

# GFSsembly

GFSsembly is a toy [assembly language](#) for a register-based [virtual machine](#), made for use in CS 3.

The VM has:

- A sequence of instructions. The VM starts with the first instruction, and moves through the instructions in sequence unless a jump operation is performed.
- Four registers, which each hold a single integer, which are initialized to `0` at the start of the program.
- A fixed-length memory array (a list of numbers).
- An output stream, which can be used to log numbers or print characters.

All numbers in the VM are integers (division results are truncated).

## Instructions List

Instruction	Action
<code>add rX n</code>	Add <code>n</code> to <code>rX</code> and store the result in <code>rX</code>
<code>sub rX n</code>	Subtract <code>n</code> from <code>rX</code> and store the result in <code>rX</code>
<code>mul rX n</code>	Multiply <code>rX</code> by <code>n</code> and store the result in <code>rX</code>
<code>div rX n</code>	Divide <code>rX</code> by <code>n</code> (truncating decimals) and store the result in <code>rX</code>
<code>mod rX n</code>	Compute <code>rX</code> modulo <code>n</code> and store the result in <code>rX</code>
<code>eq rX n</code>	Check if <code>rX</code> equals <code>n</code> and store the result in <code>rX</code>
<code>lt rX n</code>	Check if <code>rX</code> is less than <code>n</code> and store the result in <code>rX</code>
<code>gt rX n</code>	Check if <code>rX</code> is greater than <code>n</code> and store the result in <code>rX</code>
<code>and rX n</code>	Compute logical 'and' of <code>rX</code> and <code>n</code> and store the result in <code>rX</code>
<code>or rX n</code>	Compute logical 'or' of <code>rX</code> and <code>n</code> and store the result in <code>rX</code>
<code>not rX</code>	Compute logical 'not' of <code>rX</code> and store the result in <code>rX</code>
<code>jmp n</code>	Jump by <code>n</code> instructions
<code>jeq n a b</code>	Jump by <code>n</code> instructions if <code>a</code> equals <code>b</code>
<code>jne n a b</code>	Jump by <code>n</code> instructions if <code>a</code> does not equal <code>b</code>
<code>halt</code>	Stop program execution immediately
<code>set rX n</code>	Set the value of <code>rX</code> to <code>n</code>
<code>log n</code>	Print <code>n</code> as a number on a new line
<code>print n</code>	Print <code>n</code> as a character in the current line, converting to unicode
<code>load rX index</code>	Load the number at memory location <code>index</code> into <code>rX</code>
<code>store src index</code>	Store <code>src</code> in memory at location <code>index</code>
<code>mem values...</code>	Set memory array to a given sequence of values

Notes:

- Instructions with a `rX` parameter store their result in the register `rX`, where `rX` is `r0`, `r1`, `r2`, or `r3`. All other arguments can be register names or number literals.
- Comparison instructions produce a result of `0` if the comparison is false and `1` if the comparison is true.
- Logical instructions interpret arguments of `0` as false and arguments of any other value as true.
- Jumps are applied relative to the instruction position. Conditional jumps whose condition is false proceed to the next instruction.

## add

Instruction: add rX n

Action: Add n to rX and store the result in rX

Example: add r2 r1

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	3	4	0	[]	
after	0	3	7	0	[]	

Example: add r2 8

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	4	0	[]	
after	0	0	12	0	[]	

## sub

Instruction: sub rX n

Action: Subtract n from rX and store the result in rX

Example: sub r2 r1

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	7	5	0	[]	
after	0	7	-2	0	[]	

Example: sub r2 3

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	5	0	[]	
after	0	0	2	0	[]	

## mul

Instruction: mul rX n

Action: Multiply rX by n and store the result in rX

Example: mul r2 r1

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	3	4	0	[]	
after	0	3	12	0	[]	

Example: mul r2 7

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	4	0	[]	
after	0	0	28	0	[]	

## div

Instruction: `div rX n`

Action: Divide `rX` by `n` (truncating decimals) and store the result in `rX`

Example: `div r2 r1`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	8	20	0	[]	
after	0	8	2	0	[]	

Example: `div r2 4`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	20	0	[]	
after	0	0	5	0	[]	

