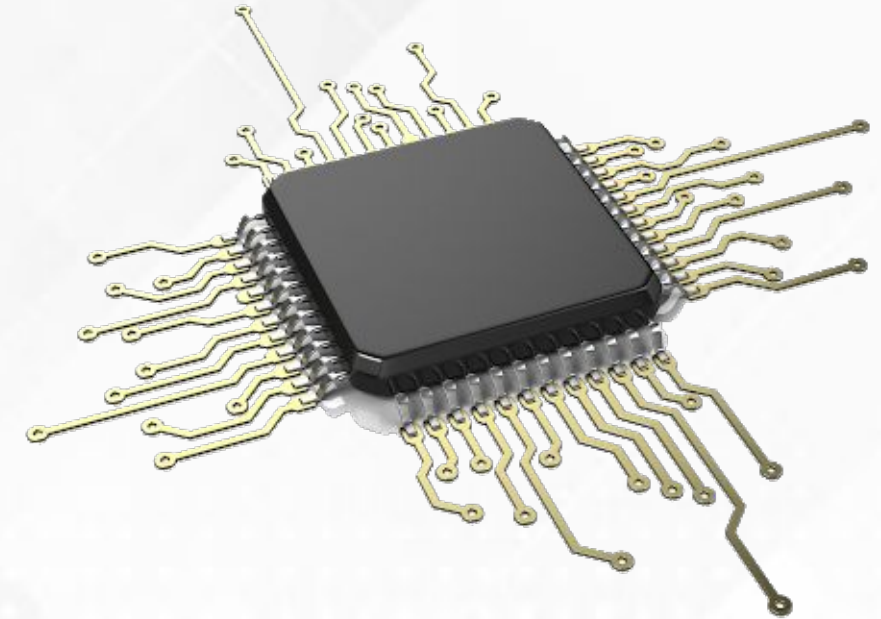




Unit-3

Programming the Basic Computer



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Machine Language

Section - 1

Categories of programs

□ Binary code

- This is a sequence of instructions and operands in binary that list the exact representation of instructions as they appear in computer memory.

| Location | Instruction Code | | | |
|----------|------------------|------|------|------|
| 0 | 0010 | 0000 | 0000 | 0100 |
| 1 | 0001 | 0000 | 0000 | 0101 |
| 10 | 0011 | 0000 | 0000 | 0110 |
| 11 | 0111 | 0000 | 0000 | 0001 |
| 100 | 0000 | 0000 | 0101 | 0011 |
| 101 | 1111 | 1111 | 1110 | 1001 |
| 110 | 0000 | 0000 | 0000 | 0000 |

□ Octal or hexadecimal code

- This is an equivalent translation of the binary code to octal or hexadecimal representation.

| Location | Instruction |
|----------|-------------|
| 000 | 2004 |
| 001 | 1005 |
| 002 | 3006 |
| 003 | 7001 |
| 004 | 0053 |
| 005 | FFE9 |
| 006 | 0000 |

Categories of programs

□ Symbolic code

- The user employs *symbols* (letters, numerals, or special characters) for the operation part, the address part, and other parts of the instruction code.
- Each symbolic instruction can be translated into one binary coded instruction by a special program called an assembler and language is referred to as an *assembly language program*.

| Location | Instruction | Comment |
|----------|-------------|----------------------------|
| 000 | LDA 004 | Load first operand into AC |
| 001 | ADD 005 | Add second operand to AC |
| 002 | STA 006 | Store sum in location 006 |
| 003 | HLT | Halt computer |
| 004 | 0053 | First operand |
| 005 | FFE9 | Second operand (negative) |
| 006 | 0000 | Store sum here |

□ High-level programming languages

- These are special languages developed to reflect the procedures used in the solution of a problem rather than be concerned with the computer hardware behavior. E.g. Fortran, C++, Java, etc.
- The program is written in a sequence of statements in a form that people prefer to think in when solving a problem.
- However, each statement must be translated into a sequence of binary instructions before the program can be executed in a computer.

```
INTEGER A, B, C
DATA A, 83 B, -23
C = A + B
END
```



Assembly Language

Section - 2

Pseudo Instruction

- A *pseudo instruction* is not a machine instruction but rather an instruction to the assembler giving information about some phase of the translation.

| Symbol | Information for the Assembler |
|--------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| ORG N | Hexadecimal number N is the memory location for the instruction or operand listed in the following line. |
| END | Denotes the end of symbolic program. |
| DEC N | Signed decimal number N to be converted to binary. |
| HEX N | Hexadecimal number N to be converted to binary |



