

Introduction to Computer Systems 2011

First Midterm Examination

Name _____ Student No. _____ Score _____

Problem 1: (20 points)

1. Consider the following C program

```
short sy = -4;
unsigned short usy = sy
int y = sy;
int x = -30;
unsigned int ux = x;
```

Assume we are running code on a 6-bit machine using two's complement arithmetic for signed integers. Assume also that right shifts of signed values are performed arithmetically. A "short" integer is encoded using 3 bits. Fill in the empty boxes in the table below. The following definitions are used in the table: ($2' * 8$)

Expression	Binary Representation
-9	[1]
ux	[2]
y	[3]
usy	[4]
(x >> 2) << 1	[5]
x + y	[6]
x & !y	[7]
UMax	[8]
TMax	[9]
-TMin	[10]

Problem 2: (24points)

Implement the following 2 functions and make their functionalities be the same with the description. **The coding rules are also same as Lab1.**

(If you think there is nothing to do, just fill the blank with '--')

1. **absValue** (10' + 2')

```
/* [absValue]
 * - Calculate the absolute value of x
 *
 * Example: absValue(5) = 5, absValue(-29) = 29
 * Legal ops: ~ & ^ | - << >>
 */

int absValue (int x) {
    /* Please fill your code in the answer paper */

    return ret;
}
```

2. **swapBits** (2' * 6)

```
/* [swapBits]
 * - Do swap operation on input x:
 *   Swap n bits started from position i with n bits started
 *   from position j
 * Explain for i and j:
 *   i=1 means the second bit from the right;
 *   j=5 means the sixth bit from the right
 *
 * Examples: swapBits(0x2F,1,5,3) = 0xE3,
 * Legal ops: ~ & ^ | - << >>
 */

int swapBits (int x, int i, int j, int n) {
    int mask= (1 << __[1]__ ) - 1;
    int xorTemp = ((x >> __[2]__) ^ (x >> __[3]__)) & __[4]__;
    return x __[5]__ ((xorTemp << i) __[6]__ (xorTemp << j));
}
```

Problem 3: (12points)

Suppose a 32-bit little endian machine has the following memory and register status. Fill in the blanks using **4** byte size and **hex**.

Each operation take effect on the status of memory and register
(1' * 12 = 12')

Memory status:

Address	Value
0x100	0xffffffff
0x104	0x87654321
0x108	0x00000001
0x10c	0x00000002
0x110	0x22347688
0x114	0x12345678

Register status:

Register	Value
%eax	0x87654421
%ebx	0x00000104
%ecx	0x00000002
%edx	0x00000008

Fill in the blanks

Operation	Destination	Value
subl (%ebx), %eax	%eax	0x100
incl 4(%eax)	[1]	[2]
decl %ecx	[3]	[4]
imull \$4, 0x100(%edx, %ecx, 4)	[5]	[6]
notl (%eax, %edx)	[7]	[8]
andl (%eax, %ecx, 8), %eax	[9]	[10]
leal 9(%eax, %ecx, 2), %edx	[11]	[12]

Problem 4: (26points)

Suppose the following C code and assembly code are executed on a 32-bit **little endian** machine.

C code:

```
int mystery(int i) {
    if ( i != 0 )
        return i + mystery(i-1);
    return i;
}

int main(void) {
    return mystery(10);
}
```

Assembly code:

```
08048324 <mystery>:
Line1 8048324: 55          push    %ebp
Line2      : 89 e5      mov     %esp,%ebp
Line3      : 83 ec 08     sub     $0x8,%esp
Line4 ____[1]__: 83 7d 08 00 00  cmpl    0x0,0x8(%ebp)
Line5      : 74 18       je      8048348 <mystery+0x24>
Line6      : 8b 45 08     mov     0x8(%ebp), %eax
Line7      : 83 e8 01     sub     $0x1, %eax
Line8      : 89 04 24     mov     %eax, ____[2]__
Line9      : e8 e6 ff ff ff  call    8048324 <mystery>
Line10     : 8b 55 08     mov     0x8(%ebp), %edx
Line11     : 01 2c       add     ____[3]__, %edx
Line12     : 89 55 fc     mov     %edx, 0xffffffff(%ebp)
Line13     : eb 06       jmp     804834e <mystery+0x2a>
Line14 8048348: 8b 45 08     mov     0x8(%ebp), %eax
Line15     : 89 45 fc     mov     %eax, 0xffffffff(%ebp)
Line16 804834e: 8b 45 fc     mov     ____[4]__, %eax
Line17     : c9          leave   %eax
Line18     : c3          ret
```

```
08048353 <main>:
Line19     : 8d 4c 24 04  lea     0x4(%esp), %ecx
Line20     : 83 e4 f0     and     $0xffffffff0,%esp
Line21     : ff 71 fc     pushl   $0xffffffff(%ecx)
Line22     : 55          push    %ebp
Line23     : 89 e5      mov     %esp,%ebp
```

Line24	: 51	pub	%ecx
Line25	: 83 ec 04	sub	\$0x4, %esp
Line26	: c7 04 24 0a 00 00 00	mov	__[5]__, (%esp)
Line27	: e8 b4 ff ff ff	call	8048324 <mystery>
Line28	: 83 c4 04	add	\$0x4, %esp
Line29	: 59	pop	%ecx
Line30	: 5d	pop	%ebp
Line31	: 8d 61 fc	lea	0xffffffffc(%ecx), %esp
Line32	: c3	ret	

