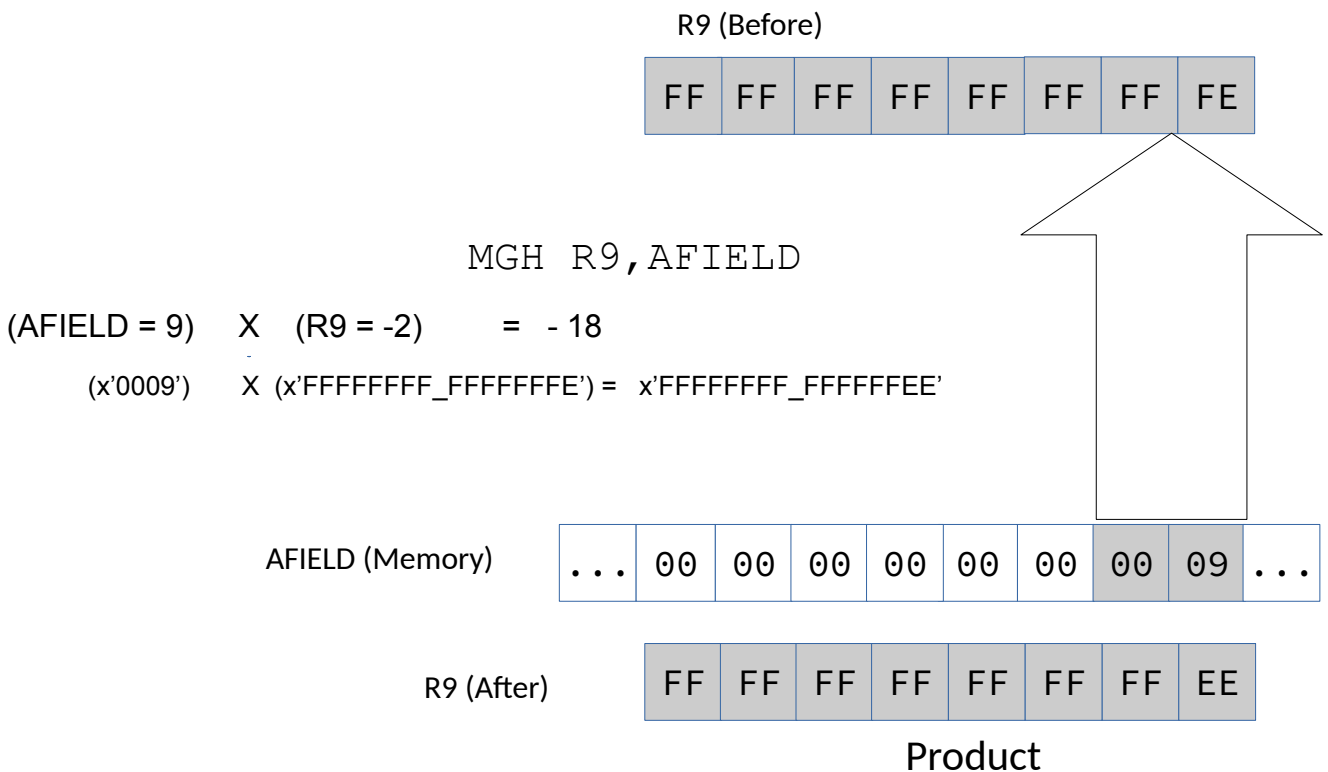


MGH (Multiply Grande Halfword) computes the product of a signed-binary halfword in memory (operand 2) with a signed-binary doubleword in the bits 0-63 of the general register R1. The 64-bit product is a signed binary integer and is placed in bits 0-63 of R1.

The sign of the product is determined by the rules of algebra. A zero product produces a positive sign. Overflows occur are not detected. The condition code is unchanged by this operation.

MGH provides a five hexadecimal digit displacement, DH₂DH₂DL₂DL₂DL₂, which is treated as a 20-bit signed binary integer. As a result, operand 2 can be defined approximately one half megabyte before or after the base address in B2.

Consider the following example,



Since **MGH** is an RXY-a instruction, an index register may be coded as part of operand 2.

Examples

Some Unrelated Multiply Grandes Halfwords

```
R4 = X'00000000_00000005'      +5
R5 = X'FFFFFFFF_FFFFFFFF8'      -8
R6 = X'7FFFFFFF_FFFFFFFF'      9,223,372,036,854,775,807 =
                                LARGEST POSITIVE VALUE
```

```
                DS 0D
AFIELD  DC  XL2'0002'          +2
BFIELD  DC  XL2'FFFF'          -1
CFIELD  DC  XL2'CDEF'          +52,719
```

After Operation Completes

```
MGH  R4,AFIELD      R4 = X'00000000_0000000A'      +10
MGH  R4,BFIELD      R4 = X'FFFFFFFF_FFFFFFFFB'      -5
MGH  R5,CFIELD      R5 = X'FFFFFFFF_FFF99088'      -421,752
MGH  R6,AFIELD      R6 = X'FFFFFFFF_FFFFFFFFE'      -2  OVERFLOW
                                                UNDETECTED
```



Tips

- 1) When working with 64-bit registers, it helps to have a programmer's calculator where you can control the number of bits.