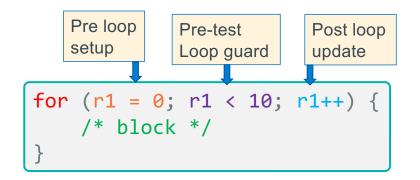


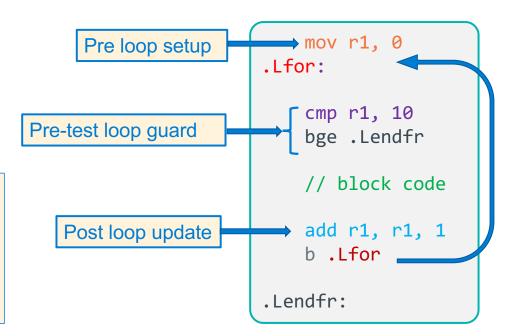


Program Flow – Counting (For) Loop Version 1



A **counting loop** has three parts:

- 1. Pre-loop setup
- 2. Pre-test loop guard conditions
- 3. Post-loop update



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Program Flow – Counting (For) Loop – Version 2

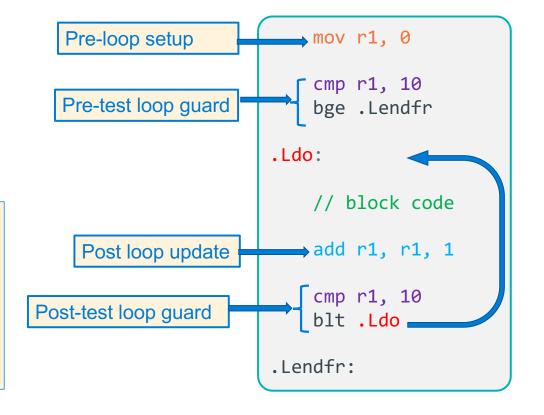
```
Pre loop setup

Pre-test Loop guard

For (r1 = 0; r1 < 10; r1++) {

/* block */
}
```

- Alternative:
- move Pre-test loop guard before the loop
- Add post-test loop guard
 - converts to do while
 - removes an unconditional branch



Nested loops

```
for (r3 = 0; r3 < 10; r3++) {
    r0 = 0;

    do {
        r0 = r0 + r1++;
    } while (r1 < 10);

    // fall through
    r2 = r2 + r1;
}
r5 = r0;</pre>
```

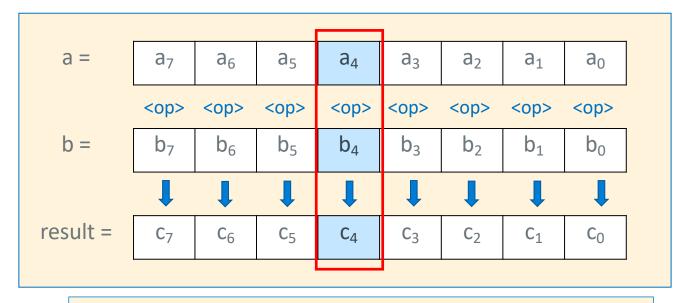
Nest loop blocks as you would in C or Java

```
mov r3, 0
Lfor:
                  // loop guard
   cmp r3, 10
   bge .Lendfor
   mov r0, 0
.Ldo:
   add r0, r0, r1
   add r1, r1, 1
   cmp r1, 10 // loop guard
   .blt .Ldo
   // fall through
   add r2, r2, r1
   add r3, r3, 1 // loop iteration
   b .Lfor
.Lendfor:
   mov r5, r0
```

Keep loops Properly Nested: Do not branch into the middle of a loop

Do not do the following: It is hard to understand and debug .Lloop1: loops when you branch into the add r1, r1, 1 middle of a loop ►Lloop2: add r2, r2, 1 Keep loops proper nested add r2, r1, r3 cmp r1, 10 blt .Lloop1 Bad practice: branch into loop body beq .Lend1 add r3, r3, 1 cmp r2, 20 ble .Lloop2 Lend1:

What is a Bitwise Operation?



- Bitwise operators are applied independently to each of the <u>corresponding</u> bit positions in each variable
- Each bit position of the result depends <u>only</u> on bits in the <u>same</u> bit position within the operands

Bitwise (Bit to Bit) Operators in C

output = ∼a;

a	~a
0	1
1	0

а	b	a & b
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

& with 1 to let a bit through & with 0 to set a bit to 0

output = a & b; output = a | b;

а	b	a b
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	1

with 1 to set a bit to 1 I with 0 to let a bit through output = a ^ b; //EOR

а	b	a ^ b
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

^ with 1 will flip the bit

^ with 0 to let a bit through

Bitwise NOT



Bitwise **AND**

&	0110 1100
	0100

Bitwise

	OR
	0110
I	1100
	1110

Bitwise

	EOR				
	0110				
^	1100				
	1010				

Bitwise Not (vs Boolean Not)

in C
int output = ~a;

a	~a
0	1
1	0

~ 1100 ----0011

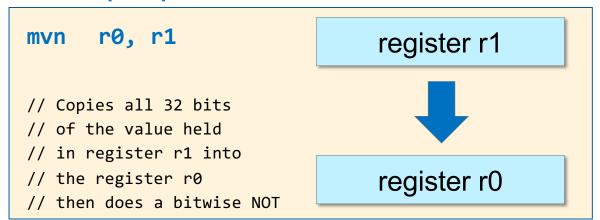
	Bitwise Not							
number	0101	1010	0101	1010	1111	0000	1001	0110
~number	1010	0101	1010	0101	0000	1111	0110	1001

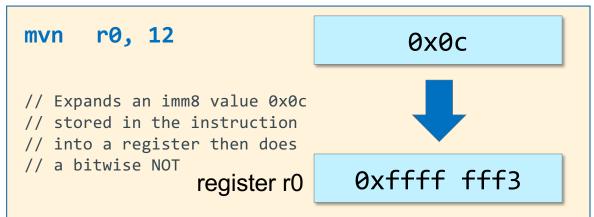
Meaning	Operator	Operator	Meaning
Boolean NOT	!b	~b	Bitwise NOT

Boolean operators act on the entire value not the individual bits

Туре	Operation				res	sult			
bitwise	~0x01	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1111	1110
Boolean	!0x01	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000	0000

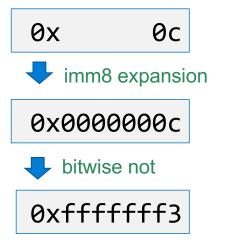
MVN (not)





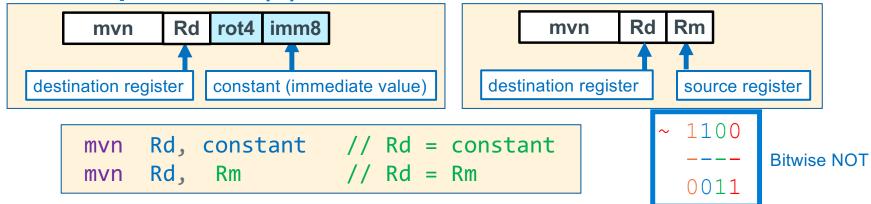


• A bitwise NOT operation



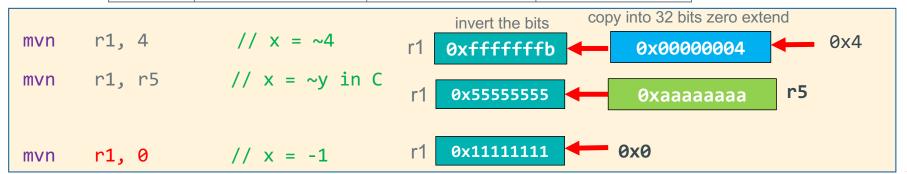
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mvn – Copies NOT (~)

