Lecture 10: Basic Arithmetic Instructions

Today's Goals

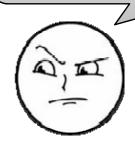
- Review Addition and Subtraction
- Use Multiple Precision arithmetic to add and subtract large numbers.
- Practice writing assembly programs.

Addition and Subtraction

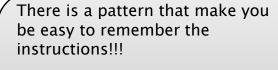
From Lecture 8

- 8 bit addition
 - ABA: (A) + (B) \rightarrow A; Note that there is no AAB instruction!
 - ADDA: (A) + (M) \rightarrow A
 - ADDA \$1000
 - ADDB: (B) + (M) \rightarrow B
 - ADDB #10
 - ADCA: (A) + (M) + C \rightarrow A
 - ADCB: (B) + (M) + C \rightarrow B

We will use ADCA(B) and SBCA(B) to do multiprecision addition or subtraction



- 8 bit subtraction
 - SBA: (A) (B) \rightarrow A; Subtract B from A (Note: not SAB instruction!)
 - SUBA: (A) (M) \rightarrow A; Subtract M from A
 - SUBB: (B) (M) \rightarrow B
 - SBCA: (A) (M) C → A
 - SBCB: (B) (M) C \rightarrow B
- 16 bit addition and subtraction
 - ADDD: $(A:B) + (M:M+1) \rightarrow A:B$
 - SUBD: $(A:B) (M:M+1) \rightarrow A:B$
 - ABX: (B) + (X) \rightarrow X
 - $\bullet ABY: (B) + (Y) \rightarrow Y$



- 1. The last letter in these instructions is the destination!
- 2. Also it comes to the first in the operation

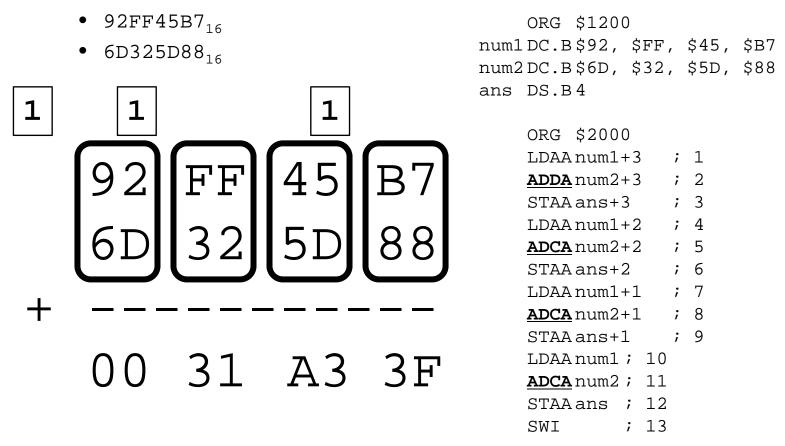
Precision?

- The term precision is often used to refer to the size of a unit of data manipulated by the processor.
- Single-precision refers to instructions that manipulate one byte at a time.
 - ADDA, ADDB, ABA, SUBA, SUBB, SBA
- Double-precision refers to two-byte operation.
 - ADDD, SUBD
 - ABX: (B) + (X) \rightarrow X, ABY: (B) + (Y) \rightarrow Y
- Multi-precision
 - Adding and subtracting numbers longer than single precision introduce an issue.
 - Carries and borrows need to propagate through a number.

Example

Adding two quadruple-precision numbers

 Multi-precision addition is performed one byte at a time, beginning with the least significant byte.



