# COAL Lab-03

**Introduction to Assembly Language & Venus Simulator** 

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# **Literature Review:**

### **Assembly Language:**

Assembly Language is closer to low level language which is machine language or Machine. It is human readable representation of computer's native language. It is a command based language and each assembly language instruction specifies both the operation to perform and the operands on which to operate. We introduce simple arithmetic instructions and show how these operations are written in assembly language. We then define the RISC-V instruction operands: registers, memory, and constants.

### **Venus Simulator:**

Venus is an emulator for RISC-V computers. It allows users to run programs written in RISC-V assembly language without having access to a computer running a RISC-V chip.

### **Registers:**

Instructions need to access operands quickly so that they can run fast, but operands stored in memory take a long time to retrieve. Therefore, most architecture specifies a small number of registers that hold commonly used operands. The RISC-V architecture has 32 registers, called the register set, stored in a small multi ported memory called a register file. The fewer the registers, the faster they can be accessed.

### **Machine Code:**

Assembly language is convenient for humans to read. However, digital circuits understand only 1's and 0's. Therefore, a program written in assembly language is translated from mnemonics to a representation using only 1's and 0's, called machine language. RISC-V makes the compromise of defining four main instruction formats: R-type, I-type, S/B-type, and U/J-type.

# **Lab Exercise 1:**

### Task:

Translate the Given High Level Code to Assembly Language

| High - Level Code      | RISC-V Assembly Code |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| a = b - c;             | sub s0, s1, s2       |
|                        |                      |
|                        |                      |
| f = (g + h) - (i + j); | add t0, s3, s4       |
|                        | add t1, s5, s6       |
|                        | sub s7, t0, t1       |

# **Lab Exercise 2:**

### Task:

Convert the following RISC-V Assembly code into Machine Code

add x9, x5, x6 andi x10, x8, 0x6 or x5, x6, x7 slli x10, x6, 0x8

# **Solution:**

#### add x9, x5, x6

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0110 0010 1000 0100 1011 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 006284B3

#### andi x10, x8, 0x6

| 00000000110 | 01000 | 111 | 01010 | 0010011 |
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|

Hexadecimal Code: 00647513

#### or x5, x6, x7

| 0000000 | 00111 | 00110 | 110 | 00101 | 0110011 |
|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0111 0011 0110 0010 1011 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 007362B3

slli x10, x6, 0x8

| 00000001000 | 00110 | 001 | 01010 | 0010011 |
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|             |       |     |       |         |

Hexadecimal Code: 00831513



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# **In-Lab Task:**

### Task:

1. Convert the Given High Level Code on RISC-V Assembly and run it on Venus Simulator. Also write down its Machine Code

a)

| High - Level Code | RISC-V Assembly Code |
|-------------------|----------------------|
| a = a + 4;        | addi x5, x5, 0x4     |
| b = a - 12;       | addi x6, x5, -12     |

#### addi x5, x5, 0x4

| 00000000100 | 00101 | 000 | 00101 | 0010011 |
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|             |       |     |       |         |

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0100 0010 1000 0010 1001 1001

Hexadecimal Code: 00428293

#### addi x6, x5, -12

| 111111110100 | 00101 | 000 | 00110 | 0010011 |
|--------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 1111 1111 0100 0010 1000 0011 0001 0011

Hexadecimal Code: FF428313



b)

| High - Level Code | RISC-V Assembly Code |
|-------------------|----------------------|
| If (g < h)        | j main               |
| g = g + 1         | Label:               |
| else              | addi x5, x5, 0x1     |
| h = h - 1         | main:                |
|                   | blt x5, x6, Label    |
|                   | addi x6, x6, -1      |

blt x5, x6, Label

| 1111111 | 00110 | 00101 | 100 | 11101 | 1100011 |
|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 1111 1110 0110 0010 1100 1110 1110 0011

Hexadecimal Code: FE62CEE3

#### addi x5, x5, 0x1

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0001 0010 1000 0010 1001 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 00128293

#### addi x6, x6, -1

| 11111111111 00110 000 00110 0010011 |
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|-------------------------------------|

Machine Code: 1111 1111 1111 0011 0000 0011 0001 0011

Hexadecimal Code: FFF30313



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# **Post-Lab Tasks**

### Task # 1:

Write down a simple C program to add, multiply and divide two integer numbers. Convert the C code into assembly and machine code and stimulate it on Venus.

