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Abstract

In this project, I implemented a monitor program and run it on Easy68k. This program iteratively receives user inputs and interprets the inputs to commands. For each command I wrote a subroutine, so the interpreter can search commands in a linked list and direct the program to corresponding subroutines. When a command is received, I load the starting address of user input to an address register, then start comparing the input string with strings in a linked list. If any element in the list matches, we get a function pointer to the subroutine, and use JSR command to run the subroutine.

Each subroutine first reads input parameters (if any), then finishes its task. After the task ends, a RTS command returns the program to interpreter, which immediately starts the next loop.

In the following text, detailed logic of interpreters and debugger commands will be shown. Several exception handlers are also implemented and described in this report.

1. Introduction

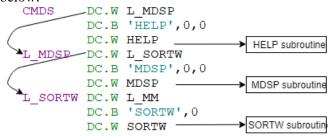
Object of this design is to allow users manipulate the simulated computer in Easy68k. To satisfy basic requirements of manipulation, I implemented 15 commands and 8 exception handlers. When the monitor program is started, a prompt "MONITOR441>" will show on screen. Users could type a command and press enter. Unless EXIT command is entered, the program will print the prompt again after processing of a command is finished.

Exception handlers are executed only when exceptions are enabled in simulator and an exception is generated. BERR and AERR prints the exception type, SSW, BA, IR, and formatted registers, while other handlers print only exception type and formatted registers.

2. Monitor Program

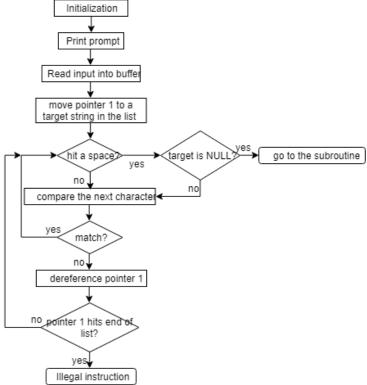
2.1 Command Interpreter

The interpreter first initializes some important data, including stack pointer and exception handlers. Then a prompt is printed, and A1 is assigned to the starting address of a buffer. User input is received and stored into the buffer. Instead of using two lookup tables, I use a singly linked list with structures as elements. The form of linked list is shown below:



Each element in this list is a structure containing three parts: 1. a pointer to next element 2. a string 3. a pointer to command subroutine. Now that we have the user input, we can start comparing from the first element i.e. the 'HELP'. If all characters before a space match, we know it's a successful match. In this case, we dereference the pointer, making it point to the next element, then subtract it by 2. For example, if we successfully match the command with 'HELP', we can point the address register to L_MDSP, then subtract 2 to get 'DC.W HELP'.

2.1.1 Algorithm and Flowchart



2.1.2 Command Interpreter Assembly Code

```
(*+1) \& -2
                                ; Force Word alignment
             DC.W L MDSP
CMDS
             DC.B 'HELP', 0, 0
             DC.W HELP
L_MDSP
             DC.W L SORTW
             DC.B 'MDSP',0,0
             DC.W MDSP
L SORTW
             DC.W L MM
             DC.B 'SORTW',0
             DC.W SORTW
             DC.W L MS
L MM
             DC.B 'MM',0,0
             DC.W MM
             DC.W L BF
L MS
             DC.B 'MS',0,0
             DC.W MS
L_BF
             DC.W L BMOV
             DC.B 'BF',0,0
             DC.W BF
L BMOV
             DC.W L BTST
             DC.B 'BMOV',0,0
             DC.W BMOV
L BTST
             DC.W L BSCH
             DC.B 'BTST',0,0
             DC.W BTST
             DC.W L GO
{\tt L\_BSCH}
             DC.B 'BSCH',0,0
             DC.W BSCH
             DC.W L DF
L GO
             DC.B 'GO',0,0
             DC.W GO
             DC.W L EXIT
L DF
```

```
DC.W DF
L EXIT
            DC.W L ENCR
            DC.B 'EXIT', 0, 0
            DC.W EXIT
L ENCR
            DC.W L DECR
            DC.B 'ENCR', 0, 0
            DC.W ENCR
L DECR
            DC.W L RAND
            DC.B 'DECR',0,0
            DC.W DECR
L RAND
            DC.W L END
            DC.B 'RAND', 0, 0
            DC.W RAND
L END
      ORG
            (*+1) & -2
                                     ; Force Word alignment
START:
                                     ; first instruction of program
            MOVE.L
                         #BERR,$8
                                     ; initialize vectors
            MOVE.L
                        #AERR,$C
            MOVE.L
                        #ILLI,$10
            MOVE.L
                        #PRIV,$20
                        #DIVZ,$14
            MOVE.L
            MOVE.L
                        #CHKI,$18
            MOVE.L
                        #LINA, $28
                        #LINF,$2C
            MOVE.L
            MOVEA.L
                        #$3000,A7
                        PROMPT, A1
            LEA
            MOVE.B
                         #14,D0
            TRAP #15
            LEA
                         INPUT, A1
                                     ; input buffer
                         #2,D0
            MOVE.B
            TRAP #15
            MOVEA.L
                        A1,A2
                                     ; A2 is pointer of input
                                    ; A3 is pointer in list
            LEA
                        CMDS,A3
                                     ; A4 is end of list
                        L END, A4
            LEA
                        \overline{A3}, A5
L TST
            MOVEA.L
            ADDA.L
                         #2,A5
CMPNEXT
            MOVE.B
                                    ; backup the tested character
                         (A2), D1
                         #$20,D1
                                     ; if the cursor hits a space,
            CMPI.B
                         CMP CNT
            BNE
                        #0,(A5)
                                    ; and the target instruction ends,
            CMPI.B
                        Y MATCH
                                     ; it's a match
            BEQ
                        (A5)+, (A2)+; compare the two characters
CMP CNT
            CMPM.B
            BNE
                        N MATCH
            CMPI.B
                         #0,D1
                                     ; if same, and target instruction ends,
            BEQ
                        Y MATCH
                                    ; it's a match
            BRA
                        CMPNEXT
                                    ; otherwise, loop back
N MATCH
            MOVEA.L
                        A1,A2
                                     ; cursor back to start point
            MOVEA.W
                         (A3),A3
                                    ; A3 point to the head of next element
                                   ; if A3 reaches end of list,
            CMP.W
                         #L END, A3
                        N INST
            BEQ
                                    ; it's not a valid instruction
                        L_TST
            BRA
Y MATCH
            MOVEA.W
                        (A3),A3
            MOVEA.W
                        -2(A3), A5
                                    ; deinference A3 and minus 2, we get address of
subroutine
            JSR
                         (A5)
            BRA
                         START
                                     ; end the execution
```

