

# Solutions

## Related Problem 1:

```
movl %eax, (%rsp)
movw (%rax), %dx
movb $0xFF, %bl
movb (%rsp,%rdx,4), %dl
movq (%rdx), %rax
movw %dx, (%rax)
```

## Related Problem 2:

- `movb $0xF, (%ebx)` // Cannot use %ebx as address register in x86-64 machine  
**Correct:** `movb $0xF, (%rbx)`
- `movl %rax, (%rsp)` // Mismatch between instruction suffix and register ID  
**Correct:** `movq %rax, (%rsp)`
- `movw (%rax), 4(%rsp)` // Cannot have both source and destination be memory references  
**Correct:** `movw (%rax), %dx` followed by `movw %dx, 4(%rsp)`
- `movb %al, %sl` // No register named %sl  
**Correct:** `movb %al, %sil`
- `movl %eax, $0x123` // Cannot have immediate as destination  
**Correct:** `movl $0x123, %eax`
- `movl %eax, %dx` // Destination operand incorrect size  
**Correct:** `movw %ax, %dx` or `movl %eax, %edx`
- `movb %si, 8(%rbp)` // Mismatch between instruction suffix and register ID  
**Correct:** `movb %sil, 8(%rbp)`

**Related Problem 3:** *Answer:* <https://godbolt.org/z/9G4696P6j>

**Related Problem 4:** *Answer:* <https://godbolt.org/z/ePox4Y7sv>

**Related Problem 5:** *Answer:* <https://godbolt.org/z/aq9h3G8h8>

**Related Problem 6:**

Operand	Value (not used LEA)	Value (used LEA)
%rax	0x100	Not valid syntax for lea
0x104	0xAB	Not valid syntax for lea
\$0x108	0x108	Not valid syntax for lea
(%rax)	0xFF	0x100
4(%rax)	0xAB	0x104
9(%rax,%rdx)	0x11	0x10C
260(%rcx,%rdx)	13	0x108
0xFC(,%rcx,4)	0xFF	0x100
(%rax,%rdx,4)	0x11	0x10C

**Related Problem 7:** *Answer:* <https://godbolt.org/z/rT5cYaY6z>

**Related Problem 8:** *Answer:* <https://godbolt.org/z/z5PdPPbez>

**Related Problem 9:**

<b>CF</b>	$(\text{unsigned}) (b + a) < (\text{unsigned}) a$	Unsigned overflow
<b>ZF</b>	$((b + a) == 0)$	Zero
<b>SF</b>	$((b + a) < 0)$	Negative
<b>OF</b>	$(a < 0 == b < 0) \ \&\& \ ((b + a) < 0 \neq a < 0)$	Signed overflow

*Answer:* <https://godbolt.org/z/f9f3M49hs>

**Related Problem 10:** *Answer:* <https://godbolt.org/z/ndrn6bqWY>

**Related Problem 11:** *Answer:* <https://godbolt.org/z/5s5ffGPz5>

**Related Problem 12:** *Answer:* <https://godbolt.org/z/TWezeEM6d>

**Related Problem 13:** *Answer:* <https://godbolt.org/z/q7c1e45Mb>

**Related Problem 14:**

As shown in Table 6 of the review document, in the bit representation, negative values are already greater than 6 and the maximum representable signed version of the same type. That is why the compiler interprets those bits as unsigned (from Lab 2, we know that bits are always the same; we just interpret them differently) so that it does not need an additional check. For example, 0b1000 is -8 as signed value. If I treat it as unsigned, it becomes 8 which is already greater than Maximum signed 4 bit value which is 7. Instead of having two if conditions, compilers just interpret them as unsigned.

**Related Problem 15:** *Answer:* <https://godbolt.org/z/3GWE8bvcs>

**Related Problem 16:**

The same reason explained in the **Related Problem 14**. `ja` interprets the values as unsigned to obviate the need for additional  $x < 0$  cases.

**Related Problem 17:** *Answer:* <https://godbolt.org/z/cnaGd5no3>

**Related Problem 18:** *Answer:* <https://godbolt.org/z/68b4fEc38>