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Practice Question

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1) Write a program in MIPS that contains a procedure which takes one argument - an integer greater than or equal to zero which specifies which element of the Fibonacci sequence is to be returned. The procedure must be recursive and return the correct Fibonacci value. Your final Fibonacci value should be stored in the register \$11.

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Code: (done factorial)
# Here is a recursive implementation of factorial, first in C, then in assembly:
# int factorial (int n){
    if (n < 2) return 1;
    return (n * factorial (n-1)); /* n! = n * (n-1)! */
# }
.text
.globl main
factorial:
  bgtz $a0, doit
  li $v0, 1
                # base case, 0! = 1
  jr $ra
doit:
  sub $sp,8
                   # stack frame
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sw \$s0,0(\$sp) # will use for argument n

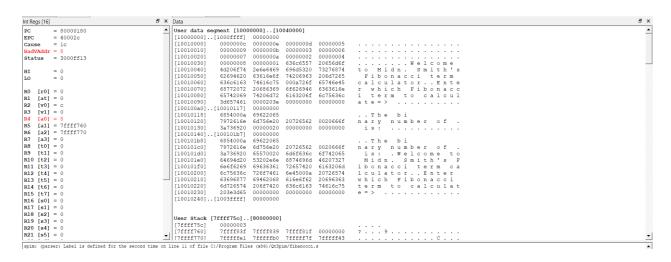
return address

save argument

sw \$ra,4(\$sp)

move \$s0, \$a0

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sub $a0, 1
                   # n-1
  ial factorial
                  # v0 = (n-1)!
  mul $v0,$s0,$v0
                      #
                           n*(n-1)!
  lw $s0,($sp)
                    # restore registers from stack
  lw $ra,4($sp)
  add $sp,8
  jr $ra
main:
  li $a0, 7
                  # set the argument for the factorial function to 7
                   # create the stack frame
  sub $sp, 4
  sw $ra,0($sp)
                     # save the return address
  jal factorial
                  # call factorial
  move $t1, $v0
                     # save the return value
  lw $ra,0($sp)
                    # restore the original return address
  add $sp,4
  jr $ra
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2) Write a MIPS program that given a number N and N integers can print the integers in a sorted order using Bubble Sort. Bubble Sort algorithm involves swapping of two numbers. Write a procedure for swapping two numbers separately and use it in the sort function.

Code:

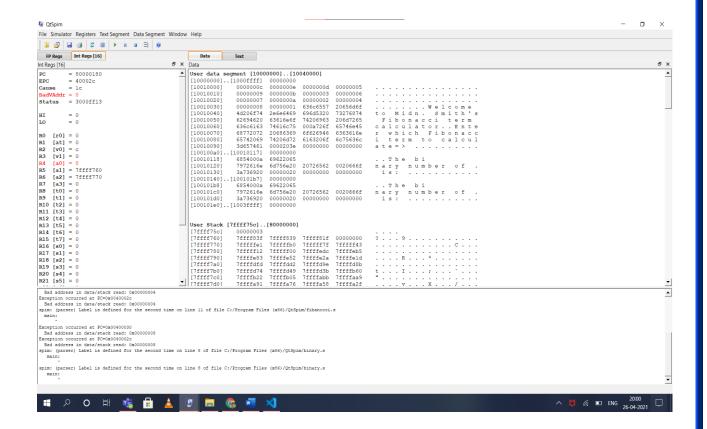
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blt $t1, $t0, swap
addi $a0, $a0, 4
j loop
swap: sw $t0, 4($a0)
sw $t1, 0($a0)
li $a0, 0
j loop
.data

Array: .word 14, 12, 13, 5, 9, 11, 3, 6, 7, 10, 2, 4, 8, 1
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3) Write a MIPS program to convert a user given integer to a binary number. Consider both the positive and negative integers. In case of a negative integer, the output has to be in 2's complement form. Print the binary number as a string.

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Code:
.data
       myArray: .word 0:32
       newLine: .asciiz "\n"
       message: .asciiz "The binary number of "
       m_is: .asciiz " is: "
.text
       .globl main
       main:
       li $t1, 10 # Decimal
       li $t4, 4
       li $v0, 4
       la $a0, message
       syscall
       li $v0, 1
       add $a0, $t1, $zero
       syscall
       li $v0, 4
       la $a0, m_is
       syscall
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# Index = $t0
li $t0, 0
li $t2, 2
while:
       blez $t1, sub_print
       divu $t1, $t2
       mfhi $a0
       mflo $t1
       sw $a0, myArray($t0)
       add $t0, $t0, $t4
       j while
sub_print:
       sub $t0, $t0, $t4
       j print_arr
print_arr:
       bltz $t0, exit
       lw $t6, myArray($t0)
       sub $t0, $t0, $t4
       li $v0, 1
       move $a0, $t6
       syscall
       j print_arr
exit:
       li $v0, 10
       syscall
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Practice problems:

.text

<u>1.</u>

A demonstration of some simple MIPS instructions # used to test QtSPIM

Declare main as a global function .globl main

All program code is placed after the # .text assembler directive

The label 'main' represents the starting point main:

li \$t2, 25 # Load immediate value (25)
lw \$t3, value # Load the word stored in value (see bottom)
add \$t4, \$t2, \$t3 # Add
sub \$t5, \$t2, \$t3 # Subtract
sw \$t5, Z #Store the answer in Z (declared at the bottom)

Exit the program by means of a syscall.

There are many syscalls - pick the desired one

by placing its code in \$v0. The code for exit is "10"

li v0, 10 # Sets v0 to "10" to select exit syscall syscall # Exit

All memory structures are placed after the # .data assembler directive .data

The .word assembler directive reserves space # in memory for a single 4-byte word (or multiple 4-byte words) # and assigns that memory location an initial value # (or a comma separated list of initial values)

value: .word 12

Z: .word 0