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### Assignment No 3

1) Using the value -35 write it an integer literal in decimal, hexadecimal, octal and binary formats that are consistent with MASMk Syntax.

Ans: -35d, 00h, 335o, 1101110110

2) Write the real number  $-6.9 \times 10^4$  as a real number literal using MASMk Syntax.

Ans: -62E + 04

3) which statement halts the assembly language program?

Ans: The exit statement (indirectly) call a predefined MS-window function that halts the program. The ENDP direct marks the end of the main procedure. The END main direct marks the last line of the program to be assembled. DATA Type Essential characteristics. Size in bit 8, 16, 32, 48, 64 and 80.

4) what is a calling convention, and how is it used in assembly language declaration.

Ans: A calling convention determines how parameters are passed to subroutines.

and how the stack is restored after the subroutine call.

5) Why might you use a symbolic constant rather than an integer literal in your code?

Ans :- An integer literal, such as 48, has no direct meaning to someone reading the program's source code. Instead, a symbolic constant such as STUDENT\_COUNT can be assigned an integer value and is self-documenting.

6) How is a source file different from a listing file?

Ans A source file is given as input to the assembler. A listing file has additional text that will not assemble. It is a file that is created by the assembler and it is optionally generated.

7) How are data labels and code labels different?

Ans :- DATA labels exist in the data segment as variable offsets. Code labels are in the code segment and are offsets for transfer of control instructions. A code label is followed by a colon, but a data label does not with a colon.

8) what type of files are produced by the assembler and linker?

Ans The main output produced by assembler on input assembly language source file is the translation of the file into an object file in (ELF). ELF files produced by the assembler are relocatable files that hold code and/or data. They are input files for the linker.

9) which Operating System component reads and executes programs?

Ans :- A monolithic kernel runs all the operating system instructions in the same address space for speed. A microkernel runs most processes in user space for modularity. This central component of a computer system is responsible for running or executing program.

Ans The loader.

10) Declare an unsigned 16-bit integer variable named worry that uses three initializers.

Ans :- WArray word 10, 20, 30.

11) Declare a string variable containing that name of your favorite color. Initialize it as a null-terminated string.

Ans :: my\_color BYTE "blue" 0.

12) Write a statement that causes the assembler to calculate the number of bytes in the following array, and assign the value to a symbolic constant named Array Size.

```
myArray DWORD 20 Dup (?)
```

Ans Array Size = (\$ - myArray)

13) Show how to calculate the number of element in the following array, and assign the value to a symbolic constant named Array Size :

```
myArray DWORD 30 Dup (?)
```

Ans :: Array Size = (\$ - myArray) / TYPE DWORD

14) create an uninitialized for a data declaration for a 8-bit, 16 bit and 32 bit unsigned and signed integer.

Ans 5 signed - var 2 S BYTE

\* 16-bit signed integer.

\* var 1 S WORD

\* 8-bit unsigned integer.

\* var 2 BYTE

\* 32 bit signed integer.

\* S D WORD

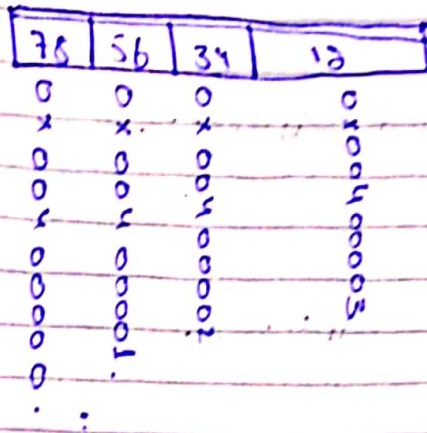
15) Create a definition for a doubleword that stored in memory in little endian format.

Little Endian :- The least significant byte (the "little end") of the data is placed at the byte with the lowest address. The rest of the data is placed in order in the next bytes in memory.

\* In these definition, the data a 32-bit patterns in regarded as a 32-bit

unsigned integer. The "most significant" byte of two is  $2^7$  .....  $2^0$ . The "smallest" power of two is  $2^7$  .....  $2^0$ .

For example say that the 32-bit pattern 0x12345678 is stored at address 0x00400000



16) Show the order of individual bytes in memory (lowest to highest) for the following double word.

```
Variable : var1 DWORD
          87654321h
```

True or false : The following is a valid data definition of statement.

```
Var 1 BYTE 0Ah, 255
```

Write the assembly program to compute following expression.

$$AL = BL + val$$

val is an 8-bit variable.

Q7) Differentiate b/w equal sign directive and EQU directive.

Ans :-

Equal - Sign Directive :

The equal sign directive associates a symbol name with an integer expression.

This syntax is

$$\text{name} = \text{Expression}$$

- Expression is a 32-bit integer
- May be redefined.
- Name is called a symbolic constant

EQU - directive .

- Define a symbol as either an integer or text expression



- cannot be redefined.

18) Name the four basic part of an assembly language instruction.

Ans :- [ label : ] mnemonic [ operands ]  
[ ; comment ].

19) Show an example of a block comment?

Ans :- COMMENT !

First line comment.

Second line comment.

20) you do not

20) why it is not good idea to use numeric addresses when writing instructions that access variables?

Ans :- You do not use numeric addresses (offsets) for variables because the addresses would change if new variables were inserted before the existing ones.

21) what type of argument must be passed to the `Exit` Process procedure?

Ans :: An integer, preferably 0.

22) create a single integer expression that use all the operators. calculate the value of the expression.

Ans ::  $(5+1)(-2+3)*2 \text{ mod } 5 = 2$

23) what type of arguments must be passed to the `Exit` process procedure?

