

Objective

Write a MIPS Assembly program to accept a number N and print the sum of all numbers from 0 to N. The program should display the message "Enter the number of choice" while asking for the input. If the user enters a number less than 0 display an error message: "Error: Number less than or equal to 0!!".

Assembly Source Codes

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#program to calculate sum of numbers

.data
num : .asciiz "\nEnter the number of your choice:\n"    #stored in the global data because of the .data
sum : .asciiz "\nThe sum is:\n"                        #asciiz makes it an string
err : .asciiz "\nError: Number less than or equal to 0!!\n"

.text                                                    #Stored in the program section
la $a0,num
li $v0,4
syscall                                                  #syscall to print after the li
li $v0,5
syscall
move $s0,$v0 ##s0 has the number

move $s1, $0 # i = 0, counter
move $s2, $0 #initialize sum=0

blt $s1,$s0,end2 #while i!=num
la $a0,err
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li \$v0,4

syscall

j exit

end2:

#loop to calculate sum until number

loop:

#label

add \$s2,\$s2,\$s1 #sum = sum + i

addi \$s1,\$s1,1 # i=i+1

bgt \$s1,\$s0,end #while i!=num

j loop

end:

la \$a0,sum

li \$v0,4

syscall

li \$v0,1

move \$a0,\$s2

syscall

exit:

li \$v0,10

#exit program

syscall

Screen shot of the results

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Enter the number of your choice:
5

The sum is:
15
-- program is finished running --
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Enter the number of your choice:
-2

Error: Number less than or equal to 0!!

-- program is finished running --
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Conclusion and References

After adding a branch to ensure that the number is never less than 0, the program works as intended.