COSS Assignment 6

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Problem:

A data analyst Ms. Simran is working on information collected by a mobile service provider MARiO on data usage on monthly basis since 2016. The information collected is in the form of Matrix (Y axis - Total data downloaded in GB vs X axis - Month of the year). She is tasked to present a cumulative (successive additions) figure of data downloaded for each month in a year for the last two years i.e., 2017 and 2018. Implement the above using CPU OS simulator based assembly language program.

Source code for the program: https://github.com/pamidipradeep/CossAssignment6

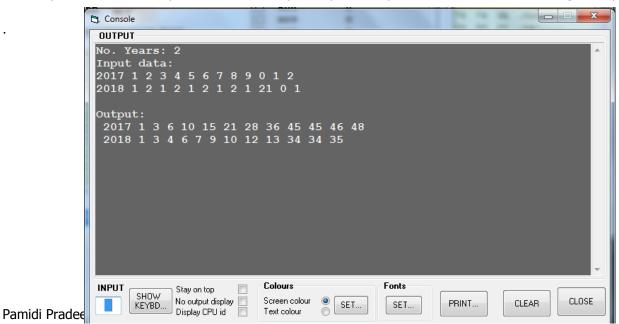
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Key highlights of the program:

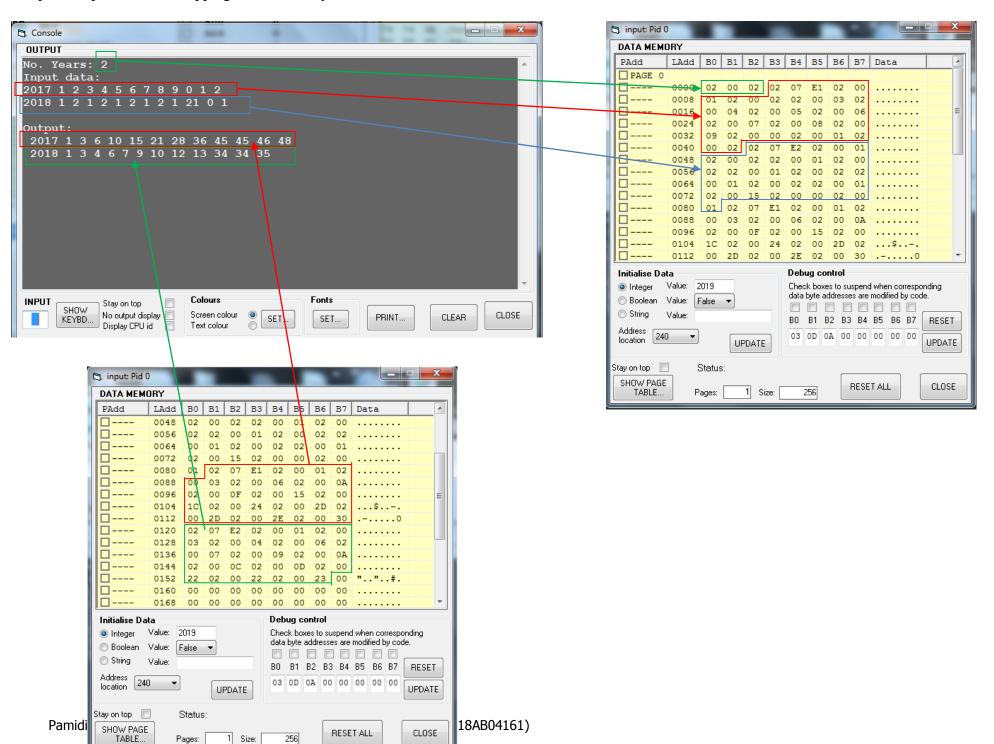
- 1. This program is designed to be flexible to work with any number of years of data.
- 2. This program accepts input from the keyboard in a user friendly manner.
- 3. This program outputs the data to the screen and saves the results to the memory too.
- 4. This program is **self-contained**. All the information, strings and I/O code are within the program itself and doesn't require any pre-memory data placement.

Note about input:

- 1. The values of the matrix of a row must be **space separated** (even the last element of the row will require a space after the value).
- 2. Enter key at the end of entering the row will take to the input of the next row.
- 3. First element of each row is the year for which the data is being entered.
- 4. To keep the focus on the core logic and to simplify the program, extensive validation like checking for special characters during input are not performed. So, please enter valid input and avoid backspace/alphabets/special-characters while entering the input.

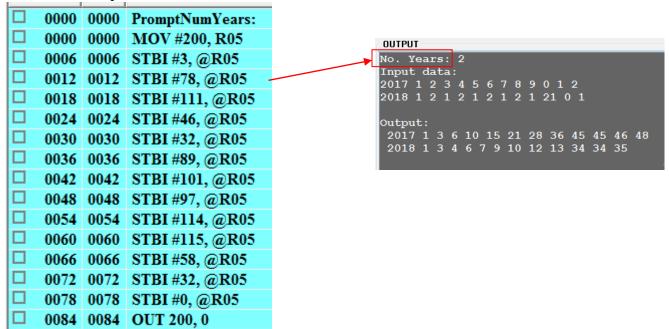


Input, Output and their mapping to the memory locations where the values are stored