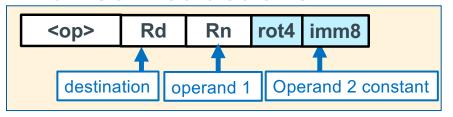


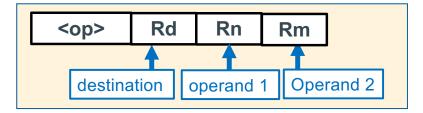
bitwise NOT operation. Immediate (constant) version copies to 32-bit register, then does a bitwise NOT

imm8	extended imm8	inverted imm8	signed base 10	
0x00	0x00 00 00 00	0xff ff ff ff	-1	
0xff	0x00 00 00 ff	0xff ff ff 00	-256	



Bitwise Instructions





Bitwise <op> description</op>	C Syntax	Arm <op> Syntax Op2: either register or constant value</op>	Operation
Bitwise AND	a & b	and R _d , R _n , Op2	$R_d = R_n \& Op2$
Bitwise OR	a b	orr R _d , R _n , Op2	$R_d = R_n \mid Op2$
Exclusive OR	a ^ b	eor R _d , R _n , Op2	$R_d = R_n ^ Op2$
Bitwise NOT	a = ~b	mvn R _d , R _n	$R_d = \sim R_n$

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Bitwise versus C Boolean Operators

Boolean Operators

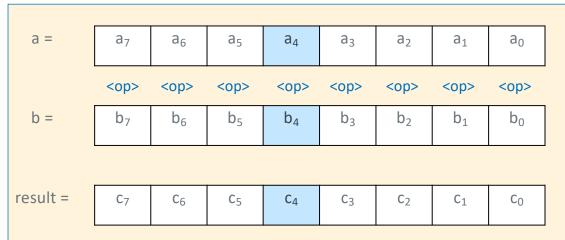
Bitwise Operators

Meaning	Operator	Operator	Meaning
Boolean AND	a && b	a & b	Bitwise AND
Boolean OR	a b	a b	Bitwise OR
Boolean NOT	!b	~b	Bitwise NOT

Boolean operators act on the entire value not the individual bits

```
bitwise & versus boolean &&
0x10 & 0x01 = 0x00 \text{ (bitwise)}
0x10 & 0x01 = 0x01 \text{ (Boolean)}
bitwise \sim versus boolean !
\sim 0x01 = 0xfffffffe \text{ (bitwise)}
!0x01 = 0x0 \text{ (Booelan)}
```

The act (operation) of *Masking*



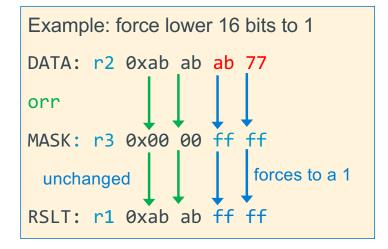
- Bit masks access/modify specific bits in memory
- Masking act of applying a mask to a value with a specific op:
- orr: 0 passes bit unchanged, 1 sets bit to 1 (a = b | c; // in C)
- eor: 0 passes bit unchanged, 1 inverts the bit (a = b ^ c; // in C)
- and: 0 clears the bit, 1 passes bit unchanged (a = b & c; // in C)

Mask on

force bits to 1 "mask on" operation

- 1 to set a bit to 1
- 0 to let a bit through unchanged

```
orr r1, r2, r3
r1 = r2 | r3; // in C
```



```
Example: force lower 8 bits to 1

DATA: r2 0xab ab ab 77

orr r1 r2, 0xff

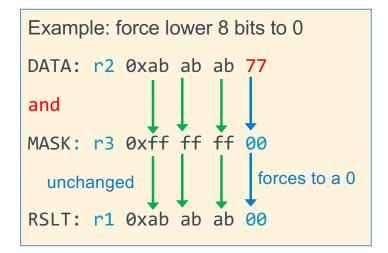
r1 = r2 | 0xff; // in C

RSLT: r1 0xab ab ab ff
```

Mask off

force bits to 0 "mask off" operation
0 to set a bit to 0 ("clears the bit")
1 to let a bit through unchanged

```
and r1, r2, r3
r1 = r2 & r3; // in C
```



```
Example: force lower 8 bits to 0

DATA: r2 0xab ab ab 77

and r1 r2, 0xffffff00

r1 = r2 & 0xffffff00; // in C

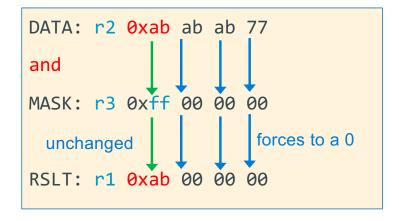
RSLT: r1 0xab ab ab 00
```

Extracting (Isolate) a Field of Bits with a mask

extract top 8 bits of r2 into r1

- 0 to set a bit to 0 ("clears the bit")
- 1 to let a bit through unchanged

```
and r1, r2, r3
```



```
extract top 8 bits of r2 into r1

DATA: r2 0xab ab ab 77

and r1, r2, 0xff000000

RSLT: r1 0xab 00 00 00

r1 = r2 & 0xff000000; // in C
```

Finding if a bit is set

```
unsigned int r1, r2;
// code
r1 = r2 & 0x02
if (r1 != 0) {
    // code for is set
}
```

```
unsigned int r2;
// code
if ((r2 & 0x02) != 0) {
      // code for is set
}
```

Even/Odd

```
Even or odd, check LSB (same as mod %2)

check LSB (bit 0) if set then odd, else even

and r1, r2, 0x01

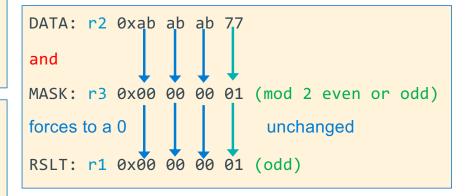
cmp r1, 0x01

bne .Lendif

// code for handling odd numbers

.Lendif:
```

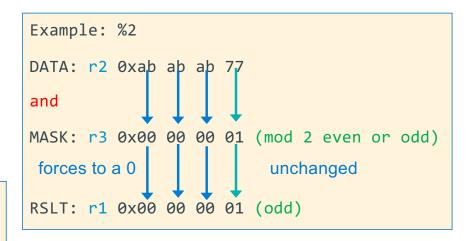
```
unsigned int r2;
// code
if ((r2 & 0x01) != 0) {
    // code for handling odd numbers
}
```

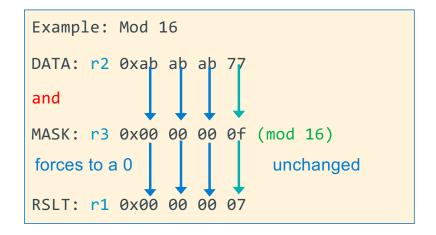


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MOD %<power of 2>

remainder (mod): num % d where num ≥ 0 and d = 2^k mask = 2^k -1 so for mod 16, mask = 16 -1 = 15 and r1, r2, r3





Flipping bits: bit toggle **Used in PA7/PA8**

invert (*flip*) bits "bit toggle" operation

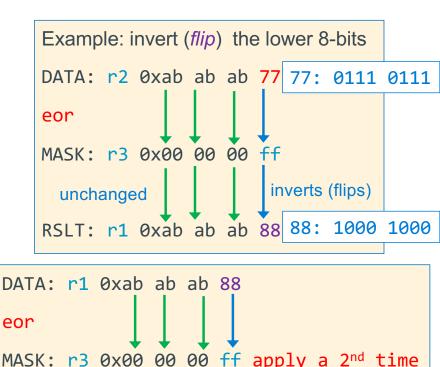
- 1 will flip the bit
- 0 to let a bit through

```
eor r1, r2, r3
```

- Observation: When applied twice, it returns the original value (symmetric encoding)
- With a mask of all 1's is a 1's compliment

```
Example: flip the lower 8-bits
   eor r1, r2, 0xff
```

```
unsigned int r1, r2;
r1 = r2 ^ 0xff;
```



```
eor
MASK: r3 0x00 00 00 ff apply a 2<sup>nd</sup> time
                          inverts (flips)
RSLT: r1 0xab ab ab 77 original value!
```

