

Lab2 ARM Assembly I

實驗二 ARM Assembly I

1. Lab objectives 實驗目的

Familiar with basic ARMv7 assembly language.

In this Lab, we will learn topics below.

- How to use conditional branch to finish the loop.
- How to use logic and arithmetic instructions.
- How to use registers and basic function parameter passing.
- How to access memory and array.

熟悉基本ARMv7組合語言語法使用。

在這次實驗中需要同學了解

- 如何利用條件跳躍指令完成程式迴圈的操作
- 算數與邏輯操作指令使用
- 暫存器(Register)使用與基本函式參數傳遞
- 記憶體與陣列存取

2. Theory **實驗**原理

Please check the part of course materials of assembly language.

請參考上課Assembly部分講義。

3. Steps 實驗步驟

3.1. Hamming distance

計算兩個數長度為half-word(2bytes)的漢明距離, 並將結果存放至result變數中。 Please calculate the Hamming distance of 2 half-word (2 bytes) numbers, and store the result into the variable "result".

```
.data
result: .byte 0
.text
.global main
.equ X, 0x55AA
.equ Y, 0xAA55
```



```
hamm:
    //TODO
    bx lr
main:
    movs R0, #X //This code will cause assemble error. Why? And how
to fix.
    movs R1, #Y
    ldr R2, =result
    bl hamm
L: b L
```

Note: 漢明距離主要是利用XOR計算兩數bit間差異個數,計算方式可參考下列 連結。

Note: Hamming distance is basically using the XOR function to calculate the different number of "bits" of two numbers. Please check the following link for more information.

Reference: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hamming distance

3.2. Fibonacci serial

宣告一數值 $N(1 \le N \le 100)$,計算Fib(N)並將回傳值存放至R4暫存器

Declare a number N($1 \le N \le 100$) and calculate the Fibonacci serial Fib(N). Store the result into register R4.

```
.text
    .global main
    .equ N, 20

fib:
    //TODO
    bx lr
main:
    movs R0, #N
    bl fib
L: b L
```

Note: 回傳值格式為signed integer, 若Fib[N]結果 overflow的話回傳-2, 當N數值 出過範圍時fib回傳-1, 計算方式可參考下列連結

Note: The returned value should be in signed integer format. If the result of Fib(N) overflows, you should return -2. If the value of N is outside the accepted range, you should return -1. Check the following link for more details of the calculation.

Reference: https://it.wikipedia.org/wiki/Successione di Fibonacci

3.3. Bubble sort

利用組合語言完成長度為8byte的8bit泡沫排序法。

Please implement the Bubble sort algorithm for the 8 bytes data array with each element in 8bits by assembly.

實作要求:完成do_sort函式,其中陣列起始記憶體位置作為輸入參數R0,程式 結束後需觀察arr1與arr2記憶體內容是否有排序完成。

Implementation Requirement: Fill-in the do sort function. The start address of the



array is store in the R0 register. Observe the result of arr1 and arr2 in the memory viewer after calling the do_sort functions. The two arrays should be sorted.

```
.data
    arr1: .byte 0x19, 0x34, 0x14, 0x32, 0x52, 0x23, 0x61, 0x29
    arr2: .byte 0x18, 0x17, 0x33, 0x16, 0xFA, 0x20, 0x55, 0xAC
.text
    .global main
do_sort:
    //TODO
    bx 1r
main:
    ldr r0, =arr1
    bl do_sort
    ldr r0, =arr2
    bl do_sort
L: b L
```

Note: 注意記憶體存取需使用byte alignment指令,例如: STRB, LDRB

Note: The memory access may require the instructions that support byte-alignment, such as STRB, LDRB.