DC.B 'DF',0,0

2.2 Debugger Commands

MOVE.B

LEA

TRAP #15

#14,D0

M HP6,A1

2.2.1 HELP

This command prints help messages with regard to command syntax, and a brief description of all commands.

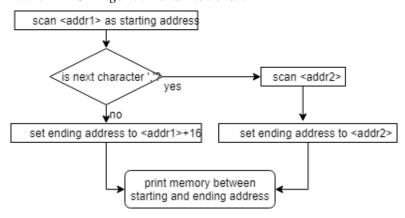


```
MOVE.B
            #14,D0
TRAP #15
LEA
            M HP7,A1
            #14,D0
MOVE.B
TRAP #15
LEA
            M HP8,A1
MOVE.B
            #14,D0
TRAP #15
            M HP9,A1
LEA
MOVE.B
            #14,D0
TRAP #15
LEA
            M HP10,A1
MOVE.B
            #14,D0
TRAP #15
LEA
            M HP11,A1
MOVE.B
            #14,D0
TRAP #15
LEA
            M HP12,A1
MOVE.B
            #14,D0
TRAP #15
LEA
            M HP13,A1
MOVE.B
            #14,D0
TRAP #15
            M HP14, A1
LEA
MOVE.B
            #14,D0
TRAP #15
MOVEM.L
             (SP) + , D0 - D7 / A0 - A6
RTS
```

2.2.2 MDSP

This command receives one or two parameters. If only one parameter (<addr1>) is detected, 16 bytes of memory is printed, starting from <addr1>. If two parameters (<addr1>, <addr2>) are detected, printed memory ranges from <addr1> to <addr2>, but not include <addr2>. I wrote a subroutine P_MM that receives two addresses and prints memory between them, so MDSP subroutine only has to sets the two addresses and call P_MM.

2.2.2.1 MDSP Algorithm and Flowchart



2.2.2.2 MDSP Assembly Code

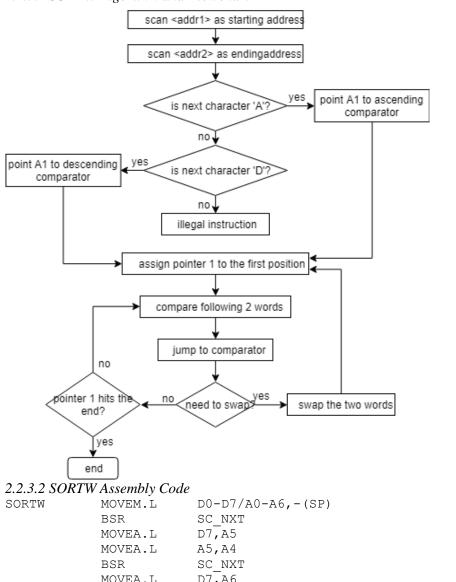
```
MOVEM.L
MDSP
                         D0-D7/A0-A6, -(SP)
                         SC NXT
            BSR
            CMPI.B
                         #$2C, (A2)
                                   ; if ',' is found,
                         MD 2N
                                     ; 2 parameters are received
            BEO
                         D7,A5
                                     ; A5 points to beginning of block
            MOVEA.L
            MOVEA.L
                         A5,A6
                         #16,A6
                                           ; A6 points to ending of block, i.e. A5+16
            ADDA.L
            CLR.L
                         D4
            BSR
                         P MM
                                     ; print content between A5 and A6
```

```
MD END
             BRA
                          D7,A5
MD 2N
            MOVEA.L
                                      ; A5 has the beginning address of memory block
             BSR
                          SC NXT
                          D7,A6
                                      ; A6 has the ending address of memory block
            MOVEA.L
                          D4
             CLR.L
             BSR
                          P MM
MD END
             LEA
                         M CRLF, A1
                                      ; print an empty line to finish
            MOVE.B
                          #13,D0
             TRAP #15
             MOVEM.L
                          (SP) + , D0 - D7 / A0 - A6
             RTS
```

2.2.3 **SORTW**

Because there are two conditions in this program: ascending and descending, so I use A1 as a function pointer that points to any one of two comparators. A comparator receives condition code and determines whether to swap. In this way, repetition of code is avoided. This subroutine uses bubble sort, which has two loops. Neighboring words are compared, then the control is immediately passed to comparator. Comparator uses BLT or BHI to determine whether returning control to swap program (DO SWAP) or not (NO SWAP).

