CISC ASSEMBLER USER MANUAL DOCUMENT

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We had run the project in IntelliJ and we recommend the same to use in your system with jdk version 17.

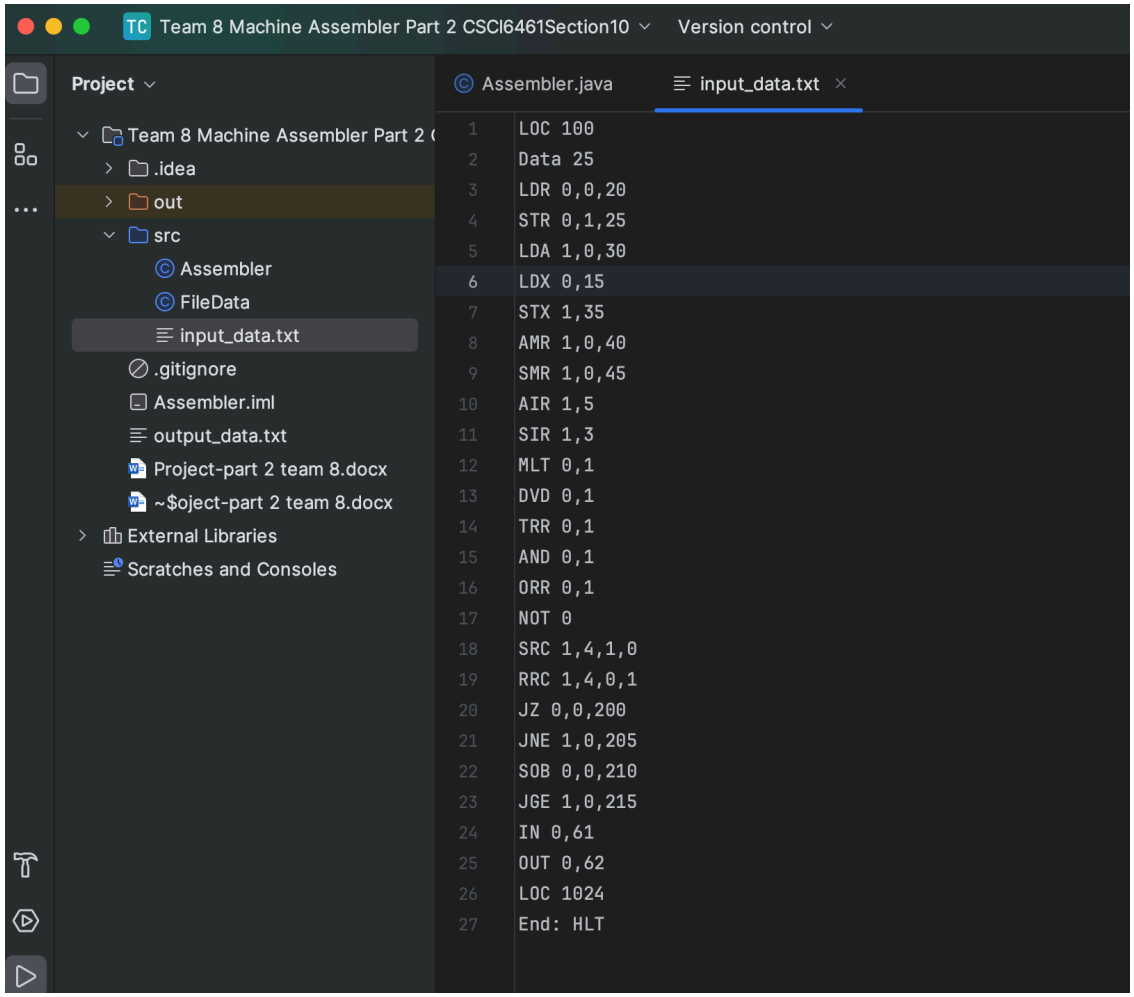
As previously indicated, the project folder "Team 8 Machine Simulator Part 1 CSCI6461Section10-1.zip" has already been uploaded. This folder contains the design notes and user manual that you may refer to.

In order to use the Assembler, you must first create an input file called input_data.txt. After that, you must run assembler.java to change the file into an output_data.txt file.

ASSEMBLER

This project's main objective is to extract data and translate it into hexadecimal code from the provided input text file. To do this conversion, each instruction in the input file must be represented using a syntax similar to XXXX YYYY, where XXXX denotes the program counter and YYYY denotes the decoded instruction.

As a point of reference, the original data may be found in the input_data.txt file, which is where the intended output is created.



Overview of assembler.java:

This specialized Java application is tailored for a specific architectural framework, and it fulfills several vital roles within this context. Its capabilities include the retrieval of data from a file, the processing of commands, the generation of machine instructions, and the exportation of the final output to a separate file.

