

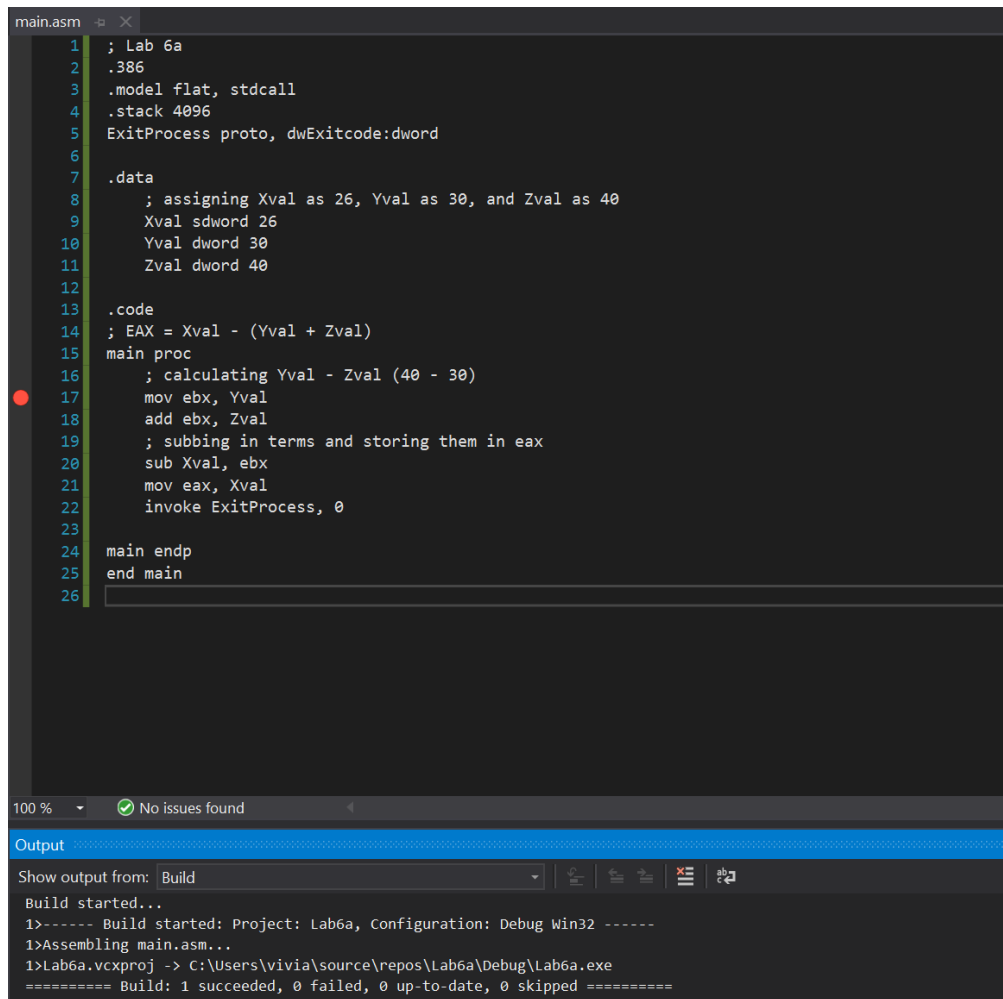
CSC 3210
Computer Organization and Programming
Lab 6
Answer Sheet

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Lab 6(a)

Debug through each line of instructions.
Take screenshot that includes code and register window.
Record the register content.
and explain the register contents. (4 points)

screenshot of code where build was successful:



The screenshot displays the Visual Studio IDE with the assembly file 'main.asm' open. The code defines a process named 'main' that calculates the difference between Yval and Zval. The assembly instructions are as follows:

```
1 ; Lab 6a
2 .386
3 .model flat, stdcall
4 .stack 4096
5 ExitProcess proto, dwExitcode:dword
6
7 .data
8     ; assigning Xval as 26, Yval as 30, and Zval as 40
9     Xval sdword 26
10    Yval dword 30
11    Zval dword 40
12
13 .code
14 ; EAX = Xval - (Yval + Zval)
15 main proc
16     ; calculating Yval - Zval (40 - 30)
17     mov ebx, Yval
18     add ebx, Zval
19     ; subbing in terms and storing them in eax
20     sub Xval, ebx
21     mov eax, Xval
22     invoke ExitProcess, 0
23
24 main endp
25 end main
26
```