2.2.3.1 SORTW Algorithm and Flowchart



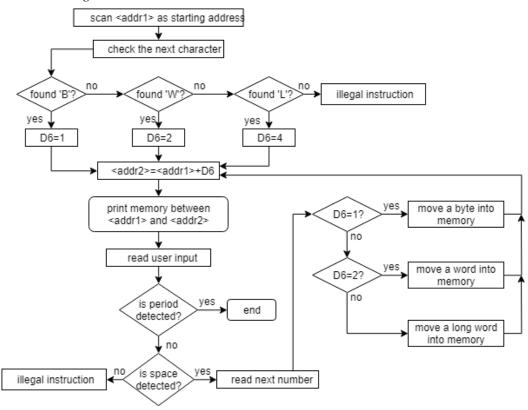
```
D7,A6
MOVEA.L
SUBQ.L
            #2,A6
            \$\$41,1(A2) ; check if the input is 'A'
CMPI.B
```

```
BEQ
                         ASCE
                         #$44,1(A2); check if the input is 'D'
            CMPI.B
             BEQ
                         DESC
            BRA
                         N INST
                                             ; if neither matches, illegal instruction
ASCE
            LEA
                         CMPER A, A1
                                       ; load ascending comparator to A1
            BRA
                         SRT LO1
DESC
            LEA
                         CMPER D, A1
                                      ; load descending comparator to A1
SRT LO1
            MOVEA.L
                         A4,A5
                                       ; A5 points to the first position
SRT LO2
                          (A5) + , (A5) +
            CMP.W
             JMP
                          (A1)
                                      ; Al is a function pointer to comparator
                                       ; no need to swap, move to the next position
NO SWAP
             SUBQ.L
                          #2,A5
            CMP.L
                         A5,A6
                                       ; check for the end of list
            BNE
                         SRT LO2
                                       ; go to the second loop
             BRA
                         SRT END
DO SWAP
            MOVE.L
                         -(A5), D2
                                       ; swap the two words
                         D2
             SWAP.W
            MOVE.L
                         D2, (A5)
            BRA
                         SRT LO1
                                       ; go to the first loop
                          (SP) + , D0 - D7 / A0 - A6
SRT END
            MOVEM.L
            RTS
                         DO SWAP
                                             ; comparator for ascending
CMPER A
            BLT
                         NO SWAP
            BRA
                         DO SWAP
                                             ; comparator for descending
CMPER D
            BHI
                         NO SWAP
             BRA
```

2.2.4 MM

This command is similar to the MM command in TUTOR. It receives an address and a character (B, W or L), which indicates the length of each modification. Then length information is stored in a data register, functioning in two ways. First, the data register acts as an addend when moving address register to the next location. Second, when moving new value into memory, the data register is a signal to direct control to different subroutines.

2.2.4.1 MM Algorithm and Flowchart

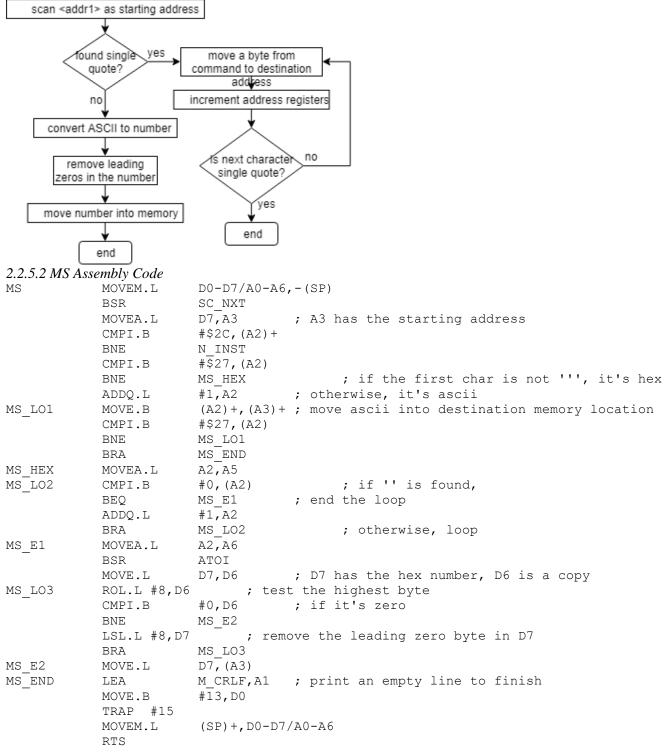


```
2.2.4.2 MM Assembly Code
MM
             MOVEM.L
                          D0-D7/A0-A6, -(SP)
             BSR
                          SC NXT
                          D7,A3
             MOVEA.L
                          #$3B, (A2) +
             CMPI.B
                                      ; check ';'
                          N INST
             BNE
                          #$42, (A2)
                                       ; check 'B'
             CMPI.B
             BEQ
                          MM LOB
             CMPI.B
                          #$57, (A2)
                                       ; check 'W'
             BEQ
                          MM LOW
                          #$4C, (A2)
             CMPI.B
                                       ; check 'L'
             BEQ
                          MM LOL
                          N INST
             BRA
                          A3, A5
MM CT1
             {\tt MOVEA.L}
             MOVEA.L
                          A5, A6
             ADDA.L
                          D6, A6
                                       ; move A6 to next position
             MOVE.L
                          #1,D4
                                       ; print without space
                          P MM
             BSR
                          TXT BUF, A1 ; receive input
             LEA
             MOVE.B
                          #2,D0
             TRAP #15
             MOVEA.L
                          A1,A2
             CMP.B
                          #$2E, (A2)
                                       ; check '.'
                          MM END
             BEQ
             CMP.B
                          #$20, (A2)
                                       ; check ' '
                          N INST
             BNE
                          SC NXT
             BSR
                          #1,D6
             CMPI.B
                                       ; use D6 to determine length
             BEQ
                          MM MOB
             CMPI.B
                          #2,D6
                          MM MOW
             BEQ
             CMPI.B
                          #4,D6
             BEQ
                          MM MOL
                          MM CT1
MM CT2
             {\tt BRA}
MM END
             LEA
                          M CRLF, A1
                                       ; print an empty line to finish
             MOVE.B
                          #13,D0
             TRAP #15
             MOVEM.L
                          (SP) + , D0 - D7 / A0 - A6
             RTS
MM LOB
             MOVEQ.L
                          #1,D6
                                        ; load value to D6
             BRA
                          MM CT1
MM LOW
             MOVEQ.L
                          #2,D6
             BRA
                          MM CT1
             MOVEQ.L
                          #4,D6
MM LOL
                          MM CT1
             BRA
             MOVE.B
                          D7, (A3) +
MM MOB
             BRA
                          MM CT2
                          D7, (A3) +
MM MOW
             MOVE.W
                          MM CT2
             BRA
             MOVE.L
                          D7, (A3) +
MM MOL
                          MM CT2
             BRA
```