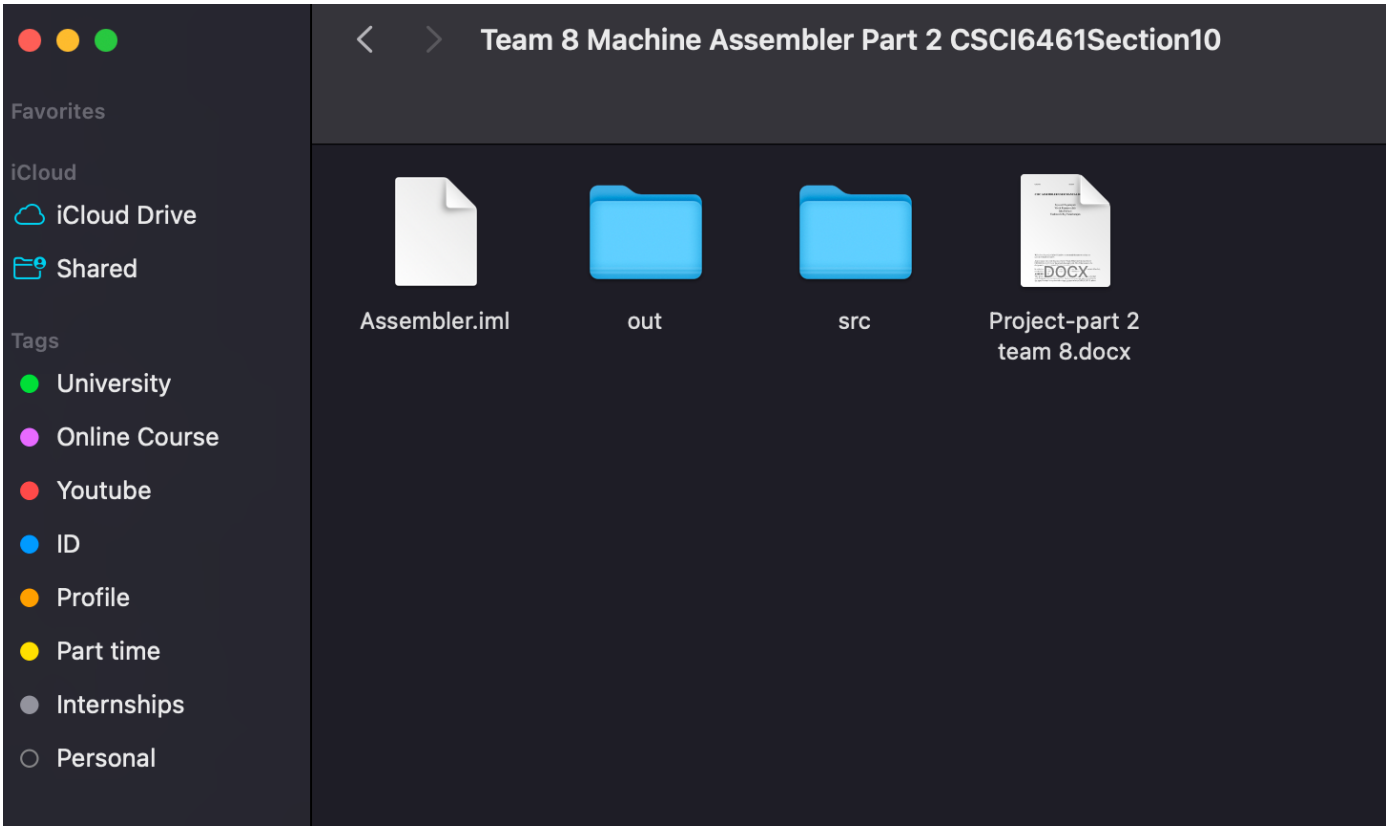
At the core of this process lies the pivotal generateInstruction function, responsible for handling diverse types of instructions. It meticulously configures the OpCode, R, IX, I, and Address attributes to ensure precise encoding.

The management of input rows and the integration of the resulting instructions into the outputData collection are skillfully overseen by the encodeInstructions function, which also keeps track of the LOC (location counter).

