# **CS F342 Computer Architecture**

Semester 1 – 2020-21 Lab Sheet 10 & 11

Goals for the Lab: We build up on prior labs and Exploring sorting techniques using

# MIPS Exercise 1:

Write a program to implement C bubble sort program given below in MIPS.

```
C program code:
int main()
       int Sz = 10;
       int List[10] = {17, 5, 92, 87,41, 10, 23, 55, 72, 36};
       int Stop, // $s3: upper limit for pass
       Curr, //$s0: index of current value in comparison
      Next, // $s1: index of successor to current value
       Temp; // $s2: temp storage for swap
       for (Stop = Sz-1; Stop > 0; Stop)
       {
              for (Curr = 0; Curr < Stop; Curr++)</pre>
                    Next = Curr + 1;
                    if ( List[Curr] > List[Next] )
                           Temp = List[Curr];
                           List[Curr] = List[Next];
                           List[Next] = Temp;
                     }
      printf("Sorted list in ascending order:\n");
       for (Curr = 0; Curr < Stop; Curr++)</pre>
      printf("%d\n", List[Curr]);
}
```

*Hint*:: To convert Curr to offset you can use sll \$t4, \$t2, 2 or similar where \$t2 is Curr, \$t4 is offset from starting address of buffer abd shift of 2 implies multiplying by 4.

Partial assembly code: (Highlighted part is complete)

```
.data
list: .word 17, 5, 92, 87,41, 10, 23, 55, 72, 36
space: .asciiz " "
.text
main:
li $$\$r$,10 \#\size \ of \ the \ list(\sz)
addi $$\$s3,\$\$r$,-1 \# \$\$s3 = \ Stop = \ sz-1

#Write \ the \ loop, \ swap \ code \ here
exit: \#\print \ the \ array
```

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la $t0,list
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li \$t2,0 #as a counter while printing the

list print:

lw \$a0,(\$t0) #load current word in \$a0 li

### \$v0,1

syscall #print the current word syscall

addi \$t0,\$t0,4 addi

\$t2,\$t2,1 blt #print space in b/w \$t2,\$s7,print words #point to next word #counter++

li \$v0,10 syscall

# Exercise 2:

Write a program to implement above program but store floating point numbers instead of integer.

Hint: Use commands swc1, lwc1, c.le.s, bc1f, bc1t

Comparison of FP values sets a code in a special register and Branch instructions jump depending on the value of the code:

```
c.le.s f2, f4 \# if f2 \le f4  then code = 1 else code = 0
```

bc1f label #if code == 0 then jump to label

bc1t label # if code == 1 then jump to label

### **Exercise 3:**

Write a program to implement C Insertion sort program given below in MIPS.

### C program code:

```
int main()
{
  int n = 5;
  int array[5] = { 5, 3, 4, 2, 1 };
```

```
int c = 0;
 int d = 0;
 int t = 0;
 for (c = 1 ; c \le n - 1; c++)
 d = c;
 while (d > 0 \&\& array[d] < array[d - 1]) {
 t = array[d];
 array[d] = array[d - 1];
 array[d - 1] = t;
 for (c = 0; c \le n - 1; c++)
 printf("%d\n", array[c]);
 return 0;
Partial assembly code:
array: .word 0: 1000 # an array of word, for storing values.
size: .word 5 # actual count of the elements in the array.
sort_prep:
       la $t0, array #load array to $t0.
       lw $t1, size # load array size to $t1.
       li $t2, 1 # loop runner, starting from 1.
sort_xloop:
       la $t0, array #load array to $t0.
       bge t2, t1, sort_xloop_end # while (t2 < t1).
       move $t3, $t2 # copy $t2 to $t3.
sort_iloop:
       la $t0, array #load array to $t0.
       mul $t5, $t3, 4 # multiply $t3 with 4, and store in $t5
        add $t0, $t0, $t5 # add the array address with $t5, which is the index multiplied with 4. ble $t3, $zero,
       sort_iloop_end # while (t3 > 0).
       lw $t7, 0($t0) #load array[$t3] to $t7.
       lw $t6, -4($t0) # load array[$t3 - 1] to $t6.
       bge t7, t6, sort_iloop_end # while (array[t3] < array[t3 - 1]).
       lw $t4, 0($t0)
        sw $t6, 0($t0)
        sw $t4, -4($t0)
        subi $t3, $t3, 1
       j sort_iloop # jump back to the beginning of the sort_iloop.
sort_iloop_end:
        addi $t2, $t2, 1 # increment loop runner by 1.
       j sort_xloop # jump back to the beginning of the sort_xloop.
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sort_xloop_end:
        li $v0, 4 # 4 = print_string syscall.
        la $a0, sorted_array_string# load sorted_array_string to argument register $a0.
        syscall #issue a system call.
        li v0, 4 # 4 = print string syscall.
        la $a0, line # load line to argument register $a0.
        syscall #issue a system call.
        jal print # call print routine.
Exercise 4:
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Observe the sample code given below and Write a program to implement merge sort program in

### MIPS. partial code:

#### mergesort:

