Lecture 6

Assembler

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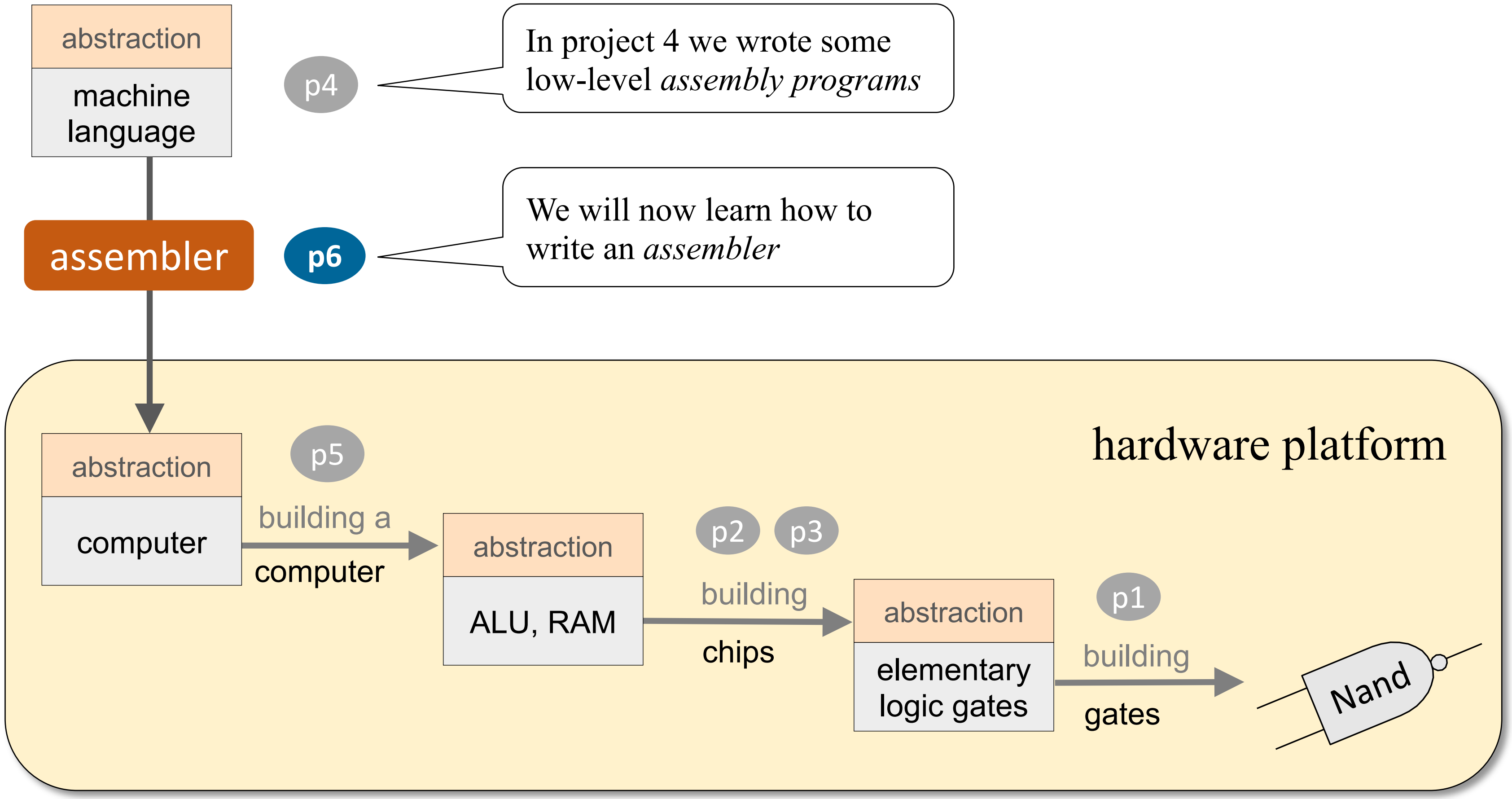

Program translation

Assembly program

```
// Program: Sum1ToN (R0 represents N)
// Computes R1 = 1 + 2 + 3 + . . . + R0
// Usage: put a value >= 1 in R0
   // i = 1
   @i
   M=1
   // sum = 0
   @sum
   M=0
(LOOP)
   // if (i > R0) goto STOP
   @i
   D=M
   @R0
   D=D-M
   @STOP
   D;JGT
   // sum = sum + i
   @sum
   D=M
   @i
   D=D+M
   @sum
   M=D
   // i = i + 1
   @i
   M=M+1
   // goto LOOP
   @LOOP
   0;JMP
   ...
```

assembler

Binary code

```
0101111100111100
1010101010101010
1100000010101010
1011000010000001
0101111100111100
1010101010101010
1100000010101010
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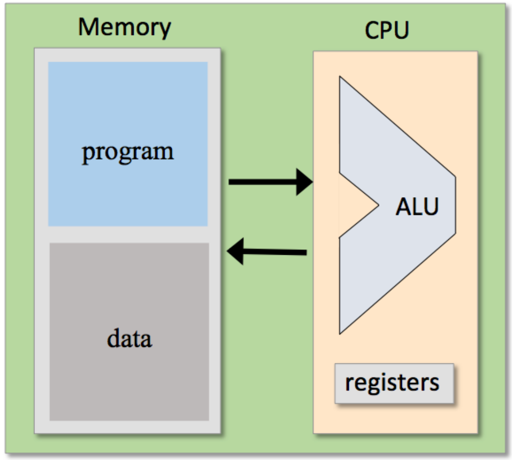
load and execute

Computer



The assembler is…

- The "linchpin" that connects the hardware platform and the software hierarchy
- The lowest rung in the set of translators developed in Part II of the course (compiler, VM translator, assembler)
- A program that introduces key software engineering techniques (parsing, code generation, symbol tables, …)

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Translating A-instructions

Symbolic syntax:

`@xxx`

Where *xxx* is a non-negative decimal value, or a symbol bound to such a value

Binary syntax:

`0vvvvvvvvvvvvvvv`

Where:

`0` is the A-instruction op-code, and

vvv ... v is a binary value

Example:

`@17` translate `0000000000010001`

<u>Implementation</u>

If *xxx* is a decimal value: Translate the value into its 16-bit representation;

If *xxx* is a symbol: Later.

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Translating C-instructions

Symbolic syntax: *dest* = *comp* ; *jump*

Binary syntax: 1 1 1 *a c c c c c c d d d j j j*

comp (*a*==0)	*comp* (*a*==1)	*c*	*c*	*c*	*c*	*c*	*c*
0		1	0	1	0	1	0
1		1	1	1	1	1	1
-1		1	1	1	0	1	0
D		0	0	1	1	0	0
A	M	1	1	0	0	0	0
!D		0	0	1	1	0	1
!A	!M	1	1	0	0	0	1
-D		0	0	1	1	1	1
-A	-M	1	1	0	0	1	1
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A-1	M-1	1	1	0	0	1	0
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D-A	D-M	0	1	0	0	1	1
A-D	M-D	0	0	0	1	1	1
D&A	D&M	0	0	0	0	0	0
D|A	D|M	0	1	0	1	0	1

a==0 *a*==1

dest	*d*	*d*	*d*	effect: the value is stored in:
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1		1	1	1	1	1	1
-1		1	1	1	0	1	0
D		0	0	1	1	0	0
A	M	1	1	0	0	0	0
!D		0	0	1	1	0	1
!A	!M	1	1	0	0	0	1
-D		0	0	1	1	1	1
-A	-M	1	1	0	0	1	1
D+1		0	1	1	1	1	1
A+1	M+1	1	1	0	1	1	1
D-1		0	0	1	1	1	0
A-1	M-1	1	1	0	0	1	0
D+A	D+M	0	0	0	0	1	0
D-A	D-M	0	1	0	0	1	1
A-D	M-D	0	0	0	1	1	1
D&A	D&M	0	0	0	0	0	0
D|A	D|M	0	1	0	1	0	1
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Example: `D = D+1 ; JLE` → Binary:

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1		1	1	1	1	1	1
-1		1	1	1	0	1	0
D		0	0	1	1	0	0
A	M	1	1	0	0	0	0
!D		0	0	1	1	0	1
!A	!M	1	1	0	0	0	1
-D		0	0	1	1	1	1
-A	-M	1	1	0	0	1	1
D+1		0	1	1	1	1	1
A+1	M+1	1	1	0	1	1	1
D-1		0	0	1	1	1	0
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Binary: 111

Translating C-instructions

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-1		1	1	1	0	1	0
D		0	0	1	1	0	0
A	M	1	1	0	0	0	0
!D		0	0	1	1	0	1
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Example: `D=D+1;JLE` → Binary: `1110011111010110`

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0		1	0	1	0	1	0
1		1	1	1	1	1	1
-1		1	1	1	0	1	0
D		0	0	1	1	0	0
A	M	1	1	0	0	0	0
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Example: A = – 1

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-1		1	1	1	0	1	0
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A	M	1	1	0	0	0	0
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Example: `A = -1` → Binary: `111`

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D		0	0	1	1	0	0
A	M	1	1	0	0	0	0
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0		1	0	1	0	1	0
1		1	1	1	1	1	1
-1		1	1	1	0	1	0
D		0	0	1	1	0	0
A	M	1	1	0	0	0	0
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Implementation: Get the binary code of each field of the symbolic instruction (*dest*, *comp*, *jump*), and assemble the codes into a 16-bit instruction.

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Program translation

Symbolic code