2.2.5 MS

The MS command determines input type in the follow way: if the input is wrapped by ', it is treated as a string. Otherwise, it is treated as a number. The command receives an address and the content to be set into memory. If the input is string, there is no limit in length. String is moved into memory byte by byte. If the input is number, the maximum length is 8 hexadecimal digits. The ASCII represented number is converted into hexadecimal number, then stored into memory.

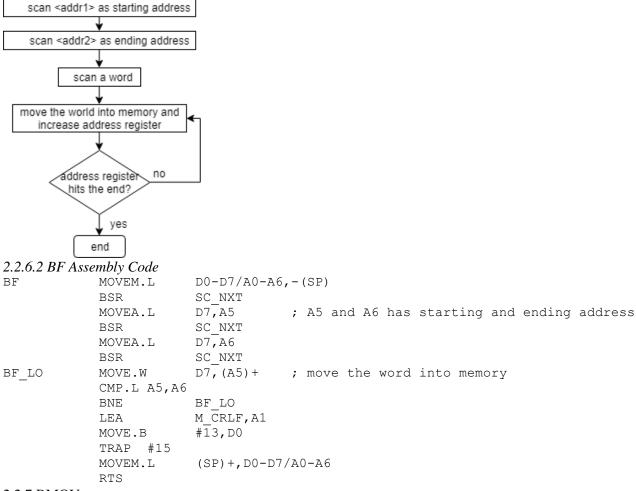
2.2.5.1 MS Algorithm and Flowchart



2.2.6 BF

This command receives three parameters. The first two are starting and ending addresses. The third parameter is a word. A loop moves the word to all even locations in the memory block.

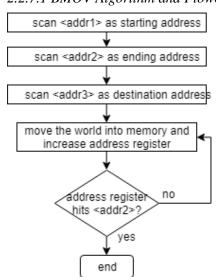
2.2.6.1 BF Algorithm and Flowchart



2.2.7 BMOV

This command receives three addresses. The first two are starting and ending address of source. The third address is starting address of destination. A loop moves every byte from source to destination.

2.2.7.1 BMOV Algorithm and Flowchart



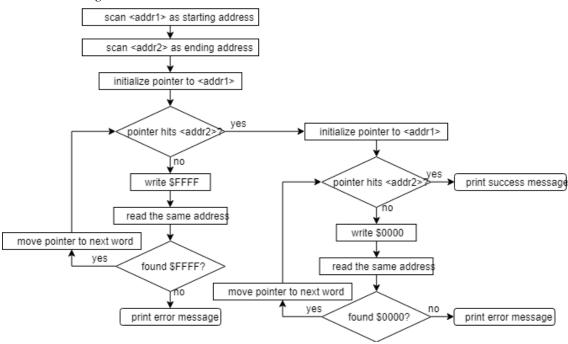
2.2.7.2 BMOV Assembly Code

```
BMOV
             MOVEM.L
                          D0-D7/A0-A6, -(SP)
             BSR
                          SC NXT
             MOVEA.L
                          D7,A5
                                        ; A5 and A6 has starting and ending address
                          SC NXT
             BSR
                          D7,A6
             MOVEA.L
                          SC NXT
             BSR
             MOVEA.L
                          D7,A4
BM LO
             MOVE.B
                           (A5)+, (A4)+; move a byte
             CMP.L
                          A5, A6
             BNE
                          BM LO
             LEA
                          M CRLF, A1
             MOVE.B
                          #13,D0
             TRAP #15
             MOVEM.L
                           (SP) + , D0 - D7 / A0 - A6
             RTS
```

2.2.8 BTST

To test whether the memory is working correctly, I use two loops to write and read the memory. The first loop writes \$FFFF to each word and check, while the second loop writes \$0000. If inequality at any location is detected, the program will print location, wrote value and read value.

