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Homework 2 – Min/Max MIPS

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.globl main
.text

#find min and max value of an array of ints
main:
    # Initialize registers
    li    $s1, 10          # initialize total count of values
    la    $s2, array       #load address of array
    la    $s3, array       #load address of array

    li    $t1, 0           # initialize min counter
    lw    $t2, ($s2)       # initialize min
    li    $t3, 0           # initialize max counter
    lw    $t4, ($s2)       # initialize max

#iterate over loop to find min value
min_loop:
    bge    $t1, $s1, max_loop    #check that loop is valid
    lw     $t5 ($s2)             #load next element of array
    bge    $t5, $t2, endif_min    #if this is new min, update
    move   $t2, $t5
endif_min:
    addi   $t1, $t1, 1           #increment counter
    addi   $s2, $s2, 4
    j      min_loop

#iterate over loop to find max value
max_loop:
    bge    $t3, $s1, exit        #check that loop is valid
    lw     $t5 ($s3)             #load next element of array
    ble    $t5, $t4, endif_max    #if this is new max, update
    move   $t4, $t5
endif_max:
    addi   $t3, $t3, 1           #increment counter
    addi   $s3, $s3, 4
    j      max_loop

#output the min and max value
exit:
    # print_string syscall code = 4
    # print_int syscall code = 1

    # Print min
    li     $v0, 4
    la     $a0, min_msg
    syscall
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li    $v0,1
move  $a0, $t2
syscall

# Print max
li    $v0,4
la    $a0, max_msg
syscall
li    $v0,1
move  $a0, $t4
syscall

#exit program
li    $v0, 10
syscall

.data
#load in the array to be processed
array:    .word 20, 0, 1, 2, 33, 4, 5, 6, 7, -1
#Hold message literals
min_msg:  .asciiz  "Min = "
max_msg:  .asciiz  "\nMax = "
nl:       .asciiz  "\n"

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