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Assembler project.

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## **Requirement specifications:**

- 1) The assembler is to execute by entering: assemble <source-file-name>.
- 2) The source file for the main program for this phase is to be named assemble.cpp.
- 3) The output of the assembler should include (at least):
  - i) Object-code file whose format is the same as the one described in the text book in section 2.1.1 and 2.3.5.
  - ii) A report at the end of pass2. Pass1 and Pass2 errors should be included as part of the assembler report, exhibiting both the erroneous lines of source code and the error.
- 4) The assembler should support:
  - i) EQU and ORG statements.
  - ii) Simple expression evaluation. A simple expression includes simple (A <op> B) operand arithmetic, where <op> is one of +, -, \*, / and no spaces surround the operation: A+B.

## Design:

- Ob.cpp Class is a class that holds the mnemonic, its format and its object code.
- Objectcodemap.cpp maps all the supported mnemonics to its object code and format.
- Class parser.cpp parses the input file lines and check for the syntax and the matching between mnemonics and operands.
- Class readfile.cpp reads the file input file and the instruction builder holds an instance of read file as well as write file class.
- Instruction.cpp is the class that holds all the components of the instruction line (label, mnemonic and operands).
- Pass1.cpp is class that passes over the instruction of the input and generates the symbol table, handle literals and directives.
- WriteFile.cpp is class that write the output file.
- Print.cpp is class that write the object file that contains text records.
- Pass2.cpp is the main class for pass2 that iterates the instructions and calculates the object code for every instruction.
- AddressTranslation.cpp class translates every instruction to the corresponding object code.

## **Main data structures:**

- Unordered map :
  1. An instance holds the object code and format for every mnemonic.
  2. An instance holds the symbol table.
  3. An instance holds the literals.
- Vector:
  1. An instance holds the instruction lines.
  2. An instance holds the text records.
  3. An instance holds the operations.

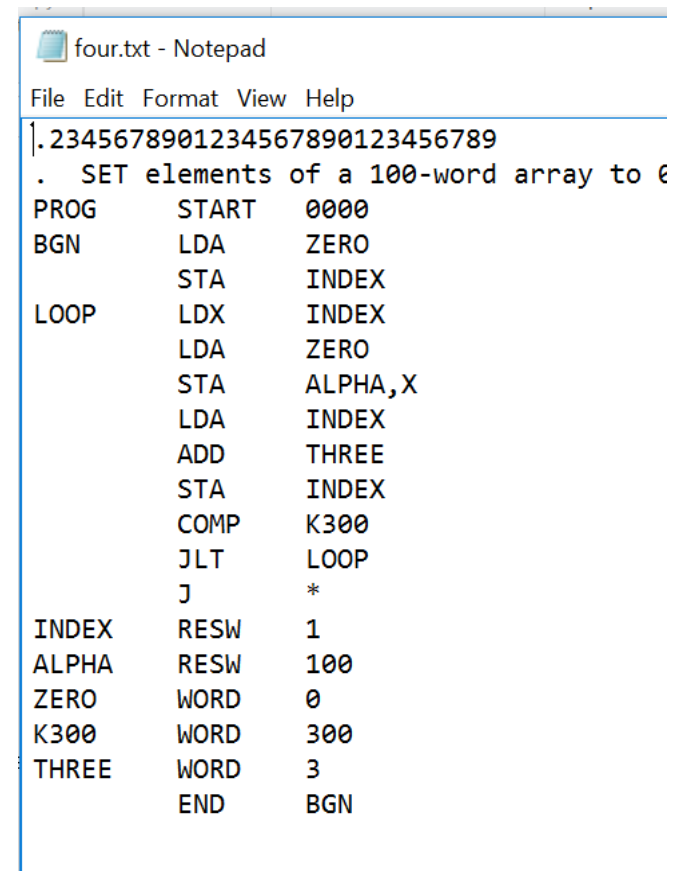
## **Algorithms description:**

- Most of the project is built on hashing as we pass data to the map and retrieves it from map in  $O(1)$ .
- Some algorithms of data conversions from type to type.
- The main algorithm of pass 1 is the for-loop that iterates the instruction lines and checks for all the syntax and if literal found it handles it as well as the expressions. it checks for the matching between mnemonics and operands.
- The main algorithm of pass 2 is the for-loop that iterates the instruction lines and calculates the object code for every instruction and generates text records.

