

C to MIPS (If Statements) Practice Exercises Part II

Students, it is extremely important (for the learning process) for you to try and solve these questions before viewing the answers.

- 1) Try to translate the following to MIPS code, where i maps to \$s0, and j maps to \$s1 (the solution is provided at the end of the document), with the additional constraint that you can only use beq (branch on equal)

```
if (i == j)
    i = i + 1;
j = j - 1;
```

- 2) Try to translate the following to MIPS code, where i maps to \$s0, and j maps to \$s1 (the solution is provided at the end of the document), with the additional constraint that you can only use beq (branch on equal)

```
if (i == j)
    i = i + 1;
else
    j = j - 1;
j = j + i;
```

- 3) Try to translate the following to MIPS code, where i maps to \$s0, and j maps to \$s1 (the solution is provided at the end of the document), with the additional constraint that you can only use beq (branch on equal)

```
if ((i == j) && (i == k))
    i = i + 1;
else
    j = j - 1;
j = i + k;
```

\\ && is the AND logical operator

Solution to Question 1 (i maps to \$s0, and j maps to \$s1):

C Code:

```
if (i == j)
    i = i + 1;
j = j - 1;
```

```
beq $s0, $s1, L1    # branch if ( i == j )
j L2
L1:
addi $s0, $s0, 1    # i = i + 1
L2
addi $s1, $s1, -1    # j = j - 1
```

Solution to Question 2 (i maps to \$s0, and j maps to \$s1):

C Code:

```
if (i == j)
    i = i + 1;
else
    j = j - 1;
j = j + i;
```

```
beq $s0, $s1, IF    # branch if ( i == j )
addi $s1, $s1, -1    # j = j - 1
j L1                 # jump over else
IF:
addi $s0, $s0, 1    # i = i + 1
L1:
add $s1, $s1, $s0    # j = j + i
```

Solution to Question 3 (i maps to \$s0, j maps to \$s1, and k maps to \$s2):

```
if ((i == j) && (i == k))          \\ && is the AND logical operator
    i = i + 1;
else
    j = j - 1;
j = i + k;
```



```
beq  $s0, $s1, IF1  # condition 1: branch if ( i == j )
j ELSE
IF1:
beq  $s0, $s2, IF2  # condition 2: branch if ( i == k )
j ELSE
IF2:
addi $s0, $s0, 1    # if-body: i = i + 1
j L1                # jump over else
ELSE:
addi $s1, $s1, -1   # else-body: j = j - 1
L1:
add  $s1, $s0, $s2  # j = i + k
```