALL_Y + 1), (BALL_X, BALL_Y - 1).

If any of the 4 pixels are not the default black background (0x00000000), then we have "touched" something.

And since we are only moving diagonally, the process is as follows:

If the ball is touching something on it's left or right, i.e. (BALL_X + 1, BALL_Y) or (BALL_X - 1, BALL_Y), then we invert the sign of VEC_X. (VEC_X = - VEC_X) So that when we update the position of the ball using BALL_X += VEC_X. It will go the opposite direction than where it was going.

Likewise, if the ball is touching something on it's top or bottom, i.e. (BALL_X, BALL_Y + 1) or (BALL_X, BALL_Y - 1), then we invert the sign of VEC_Y. (VEC_Y = - VEC_Y) So that when we update the position of the ball using BALL_Y += VEC_Y. It will go the opposite direction than where it was going.

These 2 cases can have either one applied, or both applied to the directional vectors of the ball.

4 How to Play

Buttons to play:

Player 1: 'a' for moving your pad to the left, 'd' for moving your pad to the right

Player 2: ',' for moving your pad to the left, '.' for moving your pad to the right

'p' to pause, 'p' to unpause and launch

'r' to reset

'q' to quit

Hit bricks with the ball to destroy them, each row of bricks requires 1 extra hit to be destroyed, press 'p' to launch the ball, you can move your paddles and the ball before launching! Make sure not to let the ball reach the bottom of the screen or else you will lose a life! You win once you destroy all the bricks.

5 Specifications

This version of the project uses eMARS 4.7 as it makes the game run smoother and makes things easier to set up