

Assignment Instructions:

1) The Factorial

The factorial of a non-negative integer n , denoted by $n!$, is the product of all positive integers less than or equal to n . Enclosed is a simplified version of the MIPS assembly language recursive implementation of the factorial function. Trace the factorial example carefully using QTSPIM

2) Recursive definition of multiplication

The function $rmult(a, b)$ for two positive integers $1 \leq a$, and $1 \leq b$, is defined as the following: $rmult(a, 1) = a$; $rmult(a, b) = a + rmult(a, b - 1)$

Write a recursive version of $rmult()$ in C or C++ and a pseudo C program (based on chapter 2 in the book) then use these programs to develop a MIPS program that gets as input two integers $0 < a \leq 255$, and $0 < b \leq 255$, and returns the result of $rmult(a, b)$ in $\$v1$.

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#   Functional Description: Main program to test Factorial function
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        .data
        .align      2

main:    .text
mloop:  addiu        $sp, $sp, -8        # Allocate space

        li          $v0, 4             # Get value for N

        sw          $v0, 0($sp)
        jal         Fac                # Call factorial
        or          $v1, $v0, $0        # Result in $v1
        addiu       $sp, 8             # De-allocate space

        li          $v0, 10
        syscall

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# Functional Description: Recursive Factorial Fac (N: in, N! :out)
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Fac:
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        lw          $a0, 0($sp)

        addiu       $sp, $sp, -16      # Allocate
        sw          $ra, 12($sp)       # Save return address
        sw          $a0, 8($sp)
        slti        $t0, $a0, 2        # If N is 1 or 0, then
                                           # return the value 1
        beqz        $t0, Go
        li          $v0, 1
        b           facret

Go:      addi        $a0, $a0, -1
        sw          $a0, 0($sp)        # Pass N-1 to factorial
        jal         Fac                # Recursive call
        lw          $v0, 4($sp)        # Get (N-1) ! back.
        lw          $ra, 12($sp)
        lw          $a0, 8($sp)
        mult        $v0, $a0           # N* (N-1) !
        mflo        $v0

facret:  addiu       $sp, $sp, 16      # De-allocate
        sw          $v0, 4($sp)
        jr          $ra

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