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Unsigned Integers (positive numbers) with Fixed # of Bits

- 4 bits is 2⁴ = ONLY 16 distinct values
- Modular (C operator: %) or clock math
 - Numbers start at 0 and "wrap around" after 15 and go back to 0
- Keep adding 1

wraps (clockwise)

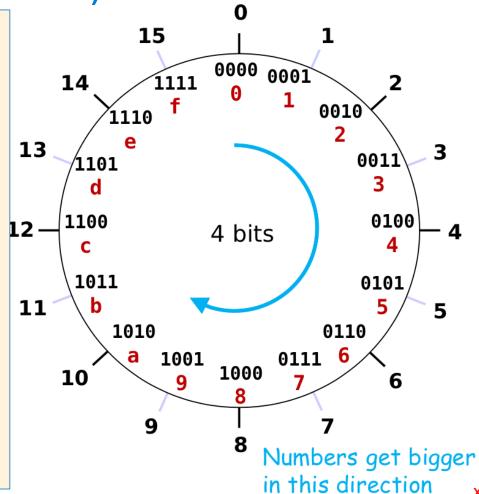
0000 -> 0001 ... -> 1111 -> 0000

Keep subtracting 1

wraps (counter-clockwise)

1111 -> 1110 ... -> 0000 -> 1111

 Addition and subtraction use normal "carry" and "borrow" rules, just operate in binary



Problem: How to Encode **Both Positive and Negative Integers**

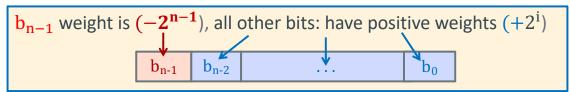
- How do we represent the negative numbers within a fixed number of bits?
 - Allocate some bit patterns to negative and others to positive numbers (and zero)
- 2^n distinct bit patterns to encode positive and negative values
- Unsigned values: $0 \dots 2^n 1 \leftarrow$ -1 comes from counting 0 as a "positive" number
- Signed values: $-2^{n-1} \dots 2^{n-1}-1$ (dividing the range in ~ half including 0)
- On a number line (below): 8-bit integers signed and unsigned (e.g., char in C)



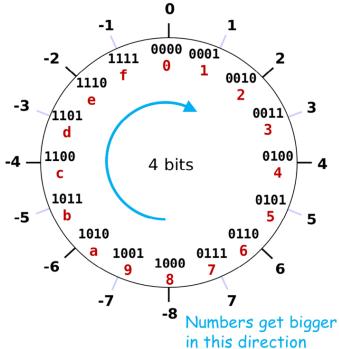
Same "width" (same number of encodings), just shifted in value

Two's Complement: The MSB Has a Negative Weight

$$2's\ Comp = -b_{n-1}2^{n-1} + b_{n-2}2^{n-2} + ... + b_12^1 + b_02^0$$



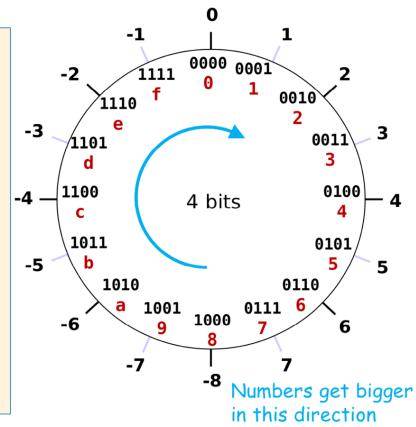
- 4-bit (w = 4) weight = $-2^{4-1} = -2^3 = -8$
 - 1010_2 unsigned: $1x2^3 + 0x2^2 + 1x2^1 + 0x2^0 = 10$
 - 1010_2 two's complement: $-1x2^3 + 0x2^2 + 1x2^1 + 0x2^0 = -8 + 2 = -6$
 - -8 in two's complement: $1000_2 = -2^3 + 0 = -8$
 - -1 in two's complement: $1111_2 = -2^3 + (2^3 - 1) = -8 + 7 = -1$



2's Complement Signed Integer Method

- Positive numbers encoded same as unsigned numbers
- All negative values have a one in the leftmost bit
- All positive values have a zero in the leftmost bit
 - This implies that 0 is a positive value
- Only one zero
- For n bits, Number range is $-(2^{n-1})$ to $+(2^{n-1}-1)$
 - Negative values "go 1 further" than the positive values
- Example: the range for 8 bits:

- Example the range for 32 bits:
 - **-2147483648** .. 0, .. **+2147483647**
- Arithmetic is the same as with unsigned binary!



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Sign Extension (how type promotion works)

• Sometimes you need to work with integers encoded with different number of bits

8 bits (char) -> (16 bits) **short** -> (32 bits) **int**

• Sign extension increases the number of bits: n-bit wide signed integer X, EXPANDS to a wider

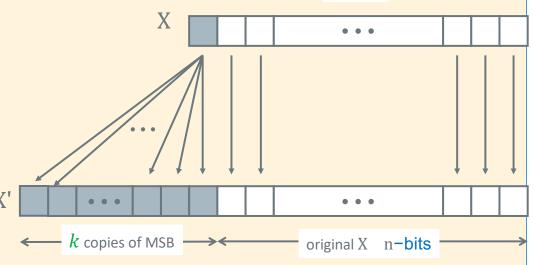
n-bit + k-bit signed integer X' where both have the same value

Unsigned

Just add leading zeroes to the left side

Two's Complement Signed:

- If positive, add leading zeroes on the left
 - Observe: Positive stay positive
- If negative, add leading ones on the left
 - Observe: Negative stays negative

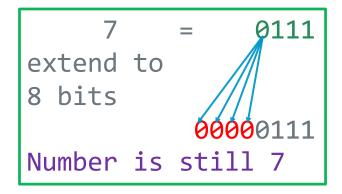


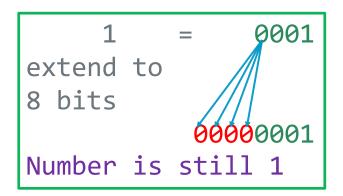
n-bits

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Example: Two's Complement Sign or bit Extension - 1

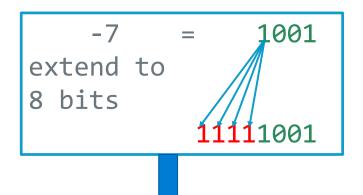
• Adding 0's in front of a positive numbers does not change its value





Example: Two's Complement Sign or bit Extension -2

• Adding 1's if front of a negative number does not change its value



```
1001 = -8 + 1 = -7
11111001 = (-128 + 64 + 32 + 16 + 8) + 1
= -8 + 1 = -7
```

```
7 = 00000111
| | | | | | | |
invert = 11111000
add 1 + 1
-7 11111001
```

Sign Extension in C: Type casts

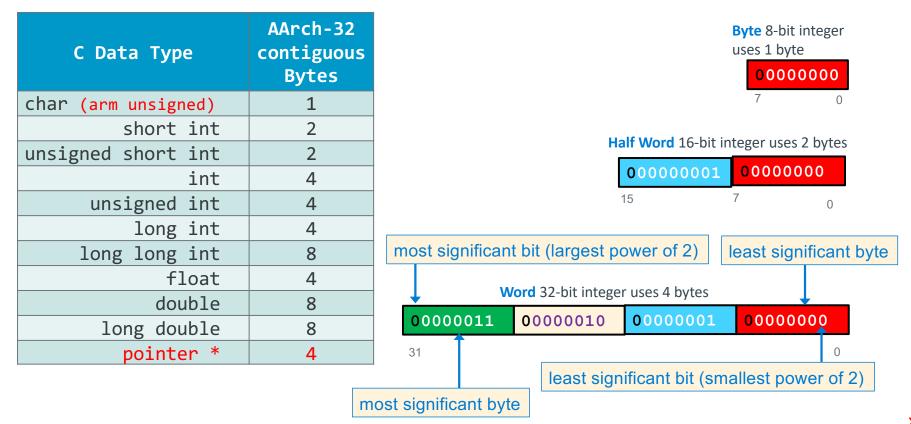
- Convert from smaller to larger integral data types
- C and Java automatically performs sign extension
- Example (on pi-cluster with 32-bit int)