#### C Code:

```
int main()
{
   int a = 4;
   int b = 2;

   int add = a + b;

   int mul = a * b;

   int div = a / b;

   printf("Add: %d\n", add);
   printf("Mul: %d\n", mul);
   printf("Div: %d\n", div);

   return 0;
}
```

### **RISC-V Assembley Code:**

```
addi x5, x0, 0x4
addi x6, x0, 0x2
add x7, x5, x6
mul x28, x5, x6
div x29, x5, x6
```

#### addi x5, x0, 0x4

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0100 0000 0000 0010 1001 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 00400293

#### addi x6, x0, 0x2

| 00000000010 | 00000 | 000 | 00110 | 0010011 |
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|             |       |     |       |         |

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0010 0000 0000 0011 0001 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 00200313

#### add x7, x5, x6

| 0000000 | 00110 00101 | 000 | 00111 | 0110011 |
|---------|-------------|-----|-------|---------|
|---------|-------------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0110 0010 1000 0011 1011 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 006283B3

#### mul x28, x5,x6

| 0000001 00110 00101 000 111100 0110011 |  | 0000001 | 00110 | 00101 | 000 | 11100 | 0110011 |
|--|--|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|--|--|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 0000 0010 0110 0010 1000 1110 0011 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 02628E33

#### div x29, x5,x6

| 0000001 | 00110 | 00101 | 100 | 11101 | 0110011 |
|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
| 0000001 | 00110 | 00101 | 100 | 11101 | 0110011 |

Machine Code: 0000 0010 0110 0010 1100 1110 1011 0011

<u>Hexadecimal Code</u>: 0262CEB3



#### Addition

t2 (x7) 0x00000006

### Multiplication

t3 0x00000008 (x28)

#### Division

t4 0x00000002 (x29)

#### Task # 2:

Write down a simple C program to find out the prime numbers between 1-10 and give the final count of prime numbers. Convert the C code into assembly and machine code and stimulate it on Venus.

#### C Code:

```
int main()
{
    int c = 0;
    int flag;
    for (int i = 2; i < 11; i++) {
        flag = 1;
        for (int j = 2; j <= (i / 2); j++) {
            if ((i % j) == 0) {
                flag = 0;
            }
        }
        if (flag) {
            c++;
        }
    }
    printf("Prime numbers are %d times from 1 to 10", c);
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

## **RISC-V Assembly Code:**

```
addi x30, x0, 0 # c = 0
addi x31, x0, 0 # flag = 0;

