

**Assignment for Laboratory 5**  
**HW Computer**  
Instruction Set Architecture  
and  
Microarchitecture  
*Computer Science 240*

Watch the video and refer to the notes listed on the lab page to answer the following questions about the **HW** computer we will be implementing in lab this week.

1. How many bits are there in each **HW** instruction?

2. Assuming an opcode is 4 bits, how many possible instructions could be encoded in the **HW** instruction set (note that this does not ask how many we have listed, it asks how many are possible)?

3. How many bits are used to encode a register used as an operand in an instruction?

3. What assembly language instruction is represented by the hexadecimal value 0x5012 (each digit represents 4 bits). Describe what you expect the instruction to do.

4. What is the 16-bit binary form of the following instruction?

ADD R1, R1, R4

5. What are the contents of Register 1 and Register 4 after this instruction is executed?

6. Given the following instruction stored at address 8 in memory:

<u>PC/Address</u>	<u>Instruction</u>
8	BEQ R5 R6 0xC

Assume register 5 contains 0XFFFE, and register 6 contains 0XFFFE and that the offset is presented as a hexadecimal digit which represents a signed, 4-bit, two's complement value.

After this instruction is executed, what will be the address of the next instruction?

7. Repeat question 6, but assume that the original value of register 5 = 0003, and register 6 = 0002. What will be the address of the next instruction?