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
int main(void)
    signed char c = -1;
    signed int i = c;
    unsigned char d = 1;
    unsigned int j = d;
    printf("c decimal = %hd\n", c);
    printf("c = 0x\%hhx\n", c);
    printf("i decimal = %d\n", i);
    printf("i = 0x%x \n", i);
    printf("\nd decimal = %hd\n", d);
    printf("d = 0x\%hhx\n", d);
    printf("j decimal = %d\n", j);
    printf("j = 0x%x \n", j);
    return EXIT SUCCESS;
```

```
%./a.out
c decimal = -1
c = 0xff
i decimal = -1
i = 0xffffffff

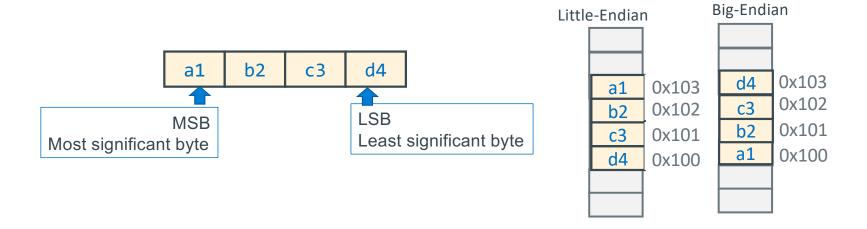
d decimal = 1
d = 0x1
j decimal = 1
j = 0x1
```

Different Type of Numbers each have a Fixed # of Bits Spanning one or more contiguous bytes of memory



Byte Ordering of Numbers In Memory: Endianness

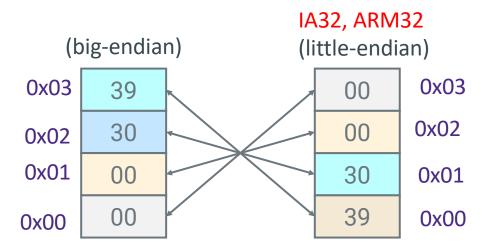
- Two different ways to place multi-byte integers in a byte addressable memory
- Big-endian: Most Significant Byte ("big end") starts at the *lowest (starting)* address
- Little-endian: Least Significant Byte ("little end") starts at the *lowest (starting)* address
- Example: 32-bit integer with 4-byte data



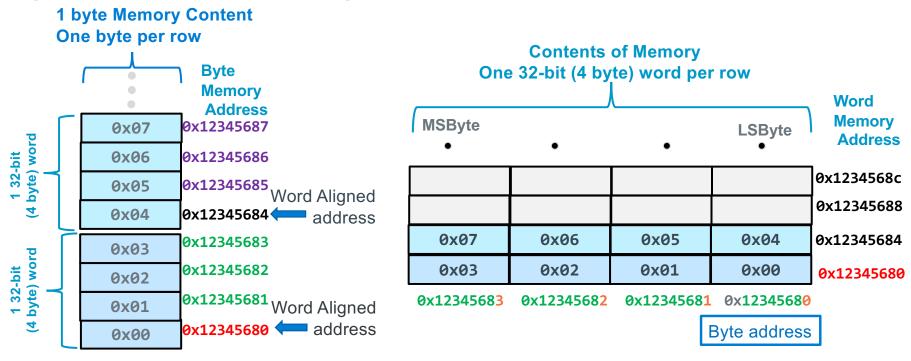
Byte Ordering Example

```
Decimal: 12345
Binary: 0011 0000 0011 1001
Hex: 3 0 3 9
```

```
int x = 12345;
// or x = 0x00003039; // show all 32 bits
```



Byte Addressable Memory Shown as 32-bit words



Observation
32-bit aligned addresses
rightmost 2 bits of the address are always 0

Using pointers to examine byte order (on pi-cluster)

```
#include <stdio.h>
#define SZ 2
int main()
{
    unsigned int foo[SZ] = {0x11223344, 0xaabbccdd};
    unsigned int *iptr = foo;
    unsigned char *chptr = (unsigned char *)foo;

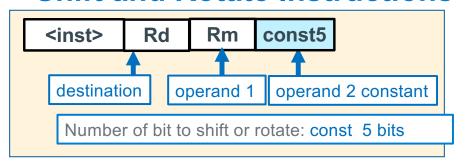
    for (int i = SZ-1; i >= 0; i--)
        printf("foo[%d]: %x\n", i, *(iptr + i));

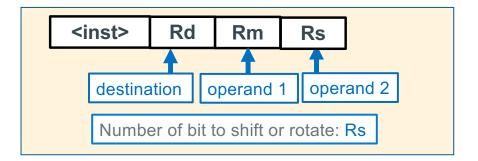
    for (int i = sizeof(foo)-1; i >= 0; i--)
        printf("byte %d: %x\n", i, (unsigned int)*(chptr + i));
    return 0;
}
```

```
kmuller@keithm-pi4:~$ ./a.out
foo[1]: aabbccdd
foo[0]: 11223344
byte 7: aa
byte 6: bb
byte 5: cc
byte 4: dd
byte 3: 11
byte 2: 22
byte 1: 33
byte 0: 44
```

0xaa	0x12345687
0xbb	0x12345686
0хсс	0x12345685
0xdd	0x12345684
0x11	0x12345683
0x11 0x22	0x12345683 0x12345682

Shift and Rotate Instructions





Instruction	Syntax	Operation	Notes	Diagram
Logical Shift Left int x; or unsigned int x x << n;		$\begin{array}{c} R_d \leftarrow R_m & << \textit{const5} \\ R_d \leftarrow R_m & << R_s \end{array}$	Zero fills shift: 0 - 31	C
Logical Shift Right unsigned int x; x >> n;		$\begin{array}{c} R_d \;\leftarrow\; R_m \;\; >> \;\; const5 \\ R_d \;\leftarrow\; R_m \;\; >> \;\; R_s \end{array}$	Zero fills shift: 1 - 32	0
Arithmetic Shift Right int x; x >> n;		$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Sign extends shift: 1 - 32	b31 b0 C
<pre>Rotate Right unsigned int x; x = (x>>n) (x<<(32-n));</pre>		$\begin{array}{c} R_d \leftarrow R_m \text{ror} \textit{const5} \\ R_d \leftarrow R_m \text{ror} R_s \end{array}$	right rotate rot: 0 - 31	b31 b0

 x

Shift Operations in C

- n is number of bits to shift a variable x of width w bits
- Shifts by n < 0 or $n \ge w$ are undefined
- Left shift (x << N) − Multiplies by 2^N
 - Shift N bits left, Fill with 0s on right
- In C: behavior of >> is determined by compiler
 - gcc: it depends on data type of x (signed/unsigned)
- Right shift (x >> N) Divides by 2^N
 - Logical shift (for unsigned variables)
 - Shift N bits right, Fill with 0s on left
 - Arithmetic shift (for signed variables) Sign Extension
 - Shift N bits right while <u>Replicating</u> the most significant bit on left
 - Maintains sign of x
- In Java: logical shift is >>> and arithmetic shift is >>>





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Arithmetic Shift Right Example: Testing Sign

```
asr r2, r0, 31

r0 0xab ab ab 77 // bit 31 is a one
r2 0xff ff ff ff // see the sign extend

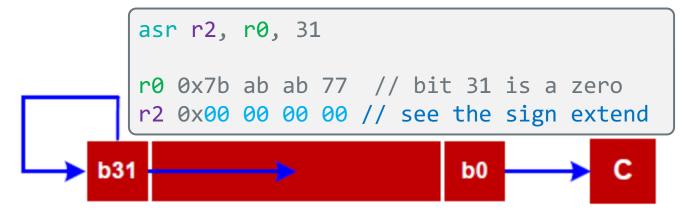
b0 C
```

```
int i;
//code
if ((i>>31) == -1) {
   // code neg #
}
```

```
Test for sign
-1 if r0 negative
```

```
asr r2, r0, 31
cmp r2, -1
bne .Lendif
//code neg #
.Lendif:
```

Arithmetic Shift Right Example: Testing SIgn