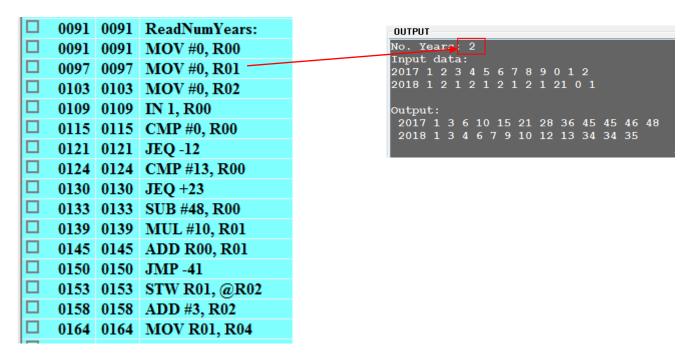


Program Segments and their brief description

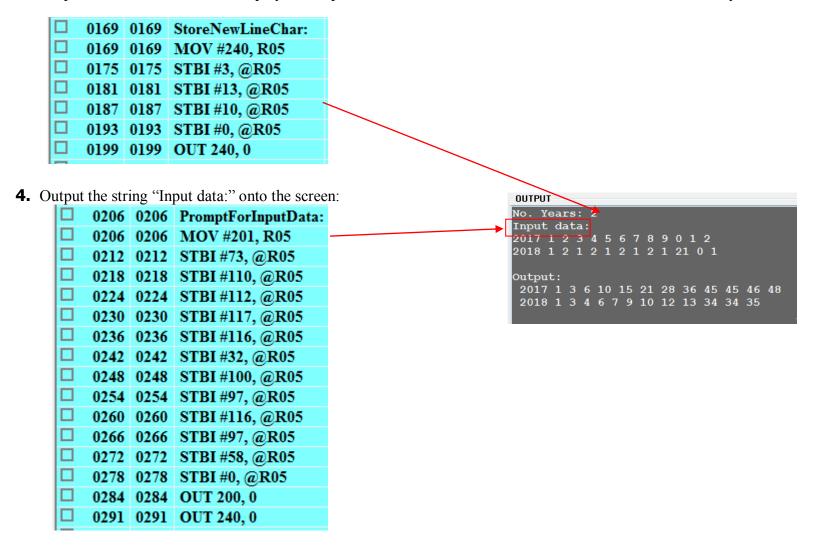
1. Display the message and prompt the user to enter number of years: ASCII values of the message are moved to a memory location and then sent out to the output interface.



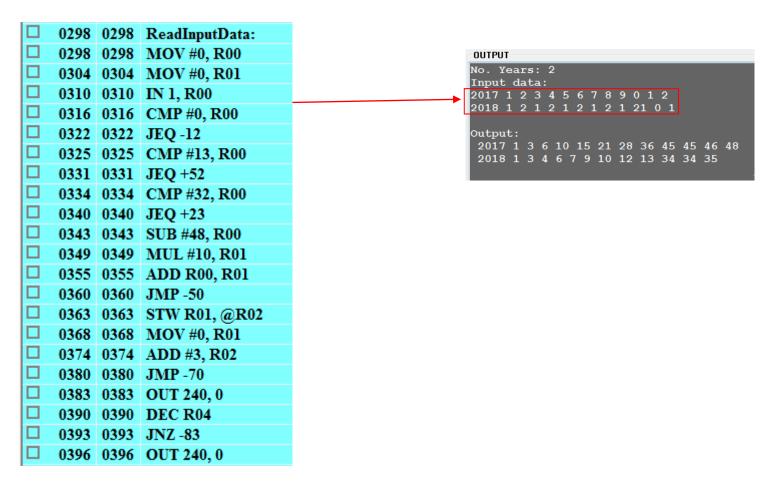
2. Accept the user input for the number of year for which the data is being collected. The program is flexible to handle multiple year's data. Keep listening to the keyboard interface until a key is pressed. Once pressed, get the numeric value from the ASCII value received. This program can accept large numbers too.



3. Output a new line character to display the output in a different line. Store the new line character in a memory location to reuse it later.

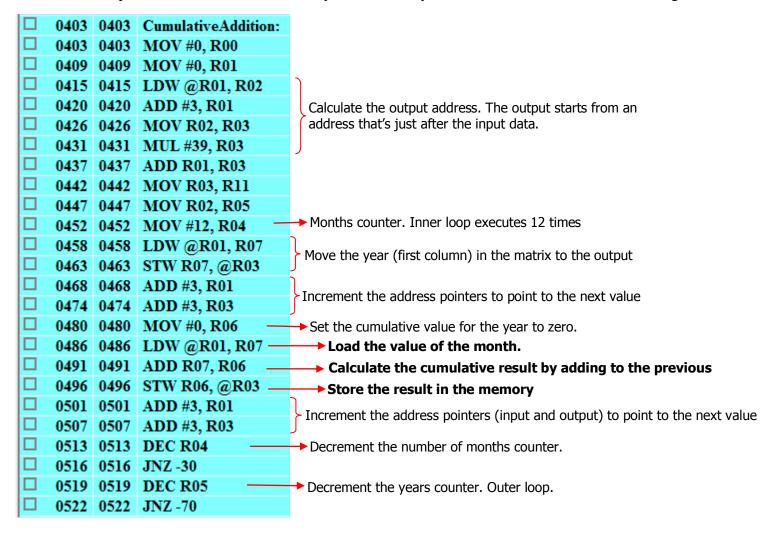


5. Accept use input. Read the keyboard and store the values entered in the memory. Each value is separated by a **space**. Enter key takes to the data of the next year.



6. The main Business Logic:

- 1. Address pointers are stored in registers R01 (input values memory location) and R03 (output address)
- 2. Data of each month is read into register R07
- 3. The value is added to the cumulative sum being maintained in R06.
- 4. The value in R6 is stored into output memory location (address maintained in R03).
- 5. Registers R03 and R01 and incremented to point to the next value.
- 6. The above 4 steps are repeated 12 times. This completes the cumulative calculation for one year. Months counter is tracked in R04.
- 7. The above 5 steps are related for the number of years entered by the user. Years counter is stored in register R5



7. Finally, **display the results** stored in the output memory location onto the screen. There are two loops: one for repeating the months (x-axis) and another for the number of years (y-axis).

