OneUp Wi-11 Assembler – Meeting Minutes

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01/26 - Responsibility Assignments

Date: Wednesday, January 26th

Location: 560 Classroom: Dreese 305; The Ohio State University

Time: 2:20pm – 2:30pm

Attendees: Andrew Canale, Logan Coulson, Joshua Green, Andrew Groot, Ryan Paulson (via phone)

Scribe: Joshua Green

Agenda:

To determine the responsibility of the following positions: 1.

- User's Guide 1.
- Programmer's Guide 2.
- Software Design 3.
- Testing
- Meeting Minutes 5.
- Coding 6.

Results:

The following assignments were made based on interest and ability: 1.

- User's Guide Andrew Canale 1.
- Programmer's Guide Logan Coulson 2.
- Software Design Andrew Groot
- Testing Ryan Paulson
- Meeting Minutes Joshua Green 5.
- Coding Distributed 6.
 - Notes: Ryan requested a heavy coding workload. 1.

01/27 - Forum Post: Initial Software Design Progress

Date: Thursday, January 27th

Location: One Up Forum: http://andrewcanale.com/1up/

Time: 6:05pm

Attendees: Andrew Groot

Scribe: Andrew Groot

Agenda:

To document and inform the team of software development decisions and basic component interface. $\mathbf{1}$.

Results:

- The design is object oriented, consisting of the following core components: $\ensuremath{\mathbf{1}}.$
 - Parser 1.
 - Handles file input, parsing, and initial transformations of raw input into the Line data structures. 1.
 - The estimated coding difficulty of this object was suggested to be easy.
 - Line 2.
 - Core data structure, ability to store and retrieve label, opcode, and operand data.
 - The estimated coding difficulty of this object was suggested to be moderate.
 - Encoder 3.
 - Produces a Listing object from a vector of lines.
 - The estimated coding difficulty of this object was suggested to be hard.
 - Listing 4.
 - Contains the raw code data and its translation into object file data. $\boldsymbol{1}.$
 - $\label{eq:theorem} \mbox{The estimated coding difficulty of this object was suggested to be easy.}$
 - Printer 5.
 - Outputs the listing and errors (if any). Creates the output file if there are no fatal errors. 1.
 - The estimated coding difficulty of this object was suggested to be moderate. $\ensuremath{\mathsf{2}}.$

01/28 - Forum Post: Additional Software Design Progress

Date: Thursday, January 28th

Location: One Up Forum: http://andrewcanale.com/1up/

Time: 4:39pm

Attendees: Andrew Groot

Scribe: Andrew Groot

Agenda:

To document and inform the team of further software development decisions and changes.

1. Results:

Changes:

- The Parser component will also produce an element which contains the address of the line, in addition to the line data.
- Encoder is now a part of Parser. 2.
- Drafted main.cpp 3.

02/01 - Forum Post: Design Revisions

Date: Tuesday, February 1st

Location: One Up Forum: http://andrewcanale.com/lup/

Time: 1:04pm

Attendees: Andrew Groot

Scribe: Andrew Groot

Agenda:

To document and inform the team of further software development decisions and changes. $\ensuremath{\mathbf{1}}$

Results:

Changes:

- Extractor will now make an initial pass over the input data to load and determine values for all labels and literals
- Extractor now stores both the label associated with its address, as well as literal values stored with its associated address.
- Proposed a command-line argument functionality for the input file 3.
- 4. Proposed a command-line flags to automatically define a set of predefined, recommended symbols (ie: HALT = trap 0x25).
- Proposed the idea of data structure to deal with literals. 5.

02/13 - Coding Progress Report & Advance Component Coding Progress

Date: Sunday, February 13th

Location: Science & Engineering Library: Group Study Room; The Ohio State University

Time: 12:00am – 3:00pm

Attendees: Andrew Canale, Andrew Groot

Scribe: Andrew Canale

Agenda:

- Further explain component interaction. 1.
- Disseminate progress reports on component coding, User Guide, and Programmer's Guide. 2.
- $\hbox{ Continue to complete component code.} \\ 3.$
- Continue progress on User's Guide.

Results:

- Groot further explained interaction between components. 1.
 - Main.cpp is aware of Symbol Table, Printer, and Extractor.
 - Printer uses Symbol Table.
 - Extractor uses Symbol Table. 3.

- Operation and Psuedo-Operation documentation was drafted for the User's Guide.
- Programmer's Guide progress was not discussed as Logan was unable to make it to the meeting. 3.
- $\label{eq:specifications} \mbox{Specifications for all existing operations within the code have been written.} \\ 4.$
- $\label{eq:theory:equation:component} \mbox{ The Extractor component was made more efficient.}$
- Completed Line and Extractor unit testing. 6.
- Updated the Makefile.
- $\label{eq:wrote-skeleton-code} \mbox{Wrote Skeleton-code for other components.}$

02/15 - Finalize Coding and Begin Unit Testing

Date: Tuesday, February 15th

Location: Science & Engineering Library: Group Study Room; The Ohio State University

Time: 2:30pm – 4:30pm

Attendees: N/A

Scribe: Joshua Green

Agenda:

- Complete code for all components.
- $\begin{array}{c} \text{Begin Unit Testing of all components.} \\ 2. \end{array}$
- Have a fully compiled program by close of day.
 - Expected to have run-time errors.