2.2.8.1 BTST Algorithm and Flowchart



2.2.8.2 BTST Assembly Code

```
D0-D7/A0-A6, -(SP)
BTST
             MOVEM.L
             BSR
                          SC NXT
             MOVEA.L
                          D7,A5
             BSR
                          SC NXT
             MOVEA.L
                          D7,A6
             MOVEA.L
                          A5,A3
                                       ; A3 has a copy of starting address
             LEA
                          M BT F,A4
BT_LO1
             CMP.L A5, A6
                          BT E1
             BEQ
             MOVE.W
                          #$FFFF, (A5)
             CMPI.W
                          #$FFFF, (A5); write and read $FFFF
             BEQ
                          BT C1
                          BT ERR
             BRA
                          #2,A5
BT C1
             ADDA.L
             BRA
                          BT LO1
```

```
BT E1
          MOVEA.L
                     A3,A5
                    M_BT_0,A4
           LEA
BT LO2
           CMP.L A5, A6
           BEO
                     BT E2
                     #0, (A5)
           MOVE.W
           CMPI.W
                     #0,(A5)
                                       ; write and read $0000
           BEO
                     BT C2
                     BT ERR
           BRA
BT C2
           ADDA.L
                     #2,A5
           BRA
                      BT LO2
BT E2
           LEA
                      M BT Y, A1
                                 ; print success message
           MOVE.B
                      #13,D0
           TRAP #15
BT END
           LEA
                     M CRLF, A1
           MOVE.B
                      \#13, D0
           TRAP #15
           MOVEM.L
                     (SP) + , D0 - D7 / A0 - A6
           RTS
BT ERR
           LEA
                     M BT FA, A1 ; print error message
                     #14,D0
           MOVE.B
           TRAP #15
           MOVE.L
                     A5,D1
                      #16,D2
           MOVE.L
           MOVE.B
                      #15,D0
           TRAP #15
                     M BT W, A1
                                ; 'wrote:'
           LEA
                      #14,D0
           MOVE.B
           TRAP #15
           MOVEA.L
                     A4,A1
           MOVE.B
                      #14,D0
           TRAP #15
                     M BT R, A1 ; 'read:'
           LEA
           MOVE.B
                     #14,D0
           TRAP #15
           MOVEA.L
                      A5, A6
                      #2,A6
           ADDA.L
                      #1,D4
           MOVE.L
           BSR
                      P MM
                      BT END
           BRA
```

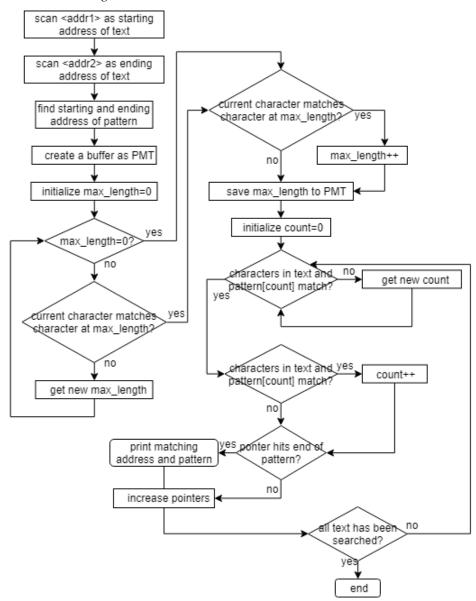
2.2.9 BSCH

I translated a java code to assembly code, which use KMP algorithm. Advantage of this algorithm is to avoid repetitive comparison. If mismatching happens while two parts within the substring are the same, we can save computation by skipping the same part, instead of start over. The java code I referenced [1] is shown below:

```
int j = 0; // Number of chars matched in pattern
for (int i = 0; i < text.length(); i++) {
    while (j > 0 && text.charAt(i) != pattern.charAt(j)) {
        // Fall back in the pattern
        j = lsp[j - 1]; // Strictly decreasing
    }
    if (text.charAt(i) == pattern.charAt(j)) {
        // Next char matched, increment position
        j++;
        if (j == pattern.length())
            return i - (j - 1);
    }
}
return -1; // Not found
```

The computeLspTable(String pattern) method returns a longest suffix-prefix table, also called partial match table (PMT). The computeLspTable(String pattern, String text) method searches matching locations using PMT. To translate the reference code into assembly code, I focused on the control flow such as if and while, and expressed them using branch commands.