```
// Computes R1=1 + ... + R0
    // i = 1
    @i
    M=1
    // sum = 0
    @sum
    M=0
(LOOP)
    // if i>R0 goto STOP
    @i
    D=M
    @R0
    D=D-M
    @STOP
    D;JGT
    // sum += i
    @i
    D=M
    @sum
    M=D+M
    // i++
    @i
    M=M+1
    @LOOP
    0;JMP
(STOP)
    @sum
    D=M
    ...
```

Translate

Binary code

```
0000000000010000
1110111111001000
0000000000010001
1110101010001000
0000000000010000
1111110000010000
0000000000000000
1111010011010000
0000000000010010
1110001100000001
0000000000010000
1111110000010000
0000000000010001
1111000010001000
0000000000010000
1111110111001000
0000000000000100
1110101010000111
0000000000010001
1111110000010000
...
```

Need to Handle

- White space
- Instructions
- Symbols

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    @sum
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    @i
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    @i
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    @LOOP
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(STOP)
    @sum
    D=M
    ...
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Translate

Binary code

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0000000000010001
1110101010001000
0000000000010000
1111110000010000
0000000000000000
1111010011010000
0000000000010010
1110001100000001
0000000000010000
1111110000010000
0000000000010001
1111000010001000
0000000000010000
1111110111001000
0000000000000100
1110101010000111
0000000000010001
1111110000010000
...
```

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- Symbols

We'll start with programs that have no `symbols`, and handle symbols later

Program translation

Symbolic code

```
// Computes R1=1 + ... + R0
    // i = 1
    @16
    M=1
    // sum = 0
    @17
    M=0

    // if i>R0 goto STOP
    @16
    D=M
    @0
    D=D-M
    @18
    D;JGT
    // sum += i
    @16
    D=M
    @17
    M=D+M
    // i++
    @16
    M=M+1
    @4
    0;JMP
    @17
    D=M
    ...
```

no symbols

Translate

Binary code

<u>Need to Handle</u>

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Program translation

Symbolic code

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    @17
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    // i++
    @16
    M=M+1
    @4
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    @17
    D=M
    ...
```

no symbols

Translate

Binary code

<u>Need to Handle</u>

- White space — Ignore it
- Instructions
- Symbols (later)

<u>White space:</u>
Empty lines,
Comments,
Indentation

Program translation

Symbolic code

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    @R0
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    @i
    D=M
    @sum
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Original program, with symbols

Handling symbols

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Original program, with symbols

Symbols

- Predefined symbols
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    D=M
    @sum
    M=D+M
    // i++
    @i
    M=M+1
    @LOOP
    0;JMP
(STOP)
    @sum
    D=M
    ...
```

This particular code uses one predefined symbol: `R0`

<u>Symbols</u>

- Predefined symbols
- Label symbols
- Variable symbols

The Hack language features 23 *predefined symbols*:

symbol	*value*
R0	0
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R2	2
...	...
R15	15
SCREEN	16384
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SP	0
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ARG	2
THIS	3
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Handling symbols

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Translating @*preDefinedSymbol*

Replace *preDefinedSymbol* with its *value*, and complete the translation.

Examples:

@R0 →	0000000000000000
@R12 →	0000000000001100
@SCREEN →	0100000000000000

Handling symbols

Symbolic code

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```

Symbols

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This particular code uses two label symbols: `LOOP`, `STOP`

Handling symbols

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Label symbols

- Used to label destinations of goto instructions
- Declared by the pseudo-instruction (*label*)
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- Which corresponds to the instruction's *line number*

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Handling symbols

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Example:

symbol	*value*
LOOP	4
STOP	18

Translating @*labelSymbol* :

Replace *labelSymbol* with its *value*

Example: `@LOOP` → `0000000000000100`

Handling symbols

Symbolic code

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- Hack convention: Each variable is bound to a running memory address, starting at 16

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Example:

symbol	*value*
i	16
sum	17

Translating @*variableSymbol* :

1. If *variableSymbol* is seen for the first time,
   bind to it to a *value*, from 16 onward
   Else, it has a *value*
2. Replace *variableSymbol* with its *value*.

Example: @sum → 0000000000010001

Handling symbols

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ARG	2
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THAT	4
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sum	17

A data structure that the assembler creates and uses during the program translation

Contains every symbol, and its binding.

Handling symbols

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Handling symbols

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A data structure that the assembler creates and uses during the program translation

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First pass: Counts lines and adds the label symbols to the table

Second pass:
- Generates binary code; in the process:
- Adds the variable symbols to the table

(details, soon)

Lecture plan

- Overview
- Translating instructions
- Translating programs
- Handling symbols
- Assembler architecture
- Assembler API
- Project 6
- Some history

Assembler: Usage

Input (*Prog*`.asm`): a text file containing a sequence of lines, each being a string representing a comment, an A-instruction, a C-instruction, or a label declaration

Output (*Prog*`.hack`): a text file containing a sequence of lines, each being a string of sixteen `0` and `1` characters

```
// Computes R1=1 + ... + R0
    // i = 1
    @i
    M=1
    // sum = 0
    @sum
    M=0
(LOOP)
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    @i
    D=M
    @R0
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    ...
```

Assembler

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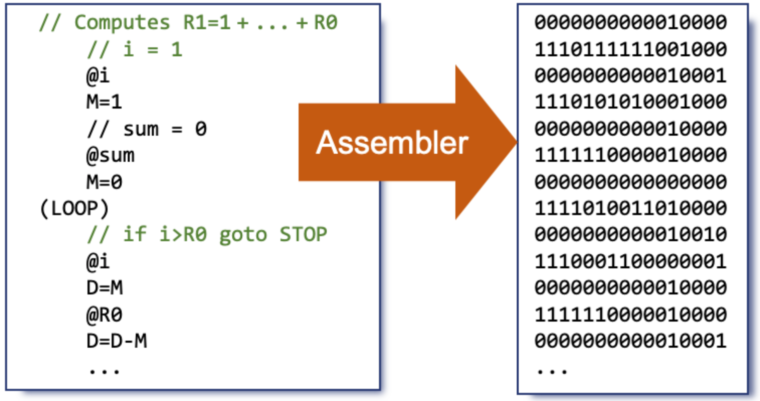
Usage: (if the assembler is implemented in Java)

```
$ java HackAssembler Prog.asm
```

Action: Creates a *Prog*`.hack` file, containing the translated Hack program.

Assembler: Algorithm



Initialize

Opens the input file (*Prog*`.asm`),
and gets ready to process it

Constructs a symbol table,
and adds to it all the predefined symbols

First pass

Reads the program lines, one by one,
focusing only on `(`*label*`)` declarations.
Adds the found labels to the symbol table

Second pass (main loop)

(starts again from the beginning of the file)

While there are more lines to process:

Gets the next instruction, and parses it

If the instruction is `@`*symbol*

If *symbol* is not in the symbol table, adds <*symbol* , *value*> to the table, and translates *value* to its binary value

If the instruction is *dest* `=` *comp* `;` *jump*

Translates each of the three fields into its binary value

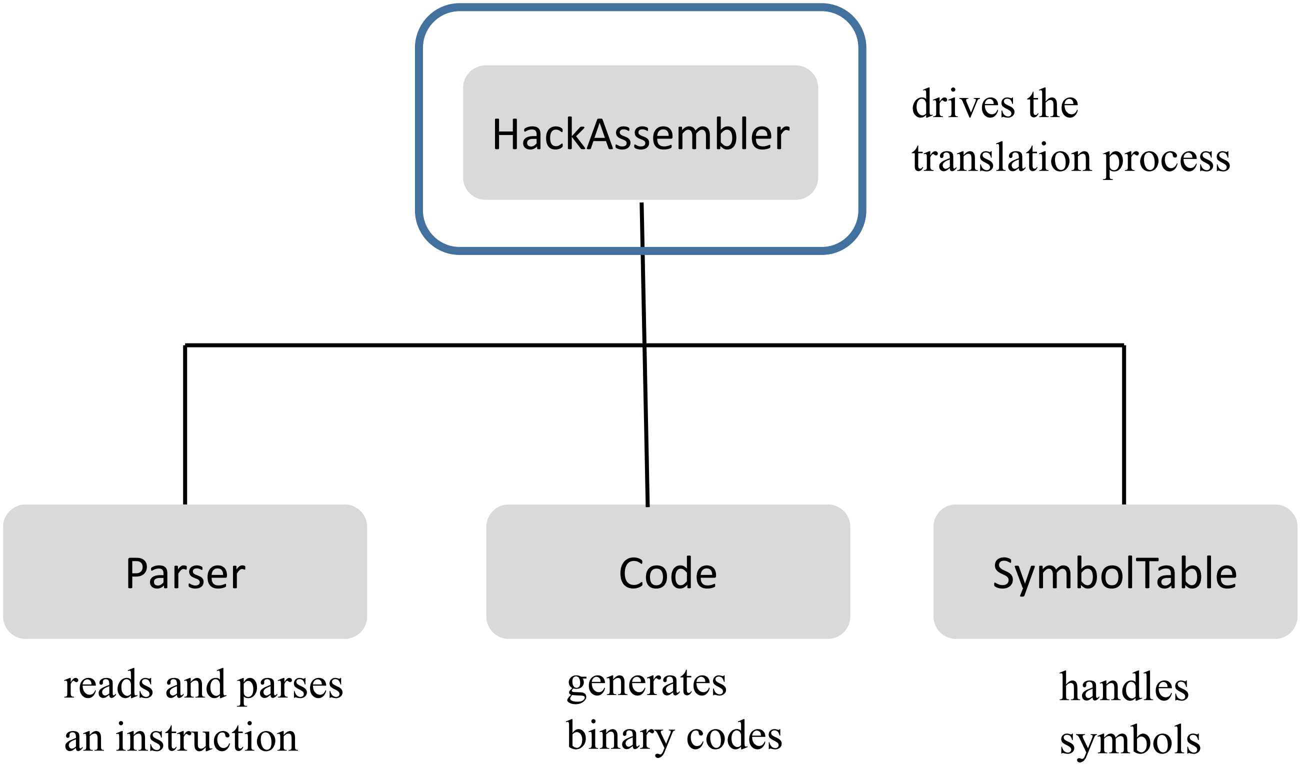
Assembles the binary values described above into a string of sixteen `0`'s and `1`'s

Writes the string to the output file.

Assembler implementation options

- Manual
- Program-based

Assembler: Architecture



<u>Proposed architecture</u>

- Four software modules
- Can be realized in any programming language

HackAssembler

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    Gets the next instruction, and parses it

    If the instruction is `@`*symbol*

        If *symbol* is not in the symbol table, adds it to the table

        Translates the *symbol* into its binary value

    If the instruction is *dest*`=`*comp*`;`*jump*

        Translates each of the three fields into its binary value

    Assembles the binary values into a string of sixteen `0`'s and `1`'s

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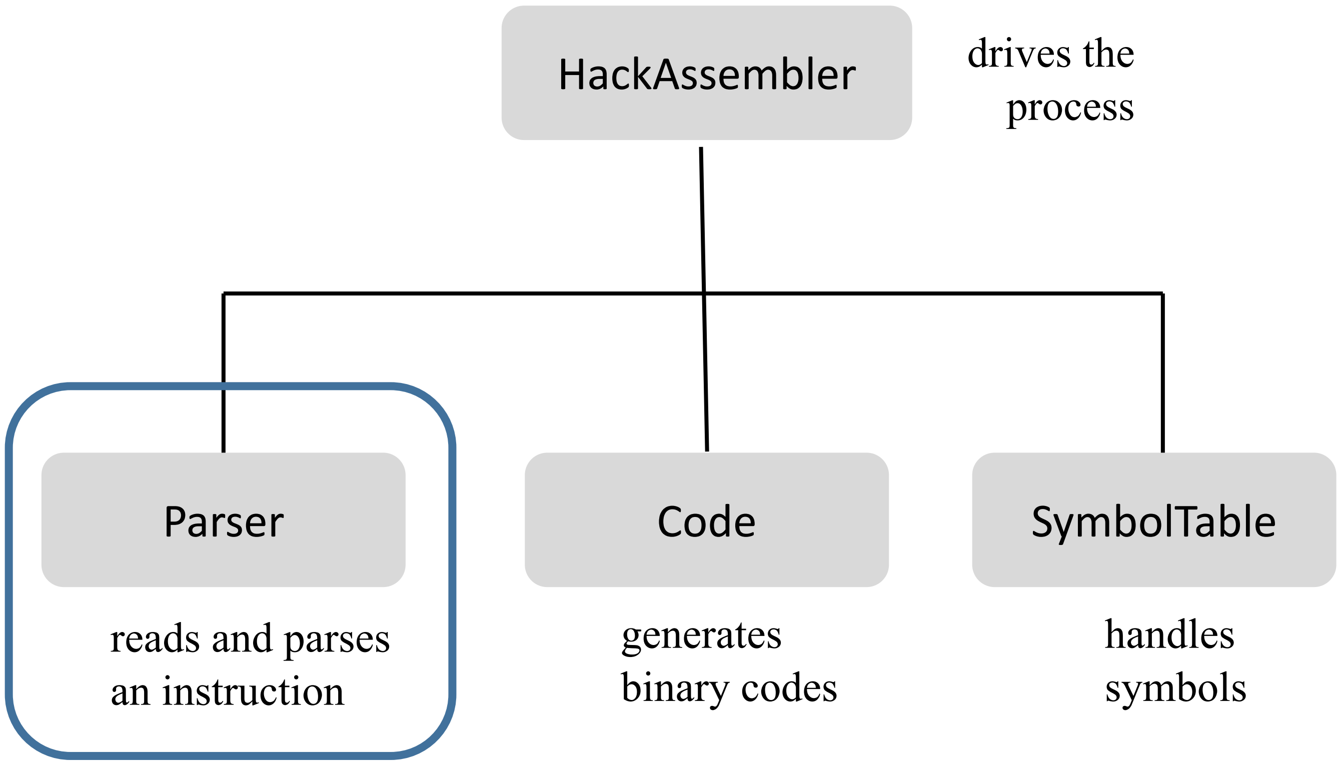
The `HackAssembler` implements this assembly algorithm, using the services of:

- `Parser`
- `Code`
- `SymbolTable`

Assembler API



`Parser` API

Routines

- Constructor / initializer: Creates a `Parser` and opens the source text file
- Getting the current instruction:

  `hasMoreLines()`: Checks if there is more work to do (boolean)

  `advance()`: Gets the next instruction and makes it the *current instruction* (string)

- Parsing the *current instruction*:

  `instructionType()`: Returns the current instruction type, as a constant:

  `A_INSTRUCTION` for `@`*xxx*, where *xxx* is either a decimal number or a symbol

  `C_INSTRUCTION` for *dest* `=` *comp* `;` *jump*

  `L_INSTRUCTION` for `(`*label*`)`

Examples:

current instruction	
`@17`	`instructionType()` returns `A_INSTRUCTION`
`@sum`	`instructionType()` returns `A_INSTRUCTION`
`D=0`	`instructionType()` returns `C_INSTRUCTION`
`(END)`	`instructionType()` returns `L_INSTRUCTION`

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Used only if the current instruction is `@`*symbol* `or` `(`*symbol*`)`

current instruction

Examples:

current instruction	
`@sum`	`symbol()` returns `"sum"`
`(LOOP)`	`symbol()` returns `"LOOP"`

`Parser` API

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  `symbol()`: Returns the instruction's *symbol* (string)

  `dest()`: Returns the instruction's *dest* field (string)

  `comp()`: Returns the instruction's *comp* field (string)

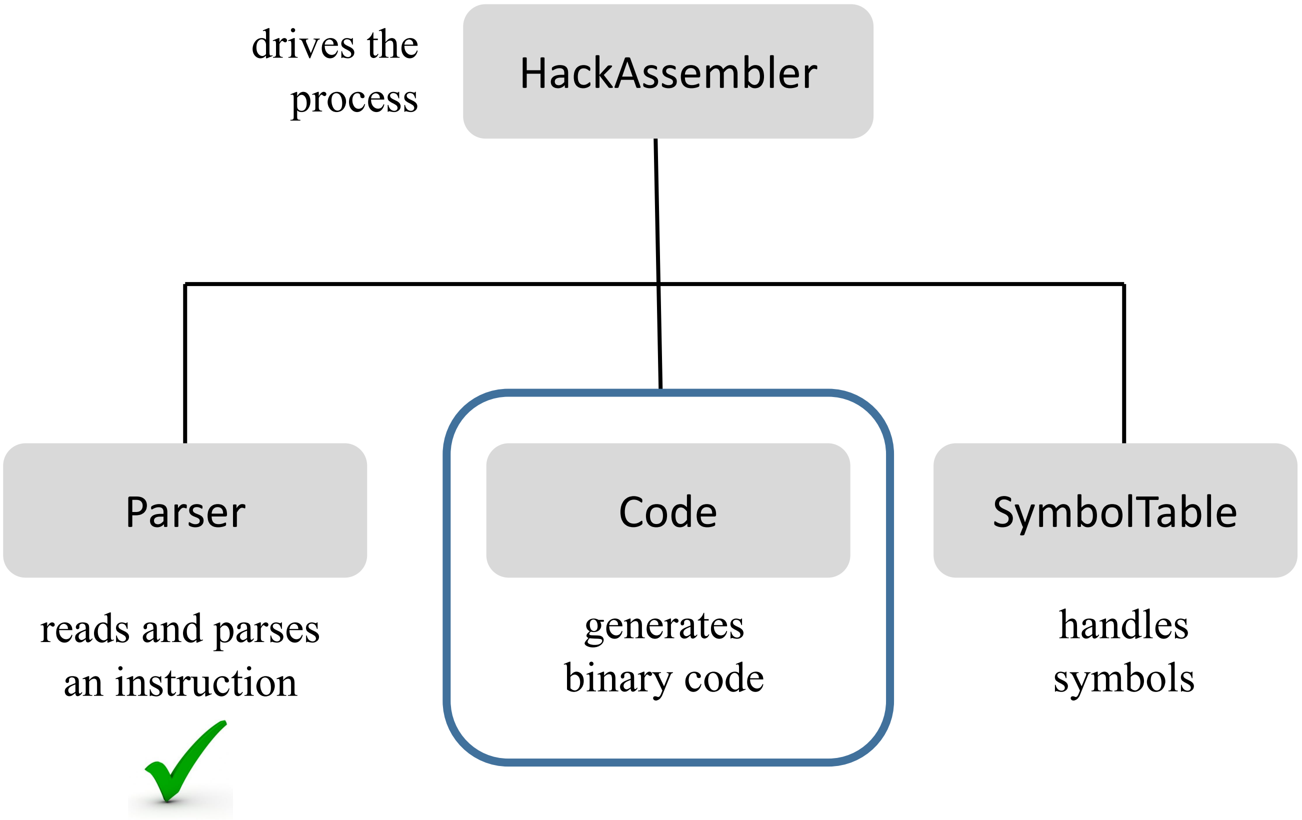
  `jump()`: Returns the instruction's *jump* field (string)

Used only if the current instruction is *dest* = *comp* ; *jump*

current instruction

Examples:			
`D=D+1;JLE`	`dest()` returns `"D"`	`comp()` returns `"D+1"`	`jump()` returns `"JLE"`
`M=-1`	`dest()` returns `"M"`	`comp()` returns `"-1"`	`jump()` returns `null`

Implementation



Code API

Deals only with C-instructions: *dest* = *comp* ; *jump*

Routines:

`dest`(string): Returns the binary representation of the parsed *dest* field (string)

`comp`(string): Returns the binary representation of the parsed *comp* field (string)

`jump`(string): Returns the binary representation of the parsed *jump* field (string)

According to the language specification:

comp (a==0)	*comp* (a==1)	c	c	c	c	c	c
0		1	0	1	0	1	0
1		1	1	1	1	1	1
-1		1	1	1	0	1	0
D		0	0	1	1	0	0
A	M	1	1	0	0	0	0
!D		0	0	1	1	0	1
!A	!M	1	1	0	0	0	1
-D		0	0	1	1	1	1
-A	-M	1	1	0	0	1	1
D+1		0	1	1	1	1	1
A+1	M+1	1	1	0	1	1	1
D-1		0	0	1	1	1	0
A-1	M-1	1	1	0	0	1	0
D+A	D+M	0	0	0	0	1	0
D-A	D-M	0	1	0	0	1	1
A-D	M-D	0	0	0	1	1	1
D&A	D&M	0	0	0	0	0	0
D|A	D|M	0	1	0	1	0	1

dest	d	d	d
null	0	0	0
M	0	0	1
D	0	1	0
DM	0	1	1
A	1	0	0
AM	1	0	1
AD	1	1	0
ADM	1	1	1

jump	j	j	j
null	0	0	0
JGT	0	0	1
JEQ	0	1	0
JGE	0	1	1
JLT	1	0	0
JNE	1	0	1
JLE	1	1	0
JMP	1	1	1

Examples:

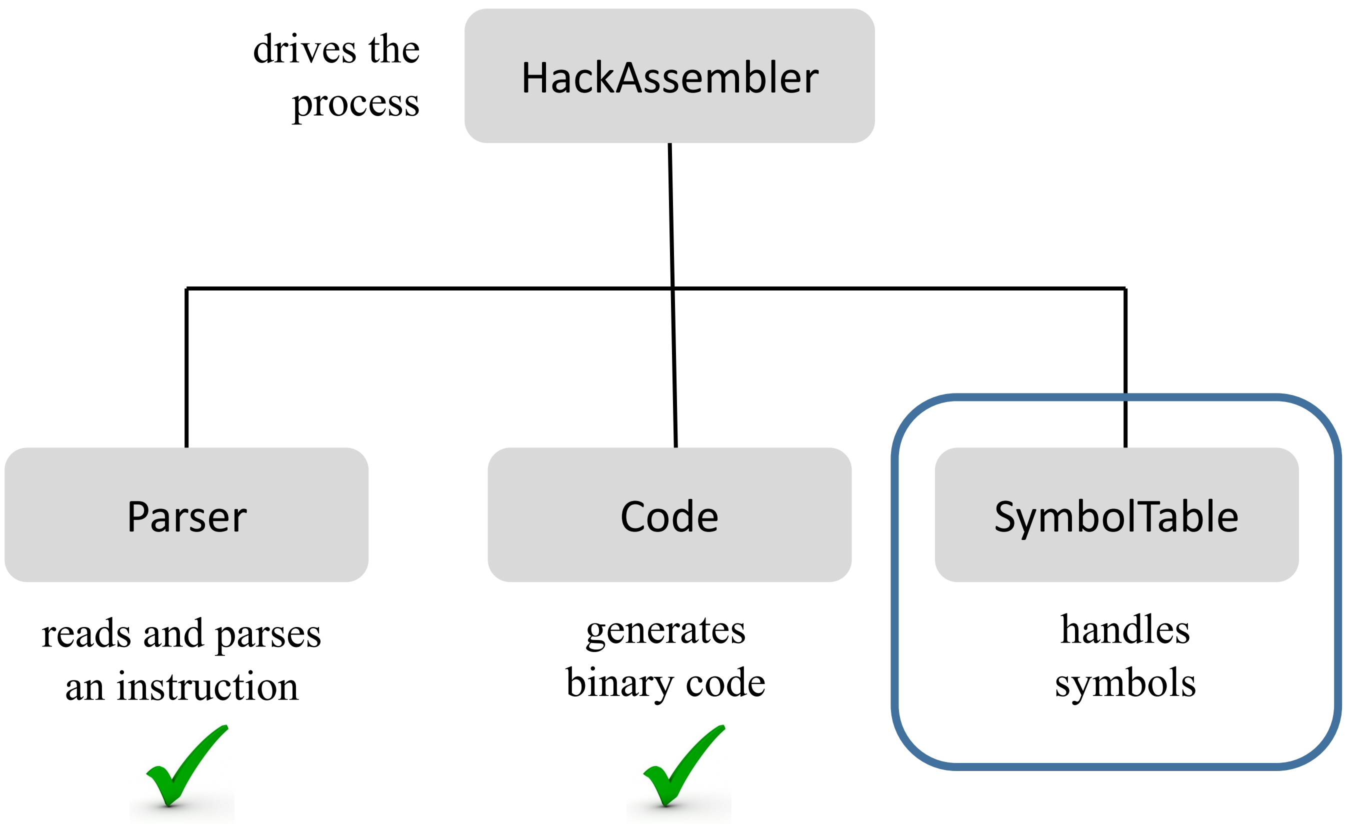
`dest("DM")` returns `"011"`

`comp("A+1")` returns `"0110111"`

`comp("D&M")` returns `"1000000"`

`jump("JNE")` returns `"101"`

Implementation



`SymbolTable` API

<u>Routines</u>

Constructor / initializer: Creates and initializes a `SymbolTable`

`void` **`addEntry(`**`String` **`symbol`**, `int` **`address):`** Adds <`symbol`, `address`> to the table

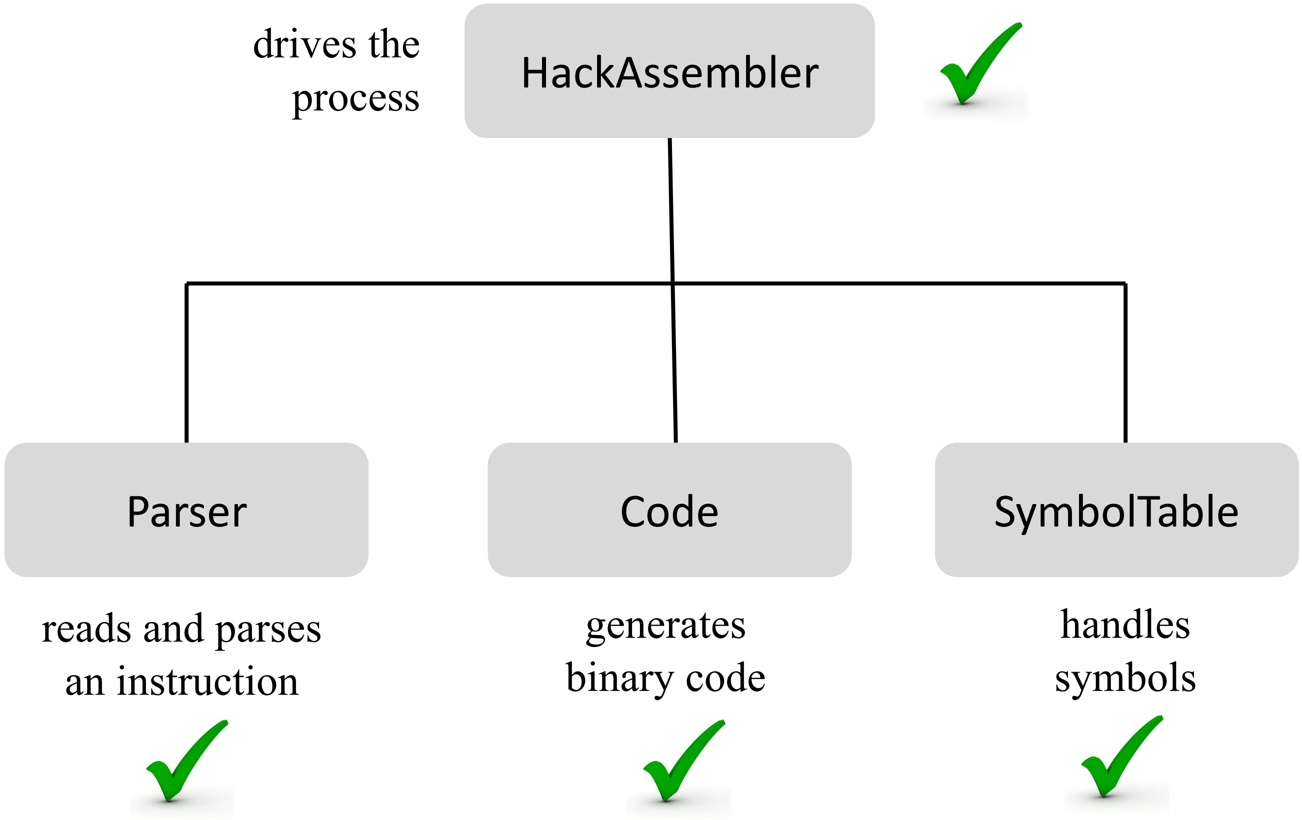
`boolean` **`contains(`**`String` **`symbol):`** Checks if `symbol` exists in the table

`int` **`getAddress(`**`String` **`symbol):`** Returns the `address` associated with `symbol`

Symbol table:
(example)

symbol	*address*
R0	0
R1	1
R2	2
...	...
R15	15
SCREEN	16384
KBD	24576
SP	0
LCL	1
ARG	2
THIS	3
THAT	4
LOOP	4
STOP	18
i	16
sum	17

`HackAssembler`: Drives the translation process



Assembler API (detailed)

`Parser` module:

Routine	***Arguments***	***Returns***	***Function***
Constructor / initializer	Input file or stream	—	Opens the input file/stream and gets ready to parse it.
`hasMoreLines`	—	boolean	Are there more lines in the input?
`advance`	—	—	Skips over whitespace and comments, if necessary. Reads the next instruction from the input, and makes it the current instruction. This method should be called only if `hasMoreLines` is true. Initially there is no current instruction.
`instructionType`	—	`A_INSTRUCTION`, `C_INSTRUCTION`, `L_INSTRUCTION` (constants)	Returns the type of the current instruction: `A_INSTRUCTION` for @*xxx*, where *xxx* is either a decimal number or a symbol. `C_INSTRUCTION` for *dest*=*comp*;*jump* `L_INSTRUCTION` for (*xxx*), where *xxx* is a symbol.
`symbol`	—	string	If the current instruction is (*xxx*), returns the symbol *xxx*. If the current instruction is @*xxx*, returns the symbol or decimal *xxx* (as a string). Should be called only if `instructionType` is `A_INSTRUCTION` or `L_INSTRUCTION`.
`dest`	—	string	Returns the symbolic *dest* part of the current *C*-instruction (8 possibilities). Should be called only if `instructionType` is `C_INSTRUCTION`.
`comp`	—	string	Returns the symbolic *comp* part of the current *C*-instruction (28 possibilities). Should be called only if `instructionType` is `C_INSTRUCTION`.
`jump`	—	string	Returns the symbolic *jump* part of the current *C*-instruction (8 possibilities). Should be called only if `instructionType` is `C_INSTRUCTION`.

Assembler API (detailed)

`Code` module:

Routine	*Arguments*	*Returns*	*Function*
`dest`	string	3 bits, as a string	Returns the binary code of the *dest* mnemonic.
`comp`	string	7 bits, as a string	Returns the binary code of the *comp* mnemonic.
`jump`	string	3 bits, as a string	Returns the binary code of the *jump* mnemonic.

`SymbolTable` module:

Routine	*Arguments*	*Returns*	*Function*
Constructor	—	—	Creates a new empty symbol table.
`addEntry`	`symbol` (string), `address` (int)	—	Adds `<symbol,address>` to the table.
`contains`	`symbol` (string)	boolean	Does the symbol table contain the given `symbol`?
`getAddress`	`symbol` (string)	int	Returns the address associated with the `symbol`.