Assembler

Section - 3

Assembler

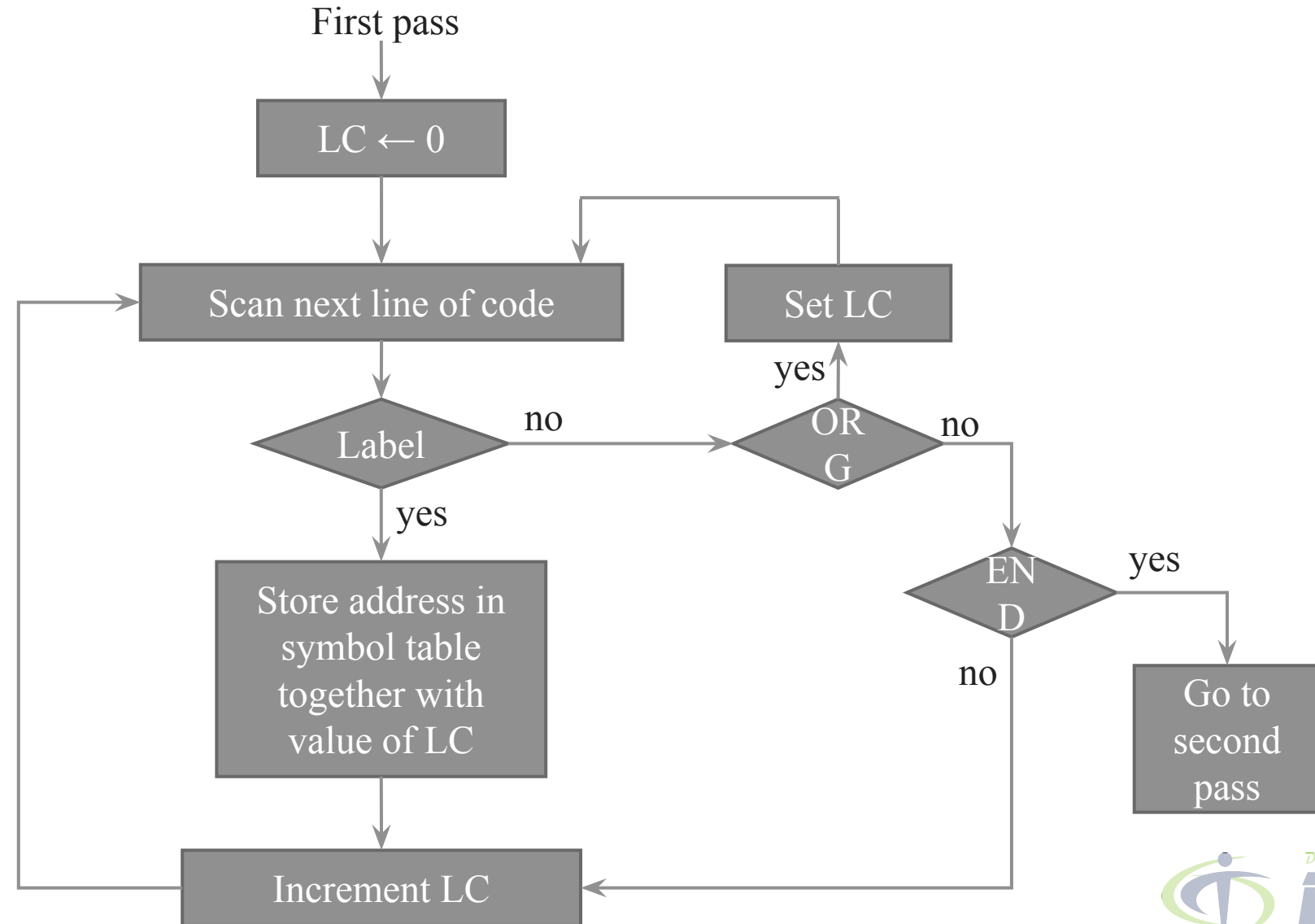
- ❑ An *assembler* is a program that accepts a symbolic language program and produces its binary machine language equivalent.
- ❑ The input symbolic program is called the source program and the resulting binary program is called the object program.
- ❑ The assembler is a program that operates on character strings and produces an equivalent binary interpretation.