2.2.9.1 BSCH Algorithm and Flowchart



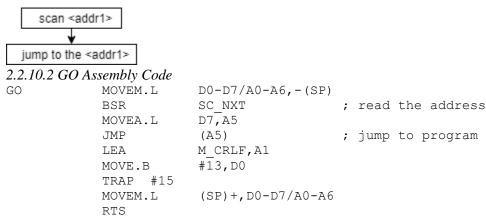
```
2.2.9.2 BSCH Assembly Code
BSCH MOVEM.L
                 D0-D7/A0-A6, -(SP)
                       SC NXT
           BSR
           MOVEA.L
                       D7,A5
                       SC NXT
           BSR
                       D7,A6
                                  ; A5 and A6 define start and end of text
           MOVEA.L
           CMPI.B
                       #$3B, (A2) +
           BNE
                       N INST
                                         ; check ';'
           CMPI.B
                       #$27, (A2)+
                                         ; check '''
           BNE
                       N INST
                      A2,A3
           MOVEA.L
           ADDA.L
                       #1,A3
           CMPI.B
                       #$27, (A3)+
                       N INST
           BEQ
BS LO1
                       #$27, (A3)+
           CMPI.B
           BNE
                       BS LO1
                                         ; A2 and A3 define start and end of pattern
                      #1,A3
           SUBA.L
           MOVE.B
                      #0,(A3)
                                         ; prepare pattern to output
                      A3,D3
           MOVE.L
                          ; D3 is the length of pattern
           SUB.L A2, D3
* calculate partial match table
           LEA
                       PMT, A0
                                         ; A0 is the start of PMT
                       PMT,A1
           LEA
           CLR.L D0
                                   ; D0 is maximum length of last substring
           MOVEA.L
                    A2,A4
                                   ; A4 is the cursor in pattern
           ADDA.L
                      #1,A4
                       #0,(A1)+
           MOVE.B
BS LO2
                                   ; if maximum length=0 or contents are the same
           CMPI.L
                       #0,D0
           BEQ
                       BS_CNT1
                     (A4),D1
           MOVE.B
           CMP.B (A2, D0), D1
                     BS CNT1
                                         ; do not loop
           MOVE.B
                       -1 (A0,D0),D0
                                         ; otherwise, get new maximum length
                       BS LO2
                                         ; loop
           BRA
BS CNT1
           MOVE.B
                       (A4) + , D1
           CMP.B (A2,D0),D1 ; if contents are the same, increase maximum length
           BNE
                   BS CNT2
           ADDQ.B
                       #1,D0
BS CNT2
           MOVE.B
                       D0, (A1) +
           CMPA.L
                       A4,A3
           BNE
                       BS LO2
* find matching positions using PMT
           CLR.L D0
                                   ; D0 is a counter in pattern
BS LO3
           CMPI.L
                       #0,D0
                                  ; if counter=0 or contents are the same
                       BS CNT3
           BEQ
           MOVE.B
                       (A5), D1
           CMP.B (A2,D0),D1
                       BS CNT3
           BEQ
                                         ; do not loop
           MOVE.B
                       -1 (A0,D0),D0
                                         ; otherwise, get the new counter
                       BS LO3
           BRA
BS CNT3
           MOVE.B
                       (A5), D1
           CMP.B (A2, D0), D1
                      BS CNT4
           BNE
                    #1,D0
           ADDQ.B
                                  ; if contents are the same, increase counter
BS CNT4
           CMP.B D0,D3 ; check if the whole pattern is compared
           BNE
                       BS CNT5
           MOVEM.L
                       D0,-(SP)
           MOVE.L
                       A5,D1
                                   ; print address and pattern
           SUB.L D3,D1
           MOVE.B
                       #16,D2
```

```
MOVE.B
                          #15,D0
             TRAP #15
             LEA
                          M SPQ, A1
                          #14,D0
             MOVE.B
             TRAP #15
             MOVEA.L
                          A2, A1
             MOVE.B
                          #14,D0
             TRAP #15
             LEA
                          M QCRLF, A1
             MOVE.B
                          #14,D0
             TRAP #15
             MOVEM.L
                           (SP) + , D0
             MOVE.B
                          -1 (A0, D0), D0
BS CNT5
             ADDA.L
                          #1,A5
             CMPA.L
                          A5,A6
                          BS LO3
             BNE
BS_END
             LEA
                          M CRLF, A1
             MOVE.B
                          #13,D0
             TRAP #15
                           (SP) + , D0 - D7 / A0 - A6
             MOVEM.L
             RTS
```

2.2.10 GO

The GO command reads an address uses JMP to run the program.

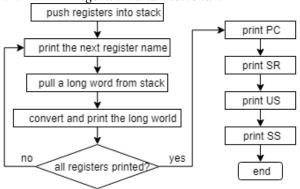
2.2.10.1 GO Algorithm and Flowchart



2.2.11 DF

This command first stores all registers in stack using MOVEM, then extract registers one by one, printing the value on screen. After D and A registers are printed, PC, SR, US and SS are also fetched and printed.

2.2.11.1 DF Algorithm and Flowchart



2.2.11.2 DF Assembly Code

```
DF MOVEM.L D0-D7/A0-A6,-(SP)

LEA M_REGS,A0

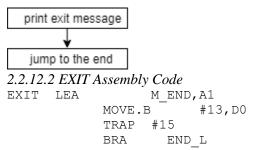
DF_LO MOVE.W #5,D1
```

```
MOVEA.L
          A0,A1
                      ; print register name
MOVE.B
           #1,D0
TRAP #15
MOVE.L
           (SP) + , D1
                      ; extract register value
BSR
           ITOA
MOVEA.L
          A5,A1
MOVE.W
           #8,D1
MOVE.B
           #1,D0
TRAP #15
                       ; print register value
ADDA.L
           #5,A0
CMPI.B
           #0,(A0)
BNE
           DF LO
LEA
           M PC, A1
                            ; print 'PC='
MOVE.B
           \#14,D0
TRAP #15
MOVE.L
           #DF,D1
                             ; print PC value
BSR
           ITOA
MOVEA.L
          A5,A1
MOVE.W
          #8,D1
MOVE.B
           #1,D0
TRAP #15
          M SR,A1
                             ; print 'SR='
LEA
           #14,D0
MOVE.B
TRAP #15
MOVE.W
           SR,D1
                      ; print SR value
BSR
           ITOA
MOVEA.L
          A5,A1
ADDA.L
          #4,A1
MOVE.W
          #4,D1
MOVE.B
           #1,D0
TRAP #15
           M US,A1
                           ; print 'US='
LEA
MOVE.B
          #14,D0
TRAP #15
           USP,A1
                            ; print US value
MOVE.L
MOVE.L
           A1,D1
           ITOA
BSR
MOVEA.L
           A5, A1
MOVE.W
           #8,D1
           #1,D0
MOVE.B
TRAP #15
          M SS,A1
                            ; print 'SS='
LEA
           #14,D0
MOVE.B
TRAP #15
MOVE.L
          SP,D1
BSR
           ITOA
MOVEA.L
           A5,A1
MOVE.W
           #8,D1
MOVE.B
           #1,D0
TRAP #15
           M CRLF, A1
LEA
            \#13, D0
MOVE.B
TRAP #15
```

2.2.12 EXIT

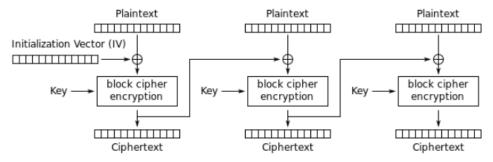
This command first prints a message, then branch to the end of program. This is the only way to jump out of the loop in interpreter.

