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LAB 5

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The purpose of this program is to take two numbers from the input register, cube each number, and find the difference between the two numbers. I decided to break this problem into separate pieces, and to begin with the subroutine for cubing the number.

Process for cubing a number:

Start out with number in AC.
Store the number (number to be cubed).

Cubing a number X can be achieved by adding X to itself X times to get X2, than adding X2 to itself X times, giving X3.

X = 5

 $5^3 = 125 = X3$

5+5+5+5+5=25=X2

25+25+25+25+25 = 125 = X3

Use a control variable beginning at 0. When the (control variable - $X \ge 0$), the loop is finished. Repeat the above step with X2 being added to itself 5 times.

LOAD X

LoopSquare, LOAD X2

ADD X

STORE X2

LOAD Ctr

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP LoopCubeStart

JUMP LoopSquare

LoopCubeStart, Clear

STORE Ctr /Reset Ctr to 0

LoopCube, LOAD X3

ADD X2

STORE X3

LOAD Ctr

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP EndCube

JUMP LoopCube

EndCube, Load X3

Output

HALT

X, DEC 5 X2, DEC 0 X3, DEC 0 Ctr, DEC 0 One, DEC 1

The above works to cube a single number. This can be used as the sub routine.

Next, write a program that takes in two numbers as input, and displays the difference between the two numbers. After this portion is complete, the subroutine for cubing the number should be able to be added.

The first number will be stored in Num1, the second in Num2. The difference will be stored in the AC using SUBT (LOAD Num1, SUBT Num2), and then output to the console using OUTPUT.

Input is gotten using INPUT, which loads the contents of the INPUT register into the AC. This input can be used to store a value in Num1, and then a value in Num2. The difference can then be found between the two numbers.

INPUT STORE Num1 INPUT STORE Num2 LOAD Num1 SUBT Num2 OUTPUT HALT Num1, DEC 0 Num2, DEC 0

The above works to subtract Num2 from Num1 where both Num1 and Num2 are input by the user.

Now these two portions need to be combined. The cube of Num1 will be found using the subroutine for cubing and stored in CubeNum1. The cube of Num2 will be found using the subroutine for cubing and stored in CubeNum2. CubeNum1 will then be loaded into the AC using LOAD and then CubeNum2 will be subtracted from the value in the AC (SUBT CubeNum2). This difference is then output using the OUTPUT command.

TRY 1:

INPUT STORE Num1 JnS Subr LOAD X3 STORE CubeNum1 INPUT STORE Num2 JnS Subr

LOAD X3

STORE CubeNum2

LOAD CubeNum1

SUBT CubeNum2

OUTPUT

HALT

Num1, DEC 0

Num2, DEC 0

CubeNum1, DEC 0

CubeNum2, DEC 0

Subr, HEX 0 /Subroutine for cubing numbers

STORE X /Store value in X

LOAD Zero

STORE X2

STORE X3

LoopSquare, LOAD X2

ADD X

STORE X2

LOAD Ctr

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP LoopCubeStart

JUMP LoopSquare

LoopCubeStart, Clear

STORE Ctr /Reset Ctr to 0

LoopCube, LOAD X3

ADD X2

STORE X3

LOAD Ctr

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP EndCube

JUMP LoopCube

EndCube, Load X3

JUMP Subr

X, DEC 5

X2, DEC 0

X3, DEC 0

Ctr, DEC 0

One, DEC 1

Zero, DEC 0

The above seems to hard to tackle. So I decided to try getting a single number from input and cubing it using the cube routine already constructed:

INPUT

STORE Num1

STORE X

JnS SubrCube

LOAD X3

OUTPUT

HALT

Num1, DEC 0

SubrCube, DEC 0

LOAD X

LoopSquare, LOAD X2

ADD X

STORE X2

LOAD Ctr

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP LoopCubeStart

JUMP LoopSquare

LoopCubeStart, Clear

STORE Ctr /Reset Ctr to 0

LoopCube, LOAD X3

ADD X2

STORE X3

LOAD Ctr

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP EndCube

JUMP LoopCube

EndCube, Load X3

JUMPI SubrCube

X, DEC 0

X2, DEC 0

X3, DEC 0

Ctr, DEC 0

One, DEC 1

This works for the behavior desired. My error was using JUMP instead of JUMPI to return to the calling code from the subroutine.

