## ArraysAndMIPS

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## 1 Compile the code into MIPS assembly

```
int i;
int array[1000];
for(i = 0; i < 100; i++)
    array[i] = array[i] * 8;
```

Assumptions:

- Assume that i corresponds to: \$s0 and the 100 value in the loop is stored in \$s2
- Assume that array base address corresponds to: \$s1

The execution will be as follows: array[i] gets loaded from the memory, then is multiplied by 8 and then it will be stored back to memory, so we need array[i] address, before we can add i to the base address of the array we have to multiply its value by 4 due to byte addressing of MIPS.

Then we will multiply the value by 8 (with shifting left 3 times), and we store back the value into the same address.

Assembly starts here:

```
and $s0, $s0, $zero
                        # int i = 0, and will make it zero 'cause it is anded with $zero
Loop:
    sll $t0, $s0, 2
                         # Temp reg t0 = i * 4
    add $t0, $t0, $s1
                         # $t0 = address of array[i]
    lw $t1, 0($t0)
                         # Temp reg $t1 = array[i]
    sll $t1, $t1, 3
                         # $t1 = $t1 * 8 (or * 2^3 so shift three times to left)
    sw $t1, 0($t0)
                         # array[i] <- array[i]</pre>
    addi $s0, $s0, 1
                         # i++
    beq $s0, $s2, Exit
                         # Loop will be terminated
    j Loop
                         # Loop is not terminated and we will start again
Exit:
    . . .
```