Below the code editor, the 'Output' window shows the build results:

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Output
Show output from: Build
Build started...
1>----- Build started: Project: Lab6a, Configuration: Debug Win32 -----
1>Assembling main.asm...
1>Lab6a.vcxproj -> C:\Users\vivia\source\repos\Lab6a\Debug\Lab6a.exe
===== Build: 1 succeeded, 0 failed, 0 up-to-date, 0 skipped =====
```

Line number: 17

Instruction: `mov ebx, Yval`

Register Values: `EBX = 0000001E`

Screenshot:

```
Registers
EAX = 00CFFD40 EBX = 0000001E ECX = 00DE1005 EDX = 00DE1005 ESI = 00DE1005 EDI = 00DE1005 EIP = 00DE1016 ESP = 00CFFCE8 EBP = 00CFFCF4 EFL = 00000246

OV = 0 UP = 0 EI = 1 PL = 0 ZR = 1 AC = 0 PE = 1 CY = 0

0x00DE4008 = 00000028 |
```

Explanation: `EBX` register is 32-bit long with an unsigned integer variable. This register is updated by storing the `Yval`, or 30 (hex = 1E) with `mov ebx, Yval`.

Line number: 18

Instruction: `add ebx, Zval`

Register Values: `EBX = 00000046`

Screenshot:

```
Registers
EAX = 00CFFD40 EBX = 00000046 ECX = 00DE1005 EDX = 00DE1005 ESI = 00DE1005 EDI = 00DE1005 EIP = 00DE101C ESP = 00CFFCE8 EBP = 00CFFCF4 EFL = 00000212

OV = 0 UP = 0 EI = 1 PL = 0 ZR = 0 AC = 1 PE = 0 CY = 0

0x00DE4008 = 0000001A |
```

Explanation: Adding the current `EBX` (30/hex = 1E) with `Zval` (40/hex = 28). The sum of 1E and 28 is 46.

If $30 + 40 = 70$, then $1E + 28 = \underline{46}$

Line number: 20

Instruction: `sub Xval, ebx`

Register Values: `Xval = FFFFFFFD4`

Screenshot:

```
Registers
EAX = 00CFFD40 EBX = 00000046 ECX = 00DE1005 EDX = 00DE1005 ESI = 00DE1005 EDI = 00DE1005 EIP = 00DE1022 ESP = 00CFFCE8 EBP = 00CFFCF4 EFL = 00000287

OV = 0 UP = 0 EI = 1 PL = 1 ZR = 0 AC = 0 PE = 1 CY = 1

0x00DE4008 = FFFFFFFD4 |
```

Explanation: Subtracting the `Xval` (26/hex = 1A) with the value of the `EBX` (70/hex = 46). The difference between 1A and 46 is FFD4.

if $26 - 70 = -44$, then $1A - 46 = -2C$ or FFD4

Line number: 21

Instruction: `mov ebx, Yval`

Register Values: `EAX = FFFFFFFD4`

Screenshot:

```
Registers
EAX = FFFFFFFD4 EBX = 00000046 ECX = 00DE1005 EDX = 00DE1005 ESI = 00DE1005 EDI = 00DE1005 EIP = 00DE1027 ESP = 00CFFCE8 EBP = 00CFFCF4 EFL = 00000287