```
int i;
//code
if ((i>>31) == 0) {
    // code pos #
}
```

Test for sign 0 if r0 positive

```
asr r2, r0, 31
cmp r2, 0
bne .Lendif
//code positive #
.Lendif:
```

Logical Shift & Rotate Operations



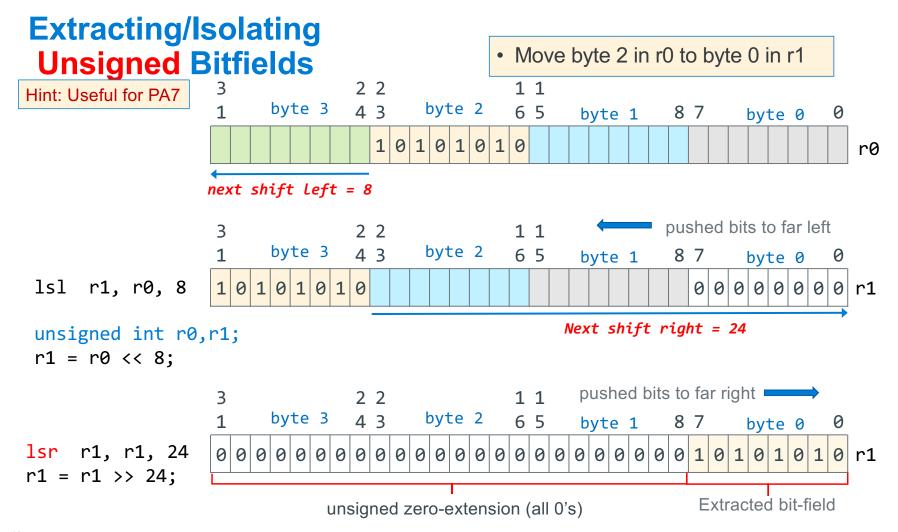
lsr r2, r0, 8
r0 0xab ab ab 77
r2 0x00 ab ab ab

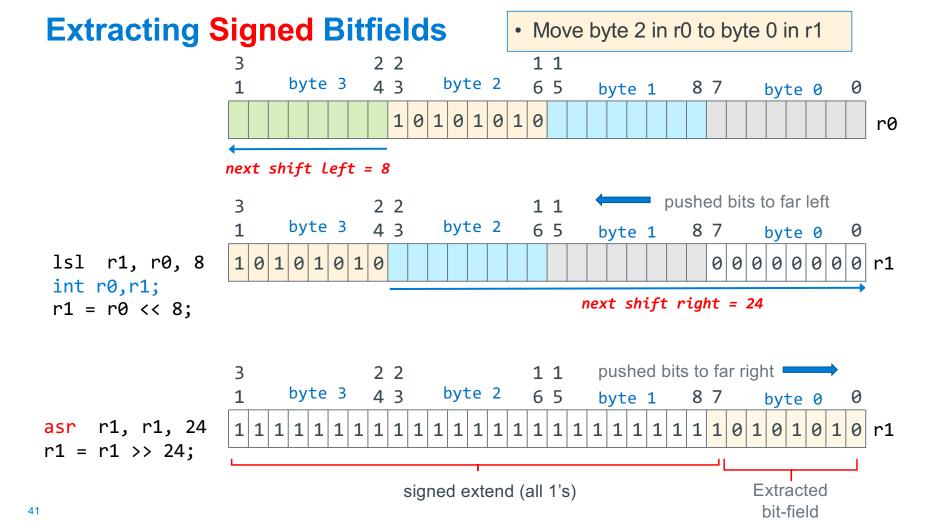


lsl r2, r0, 8
r0 0xab ab ab 77
r2 0xab ab 77 00

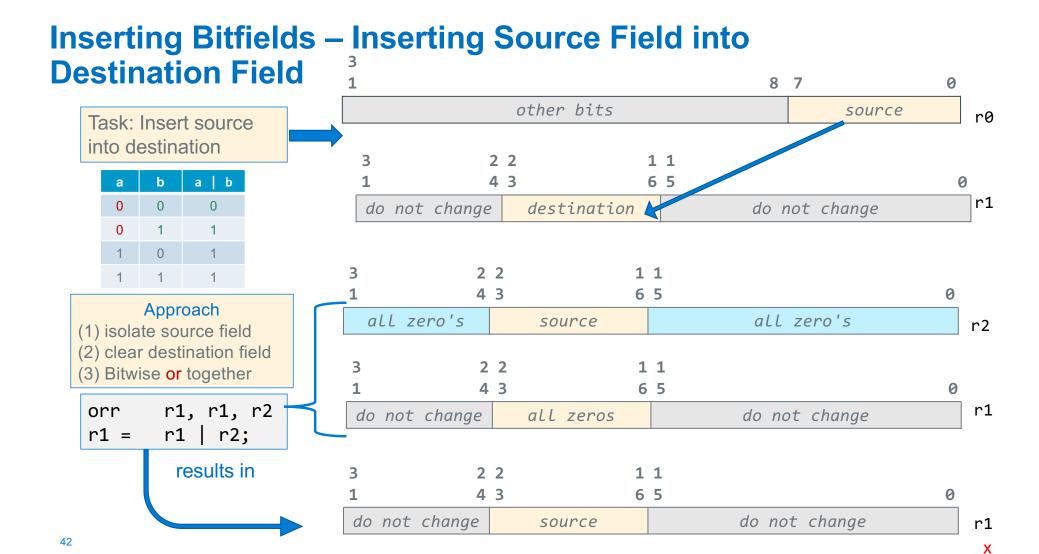


ror r2, r0, 8
r0 0xab ab ab 77
r2 0x77 ab ab ab

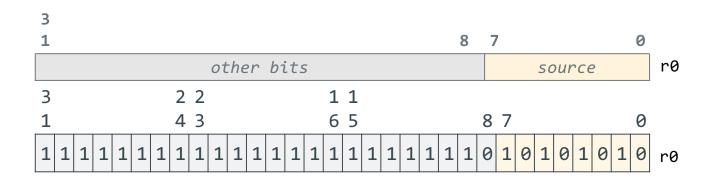


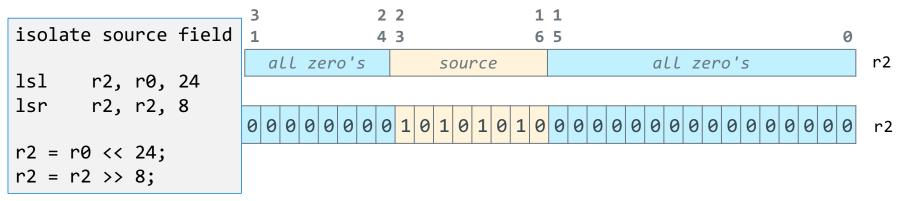


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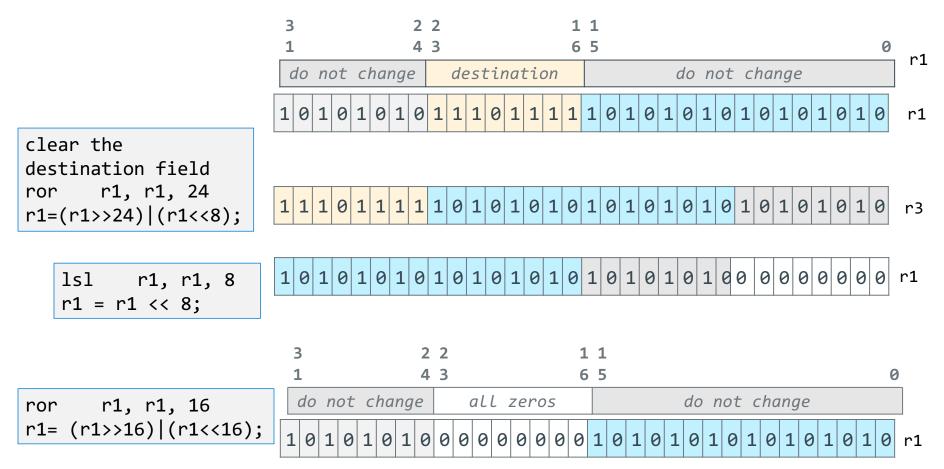


Inserting Bitfields – Isolating the Source Field

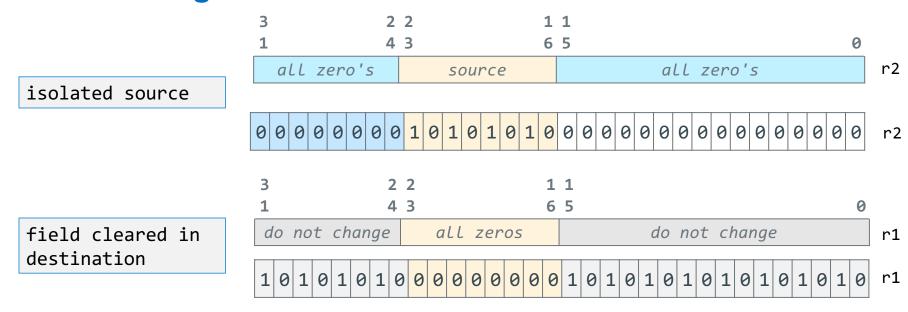


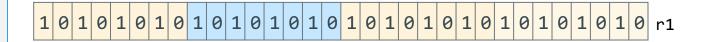


Inserting Bitfields – Clearing the Destination Field

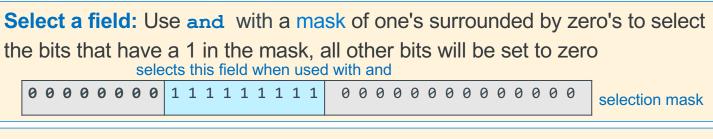


Inserting Bitfields – Combining Isolated Source and Cleared Destination





Masking Summary



Clear a field: Use and with a mask of zero's surrounded by one's to select the bits that have a 1 in the mask, all other bits will be set to zero clears this field when used with and

Insert a field: Use orr with fields surrounded by zeros

Reference For PA7/8: C Stream Functions Opening Files

FILE *fopen(char filename[], const char mode[]);

- Opens a stream to the specified file in specified file access mode
 - returns NULL on failure always check the return value; make sure the open succeeded!
- Mode is a string that describes the actions that can be performed on the stream:
- "r" Open for reading.

The stream is positioned at the beginning of the file. Fail if the file does not exist.

"w" Open for writing.

The stream is positioned at the beginning of the file. Create the file if it does not exist.

"a" Open for writing.

The stream is positioned at the end of the file. Create the file if it does not exist. Subsequent writes to the file will always be at current end of file.

An optional "+" following "r", "w", or "a" opens the file for both reading and writing

Reference: C Stream Functions Closing Files and Usage