Program Trace

ORG \$1200 num1 DC.B\$92,\$FF,\$45,\$B7 num2 DC.B\$6D,\$32,\$5D,\$88 ans DS.B4

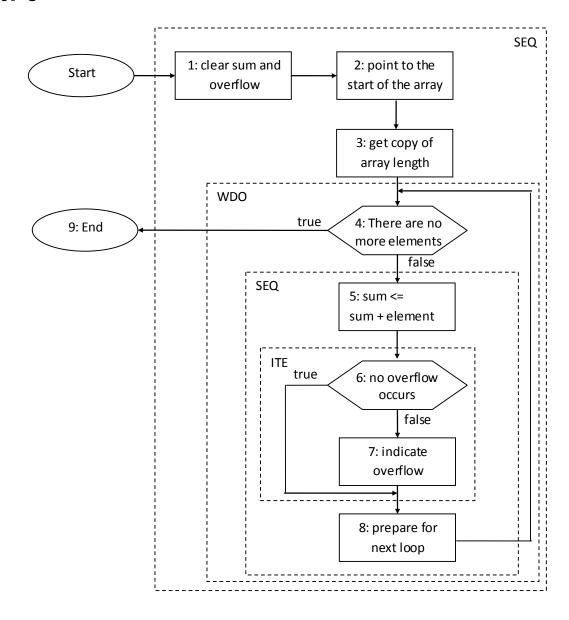
> ORG \$2000 LDAAnum1+3 ; 1 ; 2 **ADDA** num2+3 ; 3 STAA ans+3 LDAAnum1+2 ; 4 ADCA num2+2 ; 5 STAA ans+2 ; 6 LDAAnum1+1 ; 7 ADCA num2+1 ; 8 STAA ans+1 LDAA num1; 10 ADCA num2; 11 STAA ans ; 12 SWI ; 13

Trace	Line	PC	А	N	Z	V	С
1	1	2003	В7	1	0	0	-
2	2	2006	3F	0	0	1	1
3	3	2009	3F	0	0	0	1
4	4	200C	45	0	0	0	1
5	5	200F	A3	1	0	1	0
6	6	2012	A3	1	0	0	0
7	7	2015	FF	1	0	0	0
8	8	2018	31	0	0	0	0
9	9	201B	31	0	0	0	1
10	10	201E	92	1	0	0	1
11	11	2021	00	0	1	0	1
12	12	2022	00	0	1	0	1
13	13	2024	-	-	-	-	-

Another Example

- Calculate a two-byte sum of an array of one-byte unsigned numbers.
- Requirements
 - Variable ovflow should be \$00 if the sum is valid. Otherwise, \$ff.
 - The address of the array of one-byte unsigned integers is supplied at \$1030.
 - The length of the array is a one-byte value supplied in \$1032.
 - Ovflow must be assigned to address \$1040.
 - The sum is returned in locations \$1041 and \$1042.

Flowchart



```
; variable/data section
       org $1030
array ds.w1; address of the array
length ds.b1 ; length of the array
       org $1040
ovflow ds.b1 ; overflow flag. $00 = valid, $ff = invalid
sum ds.w1; 2-byte sim of unsigned numbers in the array
; code section
       org $2000
       movw #0, sum ; 1. clear sum
       movb #0,ovflow ; clear ovflow
       ldx array ; 2. point to the start of the array
       ldab length
       tfr D,Y ; 3. get copy of array length
loop
       beg done
                      ; 4. no more elements?
       clra
       ldab 0.X ; load an element to B
       addd sum ; 5. sum = sum + element
       std sum ; store D to sum
       bcc sum ok ; 6. no overflow?
       movb #$ff,ovflow ; 7. indicate overflow
       inx
                      ; 8. prepare for next loop
sum ok
       dey
                     ; "
       bra loop ; go to "loop"
done swi
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Changes for Two-Byte Length

- How likely is unsigned overflow in the original program?
 - Cannot happen. The largest possible sum is \$FE01 (\$FF * \$FF).
- What modifications are needed to handle two-byte length?
 - Replace DS.B 1 with DS.W 1
 - Replace LDAB, TFR with LDY

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       ldy length ; 3. get copy of array length
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       clra
       ldab 0,X ; load an element to B
       addd sum ; 5. sum = sum + element
       std sum
              ; store D to sum
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       movb #$ff,ovflow ; 7. indicate overflow
       inx
                      ; 8. prepare for next loop
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       dey
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Changes for Signed Numbers

```
; program
      org $2000
      movw #0, sum ; 1. clear sum
      movb #0,ovflow ; clear ovflow
                  ; clear A and B
      ldd #0
      ldx array ; 2. point to the start of the array
      ldab length
      tfr D,Y ; 3. get copy of array length
      beg done ; 4. no more elements?
loop
       clra
       ldab 0,X ; load an element to B
      bpl skip ; check if B is positive
       skip
              ; 5. sum = sum + element
       addd sum
      bvc sum ok ; 6. no overflow?
      movb #$ff,ovflow ; 7. indicate overflow
sum ok
       ; std clears the v bit so std is moved to here
               ; store D to sum
       std sum
              ; 8. prepare for next loop
       inx
       dey
      bra loop ; go to "loop"
done swi
```

Questions?

Wrap-up

What we've learned

- Multiple-precision arithmetic to add and subtract large numbers.
- More practice writing programs in assembly

What to Come

- Advanced arithmetic instructions
- Boolean logic instructions