OV = 0 UP = 0 EI = 1 PL = 1 ZR = 0 AC = 0 PE = 1 CY = 1

|
```

Explanation: EAX register is 32-bit long with a signed integer variable. This register is updated by storing the difference of Xval and EBX.

Lab 6(b)

(1) What is the total size of the myWord array? (1 Point)

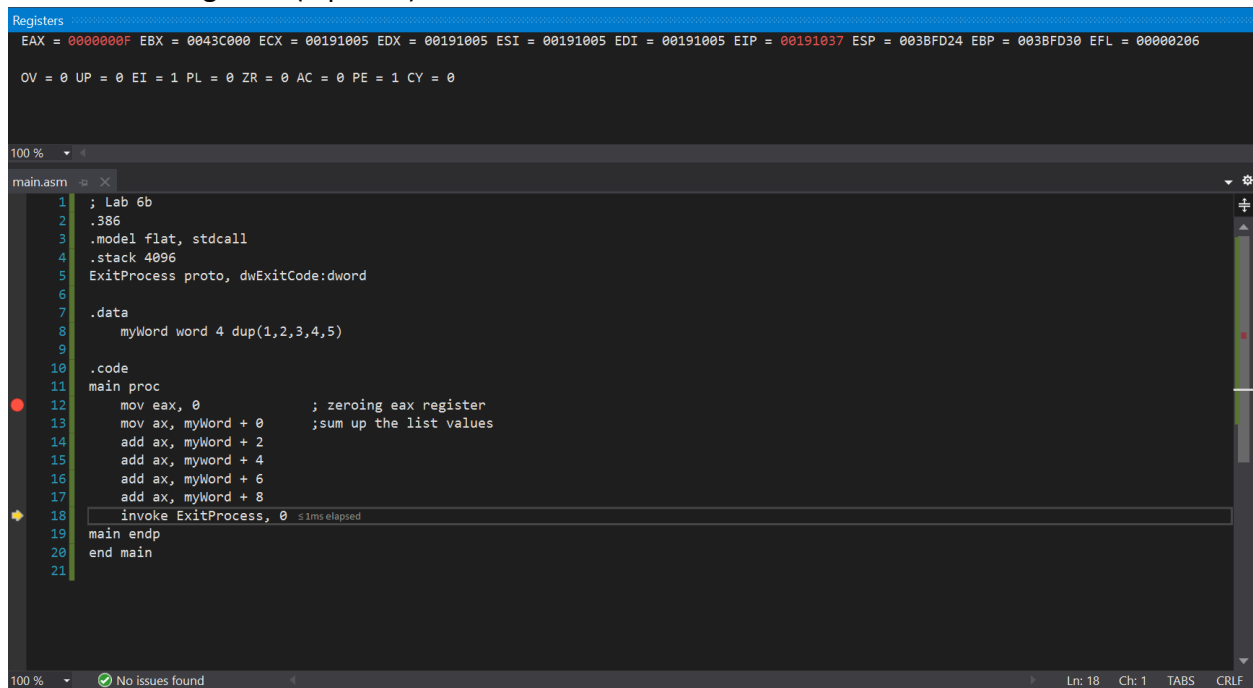
The total size of myWord array is 40 bytes

word = 2 bytes

$[1, 2, 3, 4, 5] = 2 * 5 = 10$

$4 * 10 = 40$

(2) Debug the code until the 'invoke ExitProcess, 0'. Attach screenshot showing the content of AX register. (2 points)



```
Registers
EAX = 0000000F EBX = 0043C000 ECX = 00191005 EDX = 00191005 ESI = 00191005 EDI = 00191005 EIP = 00191037 ESP = 003BFD24 EBP = 003BFD30 EFL = 00000206
OV = 0 UP = 0 EI = 1 PL = 0 ZR = 0 AC = 0 PE = 1 CY = 0

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main.asm
1 ; Lab 6b
2 .386
3 .model flat, stdcall
4 .stack 4096
5 ExitProcess proto, dwExitCode:dword
6
7 .data
8 myWord word 4 dup(1,2,3,4,5)
9
10 .code
11 main proc
12 mov eax, 0 ; zeroing eax register
13 mov ax, myWord + 0 ; sum up the list values
14 add ax, myWord + 2
15 add ax, myWord + 4
16 add ax, myWord + 6
17 add ax, myWord + 8
18 invoke ExitProcess, 0 51ms elapsed
19 main endp
20 end main
21
```

Lab 6(c):

(1) What is the difference between symbolic constant and variables? (1 point)

Symbolic constants are represented by a name, and after it is initialized, its value cannot be changed. Variables are constants that are only represented by a name.

(2) Debug the code until 'invoke ExitProcess, 0'. Attach the screenshot showing the content of al register. (2 points)

```
Registers
EAX = 00000000 EBX = 0076E000 ECX = 004B1005 EDX = 004B1005 ESI = 004B1005 EDI = 004B1005 EIP = 004B1017 ESP = 005BF870 EBP = 005BF87C EFL = 00000246
OV = 0 UP = 0 EI = 1 PL = 0 ZR = 1 AC = 0 PE = 1 CY = 0

100%
main.asm
1 ; Lab 6c
2 .386
3 .model flat, stdcall
4 .stack 4096
5 ExitProcess proto, dwExitCode:dword
6
7 .data
8   myString byte "This is a very long string made by your instructor to test how $ works in this lab hope you will like it"
9   myString_length = ($ - myString)
10
11 .code
12 main proc
13   mov eax, 0
14   mov al, myString_length
15   invoke ExitProcess, 0 51ms elapsed
16
17 main endp
18 end main
19
```

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