

This algorithm takes an ASCII string of three decimal digits and converts it into a binary number. R0 is used to collect the result. R1 keeps track of how many digits are left to process. ASCIIBUFF contains the most significant digit in the ASCII string.

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ASCIIToBinary    AND    R0,R0,#0      ; R0 will be used for our result
                  ADD    R1,R1,#0      ; Test number of digits.
                  BRZ   DoneAtoB     ; There are no digits

                  LD     R3,NegASCIIOffset ; R3 gets xFFD0, i.e., -x0030
                  LEA   R2,ASCIIBUFF
                  ADD   R2,R2,R1
                  ADD   R2,R2,#-1      ; R2 now points to "ones" digit

                  LDR   R4,R2,#0      ; R4 <-- "ones" digit
                  ADD   R4,R4,R3      ; Strip off the ASCII template
                  ADD   R0,R0,R4      ; Add ones contribution

                  ADD   R1,R1,#-1      ; The original number had one digit
                  BRZ   DoneAtoB     ; R2 now points to "tens" digit

                  LDR   R4,R2,#0      ; R4 <-- "tens" digit
                  ADD   R4,R4,R3      ; Strip off ASCII template
                  LEA   R5,LookUp10   ; LookUp10 is BASE of tens values
                  ADD   R5,R5,R4      ; R5 points to the right tens value
                  LDR   R4,R5,#0
                  ADD   R0,R0,R4      ; Add tens contribution to total

                  ADD   R1,R1,#-1      ; The original number had two digits
                  BRZ   DoneAtoB     ; R2 now points to "hundreds" digit

                  LDR   R4,R2,#0      ; R4 <-- "hundreds" digit
                  ADD   R4,R4,R3      ; Strip off ASCII template
                  LEA   R5,LookUp100  ; LookUp100 is hundreds BASE
                  ADD   R5,R5,R4      ; R5 points to hundreds value
                  LDR   R4,R5,#0
                  ADD   R0,R0,R4      ; Add hundreds contribution to total

DoneAtoB        RET
NegASCIIOffset .FILL  xFFD0
ASCIIBUFF       .BLKW  4
LookUp10        .FILL  #0
                 .FILL  #10
                 .FILL  #20
                 .FILL  #30
                 .FILL  #40
                 .FILL  #50
                 .FILL  #60
                 .FILL  #70
                 .FILL  #80
                 .FILL  #90

LookUp100       .FILL  #0
                 .FILL  #100
                 .FILL  #200
                 .FILL  #300
                 .FILL  #400
                 .FILL  #500
                 .FILL  #600
                 .FILL  #700
                 .FILL  #800
                 .FILL  #900
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