

CS 240
Laboratory 8 Assignment
X86 Disassembly and Reverse Engineering

On the left below is the C code for a function **test_prime**.

On the right below is the corresponding X86 code produced by compiling the C code for the function **test_prime**

C code	X86 code
	<u>Address</u> <u>Instruction</u>
long int test_prime (long int num) {	0x0000000000400478 : mov %rdi,-0x18(%rsp)
	0x000000000040047c : movq \$0x2,-0x8(%rsp)
	0x0000000000400484 : jmp 0x4004a9
for (long int i =2; i <= num/2;++i) {	
if (num % i == 0) {	0x0000000000400485: mov -0x18(%rsp),%rax
	0x0000000000400486: movq \$0x0,%rdx
	0x0000000000400491: idivq -0x8(%rsp)
	0x0000000000400495: mov %rdx,%rax
	0x0000000000400498: test %rax,%rax
	0x000000000040049b: jne 0x4004a4
return 0;	0x000000000040049d: mov \$0x0,%rax
}	0x00000000004004a2: jmp 0x4004c7
	0x00000000004004a4: addq \$0x1,-0x8(%rsp)
	0x00000000004004a9: mov -0x18(%rsp),%rax
	0x00000000004004b8: sar %rax
	0x00000000004004bb: cmp -0x8(%rsp),%rax
}	0x00000000004004bf: jge 0x400485
return 1;	0x00000000004004c1: mov \$0x1,%rax
}	0x00000000004004c7: retq

Answer the questions below assuming that *test_prime* is called with **num = 7**

1. What is the starting address of **test_prime** in memory?
2. What register is the argument stored in when the assembler code begins execution?
3. Circle and label the statements (there are two) that set the return value for the function.
4. Circle and label the X86 statements that test the condition in the **for** loop. Describe how $\text{num}/2$ is calculated in this code:
5. Circle and label the X86 statements that implement testing the conditional for the *if* statement in the body of the loop.
6. Look up the *idivq* X86 instruction, and explain how the $\text{num}\%2$ is accomplished with the given code: