CPSC 240: Computer Organization and Assembly Language Assignment 05, Fall Semester 2024

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Quiz Questions:

From the textbook "X86-64 Assembly Language Programming with Ubuntu," study quiz questions 5 and 6 on page 137. Students do not need to submit answers to the quiz questions as they are found in Appendix D of the textbook.

Programming:

- 1. Download the "CPSC-240 Assignment05.docx" document.
- 2. Convert the following C/C++ variable declarations and arithmetic operations to x86-64 assembly language. Find an even number from the "array" array and copy that even number into the "even" array. NOTE: variable sizes and program functions should be equivalent to C/C++ instructions.
- 3. Use the "yasm/nasm" assembler to assemble the program, the "ld" linker to link the object code, and the "ddd/gdb" debugger to simulate the executable code.

- 4. Assemble the "doWhile.asm" file and link the "parity.o" file to get the "parity" executable file.
- 5. Run the "parity" file with the DDD/GDB debugger to display the simulation results of array and even.
- 6. Insert source code (parity.asm) and simulation results (GDB window) of the memory array (array and even) in the document. Use hand calculation to verify simulation results.
- 7. Save the file in pdf or docx format and submit the pdf or docx file to Canvas before the deadline.

[Insert the source code of parity.asm here]

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; unsigned short array[7] = {12, 1003, 6543, 24680, 789, 30123, 32766};
; unsigned short even[7];
; register long rsi = 0, rdi = 0;
; do {
      if (array[rsi] % 2 == 0) {
      even[rdi] = array[rsi];
      rdi++;
; } rsi++;
; } while (rsi < 7);
section .data
SYS_exit equ 60
EXIT_SUCCESS
                     equ 0
           dw 12, 1003, 6543, 24680, 789, 30123, 32766
array
           times 7 dw 0
even
section .text
 global _start
_start:
 mov rsi, 0
 mov rdi, 0
.loop:
 cmp rsi, 7
 jge .exit
 mov ax, [array + rsi*2]
 test ax, 1
 jnz .not_even
 mov [even + rdi*2], ax
 inc rdi
.not_even:
 inc rsi
 jmp .loop
.exit:
 mov eax, SYS_exit
 xor edi, edi
 syscall
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[Insert parity simulation result (GDB window with array and even) here]

[Insert the simulation result verification here]

12, 24680, 32766 are the only even numbers within the array