2.2.12.1 EXIT Algorithm and Flowchart



2.2.13 ENCR

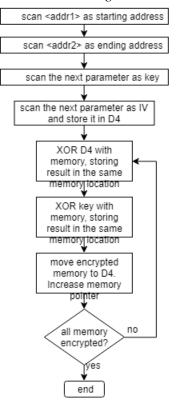
This command uses DES with Cipher Block Chaining (CBC) mode to encrypt a memory block. It receives 2 addresses and 2 numbers. The first number is key, and the second is initialization vector (IV). The process of encryption [2] is shown below:



Cipher Block Chaining (CBC) mode encryption

The block size of my program is a word, so starting and ending addresses should be even. Also, key and IV should not be longer than a word, otherwise only the lower word is valid.

2.2.13.1 ENCR Algorithm and Flowchart



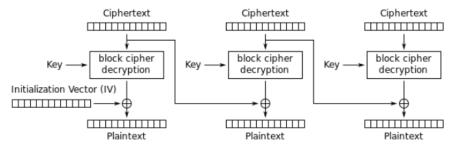
2.2.13.2 ENCR Assembly Code

* Encryption and decryption using Cipher-Block Chaining (CBC) mode ENCR MOVEM.L D0-D7/A0-A6,-(SP) BSR SC NXT

```
MOVEA.L
                          D7,A5
                                       ; A5 and A6 are starting and ending address
                          SC NXT
             BSR
                          D7,A6
             MOVEA.L
                          SC NXT
             BSR
                          D7, D3
             MOVE.W
                                       ; D3 is key
             BSR
                          SC NXT
             MOVE.W
                          D7, D4
                                       ; D4 is IV
ENC LO
             EOR.W D4, (A5)
                                       ; XOR plaintext with the last ciphertext or IV
             EOR.W D3, (A5)
                                       ; XOR block with key
             MOVE.W
                          (A5) + , D4
             CMPA.L
                          A5,A6
             BNE
                          ENC LO
             LEA
                          M CRLF, A1
             MOVE.B
                          \#13, D0
             TRAP #15
                          (SP) + , D0 - D7 / A0 - A6
             MOVEM.L
             RTS
```

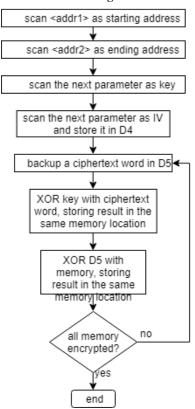
2.2.14 DECR

This program uses key and IV to decrypt a memory. If the key and IV are the same as encryption, the decrypted text will be identical with plaintext before encryption. The process [2] is shown below:



Cipher Block Chaining (CBC) mode decryption

2.2.14.1 DECR Algorithm and Flowchart



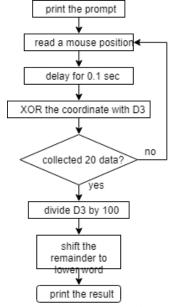
2.2.14.2 DECR Assembly Code

```
DECR MOVEM.L
                   D0-D7/A0-A6, -(SP)
                          SC NXT
             BSR
                          D7,A5
                                       ; A5 and A6 are starting and ending address
            MOVEA.L
                          SC NXT
             BSR
                          D7,A6
            MOVEA.L
                          SC NXT
             BSR
            MOVE.W
                          D7, D3
                                       ; D3 is key
             BSR
                          SC_NXT
                          D7, D4
            MOVE.W
                                       ; D4 is IV
DEC LO
            MOVE.W
                          (A5), D5
                                             ; D5 is a backup of ciphertext
             EOR.W D3, (A5)
                                       ; XOR ciphertext with key
             EOR.W D4, (A5) +
                                ; XOR block with the last ciphertext or IV
            MOVE.W
                          D5, D4
             CMPA.L
                         A5, A6
                         DEC LO
             BNE
             LEA
                         M CRLF, A1
                          \#13, D0
            MOVE.B
             TRAP #15
            MOVEM.L
                          (SP) + , D0 - D7 / A0 - A6
             RTS
```

2.2.15 RAND

This command generates a random number between 0 and 99. This is achieved by collecting mouse location for a few seconds, summing all coordinate data and divide the sum by 100. Remainder of the division is my result.

2.2.15.1 RAND Algorithm and Flowchart



2.2.15.2 RAND Assembly Code

```
* generate a random number between 0 and 99. Random data is collected form mouse.
RAND
            MOVEM.L
                        D0-D7/A0-A6, -(SP)
                         M RAND, A1
            LEA
                         #13,D0
            MOVE.B
            TRAP #15
                         MUS BUF, A1
            LEA
            CLR.L D2
                                     ; D2 is counter
            CLR.L D3
                                     ; D3 is a random number
RAND LP
            MOVE.B
                         #$0,D1
                                            ; read a mouse position
            MOVE.B
                         #61,D0
            TRAP #15
            EOR.L D1, D3
                                            ; delay for 0.1 sec
            MOVE.L
                         #10,D1
```

