

Solutions

Each answer shows the steps, then the **result**.

2.1

- logical shift left one place: insert 0 at the right
- 00000101 $\rightarrow$ 00001010; denary 5 $\rightarrow$ 10

2.2

- it **halves** the number (integer $\div 2$)

2.3

- bit 2 is the third bit from the right, so the mask is 00000100
- operation **OR**: R OR 00000100

2.4

- a left shift of 3 places multiplies by $2^3 = 8$

3.1

(a) logical shift left two places

- 00000110 $\rightarrow$ 00011000; denary 24

(b) it **multiplies the value by 4**

3.2

(a) mask 00000001, operation **OR** (R OR 00000001)

(b) mask 00001000, operation **AND** (R AND 00001000)

- if the result is non-zero, LED 3 is on

3.3

- a logical shift puts a **0** into the top bit, which would make a negative number look positive
- an arithmetic shift **copies the sign bit**, so the number stays negative

3.4

- a logical shift fills the vacated end with **0** and the bit shifted off the other end is **lost**
- a cyclic shift feeds that bit **back in** at the other end, so no bits are lost

3.5

(a) OR B00000001 (or OR #1, or OR &01)

- ACC becomes 01101101

(b) AND B10111111

- the mask is 1 everywhere **except** bit 6, so every other bit survives the AND unchanged

(c) AND B00000100

- the AND leaves every other bit zero, so ACC is **non-zero** only if bit 2 was 1
- the program then branches on whether ACC is zero

(d) LSR #3 on 10011110 $\rightarrow$ 00010011

- XOR B00001111 flips the low four bits $\rightarrow$ 00011100
- LSL #2 $\rightarrow$ 01110000

(e) an arithmetic shift copies the **sign bit** into the vacated places

- 10011110 $\rightarrow$ 11110011
- the logical shift in (d) put zeros in, turning a negative number positive; the arithmetic shift keeps it negative, which is what halving a negative number must do

(f)

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  10110101
+ 01011010
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 100001111
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- nine bits; the 8-bit answer is 00001111 with an **overflow** bit of 1
- as unsigned 8-bit integers the result is **not valid**: $181 + 90 = 271$, which will not fit in 8 bits