



## CS1021 Tutorial #3 Solution

### Condition Code Flags and Basic Flow Control

#### 1 Condition Code Flags

- (a) (i)  $0100_2 + 0010_2$  Adding two +ve values and result is +ve so  $V=0$ 
  - (ii)  $0101_2 + 0100_2$  Adding two +ve values and result is -ve so  $V=1$
  - (iii)  $1110_2 + 0101_2$  Adding -ve and +ve value so  $V=0$
  - (iv)  $1101_2 + 1001_2$  Adding two -ve values and result is +ve so  $V=1$
- (b) (i)  $0x11005000$   $C=1, V=0, N=0, Z=0$ 
  - (ii)  $0x00000000$   $C=1, V=0, N=0, Z=1$
  - (iii)  $0xB4004100$   $C=0, V=1, N=1, Z=0$
  - (iv)  $0x8F1DD4F2$   $C=0, V=1, N=1, Z=0$
  - (v)  $0x00000000$   $C=1, V=0, N=0, Z=1$
- (c) (i) small positive values
  - (ii) negative value + smaller magnitude positive value
  - (iii) negative value + larger magnitude positive value
  - (iv) two small negative values
  - (v) two values with same magnitude and different signs (e.g.  $-4 + +4$ )
  - (vi)  $0 + 0$
  - (vii) two positive values with a sum greater than  $2^{31} - 1$
  - (viii) two negative values with a sum less than  $-2^{31}$
  - (ix)  $-2^{31} + -2^{31}$



## 2 Flow Control

(a) Compute  $x!$

```
1      LDR    r1, =3          ; test with x = 3
2
3      MOV    r0, #1          ; result = 1;
4  while
5      CMP    r1, #0          ; while (x != 0)
6      BEQ    endwh           ; {
7      MUL    r0, r1, r0      ; result = result * x;
8      SUB    r1, r1, #1      ; x = x - 1;
9      B      while           ; }
10 endwh
11
12 stop    B      stop
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(b) (i) Assume  $x$  is stored in R0.

```
1      CMP    R0, #0
2      BNE    endIf           ; if (x == 0) {
3      ADD    R0, R0, #5      ; x = x + 5;
4  endIf                                     ; }
```

(ii) Assume  $x$  is stored in R0.

```
1      CMP    R0, #0
2      BEQ    else            ; if (x != 0) {
3      MOV    R0, #1          ; x = 1;
4      B      endIf           ; }
5  els      MUL    R0, R10, R0 ; else {
6      MUL    R0, R10, R0      ; x = x * 2;
7  endIf                                     ; }
```

(iii) Assume  $x$  is stored in R0.

```
1      CMP    R0, #5          ; if (x >= 5)
2      BLO    endIf           ; {
3      MOV    R0, #0          ; x = 0;
4  endIf                                     ; }
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