```
int fclose(FILE *stream);
```

- Closes the specified stream, forcing output to complete (eventually)
 - returns EOF on failure (often ignored as no easy recovery other than a message)
- Usage template for fopen() and fclose()
 - 1. Open a file with fopen () always checking the return value
 - 2. do i/o keep calling stdio io routines
 - 3. close the file with fclose() when done with that I/O stream

C Stream Functions Array/block read/write

- These do not process contents they simply transfer a fixed number of bytes to and from a buffer passed to them
- size t fwrite(void *ptr, size t size, size t count, FILE *stream);
 - Writes an array of count elements of size bytes from stream
 - Updates the write file pointer forward by the number of bytes written
 - returns number of elements written
 - error is short element count or 0
- size_t fread(void *ptr, size_t size, size_t count, FILE *stream);
 - Reads an array of count elements of size bytes from stream
 - Updates the read file pointer forward by the number of bytes read
 - returns number of elements read, EOF is a return of 0
 - error is short element count or 0
- I almost always set size to 1 to return bytes read/written

C fread/fwrite Example - 1

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <errno.h>
#define BFSZ
                  8192 /* size of read */
int main(void)
 unsigned char fbuf[BFSZ];
 FILE *fin, *fout;
 size t readlen;
                               To handle
 size t bytes copied = 0;
 retval = EXIT_SUCCESS;
                               bytes moved
 if (argc != 3){
   fprintf(stderr, "%s requires two args\n", argv[0]);
    return EXIT FAILURE;
 /* Open the input file for read */
 if ((fin = fopen(argv[1], "r")) == NULL) {
   fprintf(stderr, "fopen for read failed\n");
    return EXIT FAILURE;
 /* Open the output file for write */
 if ((fout = fopen(argv[2], "w") == NULL) {
   fprintf(stderr, "fopen for write failed\n");
   fclose(fin);
    return EXIT FAILURE;
```

```
% ls -ls ZZZ
ls: ZZZ: No such file or directory
% ./a.out cp.c ZZZ
bytes copied: 1122
% ls -ls cp.c ZZZ
8 -rw-r--r-- 1 kmuller staff 1122 Jul 2 08:51 ZZZ
8 -rw-r--r-- 1 kmuller staff 1122 Jul 2 08:49 cp.c
```

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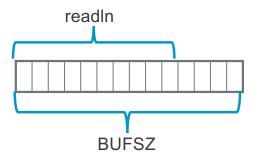
C fread/fwrite Example - 2

```
/* Read from the file, write to fout */
while ((readlen = fread(fbuf, 1, BUFSIZ, fin)) > 0) {-
  if (fwrite(fbuf, 1, readlen, fout) != readlen) {
     fprintf(stderr, "write failed\n");
      retval = EXIT FAILURE;
      break;
  bytes copied += readlen; //running sum bytes copied
if (retval == EXIT FAILURE)
  printf("Failure Copy did not complete only ");
printf("Bytes copied: %zu\n", bytes copied);
fclose(fin);
fclose(fout);
return retval;
```

By using an element size of 1 with a char buffer, this is byte I/O

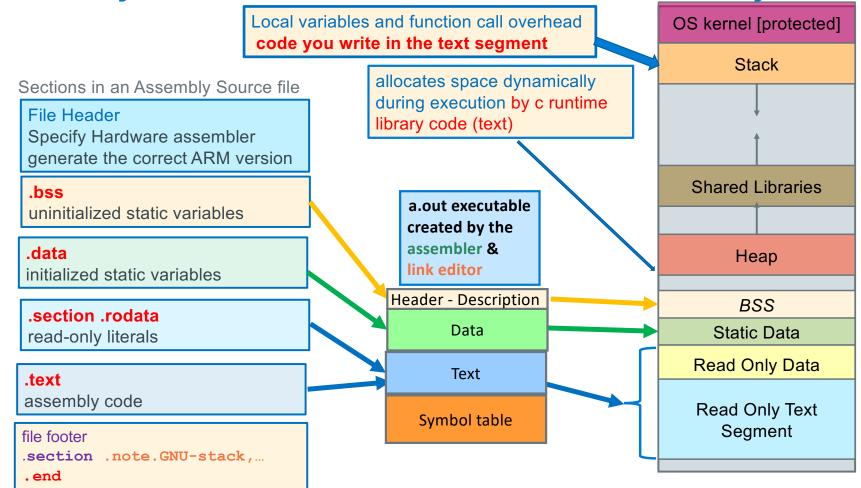
Capture the bytes read so you know how many bytes to write

unless the input file length is an exact multiple of BUFSIZ, last fread() will always read less than BUFSIZ which is why you write readln



Jargon: the last record is often called the "runt"

