Computer Architecture

Lab Assignment

Total Marks = 14 (including demonstration and viva)

Due Date: 21 Dec 2021 till 23:59 Hrs. [No extension of due date is possible]

The text file containing the program needs to be submitted by the due date in LMS in "Lab Assignment". There is no marks for only submission of the assignment. You need to demonstrate your code during the lab evaluation class on 22 Dec 2021 or 23 Dec 2021 as appropriate, and also if require I may ask you to modify / add / replace some code as part of evaluation & viva.

Let us define our customized floating point number system (called as LPFP => Low Precision Floating Point number) in 32 bits as follows:

Sign bit: most significant bit (0 => the number is positive, 1=> the number is negative)

Biased exponent: next 15 bits [Note that Bias value is 16383]

Mantissa: 16bits

All these floating point numbers are in normalized format.

Write Assembly Language program to **Add** and **Multiply** two LPFP numbers. Also write additional code / data to test these functions.

Note:

- a) Implementation must be modular.
- b) You need to write **lpfpAdd** and **lpfpMultiply** as two functions.
- c) Data must be taken from memory. And After computation the result has to be put into memory.
- d) Each function assumes that address is stored in register [r1] from where the two 32-bit lpfp numbers must be taken.
- e) And the result needs to be put into location pointed by register [r1] just after the input data.
- f) All registers (except [r1]) used inside these functions must be restored to its original value after the end of function call.