`HackAssembler` module (main program):

No proposed design; Implement as you see fit.

Chapter 6: Assembler

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- Handling symbols
- Assembler architecture
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- Project 6
- Some history

Developing a Hack Assembler

Contract

Develop a program that translates symbolic Hack programs into binary Hack instructions;

The source assembly program (input) is read from a text file named *Prog*`.asm`

The generated binary code (output) is written to a text file named *Prog*`.hack`

Assumption: *Prog*`.asm` is error-free.

Usage (if the assembler is implemented in Java):

```
$ java HackAssembler Prog.asm
```

Testing

Prog.asm

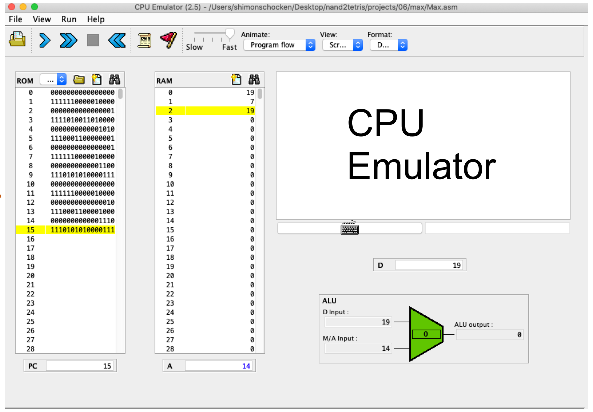
```
// Computes R1 = 1 + ... + R0
    // i = 1
    @i
    M=1
    // sum = 0
    @sum
    M=0
(LOOP)
    // if i > R0 goto STOP
    @i
    D=M
    @R0
    D=D-M
    @STOP
    D;JGT
    ...
```

Your assembler

Prog.hack

```
0000000000010000
1110111111001000
0000000000010001
1110101010001000
0000000000010000
1111110000010000
0000000000000000
1111010011010000
0000000000010010
1110001100000001
0000000000010000
1111110000010000
0000000000010001
1111000010001000
0000000000010000
...
```

Load / Run



Testing strategy

To test your assembler's correctness, you will use it to translate some given test assembly programs;

If the resulting binary code will execute correctly, we'll assume that your assembler is correct.

Not a complete test, but that's the project 6 contract.

Testing

Prog.asm

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    // i = 1
    @i
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    D;JGT
    ...
```

Your assembler

Prog.hack

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1111010011010000
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1110001100000001
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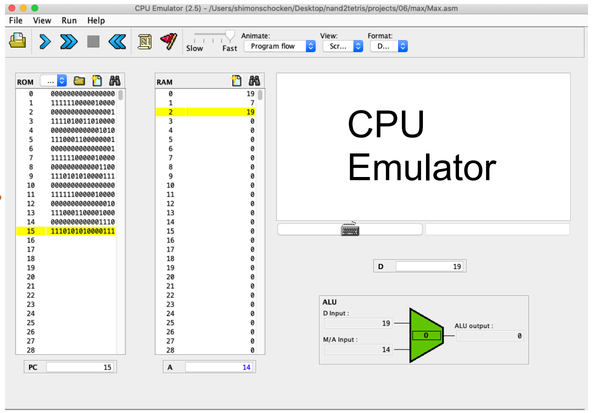
0000000000010000
...
```

Load / Run



Staged development plan

1. Develop a basic assembler that translates Hack assembly programs containing no symbols

2. Develop an ability to handle symbols

3. Morph your basic assembler into an assembler that translates any Hack assembly program.

Test programs

- `Add.asm`
- `Max.asm`
- `Rect.asm`
- `Pong.asm`

(with symbols)

- `MaxL.asm`
- `RectL.asm`
- `PongL.asm`

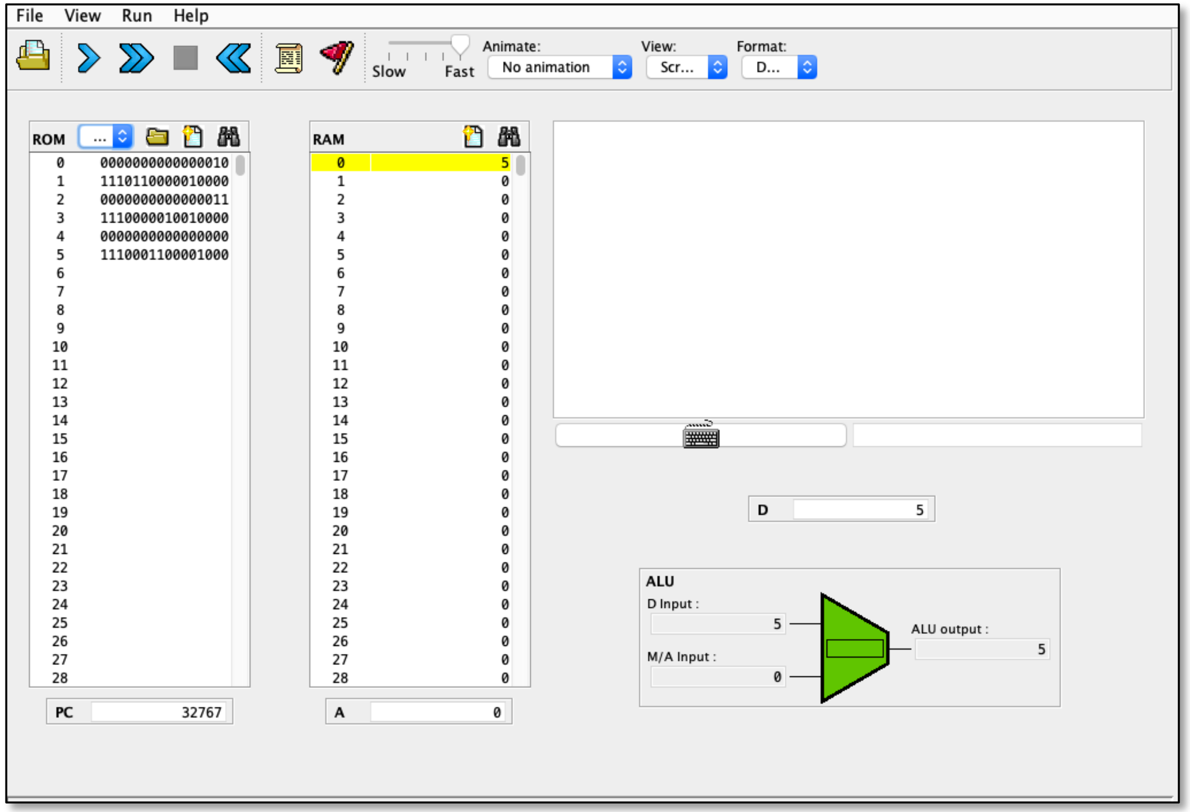
(same programs, without symbols, for unit-testing your basic assembler)

Testing: `Add`

`Add.asm`

```
// Computes RAM[0] = 2 + 3
@2
D=A
@3
D=D+A
@0
M=D
```

Testing on the CPU emulator:



1. Translate `Add.asm` using your assembler
2. Load into the CPU emulator the translated `Add.hack`
3. Run the code, inspect `R0`.

Techincal note

When loading a binary *Prog*`.hack` file into the CPU emulator, the emulator may present the code symbolically, for readability (depending on the emulator's version).

To inspect the binary code, select "binary" from the `ROM` menu.

