

## COMP262-01

# CPU SIM Project: a PEP8 Virtual Machine SIMULATION–PART5 CODING of the SIMULATION PROCESS/PROGRAM

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Continue with the coding of the Simulation program.

For this part (5), we will need the results of part4, the completed EX stage method which was implemented by identifying the instruction and calling the appropriate instruction processing method

**NOTE: YOU MAY NOT USE ANY ADDITIONAL JAVA LANGUAGE  
OBJECTS/METHODS FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE CODE!!!!**

We will now proceed to implement the following instruction processing methods ('invoked' from the EX):

LDr	Load to r from memory
LDBYTEr	Load byte to r from memory
STr	Store from r to memory
STBYTEr	Store byte from r to memory
ADDr	Add to r
SUBr	Subtract from r
ANDr	Bitwise AND to r
ORr	Bitwise OR to r
CPr	Compare r

**NOTE:** Please review the section at the end of this document regarding the setting of the Status Flags for the Arithmetical operations

At this point, the simulation will produce the complete update of the CPU State (Status bits, Registers, Memory), for those instructions that are implemented. The remaining instructions will only show a partial update.

### **Deliverables**

The source for the program, with DETAILED comments indicating WHAT parts of the program are not working and what is left to be coded.

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Clarification regarding the setting of the Status Flags in the coding for the Instruction methods that need to set them:

When implementing the methods that execute Instructions, please consult the PEP8 instruction specifications chart that we provided and/or that are shown in the PEP8 program, in the HELP menu entry under PEP8/Reference.

For each instruction you will see WHAT status flags need to be set.

IF a flag is to be set then you must provide code that checks for the appropriate condition and EITHER sets it ('1') or resets it ('0'),

Please realize that you need to deal with the fact that we are using an 'int'(4 bytes) to represent the PEP8 registers, which are ONLY two bytes.

- Checking for a 'ZERO' condition is straight forward: if (  $A == 0$  )  $Z=1$ ; else  $Z=0$ ;
- Checking for a 'NEGATIVE' condition is also simple, when you take into consideration that the correct sign bit is the 15<sup>th</sup> bit, NOT the 31<sup>st</sup> bit, so just single it out with a mask and check for it being a 1: if (  $(A \& 0x00008000) == 0x00008000$  )  $N=1$ ;
- Checking for an 'OVERFLOW' condition is done by implementing the 'OVERFLOW RULE' which states: "If two numbers are added and they are both positive OR both negative, then and overflow occurs ONLY IF the result has the opposite sign.

For ADDition, the logic should be (in pseudocode):

IF(  $(A > 0 \text{ AND } OP > 0 \text{ AND } (A + OP) < 0)$  OR  $(A < 0 \text{ AND } OP < 0 \text{ AND } (A + OP) > 0)$  )  $V=1$ ;

For SUBtraction, you need to consider the 'SUBTRACTION RULE' first, which states:

"To subtract one number (subtrahend) from another (minuend), NEGATE the subtrahend and ADD it to the minuend". In other words:  $A - B = A + (-B)$ .

Therefore, checking for an 'OVERFLOW' when SUBtracting, must take this rule into consideration and NEGATE the subtrahend when checking the sign.

So for the SUBtraction method, the logic should be (in pseudocode):

IF(  $(A > 0 \text{ AND } (-OP) > 0 \text{ AND } (A - OP) < 0)$  OR  $(A < 0 \text{ AND } (-OP) < 0 \text{ AND } (A - OP) > 0)$  )  $V=1$ ;

- Checking for a 'CARRY' condition when ADDing, needs to take into consideration that when performing and ADD using a two byte register, such as PEP8, the carry is a 'hardware' function that can only be 'SIMULATED' in software. So we take advantage of the fact that we are representing the two byte regs, using a four byte 'int' variable. So we perform the ADDition, and IF there was a 'carry', it will show as a 'spillover', a '1' in the 16<sup>th</sup> bit position of the 'int' variable that can be detected using a mask: if (  $(A \& 0x00010000) == 0x00010000$  )  $C=1$ ;
- Checking for a 'CARRY' condition when SUBtracting is very complex and we will not attempt it here. I will be willing to explain WHY in class, but for this project we will just ignore it and always set the 'C' bit to '0'.