## mod

Instruction: `mod rX n`

Action: Compute `rX` modulo `n` and store the result in `rX`

Example: `mod r2 r1`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	7	20	0	[]	
after	0	7	6	0	[]	

Example: `mod r2 3`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	20	0	[]	
after	0	0	2	0	[]	

## eq

Instruction: `eq rX n`

Action: Check if `rX` equals `n` and store the result in `rX`

Example: `eq r2 r1`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	7	10	0	[]	
after	0	7	0	0	[]	

Example: `eq r2 5`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	5	0	[]	
after	0	0	1	0	[]	

## lt

Instruction: `lt rX n`

Action: Check if `rX` is less than `n` and store the result in `rX`

Example: `lt r2 r1`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	17	10	0	[]	
after	0	17	1	0	[]	

Example: `lt r2 5`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	10	0	[]	
after	0	0	0	0	[]	

## gt

Instruction: `gt rX n`

Action: Check if `rX` is greater than `n` and store the result in `rX`

Example: `gt r2 r1`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	17	10	0	[]	
after	0	17	0	0	[]	

Example: `gt r2 5`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	10	0	[]	
after	0	0	1	0	[]	

## and

Instruction: `and rX n`

Action: Compute logical 'and' of `rX` and `n` and store the result in `rX`

Example: `and r2 r1`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	1	0	0	[]	
after	0	1	0	0	[]	

## or

Instruction: `or rX n`

Action: Compute logical 'or' of `rX` and `n` and store the result in `rX`

Example: `or r2 r1`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	1	0	0	[]	
after	0	1	1	0	[]	

## not

Instruction: `not rx`

Action: Compute logical 'not' of `rx` and store the result in `rx`

Example: `not r2`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	1	0	[]	
after	0	0	0	0	[]	

## jmp

Instruction: `jmp n`

Action: Jump by `n` instructions

Example: `jmp -5`

Jump backwards by `5` instructions

## jeq

Instruction: `jeq n a b`

Action: Jump by `n` instructions if `a` equals `b`

Example: `jeq 10 r2 r1`

Jump forward by `10` instructions if the value in `r2` equals the value in `r1`

Example: `jeq 10 r2 0`

Jump forward by `10` instructions if the value in `r2` equals `0`

## jne

Instruction: `jne n a b`

Action: Jump by `n` instructions if `a` does not equal `b`

Example: `jne 10 r2 r1`

Jump forward by `10` instructions if the value in `r2` does not equal the value in `r1`

Example: `jne 10 r2 0`

Jump forward by `10` instructions if the value in `r2` does not equal `0`

## halt

Instruction: `halt`

Action: Stop program execution immediately

## set

Instruction: `set rX n`

Action: Set the value of `rX` to `n`

Example: `set r2 5`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	0	0	[]	
after	0	0	5	0	[]	

Example: `set r2 r3`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	0	7	[]	
after	0	0	7	7	[]	

## log

Instruction: `log n`

Action: Print `n` as a number on a new line

Example: `log r2`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	7	0	[]	
after	0	0	7	0	[]	7

Example: `log 10`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	0	0	[]	
after	0	0	0	0	[]	10

## print

Instruction: `print n`

Action: Print `n` as a character in the current line, converting to unicode

Example: `print r2`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	97	0	[]	
after	0	0	97	0	[]	a

Example: `print 64`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	0	0	[]	
after	0	0	0	0	[]	@

## load

Instruction: `load rX index`

Action: Load the number at memory location `index` into `rX`

Example: `load r2 1`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	0	0	[4, 3, 0]	
after	0	0	3	0	[4, 3, 0]	

Example: `load r2 r1`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	0	0	[4, 3, 0]	
after	0	0	4	0	[4, 3, 0]	

## store

Instruction: `store src index`

Action: Store `src` in memory at location `index`

Example: `store 5 r0`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	1	0	0	0	[0, 0, 0]	
after	1	0	0	0	[0, 5, 0]	

Example: `store r1 2`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	8	0	0	[0, 0, 0]	
after	0	8	0	0	[0, 0, 8]	

## mem

Instruction: `mem values...`

Action: Set memory array to a given sequence of values

Example: `mem 1 1 2 3 5`

	r0	r1	r2	r3	memory	output
before	0	0	0	0	[]	
after	0	0	0	0	[1, 1, 2, 3, 5]	