A.L.P. to subtract 2 numbers

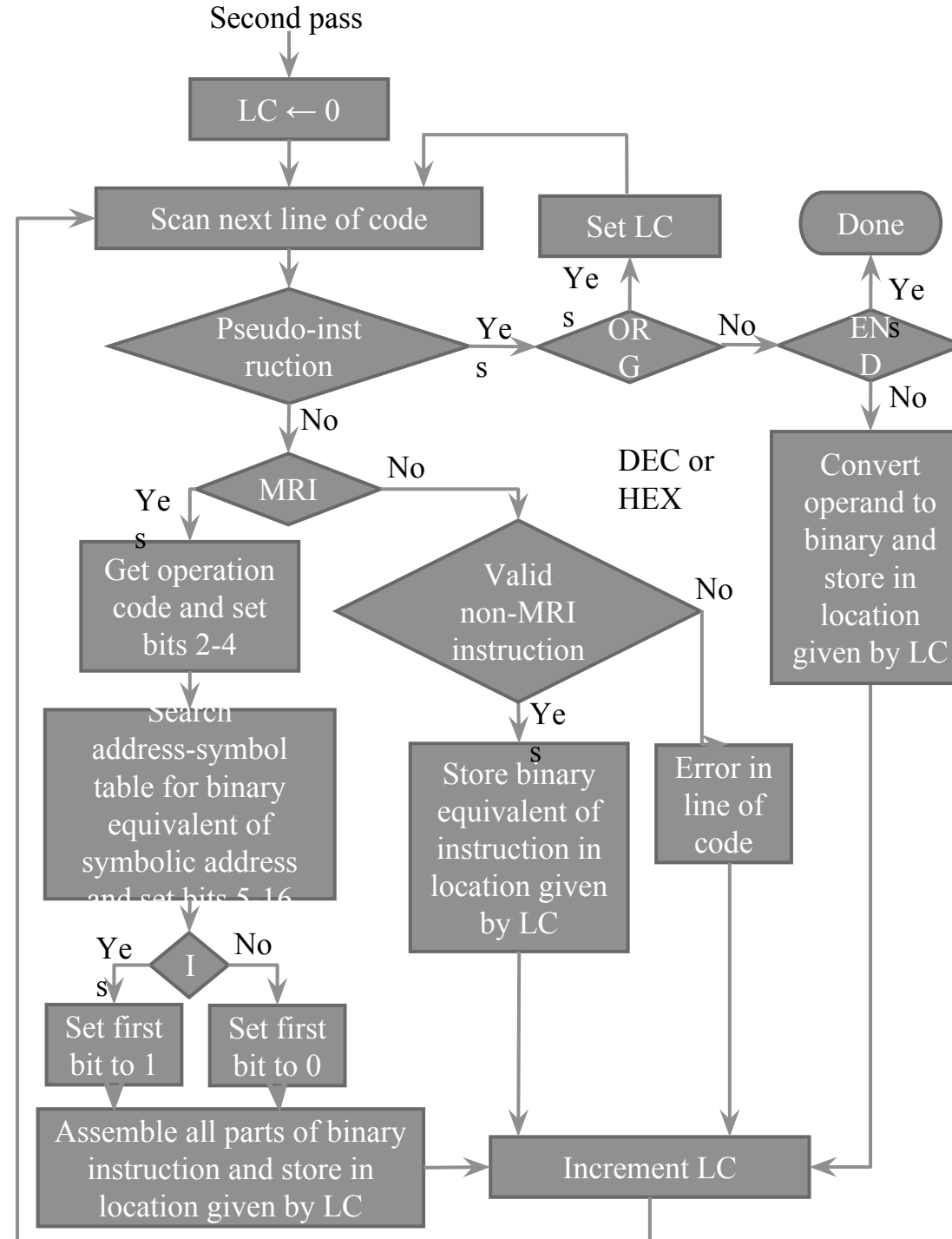
| Location | | Instructio n |
|----------|------|-----------------|
| | | ORG 100 |
| 100 | | LDA SUB |
| 101 | | CMA |
| 102 | | INC |
| 103 | | ADD MIN |
| 104 | | STA DIF |
| 105 | | HLT |
| 106 | MIN, | DEC 83 |
| 107 | SUB, | DEC -23 |
| 108 | DIF, | HEX 0 |
| | | END |

| Symbol | Location |
|--------|----------|
| MIN | 106 |
| SUB | 107 |
| DIF | 108 |

First Pass of an assembler



Second Pass of an assembler





Program loops

Section - 4

Program Loops

- A *program loop* is a sequence of instructions that are executed many times, each time with a different set of data.
- A system program that translates a program written in a high-level programming language to a machine language program is called a *compiler*.

A.L.P. to add 100 numbers

| | | |
|----|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1 | ORG | /Origin of program is HEX |
| 2 | 100 LDA | /Load first address of operands |
| 3 | 100 STA | /Store in pointer |
| 4 | 100 LDA | /Load minus 100 |
| 5 | 100 NBR | /Store in counter |
| 6 | 100 CLR | /Clear accumulator |
| 7 | LO ADD PTR | /Add an operand to AC |
| 8 | P, ISZ | /Increment pointer |
| 9 | 100 PTR | /Increment counter |
| 10 | 100 BUN | /Repeat loop again |
| 11 | 100 STA | /Store sum |
| 12 | 100 SUM | /Halt |
| | T | |

| | | | |
|-----|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 13 | AD | HEX | /First address of operands |
| 14 | 150 PTR | HEX | /This location reserved for pointer |
| 15 | NB | 0 DEC | /Constant to initialized counter |
| 16 | 100 CT | HEX | /This location reserved for a counter |
| 17 | 100 SUM | HEX | /Sum is store here |
| 18 | , | 0 ORG | /Origin of operands is HEX |
| 19 | | 150 DEC | 150 First operand |
| | . | 75 | |
| | . | | |
| | . | | |
| 118 | | DEC | /Last operand |
| 119 | | EN D | /End of symbolic program |