## **Bonus Features:**

- The assembler supports general expressions in operand field.
- Literals are also supported.
- The assembler provides free-formatted statements.

## Sample runs:



The screenshot shows a Notepad window titled 'four.txt - Notepad'. The menu bar includes 'File', 'Edit', 'Format', 'View', and 'Help'. The text content is as follows:

```
.2345678901234567890123456789
.  SET elements of a 100-word array to 0
PROG      START    0000
BGN        LDA      ZERO
           STA      INDEX
LOOP       LDX      INDEX
           LDA      ZERO
           STA      ALPHA,X
           LDA      INDEX
           ADD      THREE
           STA      INDEX
           COMP     K300
           JLT      LOOP
           J         *
INDEX      RESW     1
ALPHA      RESW     100
ZERO       WORD     0
K300       WORD     300
THREE      WORD     3
           END      BGN
```

four.txt outputPhase2.txt - Notepad

File Edit Format View Help

&gt;&gt; S t a r t o f P a s s I I

&gt;&gt; A s s e m b l e d p r o g r a m l i s t i n g

LC Code Source Statement

```

000000                                .2345678901234567890123456789
000000                                . SET elements of a 100-word array to 0
000000                                prog      .start      0000
000000      03214D      bgn      .lda      zero
000003      0F201B                                .sta      index
000006      072018      loop     .ldx      index
000009      032144                                .lda      zero
00000c      0FA015                                .sta      alpha,x
00000f      03200F                                .lda      index
000012      1B2141                                .add      three
000015      0F2009                                .sta      index
000018      2B2138                                .comp     k300
00001b      3B2FE8                                .jlt      loop
00001e      3C2FFD                                .j         *
000021                                index     .resw      1
000024                                alpha     .resw      100
000150      000000      zero     .word      0
000153      00012C      k300     .word      300
000156      000003      three    .word      3
000159                                .end

```

&gt;&gt; s u c c e s s f u l a s s e m b l y


objectcode.txt - Notepad

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```

Hprog^000000^00002a
T000000^1E^03214D0F201B0720180321440FA01503200F1B21410F20092B21383B2FE8
T00001e^C^3C2FFD000000000012C000003
E000000

```

 three.txt - Notepad

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```
.2345678901234567890123456789
```

```
. Clear a 100-byte string to all blanks
```

```
PROG      START    0000
BGN        LDX      INDX
           LDA       #0
LOOP       LDCH     BLANK
           STCH     STR,X
           TIX      HUNDRED
           JLT     LOOP
           J        *
STR        RESB     100
BLANK      BYTE     C' '
INDX       WORD     0
HUNDRED    WORD     100
           END      BGN
```

three.txt outputPhase2.txt - Notepad

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```
>>  S t a r t   o f   P a s s   I I

>>  A s s e m b l e d   p r o g r a m   l i s t i n g

LC      Code      Source Statement

000000                                .2345678901234567890123456789
000000                                .  Clear a 100-byte string to all blanks
000000      prog      .start      0000
000000      072076    bgn          .ldx      indx
000003      010000          .lda      #0
000006      532070    loop        .ldch     blank
000009      57A009          .stch     str,x
00000c      2F206D          .tix      hundred
00000f      3B2FF4          .jlt      loop
000012      3C2FFD          .j        *
000015      str          .resb     100
000079      4595BA    blank       .byte    c''
000079      000000    indx        .word    0
00007c      000064    hundred     .word    100
00007f                                .end

>>  s u c c e s s f u l   a s s e m b l y
```

objectcode.txt - Notepad

File Edit Format View Help

```
Hprog^000000^00001b
T000000^1B^07207601000053207057A0092F206D3B2FF43C2FFD000000000064
E000000
```