addi x5, x0, 0x2 # i=2
addi x6, x0, 0xa # condition 10
outer_loop_start:
bge x5, x6, outer_loop_end # if (i >= 10)
addi x31, x0, 0x1 # flag = 1
   addi x7, x0, 0x2 # j=2
   div x9, x5, x7 # i/2
   inner_loop_start:
        bgt x7, x9, inner_loop_end # if(j <= (i/2))
        rem x28, x5, x7</pre>
```

#### addi x30, x0, 0

| 00000000000 | 00000 | 000 | 11110 | 0010011 |
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|             |       |     |       |         |

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0000 0000 0000 1111 0001 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 00000F13

#### addi x31, x0, 0

| 00000000000 | 00000 | 000 | 11111 | 0010011 |
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0000 0000 1111 1001 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 00000F93

#### addi x5, x0, 0x2

| 00000000010 | 00000 | 000 | 00101 | 0010011 |
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0010 0000 0000 0010 1001 0011

<u>Hexadecimal Code</u>: 0020293

addi x6, x0, 0xA

| 00000001010 | 00000 | 000 | 00110 | 0010011 |
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 0000 0000 1010 0000 0000 0011 0001 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 00A00313

#### bge x5, x6, outer\_loop\_end

| 0000001 00110 | 00101 | 101 | 11100 | 1100011 |
|---------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|---------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 0000 0010 0110 0010 1101 1110 0110 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 0262DE63

#### addi x30, x0, 0

| 00000000001 | 00000 | 000 | 11111 | 0010011 |
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0001 0000 0000 1111 1001 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 00100F93

#### addi x30, x0, 0

| 00000000010 | 00000 | 000 | 00111 | 0010011 |
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|             |       |     |       |         |

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0010 0000 0000 0011 1001 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 00200393

#### div x9, x5, x7

| 0000001 | 00111 | 00101 | 100 | 01001 | 0110011 |
|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 0000 0010 0111 0010 1100 0100 1011 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 00272C4B3

#### bgt x7, x9, inner\_loop\_end

| 0000000 | 00111 | 01001 | 100 | 11000 | 1100011 |
|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
| 0000000 | 00111 | 01001 | 100 | 11000 | 1100011 |

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0111 0100 1100 1100 0110 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 0074CC63

#### rem x28, x5, x7

| 0000001 | 00111 | 00101 | 110 | 11100 | 0110011 |
|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
| 0000001 | 00111 | 00101 | 110 | 11100 | OTIOOTI |

Machine Code: 0000 0010 0111 0010 1110 1110 0011 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 0272EE33

#### bne x28, x0, label1

| 0000000 | 00000 | 11100 | 001 | 01000 | 1100011 |
|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|         |       |       |     |       |         |

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0000 1110 0001 0100 0110 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 000E1463

#### addi x31, x0, 0

| 00000000000 | 00000 | 000 | 11111 | 0010011 |
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0000 0000 1111 1001 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 00000F93

#### addi x7, x7, 1

| 00000000000 00111 | 000 | 00111 | 0010011 |
|-------------------|-----|-------|---------|
|-------------------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0000 0011 1000 0011 1001 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 00038393

#### bne x31, x0, label2

|  | Ī | 0000000 | 00000 | 11111 | 001 | 01000 | 1100011 |
|--|---|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
|--|---|---------|-------|-------|-----|-------|---------|

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0000 1111 1001 0100 0110 0011

Hexadecimal Code: 000F9463

#### addi x30, x30, 1

| 00000000000 | 44440    | 000       | 44440   | 0040044          |
|-------------|----------|-----------|---------|------------------|
|             | 1 1111() | ( )( )( ) | 1 11111 | 1 (10)11(10)11(1 |
| 00000000001 | 11110    | 000       | 11110   | 0010011          |

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0001 1111 0000 1111 0001 0011

<u>Hexadecimal Code</u>: 001F0F13

#### addi x5, x5, 1

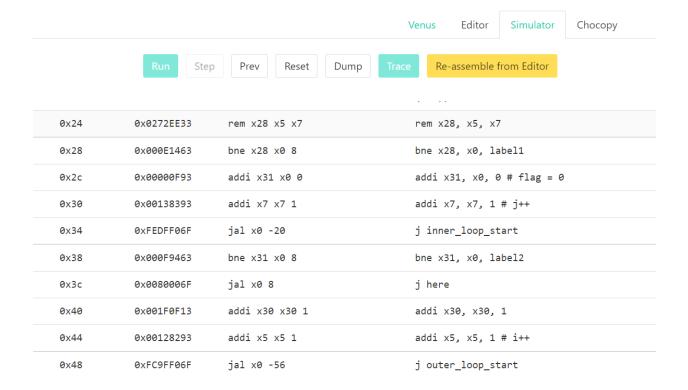
| 00000000001 | 00101 | 000 | 00101 | 0010011 |
|-------------|-------|-----|-------|---------|
| 000000000   | 00-0- | 000 | 00-0- | 00-00-  |

Machine Code: 0000 0000 0001 0010 1000 0010 1001 0011

<u>Hexadecimal Code</u>: 00128293

# **Venus Simulation:**

|      |              |                 | Venus Editor Simulator Chocopy                     |
|------|--------------|-----------------|--|
|      | Run Step     | Prev Reset Dump | Trace Re-assemble from Editor                      |
| PC   | Machine Code | Basic Code      | Original Code                                      |
| 0×0  | 0x00000F13   | addi x30 x0 0   | addi x30, x0, 0 # c = 0                            |
| 0x4  | 0x00000F93   | addi x31 x0 0   | addi x31, x0, 0 # flag = 0;                        |
| 0×8  | 0x00200293   | addi x5 x0 2    | addi x5, x0, 0x2 # i=2                             |
| 0xc  | 0x00A00313   | addi x6 x0 10   | addi x6, x0, 0xa # condition 10                    |
| 0x10 | 0x0262DE63   | bge x5 x6 60    | bge x5, x6, outer_loop_end # if (i >= 10)          |
| 0×14 | 0x00100F93   | addi x31 x0 1   | addi x31, x0, 0x1 # flag = 1                       |
| 0x18 | 0x00200393   | addi x7 x0 2    | addi x7, x0, 0x2 # j=2                             |
| 0x1c | 0x0272C4B3   | div x9 x5 x7    | div x9, x5, x7 # i/2                               |
| 0×20 | 0x0074CC63   | blt x9 x7 24    | <pre>bgt x7, x9, inner_loop_end # if(j &lt;=</pre> |



### Final register value

t5 0x00000004 (x30)

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