

# **ARM Constant Multiplication**

Time limit: 1000 ms Memory limit: 256 MB

In this challenge, we will explore how a compiler for a 32-bit ARM processor may implement multiplication by an unsigned integer constant without using a multiply instruction, which would consume relatively a lot of energy. You are allowed to use the four instructions MOV , ADD , SUB , and RSB operating on registers where the last register may be logically shifted left or right ( LSL or LSR ). The allowed instructions have the following syntax:

- MOV Rd, Ra, LSL/LSR #i: Move the shifted value of Ra to Rd.
- ADD Rd, Rb, Ra, LSL/LSR #i: Add the shifted value of Ra to Rb, and save the result in Rd.
- SUB Rd, Rb, Ra, LSL/LSR #i: Subtract the shifted value of Ra from Rb, and save the result in Rd.
- RSB Rd, Rb, Ra, LSL/LSR #i: Subtract Rb from the shifted value of Ra, and save the result in Rd. RSB stands for Reverse SuBtract.

Rd is the destination register where the result of the instruction is saved. Rb and Ra are operand registers, and their values do not change during the instruction, though Rd may be the same as Rb and/or Ra in which case the value of the register may change. The value of Ra is shifted left ( LSL ) or right ( LSR ) by i bits before it is used by the instruction. That is, Ra LSL #i means the value of Ra << i, and Ra LSR #i means the value of Ra >> i. For LSL , the value of i must be between 0 and 0 inclusive. For LSR , the value of 0 in must be between 0 and 0 inclusive. Note that the range of 0 is different for LSL and LSR . This is because the shifting amount 0 must fit into 0 bits in an instruction. All registers store 00 bits are discarded when shifted outside the 00 bits are discarded in addition, and underflow bits are discarded in subtraction.

For each test case you will be given a single constant unsigned integer multiplier C. You should return a sequence of ARM instructions that implement the multiplication by this constant multiplier. Assume the multiplicand is in the register R0 , and the product should end up in the same register R0 afterwards. That is, if the value of the register R0 is X in the beginning, its value should become  $C \cdot X$  truncated to 32 bits in the end. You are allowed to use 12 additional registers R1 , R2 , ... R12 to save any intermediate results. The values in R1 , ... R12 are initially all zeros. You are asked to minimize the number of instructions so that the multiplication can be executed as quickly as possible.

## Standard input

The input has a single integer T on the first line, the number of test cases.

Each test case has a single line with one unsigned 32-bit integer, the constant unsigned integer multiplier C.

### Standard output

For each test case, output a sequence of instructions to perform the multiplication, one instruction per line. Print a single line with END to mark the end of the output for each test case. Each instruction should be one of the four classes given above and follow the provided formats. Note that the shift operation is required and you should set i to zero for LSL to use the value of Ra without any shift.

### Scoring

For each test case, your solution will be scored based on k, the number of instructions used ( $k \ge 0$ ). It can be shown that for any C, it is possible to implement the multiplication using no more than 32 instructions. Your submission will get a score of  $(1.0 - k/33)^2$  if it correctly performs multiplication and satisfies  $k \le 32$ . A submission that performs multiplication incorrectly or has k > 32 will receive zero points.

A test file will only receive a positive final score if **every** test case in the test file receives a positive score, in which case the final score of the test file is the average of the scores your solution receives for all the test cases in this test file times 5.

#### Constraints and notes

- T=100 for all the hidden test files.
- Each C is an unsigned 32-bit integer.

Input	Output	Explanation
1 8	MOV R0, R0, LSL #3 END	R0 is shifted to the left by $3$ bits, getting R0 $<<$ 3 . This equals 8 $\ast$ R0 and is the product saved back to R0 .
1 9	ADD R0, R0, R0, LSL #3 END	The ADD instruction adds $8$ times R0 to R0 , getting 9 * R0 , and saves it back to R0 .
2 115 105	ADD R1, R0, R0, LSL #1 SUB R1, R1, R0, LSL #4 ADD R0, R1, R0, LSL #7 END RSB R1, R0, R0, LSL #2 MOV R0, R0, LSL #5 ADD R0, R0, R1, LSL #0 RSB R0, R0, R0, LSL #2 END	Let the initial value in R0 be $X$ The ADD instruction adds $2X$ from R0, LSL #1 and $X$ from R0, getting $3X$ and saves it to R1. The SUB instruction gets R1 - R0 * 16 which is $3X-16X=-13X$ and saves it in R1. The last ADD instruction obtains R1 + 128 * R0 which is $-13X+128X=115X$ .

Note that in the last test case you can do better using only two instructions:

- RSB R0, R0, R0, LSL #4
- RSB R0, R0, R0, LSL #3

The first RSB places 15 \* R0 in R0 . The second RSB calculates 7 \* R0 . Before the second instruction, R0 has 15X, and therefore the second RSB will give us 105X in R0 as a result.