Assembly Source File to Executable to Linux Memory



Creating Segments, Definitions In Assembly Source

- The following assembler directives indicate the *start* of a memory segment specification
 - Remains in effect until the next segment directive is seen

```
.bss

// start uninitialized static segment variables definitions
// does not consume any space in the executable file
.data

// start initialized static segment variables definitions
.section .rodata

// start read-only data segment variables definitions
.text

// start read-only text segment (code)
```

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```
// File Header
                                // armv6 architecture instructions
        .arch armv6
        arm
                                // arm 32-bit instruction set
        .fpu vfp
                                // floating point co-processor
        .syntax unified
                                // modern syntax
// BSS Segment (only when you have initialized globals)
         .bss
// Data Segment (only when you have uninitialized globals)
// Read-Only Data (only when you have literals)
         .section .rodata
// Text Segment - your code
         .text
// Function Header
        .type main, %function // define main to be a function
        .global main
                       // export function name
main:
// function prologue
                              // stack frame setup
                 // your code for this function here
// function epilogue
                        //stack frame teardown
// function footer
         .size main, (. - main)
// File Footer
          .section .note.GNU-stack,"",%progbits // stack/data non-exec
.end
```

Assembly Source File Template

- assembly programs end in .S
 - That is a **capital** .S
 - example: test.S
- Always use gcc to assemble
 - _start() and C runtime
- File has a complete program
 gcc file.S
- File has a partial program gcc -c file.S
- Link files together

 gcc file.o cprog.o

Preview: Return Value and Passing Parameters to Functions

(Four parameters or less)

Register	Function Call Use	
r0	1 st parameter	
r1	2 nd parameter	
r2	3 rd parameter	
r3	4 th parameter	

Register	Function Return Value Use	
r0	8, 16 or 32-bit result, 32-bit address or least-significant half of a 64-bit result	
r1	most-significant half of a 64-bit result	

• Where r0, r1, r2, r3 are arm registers, the function declaration is (first four arguments):

- Each parameter and return value is limited to data that can fit in 4 bytes or less
- · You receive up to the first four parameters in these four registers
- You copy up to the first four parameters into these four registers before calling a function
- For parameter values using more than 4 bytes, a pointer to the parameter is passed (we will cover this later)
- You MUST ALWAYS assume that the called function will alter the contents of all four registers: r0-r3
 - In terms of C runtime support, these registers contain the copies given to the called function
 - C allows the copies to be changed in any way by the called function

Preview: Writing an ARM32 function

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>
int sum4(int, int, int, int);
int main()
{
   int reslt;

   reslt = sum4(1,2,3,4);

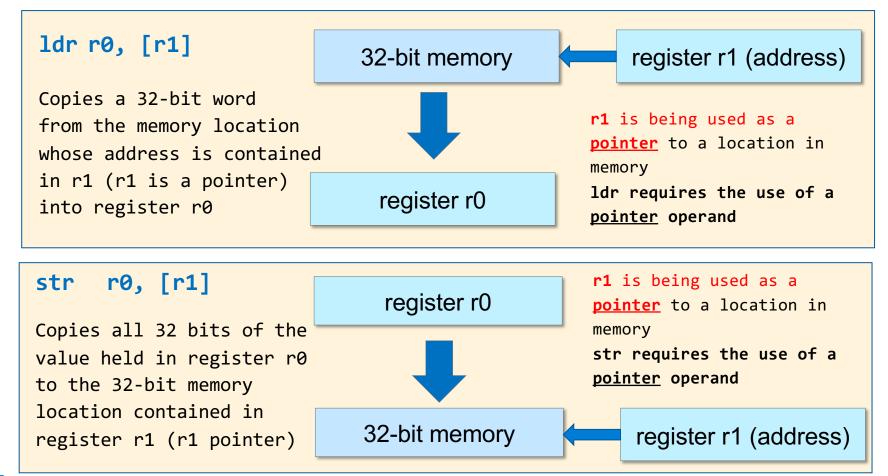
   printf("%d\n", reslt);
   return EXIT_SUCCESS;
}
```

```
#ifndef SUM4_H
#define SUM4_H

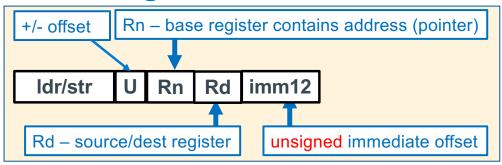
#ifndef __ASSEMBLER__
int sum4(int, int, int, int);
#else
.extern sum4
#endif
```

```
$ gcc -Wall -Wextra -c main.c
#include "sum4.h"
                            $ qcc -c sum4.S
    .arch armv6
                            $ gcc sum4.o main.o
    .arm
                            $ ./a.out
    fpu vfp
    .syntax unified
                            10
    .global sum4
    .type sum4, %function
    .equ FP_0FF, 28
    // r0 = sum4(r0, r1, r2, r3)
sum4:
    push \{r4-r9, fp, lr\}
          fp, sp, FP_OFF
    add
           r0, r0, r1
    add
           r0, r0, r2
    add
            r0, r0, r3
    add
           sp, fp, FP OFF
    sub
    pop
           {r4-r9, fp, lr}
    bx
    .size sum4, (. - sum4)
    .section .note.GNU-stack,"",%progbits
.end
```

Load/Store: Register Base Addressing

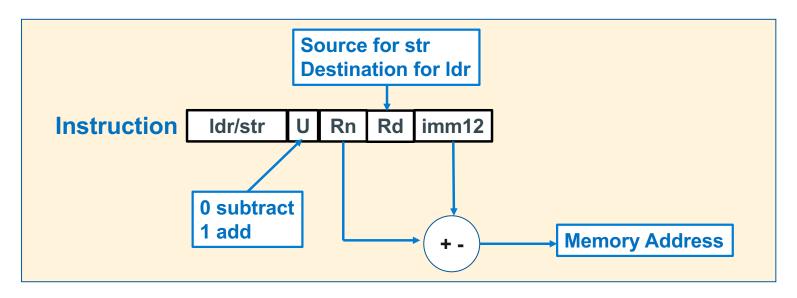


LDR/STR – Base Register + Immediate Offset Addressing



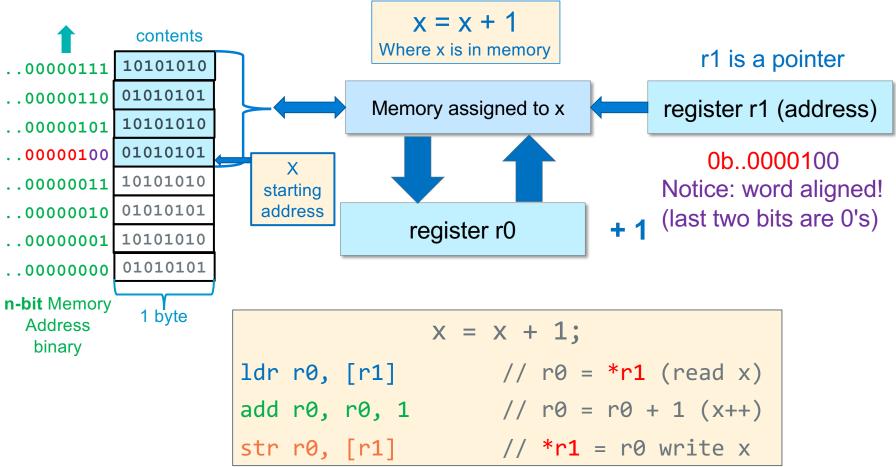
- Register Base Addressing:
 - Pointer Address: Rn; source/destination data: Rd
 - Unsigned pointer address in stored in the base register
- Register Base + immediate offset Addressing:
 - Pointer Address = register content + immediate offset
 - Unsigned offset integer immediate value (bytes) is added or subtracted (U bit above says to add or subtract) from the pointer address in the base register

Idr/str Register Base and Register + Immediate Offset Addressing



Syntax	Address	Examples	
ldr/str Rd, [Rn +/- constant]	Rn + or - constant	, , , ,	
constant is in bytes	same →	str r1, [r5, 0] str r1, [r5]	
		str r1, [r5]	