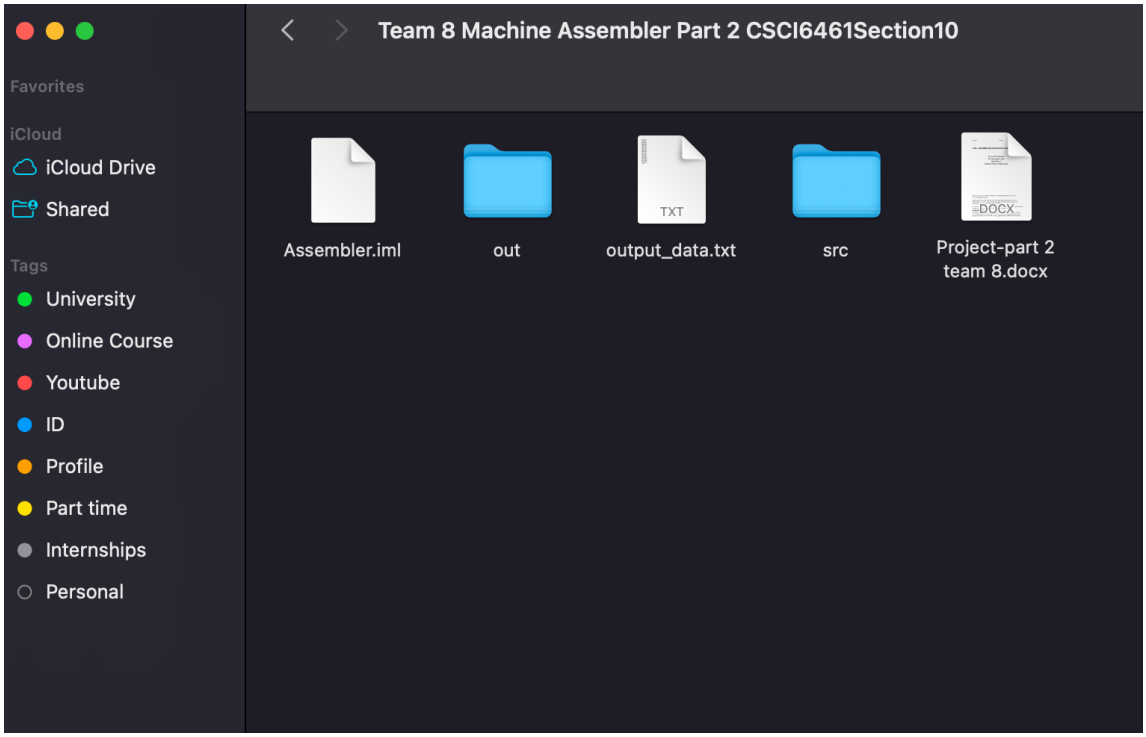
Impressively, the application exhibits proficiency in dealing with exceptional cases, such as instructions labeled as "End" and "Data." When supplied with valid input, it promptly generates the desired output and saves it in a file named "output_data.txt."

How to Run the Assembler?

We must unzip the Team 8 Machine Assembler Part 2 CSCI6461Section10.zip file before running the assembler. After that is finished, all we have to do is double-click the Assembler.jar application in the unzipped folder.



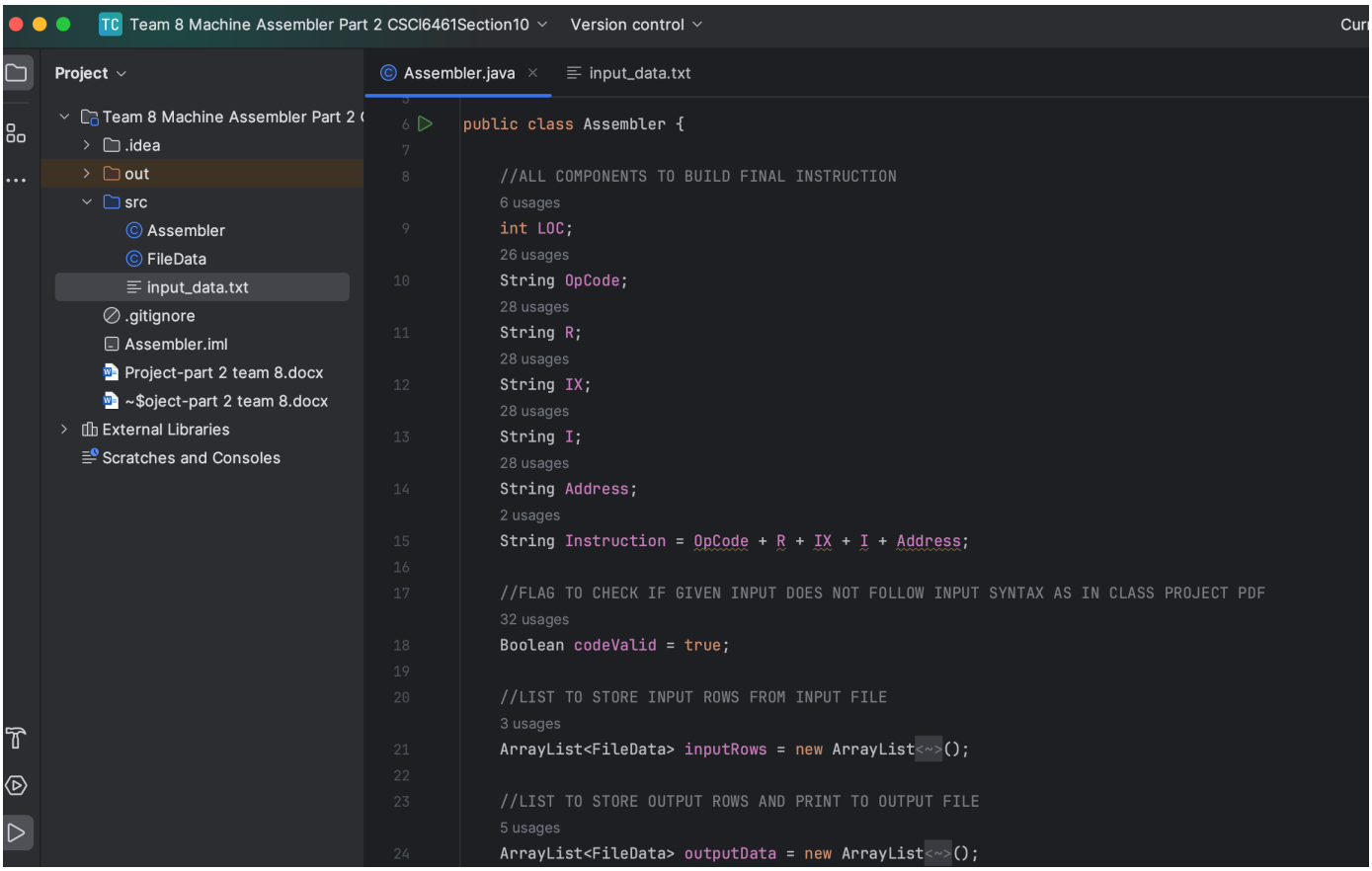
After the execution, the output_data.txt file will be found in the same folder.