1. Please fill in the blanks within assembly code (**Note:** the blanks [1] and is the start address of the instructions). (2'*5 = 10')
2. Suppose the value of **%ebp** is **0xbf8ce638** and the value of **%esp** is **0xbf8ce5cc** before the instruction **Line22** executed, then please answer the following questions: (13')
 - 1) What are the value of **%ebp** and **%esp** after the instruction **Line3** executed? (2'*2)
 - 2) What's the meaning of instruction **Line8**, **Line11** and **Line16**? (3'*3)
3. Explain where is the return value for main function? (3')

Problem 5: (18points)

Suppose the following C code and assembly code are executed on a 32-bit **little endian** machine. Read the code and answer the following question:

C code:

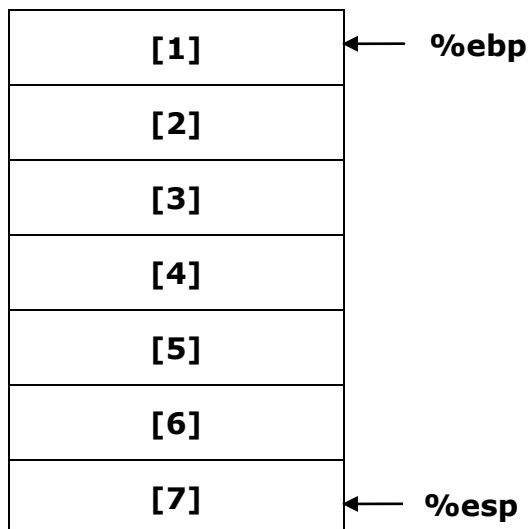
```
int byte_abs(int * a, int b) {
    char* ptr = (char*)a;
    while(b > 0){
        int temp = (int)(*ptr);
        if(temp < 0)
            ptr[0] = (char)(-temp);
        ptr += 4;
        b --;
    }
}

int main(void) {
    int data[2] = {0x12345678, 0x9ABCDEF};
    int flag = 0x457823AB;
    byte_abs(data, 3);
    return 0;
}
```

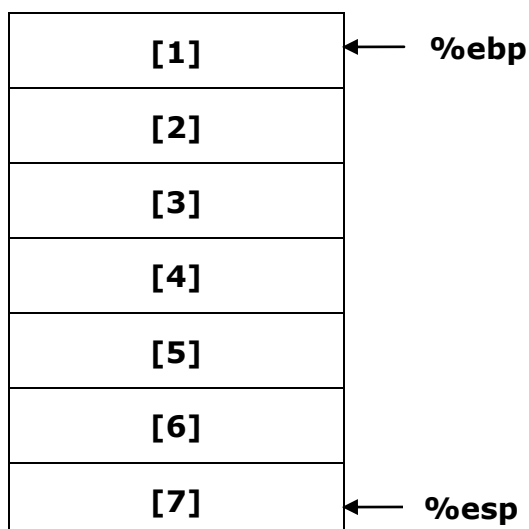
Assembly Code:

```
main:
8048390:      8d 4c 24 04          leal    4(%esp), %ecx
8048394:      83 e4 f0            andl    $ffffff0, %esp
8048397:      ff 71 fc            pushl   -0x4(%ecx)
804839a:      55                  pushl   %ebp
804839b:      89 e5                movl    %esp, %ebp
804839d:      51                  pushl   %ecx
804839e:      83 ec 14            subl    $0x14, %esp
80483a1:      c7 45 f0 78 56 34 12  movl    $0x12345678, -0x10(%ebp)
80483a8:      c7 45 ____ [1] ____  movl    $0x9ABCDEF, -0xc(%ebp)
80483bf:      c7 45 ____ [2] ____  movl    $0x457823AB, -0x8(%ebp)
80483b6:      c7 44 24 04 03 00 00  movl    $0x3, 0x4(%esp)
80483bd:      00
80483be:      8d 45 f0            leal    -0x10(%ebp), %eax
80483c1:      89 04 24            movl    %eax, (%esp)
80483c4:      e8 8b ff ff ff      call    <byte_abs>
80483c9:      83 c4 14            addl    $0x14, %esp
80483cc:      59                  popl    %ecx
80483cd:      5d                  popl    %ebp
80483ce:      8d 61 fc            leal    -0x4(%ecx), %esp
80483d1:      c3                  ret
```

1. Please fill the blanks in the assembly code with the correct **byte ordering**. (2*2=4')
2. Suppose the %ebp is **0xbfb88bbc** before executing the instruction at **0x804839b** ("movl %esp, %ebp"). Please draw a diagram to show the memory value between **%ebp** and **%esp** **_BEFORE_** executing the instruction at **0x80483c4** ("call byte_abs"). If the value can't be determined, fill '--' instead. (1*7=7')



3. We have the same assumption as question 2. Please draw a diagram to show the memory value between **%ebp** and **%esp** **_AFTER_** executing the instruction at **0x80483cb** ("call byte_abs"). If the value can't be determined, fill '--' instead. (1*7=7')



Solution

Problem 1: (20 points)

[1]	[2]
[3]	[4]
[5]	[6]
[7]	[8]
[9]	[10]

Problem 1: (24 points)

1

2	[1]	[2]	[3]
	[4]	[5]	[6]

Problem 3: (12 points)

[1]	[2]	[3]
[4]	[5]	[6]
[7]	[8]	[9]
[10]	[11]	[12]

Problem 4: (26 points)

1	[1]	[2]	[3]
	[4]	[5]	

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Problem 5: (16 points)

```
1  [1]
   [2]
```

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2  [1]
   [2]
   [3]
   [4]
   [5]
   [6]
   [7]
```

```
3  [1]
   [2]
   [3]
   [4]
   [5]
   [6]
   [7]
```