```
addi $sp, $sp, -16 # Adjust stack pointer
sw $ra, 0($sp) # Store the return address on the stack
sw $a0, 4($sp) # Store the array start address on the stack
sw $a1, 8($sp) # Store the array end address on the stack
sub $t0, $a1, $a0 #Calculate the difference between the start and end address (i.e. number of elements * 4) ble
$t0, 4, mergesortend # If the array only contains a single element, just return
sr1 $t0, $t0, 3 # Divide the array size by 8 to half the number of elements (shift right 3 bits) sl1 $t0, $t0, 2 #
Multiple that number by 4 to get half of the array size (shift left 2 bits) add $a1, $a0, $t0 # Calculate the
midpoint address of the array
sw $a1, 12($sp) # Store the array midpoint address on the stack jal mergesort #
```

Call recursively on the first half of the array

lw \$a0, 12(\$sp) # Load the midpoint address of the array from the stack lw \$a1, 8(\$sp) #Load the end address of the array from the stack

jal mergesort #Call recursively on the second half of the array

lw \$a0, 4(\$sp) # Load the array start address from the stack lw \$a1, 12(\$sp) # Load the array midpoint address from the stack lw \$a2, 8(\$sp) #Load the array end address from the stack

jal merge # Merge the two array halves

#### mergesortend:

```
lw $ra, 0($sp) # Load the return address from the stack
addi $sp, $sp, 16 # Adjust the stack pointer
jr $ra # Return
```

### Exercise 5:

Write a MIPS Program to implement Quick sort (Home Work) Exercise 6:

Observe the sample code given below and Write a program to implement Binary search program in

# MIPS. partial code:

### .data

msg\_inputList: .asciiz "Please enter positive numbers in ascending order and a 0 to terminate\n" msg\_searchList: .asciiz "Please enter a number to initSearch for\n"

#### initSearchList:

li \$v0, 4 # syscall 4 (print\_str) la \$a0, msg\_searchList # load the search items input message syscall # execute message print

li \$s2, 0 # set search items counter to 0

#### searchList:

li \$v0, 5 # syscall 5 (read\_int) syscall # execute int reading move \$t1, \$v0 # move int to \$t1 blez \$v0, initSearch # start search if 0 was entered

li \$v0, 9 # syscall 4 (sbrk) la \$a0, 4 # 4 bytes allocated for ints syscall # execute memory allocation

li \$t0, 4 # 4 bytes for an int add \$t2, \$s4, \$s2 # length of the list is counter1 + counter 2 mul \$t0, \$t2, \$t0 # length of the input storage address space add \$t0, \$t0, \$s1 # calculate end of address spaces move \$s3, \$t0 # store end of address space sw \$t1, (\$t0) # store input on the heap addi \$s2, \$s2, 1 # counter++

j searchList # take next input

### initSearch:

move \$t6, \$s5 # store end address of input items move \$t7, \$s3 # store end address of search items

#### search:

move \$t5, \$s5 # store end address of input items beq \$t7, \$t6, exit # if there's nothing to search, exit Exercise 7:

Observe the sample code given below and Write a program to implement Heap sort program in

## MIPS. partial code:

```
.text
.globl main
main:
1a \$a0, array #a0 = &array
la $t0, size
1w \$a1, 0(\$t0) \#a1 = size(array)
jal heapsort # print the array
move $t0, $a0
add $t1, $zero, $zero
heapsort: # a0 = &array, a1 = size(array)
addi $sp, $sp, -12
sw $a1, 0($sp) # save size
sw $a2, 4($sp) # save a2
sw $ra, 8($sp) # save return address
heapsort_loop: # swap(array[0],array[n])
lw $t0, 0($a0)
sll $t1, $a2, 2 #t1 = bytes(n)
add $t1, $t1, $a0
lw $t2, 0($t1)
sw $t0, 0($t1)
sw $t2, 0($a0)
addi $a2, $a2, -1 # n--
jal bubble_down # a0 = & array, a1 = 0, a2 = n
bnez $a2, heapsort_loop
make_heap: # a0 = &array, a1 = size
addi $sp, $sp, -12
sw $a1, 0($sp)
sw $a2, 4($sp)
sw $ra, 8($sp)
addi a2, a1, a2 = size - 1
addi $a1, $a1, -1 # start_index = size - 1
srl $a1, $a1, 1 # start_index /= 2
blt $a1, $zero, end_make_heap # if(start_index < 0) return
make heap loop:
jal bubble_down # a0 = &array, a1 = start_index, a2 = size-1
addi $a1, $a1, -1
ble $zero, $a1, make_heap_loop
```

# Exercise 8:

Write a program to implement C Selection sort program given below in

# MIPS. C program code:

```
int main() {
   int arr [10] = \{6, 12, 0, 18, 11, 99, 55, 45, 34, 2\};
   int n=10;
   int i, j, position, swap;
   for (i = 0; i < (n - 1); i++) {
      position = i;
      for (j = i + 1; j < n; j++) {
         if (arr[position] > arr[j])
            position = j;
      if (position != i) {
         swap = arr[i];
         arr[i] = arr[position];
         arr[position] = swap;
   for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
      printf("%d\t", arr[i]);
   return 0;
}
```