

# CET 241: Day 6

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# Basics to remember (IMPORT, EXPORT, extern)

- **IMPORT** (in .S): to access a variable/ function from .S declared in .C
- **EXPORT** (in .S): to access a function/variable in .S (i.e., PROC) from .C
- **extern** (in .c): to access a variable/function from .C declared in .S
- To access a variable/function from .S declared in .C, no need extra action in .C file.

# Example of Accessing C Variables (main is in C)

C Program (main.c)	Assembly Program (count.s)
<pre>int counter; int c ;  int getValue(); void increment(); void setValue(int b);  int main(void) {     c = 0;     setValue(1);     increment();     c = getValue();     c = c + 1;     while(1); }</pre>	<pre>AREA test, CODE         counter         ALIGN         ENTRY  setValue PROC         LDR r1, =counter         STR r0, [r1]         BX lr         ENDP  getValue PROC         LDR r1, =counter         LDR r0, [r1]         BX lr         ENDP  increment PROC         LDR r1, =counter         LDR r0, [r1]         BX lr         ENDP  END</pre> <p>r0 value?</p>

# Example of Accessing Data Defined in Assembly (main is in ASM)

Assembly Program	C Program
<pre>AREA main, CODE      __main                    ALIGN       __main  MOVS    r2,#0         MOVS    r0,#1         BL      setValue         BL      increment         BL      getValue         MOV     r2,r0 stop    B       stop          AREA myData, DATA          counter SPACE 4         </pre>	<pre> int counter;  int getValue() {      counter; }  void increment() {     counter; }  void setValue(int c) {     counter ; }</pre>