A.L.P. to clear the contents of hex locations 500 to 5FF with 0

| | | | |
|----|----------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| 1 | | ORG | /Origin of program is HEX |
| 2 | | LOA | Load first address of operands |
| 3 | | STA | /Store in pointer |
| 4 | | PDA | /Load minus 255 |
| 5 | | NBR | /Store in counter |
| 6 | | CLR | /Clear accumulator |
| 7 | LO | STA PTR | /Store zero to location pointed by PTR |
| 8 | P, | ISZ | /Increment pointer |
| 9 | | ISR | /Increment counter |
| 10 | | BUN | /Repeat loop again |
| 11 | | HOP | /Halt |
| 12 | AD | HEX | /First address of operands |
| 13 | STR | HEX | /This location reserved for pointer |
| 14 | NB | DEC | /Constant to initialized counter |
| 15 | CT | HEX | /This location reserved for a counter |
| 16 | R, | END | /End of symbolic program |



Programming Arithmetic and Logic operations

Section - 5

A.L.P. to Add Two Double-Precision Numbers

| | | |
|----|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| 1 | ORG | /Origin of program is HEX |
| 2 | 100 LDA | 100 Load A |
| 3 | ADD ADD | low Add B low, carry in |
| 4 | SFA SFA | low Store in C low |
| 5 | CL CL | /Clear |
| 6 | AI AI | low Circulate to bring carry into |
| 7 | ADD ADD | low Add A high and |
| 8 | ADD ADD | low carry B |
| 9 | SFA SFA | low Store in C high |
| 10 | CH CH | /Halt |
| | T | |



Subroutines

Section - 6

Subroutine with example

- A set of common instructions that can be used in a program many times is called a *subroutine*.
- Each time that a subroutine is used in the main part of the program, a branch is executed to the beginning of the subroutine.
- After the subroutine has been executed, a branch is made back to the main program.
- A subroutine consists of a self contained sequence of instructions that carries a given task.

| | | | | |
|-----|------------------|--|-----|--------------------|
| | ORG | | | |
| 100 | LDA | | 109 | SH4 HEX |
| 101 | BSA | | 10 | , CI |
| 102 | SHA | | A0 | CI |
| 103 | LDA | | B0 | CI |
| 104 | BSA | | C0 | CI |
| 105 | SHA | | D0 | AND |
| 106 | HL | | E0 | MSK SH4 |
| 107 | X HEX | | F10 | MS HEX |
| 108 | Y HEX | | | K, EN F0 |
| | , 4321 | | | D |

The diagram illustrates the execution of a subroutine. It shows a sequence of instructions from line 100 to 108. At line 109, there is a branch instruction 'SH4 HEX' with a target of '10'. An arrow points from line 109 back to line 100, indicating a return from the subroutine. Another arrow points from line 100 to line 109, indicating the initial call to the subroutine.



I-O Programming

Section - 7

A.L.P. to input one character & output one character

Input Program

| | | | |
|---|----|---------|----------------------------------|
| 1 | | ORG 100 | /Origin of program is HEX |
| 2 | CI | SK 100 | /Check input flag |
| 3 | F, | BUN | /Flag = 0, branch to check again |
| 4 | | INF | /Flag = 1, input character |
| 5 | | PU | /Print character |
| 6 | | STA | /Store character |
| 7 | | CLR | |
| 8 | CH | T | /Store character here |
| 9 | R, | END | |

Output Program

| | | | |
|---|----|---------|----------------------------------|
| 1 | | ORG 100 | /Origin of program is HEX |
| 2 | | LDA 100 | /Load character into AC |
| 3 | CO | SK | /Check output flag |
| 4 | F, | BUN | /Flag = 0, branch to check again |
| 5 | | OUF | /Flag = 1, output character |
| 6 | | HL | |
| 7 | CH | HEX | /Character is "W" |
| 8 | R, | END | |



Questions asked in GTU exam

Section - 8

Questions asked in GTU exam

1. What is an Assembler? With clear flowcharts for first and second pass, explain its working.
2. Write an assembly language program to add 10 numbers from memory.
3. Write a brief note on: Subroutine call and return.
4. Write an ALP for multiplying 3 integers stored in register stack.
5. Write an assembly program to multiply two positive numbers.
6. What is machine language? How it differs from assembly language?
7. Define pseudo-instruction.
8. For the following C language code, write assembly language program:

```
int a, b, c;  
a = 83; //plus 83  
b = -23; //minus 23  
c = a + b;
```