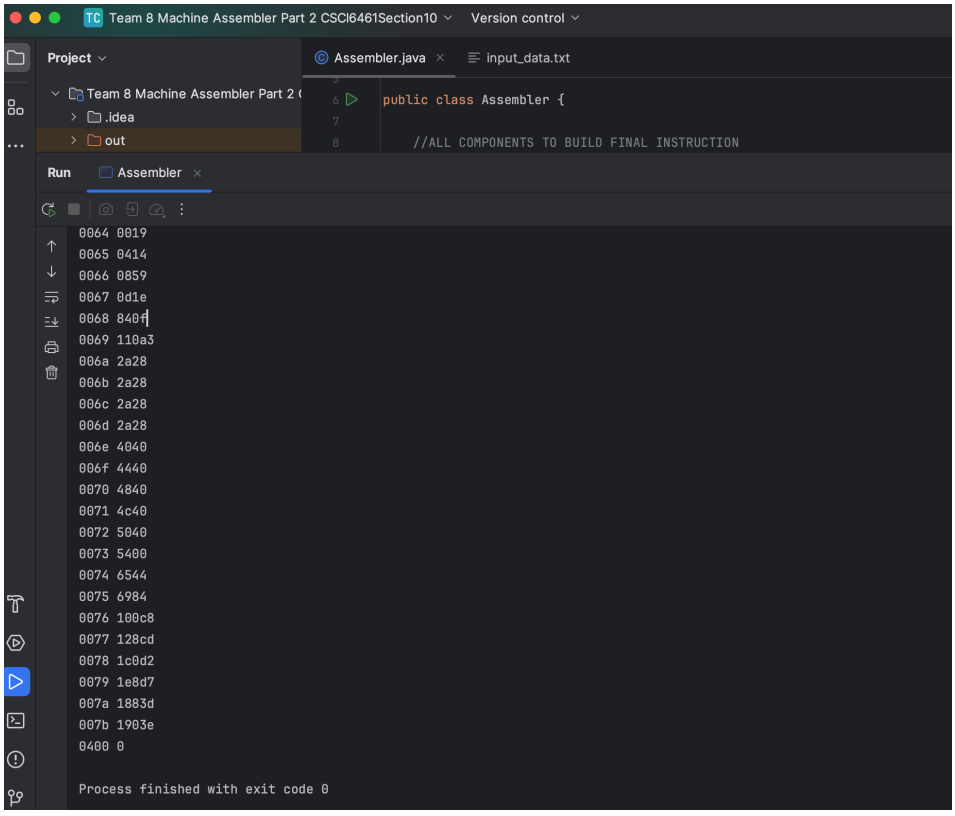
How to run the Assembler using the Code?

Access to the following files is available within the Assembler folder:

src -> Assembler.java in Assembler
src -> Assembler -> input_data.txt
Result.txt
Using IntelliJ IDEA, you may choose to run the Assembler.java file.



The application concurrently saves its result to a file called "output_data.txt" and displays it in the terminal window.



In output_data.txt,