The following code works to load both numbers and call the cube subroutine with each number. There is currently an error in that the first number is cubed, but the second number is only squared by the subroutine:

INPUT

STORE Num1

STORE X

JnS SubrCube

LOAD X3

STORE CubeNum1

INPUT

STORE Num2

STORE X

JnS SubrCube

LOAD X3

STORE CubeNum2

LOAD CubeNum1

SUBT CubeNum2

OUTPUT

HALT

Num1, DEC 0

Num2, DEC 0

CubeNum1, DEC 0

CubeNum2, DEC 0

SubrCube, DEC 0

LOAD Zero

STORE X2

STORE X3

LOAD X

LoopSquare, LOAD X2

ADD X

STORE X2

LOAD Ctr

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP LoopCubeStart

JUMP LoopSquare

LoopCubeStart, Clear

STORE Ctr /Reset Ctr to 0

LoopCube, LOAD X3

ADD X2

STORE X3

LOAD Ctr

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP EndCube

JUMP LoopCube

EndCube, Load X3

OUTPUT

JUMPI SubrCube

X, DEC 0 X2, DEC 0 X3, DEC 0 Ctr, DEC 0 One, DEC 1 Zero, DEC 0

The following code takes a number as input, then cubes and stores the number. It then takes a second number as input, and then cubes and stores the number. It then loads the first number (cubed) and subtracts the second cubed number from it. The difference is then displayed to the console.

INPUT STORE Num1 STORE X

JnS SubrCube

LOAD X3

STORE CubeNum1

INPUT

STORE Num2

STORE X

JnS SubrCube

LOAD X3

STORE CubeNum2

LOAD CubeNum1

SUBT CubeNum2

OUTPUT

HALT

Num1, DEC 0

Num2, DEC 0

CubeNum1, DEC 0

CubeNum2, DEC 0

SubrCube, DEC 0

LOAD Zero

STORE X2

STORE X3

STORE Ctr

LOAD X

LoopSquare, LOAD X2

ADD X

STORE X2

LOAD Ctr

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP LoopCubeStart

JUMP LoopSquare

LoopCubeStart, Clear

STORE Ctr /Reset Ctr to 0

LoopCube, LOAD X3

ADD X2

STORE X3

LOAD Ctr

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP EndCube

JUMP LoopCube

EndCube, Load X3

OUTPUT

JUMPI SubrCube

X, DEC 0

X2, DEC 0

X3, DEC 0

Ctr. DEC 0

One, DEC 1

Zero, DEC 0

Now, optimizing the code to remove unnecessary labels and adding comments:

INPUT /Get first number

STORE X /Store in X to be used by the cubing subroutine

JnS SubrCube /Call the subroutine to cube the value in X

LOAD X3 /Load the value of X cubed by the subroutine

STORE CubeNum1 /Store this as the cube of the first number input

INPUT /Get the second number

STORE X /Store this number to be used by the cubing subroutine

JnS SubrCube /Call the subroutine to cube the number

LOAD X3 /Load the value of X cubed by the subroutine

STORE CubeNum2 /Store this value as the cube of the second number

LOAD CubeNum1 /Load the first number cubed

SUBT CubeNum2 /Subtract the second cubed number from it

OUTPUT /Display the difference

HALT /Stop the program

CubeNum1, DEC 0 /Used to hold the first number cubed

CubeNum2, DEC 0 /Used to hold the second number cubed

SubrCube, DEC 0 /The subroutine for cubing the number stored in X

LOAD Zero /Used to refresh values

STORE X2 /Refresh X2 (Number squared)

STORE X3 /Refresh X3 (Number cubed)

STORE Ctr /Refresh the value used to control the loop)

LOAD X /Load the number to be squared

LoopSquare, LOAD X2 /To square the number, add X to itself X times.

ADD X

STORE X2

LOAD Ctr /Increment the loop control variable

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X /Subtract X from the control variable. If it is not negative, stop the loop (loop X times)

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP LoopCubeStart /If the loop has executed X times, jump to the cubing loop

JUMP LoopSquare /Otherwise, loop again

LoopCubeStart, Clear /Clear the AC for the cube loop.

STORE Ctr /Reset Ctr to 0

LoopCube, LOAD X3 /Add X2 (X squared) to itself X times to get X cubed.

ADD X2

STORE X3

LOAD Ctr

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X /Subtract X from the control variable. If it is not negative, stop the loop (loop X times)

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP EndCube /If the loop has executed X times, stop the loop

JUMP LoopCube /Otherwise loop again.

EndCube, Load X3 /Loop has ended, show the cubed value

OUTPUT

JUMPI SubrCube /Jump to the calling code

X, DEC 0 /Number to be cubed

X2, DEC 0 /Number squared

X3, DEC 0 /Number cubed

Ctr, DEC 0 /Loop control variable

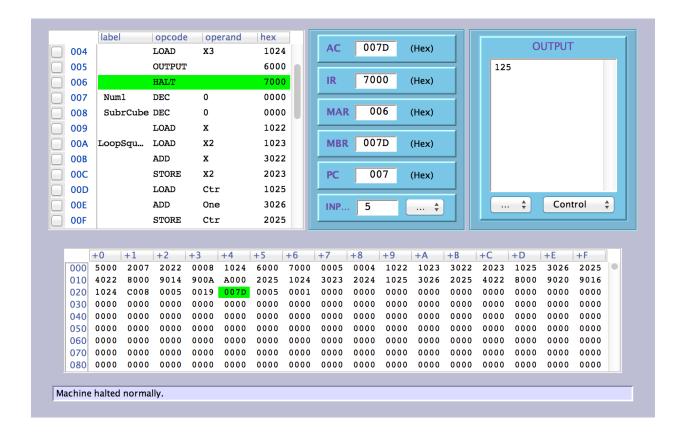
One, DEC 1 /Used to increment by 1

Zero, DEC 0 /Used to reset values

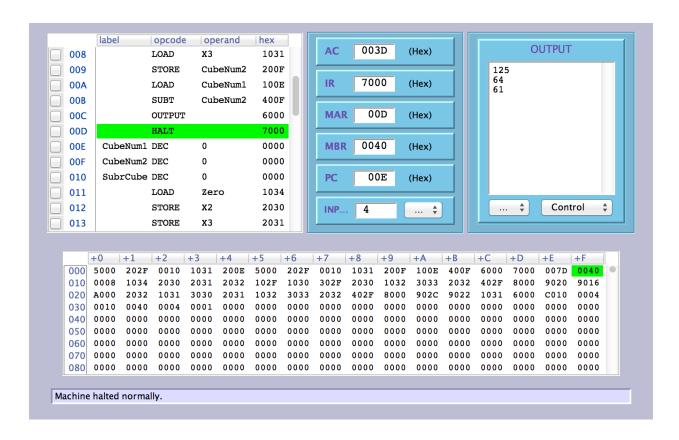
The above is the working program.

For a test run (using decimal numbers), the first number input is 5 and the second number input is 4. 5 cubed is 125 and 4 cubed is 64. The difference between the two numbers is 61:

Entering the first number, the correct cubed value is found:



And entering the second number, the correct cube of 4 is found and the difference between 125 and 64 is displayed:



Here is the Symbol Table for the final program:

Symbol		Location
Ctr		032
CubeNum1		00E
CubeNum2		00F
EndCube		02C
LoopCube		022
LoopCubeSta	rt	020
LoopSquare		016
One		033
SubrCube		010
X		02F
Х2		030
Х3		031
Zero		034

And the listing for the final program:

INPUT /Get first number

STORE X /Store in X to be used by the cubing subroutine

JnS SubrCube /Call the subroutine to cube the value in X

LOAD X3 /Load the value of X cubed by the subroutine

STORE CubeNum1 /Store this as the cube of the first number input

INPUT /Get the second number

STORE X /Store this number to be used by the cubing subroutine

JnS SubrCube /Call the subroutine to cube the number

LOAD X3 /Load the value of X cubed by the subroutine

STORE CubeNum2 /Store this value as the cube of the second number

LOAD CubeNum1 /Load the first number cubed

SUBT CubeNum2 /Subtract the second cubed number from it

OUTPUT /Display the difference

HALT /Stop the program

CubeNum1, DEC 0 /Used to hold the first number cubed

CubeNum2, DEC 0 /Used to hold the second number cubed

SubrCube, DEC 0 /The subroutine for cubing the number stored in X

LOAD Zero /Used to refresh values

STORE X2 /Refresh X2 (Number squared)

STORE X3 /Refresh X3 (Number cubed)

STORE Ctr /Refresh the value used to control the loop)

LOAD X /Load the number to be squared

LoopSquare, LOAD X2 /To square the number, add X to itself X times.

ADD X

STORE X2

LOAD Ctr /Increment the loop control variable

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X /Subtract X from the control variable. If it is not negative, stop the loop (loop X times)

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP LoopCubeStart /If the loop has executed X times, jump to the cubing loop

JUMP LoopSquare /Otherwise, loop again

LoopCubeStart, Clear /Clear the AC for the cube loop.

STORE Ctr /Reset Ctr to 0

LoopCube, LOAD X3 /Add X2 (X squared) to itself X times to get X cubed.

ADD X2

STORE X3

LOAD Ctr

ADD One

STORE Ctr

SUBT X /Subtract X from the control variable. If it is not negative, stop the loop (loop X times)

SKIPCOND 000 /<0

JUMP EndCube /If the loop has executed X times, stop the loop

JUMP LoopCube /Otherwise loop again.

EndCube, Load X3 /Loop has ended, show the cubed value

OUTPUT

JUMPI SubrCube /Jump to the calling code

X, DEC 0 /Number to be cubed

X2, DEC 0 /Number squared

X3, DEC 0 /Number cubed

Ctr, DEC 0 /Loop control variable

One, DEC 1 /Used to increment by 1

Zero, DEC 0 /Used to reset values