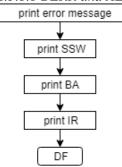
```
MOVE.B
            #23,D0
TRAP #15
ADDQ.B
             #1,D2
                                ; loop for 20 iterations
CMP.B
             #20,D2
BNE
            RAND LP
            #8,D3
LSL.L
LSL.L
            #8,D3
LSR.L
            #8,D3
LSR.L
            #8,D3
DIVU.W
            #100,D3
                                ; mod the number by 100
LSR.L
             #8,D3
LSR.L
             #8,D3
MOVE.L
            D3, D1
                         ; print the random number
MOVE.L
            #10,D2
MOVE.B
             #15,D0
TRAP #15
LEA
            M CRLF, A1
MOVE.B
            #13,D0
TRAP #15
             (SP) + , D0 - D7 / A0 - A6
MOVEM.L
RTS
```

2.3 Exception Handlers

Exception handlers are assigned in the beginning of program. BERR and AERR print SSW, BA, IR and formatted registers, while other handlers print only formatted registers.

2.3.1 BERR, AERR

2.3.1.1 BERR and AERR Flowchart



2.3.1.2 BERR and AERR Assembly Code

```
BERR
            MOVEM.L
                     A1/A5/D0/D1,-(SP)
                        M BERR, A1
            LEA
            MOVE.B
                        #13,D0
            TRAP #15
            BRA
                        SBI
                                           ; print SSW, BA, IR
AERR
            MOVEM.L
                        A1/A5/D0/D1, -(SP)
                        M AERR, A1
            LEA
            MOVE.B
                         #13,D0
            TRAP #15
            BRA
                        SBI
                                           ; print SSW, BA, IR
                        M SSW, A1
SBI
            LEA
                        #14,D0
            MOVE.B
            TRAP #15
                        16(SP),D1
            MOVE.W
                                    ; print SSW
            BSR
                        ITOA
                        A5, A1
            MOVEA.L
            ADDA.L
                        #4,A1
            MOVE.W
                         #4,D1
            MOVE.B
                         #1,D0
            TRAP #15
            LEA
                        M BA, A1
```

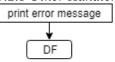
```
MOVE.B
             #14,D0
TRAP #15
MOVE.L
            18 (SP), D1
                         ; print BA
BSR
             ITOA
MOVEA.L
            A5, A1
MOVE.W
             #8,D1
MOVE.B
             #1,D0
TRAP #15
LEA
            M IR, A1
MOVE.B
             #14,D0
TRAP #15
MOVE.W
             22(SP),D1
                         ; print IR
BSR
            ITOA
MOVEA.L
            A5, A1
ADDA.L
             #4,A1
MOVE.W
             #4,D1
MOVE.B
            #1,D0
TRAP #15
MOVEM.L
             (SP) + A1/A5/D0/D1
             DF
BSR
                               ; print registers
BRA
             START
```

A1/D0, -(SP)

2.3.2 Other Handlers

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2.3.2.1 Other Handlers Flowchart



2.3.2.2 Other Handlers Assembly Code MOVEM.L

```
LEA
                          M ILLI, A1
            MOVE.B
                          #13,D0
             TRAP #15
            MOVEM.L
                          (SP) + , A1/D0
             BSR
                          DF
                          START
             BRA
PRIV
                          A1/D0, -(SP)
            MOVEM.L
            LEA
                          M PRIV, A1
            MOVE.B
                          \#13, D0
            TRAP #15
            MOVEM.L
                          (SP) + A1/D0
            BSR
                          DF
             BRA
                          START
DIVZ
            MOVEM.L
                          A1/D0, -(SP)
                          M_DIVZ,A1
             LEA
            MOVE.B
                          \#13, D0
             TRAP #15
            MOVEM.L
                          (SP) + , A1/D0
                          DF
             BSR
             BRA
                          START
                          A1/D0, -(SP)
CHKI
            MOVEM.L
             LEA
                          M CHKI, A1
            MOVE.B
                          #13,D0
             TRAP #15
            MOVEM.L
                          (SP) + , A1/D0
             BSR
                          DF
             BRA
                          START
                          A1/D0, -(SP)
LINA
            MOVEM.L
            LEA
                          M LINA, A1
            MOVE.B
                          #13,D0
             TRAP #15
```

MOVEM.L (SP) + , A1/D0BSR DF BRA START A1/D0, -(SP)LINF MOVEM.L LEA M LINF, A1 #13,D0 MOVE.B TRAP #15 MOVEM.L (SP) + , A1/D0DF BSR BRA START

3. Discussion

The major challenge of this monitor design is to make the code shorter and more readable. I implemented several helper functions to finish some common tasks, like converting ascii to number, converting number to ascii, printing a memory block, and scanning the next parameter. These subroutines are used in almost every command, so it largely simplifies the code. Some commands requiring users to provide operating mode, such as SORTW, can be simplified by using function pointer. In this case, all codes except comparator can be implemented only once. Two comparators are pointed by an address register, which is called in program to compare two words.

4. Feature Suggestions

To improve this program, the command interpreter can be modified. Now the interpreter has few error checking capabilities, which might cause illegal instruction to be executed. To make the program more robust, input address length should be checked, and text should be checked to make sure it's wrapped by single quotes. Also, codes can be added to ignore leading spaces, which makes the monitor easier to use.

5. Conclusion

In this project, I wrote assembly code to receive user input, execute commands and handle exceptions. Knowledges applied in this project include linked list, sorting algorithm, searching substring algorithm and exception vectors. While interpreting user input, all kinds of illegal input should be considered and detected. This requires me to test my program with different inputs. Debugging the code is an important in this project, because some subroutines are too long to be inspected manually.

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