Testing: Max

Max.asm

```
// Computes RAM[2] =
// max(RAM[0],RAM[1])
   @R0
   D=M
   @R1
   D=D-M
   @OUTPUT_RAM0
   D;JGT
   // Output RAM[1]
   @R1
   D=M
   @R2
   M=D
   @END
   0;JMP
(OUTPUT_RAM0)
   @R0
   D=M
   @R2
   M=D
(END)
   @END
   0;JMP
```

with symbols

MaxL.asm

```
// Computes RAM[2] =
// max(RAM[0],RAM[1])
   @0
   D=M
   @1
   D=D-M
   @12
   D;JGT
   // Output RAM[1]
   @1
   D=M
   @2
   M=D
   @16
   0;JMP

   @0
   D=M
   @2
   M=D

   @16
   0;JMP
```

without symbols

(Same test program, without symbols, for unit-testing the basic assembler)

Testing: `Max`

`Max.asm`

```
// Computes RAM[2] =
// max(RAM[0],RAM[1])

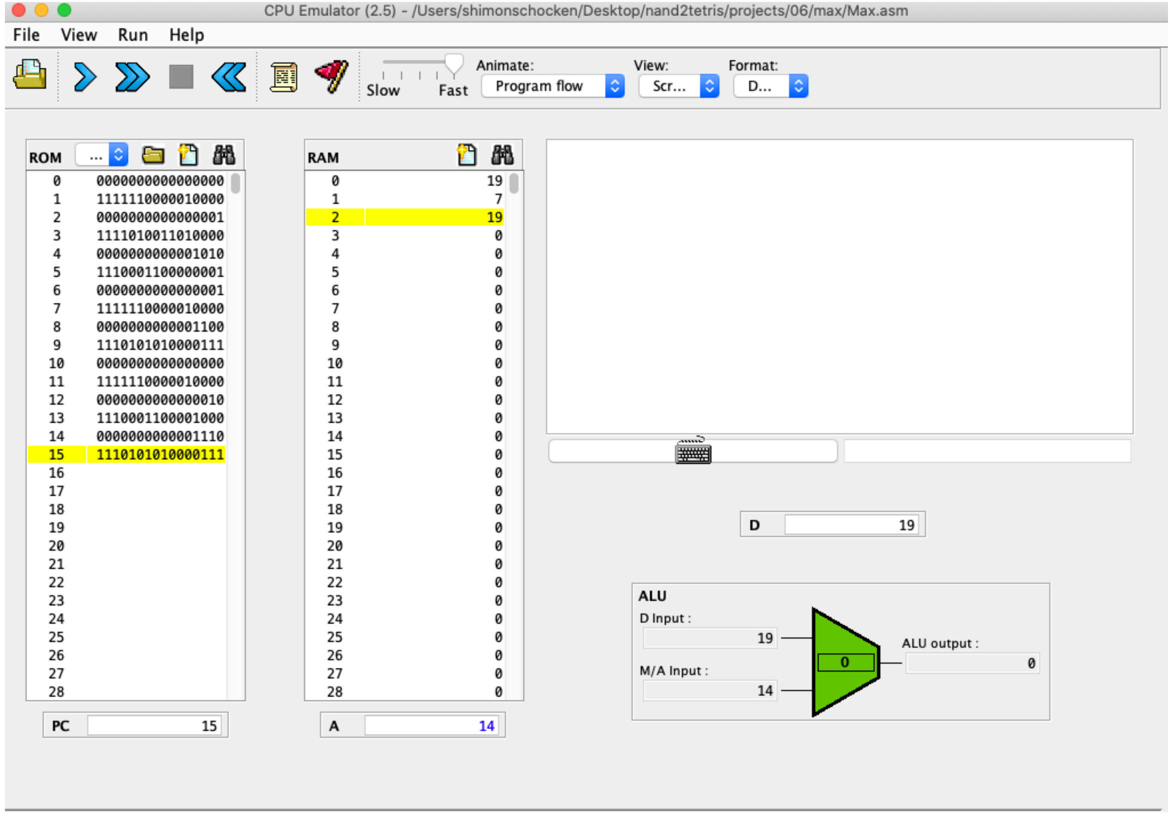
   @R0
   D=M
   @R1
   D=D-M
   @OUTPUT_RAM0
   D;JGT

   // Output RAM[1]
   @R1
   D=M
   @R2
   M=D
   @END
   0;JMP

(OUTPUT_RAM0)
   @R0
   D=M
   @R2
   M=D

(END)
   @END
   0;JMP
```

Testing on the CPU emulator:



1. Translate `Max.asm`
2. Load `Max.hack`
3. Put test values in `R0` and `R1`, run the code, inspect `R2`.

Testing: `Rect`

`Rect.asm`

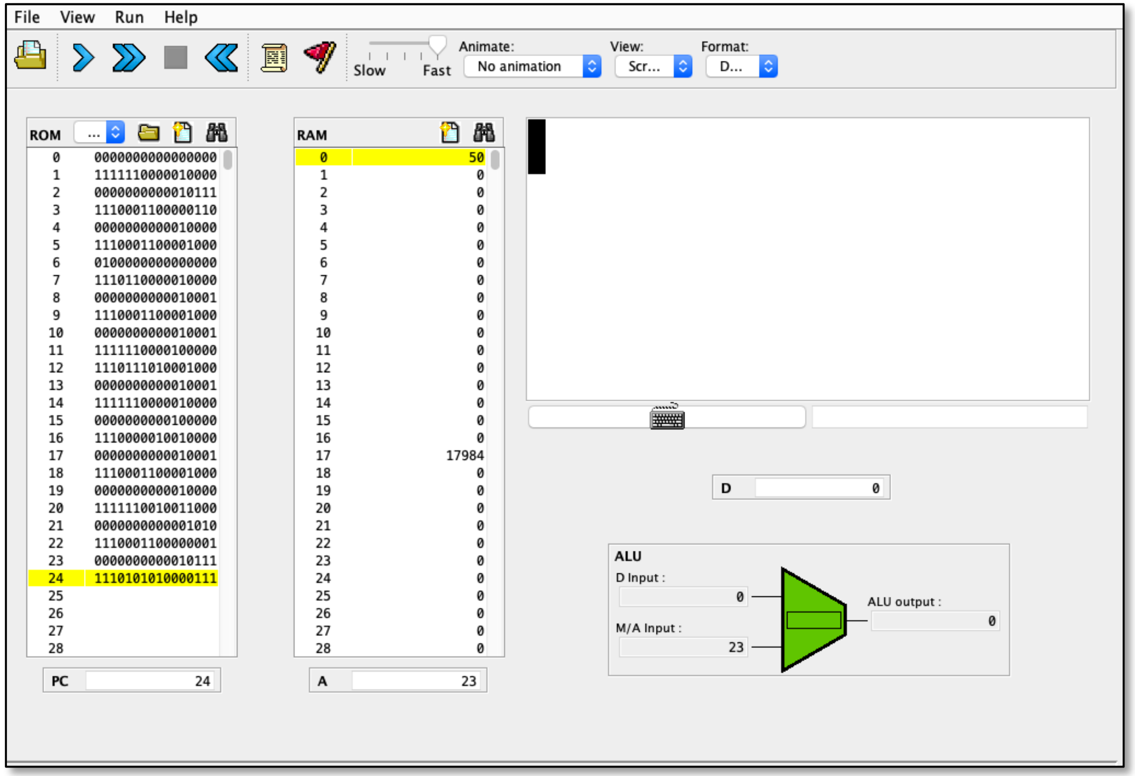
```
// Draws a rectangle,
// 16 pixels wide,
// R0 pixels high,
// at the screen's top-left.

   @R0
   D=M
   @n
   M=D
   @i
   M=0

   @SCREEN
   D=A
   @address
   M=D

(LOOP)
   @i
   D=M
   @n
   D=D-M
   @END
   D;JGT
   ...
```

Testing on the CPU emulator:

