

Homework 1: MIPS and Instruction Encoding

Problem 1 - Implement the following C code in MIPS assembly. Assume your own variables to register mapping and document it as a register map comment in your assembly code. Using the `la` instruction, load the base address of `arr` into `$s2`. You may only use the instructions given in the MIPS Instruction Sheet and the `la` instruction to load the array address. Verify the operation in QtSPIM.

```
int main() {  
  
    int arr[]={10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1},n=10,i,j,temp;  
  
    for (i = 0; i < n - 1; i++){  
        for (j = 0; j < n - i - 1; j++){  
            if (arr[j] > arr[j + 1]){  
                temp=arr[j];  
                arr[j]=arr[j+1];  
                arr[j+1]=temp;  
            }  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Hint: Declare the array in `.data` section as follows:
`arr: .word 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1`

See attached *.asm file

Problem 2 - Determine the MIPS instruction and instruction type for the binary entries:

- a. 100011 01000 01000 00000000001000000
 op rs rt address/imm

lw \$8, \$8

I-type Instruction: lw rt, imm(rs)

- b. 000000 11111 00000 00000 00000 001000
 op rs rt rd shamt funct

jr \$31

R-type Instruction: jr rs

Problem 3 - Determine the binary representation for the MIPS instructions:

- a. nor \$t2, \$s3, \$zero
 nor rd, rs, rt (R-type Instruction)

```
000000 10011 00000 01010 00000 100111
  op   rs   rt   rd  shamt funct
```

- b. lw \$t2, 8(\$s3)
 lw rt, imm(rs) (I-type Instruction)

```
100011 10011 01010 0000000000001000
  op   rs   rt   address/imm
```

- c. add \$s0, \$s1, \$s2
 add rd, rs, rt (R-type Instruction)

```
000000 10001 10010 10000 00000 100000
  op   rs   rt   rd  shamt funct
```

Problem 4 - Using your solution for Problem 1, provide the binary for the MIPS instructions only pertaining to the code snippet below:

```
temp=arr[j];
arr[j]=arr[j+1];
arr[j+1]=temp;
```

```
op rd , rs , rt
add $t2, $s0, $t2 # temp = t2 = arr address + offset = &arr[j]
  op rs rt rd shamt funct
000000 10000 01010 01010 00000 100000
```

```
op rt, imm(rs)
sw $s5, 4($t2) # arr[j] = arr[j+1]
  op rs rt add/imm
101011 01010 10101 0000000000000100
```

```
op rt, imm(rs)
sw $s6, 0($t2) # arr[j+1] = temp
  op rs rt add/imm
101011 01010 10110 0000000000000000
```