Results:

- Meeting was canceled due to midterms. 1.
- $\begin{array}{c} \text{Rescheduled meeting for Thursday.} \\ \text{2.} \end{array}$

02/17 - Finalize Coding and Begin Unit Testing (Rescheduled).

Date: Thursday, February 17th

Location: Science & Engineering Library: 3rd Floor; The Ohio State University

Time: 2:30pm – 4:30pm

Attendees: Logan Coulson, Joshua Green, Andrew Groot

Scribe: Joshua Green

Agenda:

- Complete code for all components. 1.
- Begin Unit Testing of all components.
- $\label{eq:have a fully compiled program by close of day.} \\ 3.$

Expected to have run-time errors. 1.

Results:

- Completed code for all components except for Printer. 1.
 - Printer will be completed before the next meeting on Saturday. 1.
- Programmer's Guide was updated to reflect documentation of all component functions.
- $\label{eq:continuous} \mbox{Introduction for Programmer's Guide was drafted.} \ 3.$
- Test cases were drafted.
- Designated Saturday for testing and debugging. 5.

02/19 - Compile and System Testing.

Date: Saturday, February 19th

Location: Science & Engineering Library: Group Study Room; The Ohio State University

Time: 12:00pm – 4:00pm

Attendees: Andrew Canale, Joshua Green, Andrew Groot

Scribe: Joshua Green

Agenda:

- Compile code and begin System Testing. 1.
- Draft additional test cases.
- Fix all bugs encountered.

Results:

- Debugged Printer 1.
 - Numerous 1.
- Progressed User's Guide 2.
 - Completed Operation and Psuedo-Operation definitions.
 - Troubleshooting Runtime Errors and Prompts.
- Drafted additional test cases.

02/20 - System Testing and Debugging

Date: Sunday, February 20th

Location: Science & Engineering Library: Group Study Room; The Ohio State University

Time: 10:00pm – 3:00pm

Attendees: Andrew Canale, Joshua Green, Andrew Groot

Scribe: Joshua Green

Agenda:

- Continue System Testing. 1.
- Draft additional test cases. 2.
- Fix all bugs encountered.

Results:

- Fixed bug involving incorrect segment length calculations. 1.
- Fixed involving incorrect handling of segment and symbol maximum lengths.
- Fixed a bug with .STRZ where a valid argument was considered invalid.
- Implemented bit-size checking of operation arguments. IE: Value > PG9 Offset 4.
- Fixed bug involving literals causing an infinite loop. 5.
- Fixed improper spacing during print. 6.
- Fixed bug which ignored incorrect or missing end records.
- Fixed a bug where .ORIG was not correctly being required in the object file. $\ensuremath{\mathbf{8}}.$
- Fixed a bug where .END records argument could be a value that was out of bounds of the object file.
- Fixed portability errors. 10.
- Fixed a bug with .FILL which resulted in labels not being stored. 11.
- Fixed a bug in Printer which printed the wrong argument for ADD and AND. 12.
- Fixed a bug with .STRZ where the length of of the argument was calculated incorrectly.
- Fixed a bug in Extractor which caused literals to have incorrect addresses.
- Fixed a bug in Word which allowed values greated than 16 bits. 15.
- Added integer to string file instead of using stringstream for efficiency.
- Finalized makefile.

02/21 - Final System Testing

Date: Monday, February 21th

Location: Remote Locations via GitHub

Time: various

Attendees: N/A

Scribe: Joshua Green

Agenda:

Perform final System Testing 1.

Fix all unresolved errors

Finalize all documentation.

Peer review all documentation online via forum. 1.

Results:

- Fixed an error involving symbols defined with .STRZ being stored as an absolute. $\ensuremath{\mathsf{1}}$
- Fixed the Segmentation Fault associated with segment name lengths greater than 6 characters. 2.
- $\label{eq:Documentation uploaded to server. Awaiting peer reviews.} 3.$

02/21 - 02/23 - Final Collaboration and Collection

Date: Monday-Wednesday, February 21th-23rd

Location: Remote Locations via GitHub and Forum http://andrewcanale.com/lup/

Time: various

Attendees: N/A

Scribe: Joshua Green

Agenda:

Swap Documentation for Peer Review 1.

- Meeting Minutes by Joshua Green sent to Logan Coulson for review. 1.
- $\label{eq:continuous} \mbox{Programmer's Guide by Logan Coulson sent to Andrew Canale for review.}$
- User's Guide by Andrew Canale sent to Joshua Green for review.
- Complete Test Plan 2.

Results:

- Revisions applied by original poster and uploaded to forum for printing. $\label{eq:continuous} \mbox{\bf 1}.$
- Test plan completed by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum. 2. $\label{eq:completed} % \begin{array}{c} \text{Test plan completed by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan completed by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan completed by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan completed by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan completed by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan completed by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan completed by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan completed by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan completed by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to forum.} \\ \text{Test plan complete by Joshua Green and uploaded to f$
- $\qquad \hbox{Final meeting minutes entry documented.} \\ 3.$