Example Base Register Addressing Load – Modify – Store

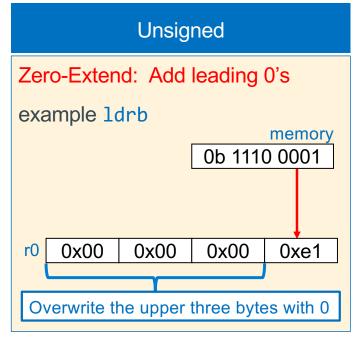


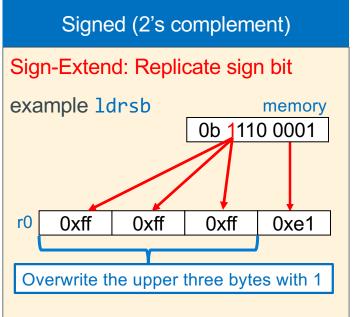
Loading and Storing: Variations List

- Load and store have variations that move 8-bits, 16-bits and 32-bits
- Load into a register with less than 32-bits will set the upper bits not filled from memory differently depending on which variation of the load instruction is used
- Store will only select the lower 8-bit, lower 16-bits or all 32-bits of the register to copy to memory, register contents are not altered

Instruction	Meaning	Sign Extension	Memory Address Requirement
ldrsb	load signed byte	sign extension	none (any byte)
ldrb	load unsigned byte	zero fill (extension)	none (any byte)
ldrsh	load signed halfword	sign extension	halfword (2-byte aligned)
ldrh	load unsigned halfword	zero fill (extension)	halfword (2-byte aligned)
ldr	load word		word (4-byte aligned)
strb	store low byte (bits 0-7)		none (any byte)
strh	store halfword (bits 0-15)		halfword (2-byte aligned)
str	store word (bits 0-31)		word (4-byte aligned)

Loading 32-bit Registers From Memory Variables < 32-Bits Wide

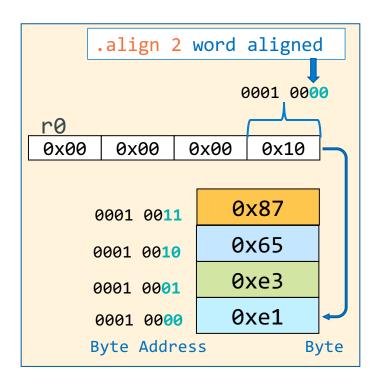


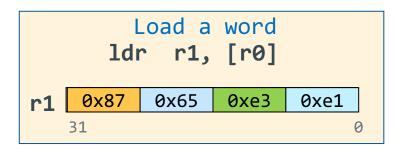


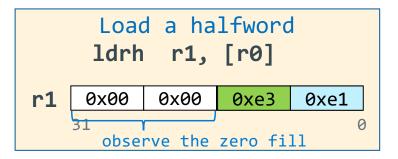
Instructions that zero-extend: ldrb, ldrh

Instructions that sign-extend: ldrsb, ldrsh

Load a Byte, Half-word, Word





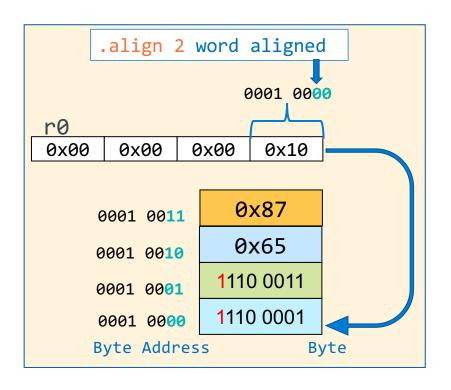


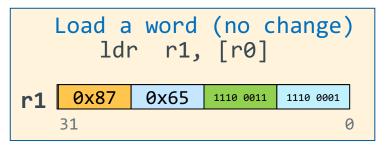
```
Load a byte
ldrb r1, [r0]

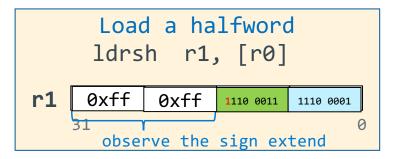
r1 0x00 0x00 0x00 0xe1

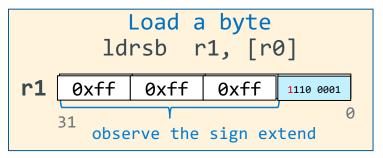
observe the zero fill
```

Signed Load a Byte, Half-word, Word

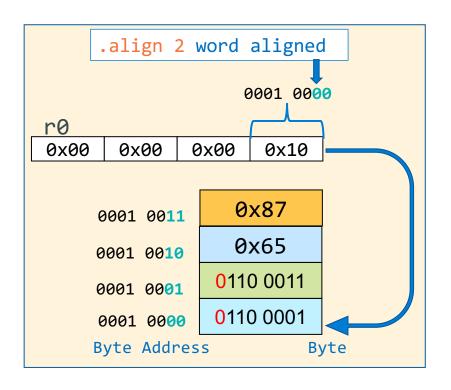


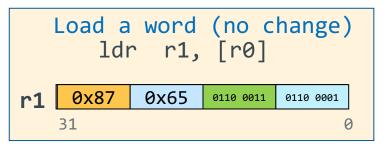


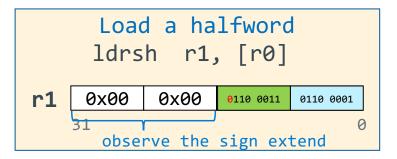


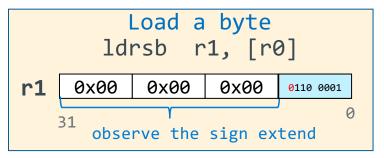


Signed Load a Byte, Half-word, Word

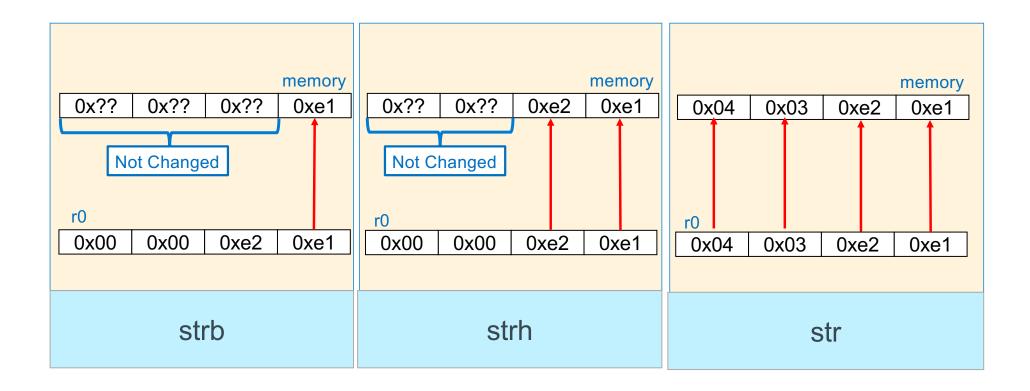








Storing 32-bit Registers To Memory 8-bit, 16-bit, 32-bit



Store a Byte, Half-word, Word 0x20 0x00 0x00 0x00 Store a byte Byte Address Byte strb r1, [r0] 0x20000003 0x33 observe 0x22 -other 0x20000002 bytes NOT 0x87 0x11 r1 0x65 0xe3 0xe1 0x20000001 altered 0xe1 31 0x20000000 Byte Address Byte Store a halfword 0x20000003 strh r1, [r0] 0x33 0x22 0x20000002 0xe3 0x20000001 0x87 0x65 0xe3 0xe1 0xe1 0x20000000 31 Byte Address Byte Store a word

str r1, [r0]

0xe3

0xe1

0x20000003

0x20000002

0x20000001

0x20000000

initial value in r0

0x87

0x65

0xe3

0xe1

0x87

31

0x65