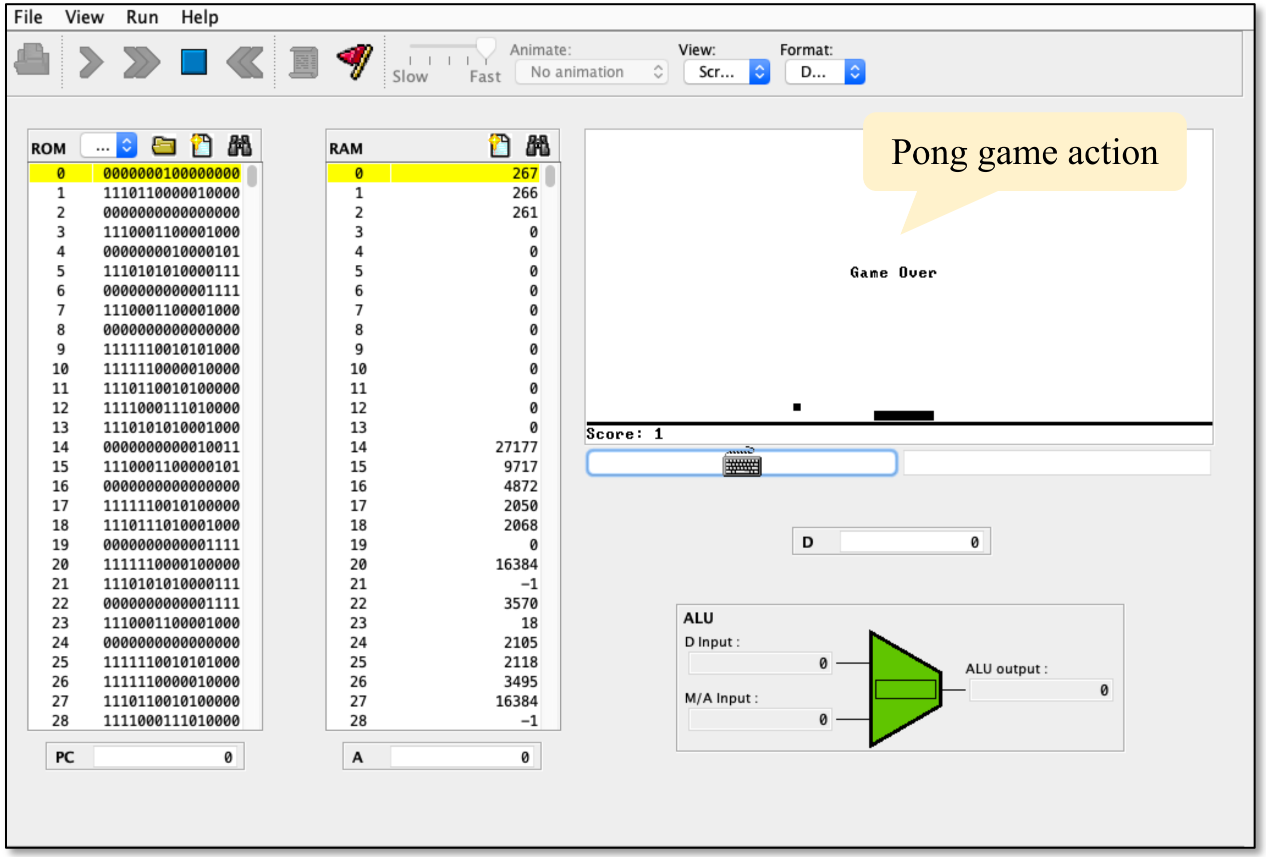


1. Translate `Rect.asm`
2. Load `Rect.hack`
3. Put a non-negative value in `R0`, run the code, inspect the screen.

Testing: Pong

Pong.asm

```
// Pong game
@256
D=A
@SP
M=D
@133
0;JMP
@R15
M=D
@SP
AM=M-1
D=M
A=A-1
D=M-D
M=0
@END_EQ
D;JNE
@SP
A=M-1
M=-1
(END_EQ)
@R15
A=M
...
```



Translate `Pong.asm`, load `Pong.hack`, and then play the game:

Select “no animation” from the Animate menu, set the speed slider to “fast”, and run the code. Move the paddle using the left- and right-arrow keys.

Testing: Pong

Pong.asm

```
// Pong game
@256
D=A
@SP
M=D
@133
0;JMP
@R15
M=D
@SP
AM=M-1
D=M
A=A-1
D=M-D
M=0
@END_EQ
D;JNE
@SP
A=M-1
M=-1
(END_EQ)
@R15
A=M
...
```

28,374 instructions

Background

The source Pong program was written in the high-level Jack language;

The computer's operating system is also written in Jack;

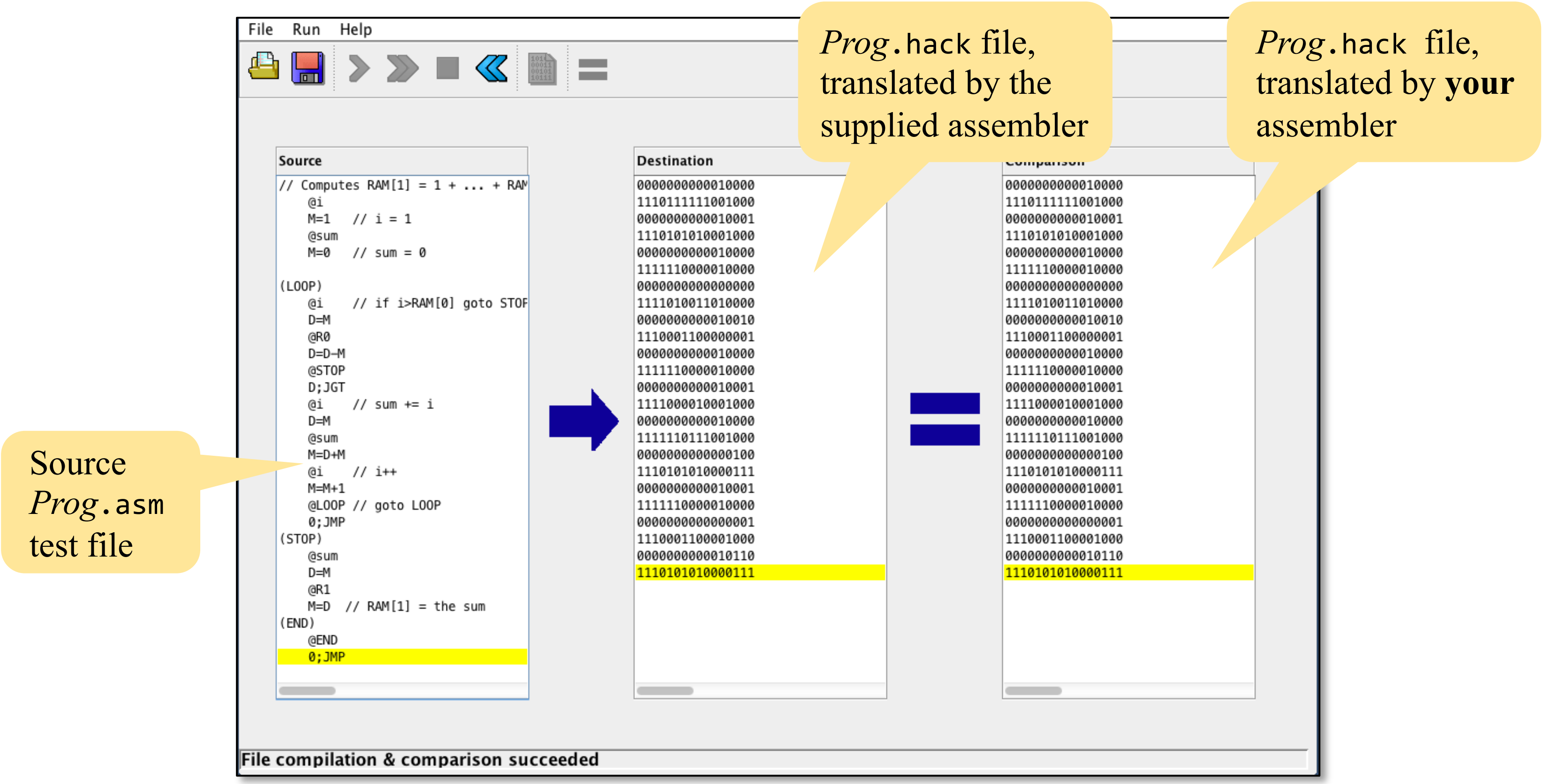
The Pong code + the OS code were compiled by the Jack compiler, creating a single file named Pong.asm;

This file contains many compiler-generated addresses and symbols.

Testing option II: Using the hardware simulator

1. Use your assembler to translate *Prog*`.asm`, generating the executable file *Prog*`.hack`
2. Put the *Prog*`.hack` file in a folder containing the chips that you developed in project 5: `Computer.hdl`, `CPU.hdl`, and `Memory.hdl`
3. Load `Computer.hdl` into the Hardware Simulator
4. Load *Prog*`.hack` into the `ROM32K` chip-part
5. Run the clock to execute the program.

Testing option III: Using the supplied assembler



1. Use your assembler to translate *Prog*`.asm`, generating the executable file *Prog*`.hack`
2. Load *Prog*`.asm` into the supplied assembler, and load *Prog*`.hack` as a compare file
3. Translate *Prog*`.hack`, and inspect the code comparison feedback messages.