Ans :: mode Small  
386  
Stack 100h

data  
Sunday = 0

Monday = 1

Tuesday = 2

wednesday = 3

Thursday = 4

Friday = 5  
Saturday = 6

Days = DB Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,  
Thursday, Friday, Saturday

• code

main:

```
mov ax, @data
mov ds, ax
; Just for test; print the first value.
```

```
mov ah, 0ah
mov di, days
add di, 30h
int 21h
```

```
mov ah, 4ch
int 21h
```

end main.

24) Declare an array of 100 uninitialized unsigned double word value.

Ans :: my Array Dword 100 (?)

25) X Declare an array of 100 uninitialized unsigned double word X

25) Declare an array of byte and initialize it to the first 5 letter of the alphabets.

Ans :- my Array BYTE 'A', 'B', 'C', 'D', 'E'

26) Find out if you can declare a variable of type DWORD and assign it a negative value.

Ans :-  
vq11 DWORD 12345678h ; unsigned  
vq13 DWORD 20 Dup (?); unsigned.

27) Discuss the following MASK directives.

Ans :- Stack directive :-  
The stack directive tell how many bytes of memory to reserve for the runtime stacks.  
4096 happen to correspond to the size

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of a memory Page in this processor system  
for managing memory.

• MODEL :-

This tells the assembler which memory modes to use. In 32-bit program, we use the flat memory mode which is associated with the processor's protected mode.

• 386 :-

mode flat .  
• stack 4096  
Exit Process PROTO  
dwExit code : DWORD.

The 386 directive identifies it as a 32-bit program. Line 2 uses the flat memory mode, and window requires the Model conversation to be used.

Line 3 set aside 4096 bytes of storage.  
Line 4 declares a photo type for the Exit process function.

• CODE :-

• code  
main PROC:

it is the beginning of the code area.

of the program (meaning } what's afterward  
is usually the main procedure).

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• DATA :-

- The DATA directive creates a near data segment.
- This DATA segment contain the frequently used data for your program.
- DATA segment can occupy
  - ▢ up to 64K in MS-DOS
  - ▢ or up to 512 megabyte under flat mode0 in window NT.

★ • PROTO :-

The PROTO directive's by using the INVOKE directive.

Syntax :-

label PROTO [distance] [language-type]  
[parameter] : tag ... ]

Parameter :-

distance (32-bit MASM only).  
(optional) used in 16-bit memory mode0 to override the default and indicate Near NEAR or FAR calls.

\* PROC :- Marks start and end of a procedure block called label!

The statement in the block can be called with the call instruction or INVOKE directives.

Syntax :-  
\* label PROC [distance] [language-type] [PUBLIC | PRIVATE | EXPORT] [  
[ < prototype arg > ]

- \* [ USES regist ] [ parameter [ : tag ] ... ]
- \* [ FRAME [ : eh handler - address ] ]

Statement  
label End.

\* ENDP :- Marks the end of procedure name previously begun with PROC.

Syntax :-  
name ENDP

• answer • 101

Remarks :- see PROC

★ END :- directive for END of FILE command. That's END of FILE. Here as you are using "main" you have to end it with.

- Simply know that the Assembler need END directives to end the file. END can be written without Main just end the file with END.

Now ENDP denotes END of PROCEDURE here procedure id "main" so, before ending the file, End the "main" procedure. you have to end the procedure.

Q8) Give examples of three different instruction mnemonics having zero, one, and two operands.

Ans One Operands :-



```
inc eax ; register
inc myByte ; memory.
```

Two Operands :-

```
add ebx, eax ; register, register
sub myByte, 25 ; memory, constant
add eax, 36 * 25 ; register, constant-expression
```

Zero Operands :-

```
stc ; set carry flag.
```

Q9) Write a program that defines symbolic names for several string literals (character blw quotes). Use each symbolic name in a variables definition.

```
Ans :-
• 386
• model flat, Stdcall
• Stack 4096
Exit Process PROTO,
dw Exit code: DWORD
Str 1 EQU <" Hadiqa", 0 >
Str 2 EQU <" Iqra", 0 >
Str 3 EQU <" Aqsa", 0 >
• data
```

First BYTE Str 1  
 Second BYTE Str 2  
 Third BYTE Str 3

• code  
 main PROC

INVOKE ExitProcess, 0  
 main ENDP  
 END Main.

30) Write a program that contain two instruction  
 (1) add the number 5 to the EAX register  
 and (2) add 5 to the EDX register.  
 Generate a listing file and examine  
 the machine code generated by the assembler.  
 what the different, if any, did you  
 find b/w the two instruction.

Ans 1 :-  
 • add the number 5 to the  
 EAX register  
 • add 5 to the EDX register

\* Submit the following :-

- Last name 1 . asm
- whatever the name - ~~first~~ 1st
- answer : Pdf

a)  $EAX = -val\ 2 + 7 - val\ 3 + val\ 1$   
 Assume that  $val\ 1$ ,  $val\ 2$  and  $val\ 3$  are 16-bit number integer variables.

Submit the following:-

- last name 2 . asm.

31) write a program that calculate the following expression using register.

$$A = (A+B) - (C+D)$$

Assign integer value to the EAX, EBX, ECX and EDX register.

Ans :-

- 386

- model flat, std call

- stack 4096

Exit Process PROTO, dw Exit code : DWORD

- code  
main PROC

```
mov eax, 3h
```

```
mov ebx, 8h
```

```
mov ecx, 1h
```

```
mov edx, 8h
```

```
add  eax, ebx
add  ecx, edx
sub  eax, ecx
```

```
INVOKE ExitProcess, 0
main ENDP
END main
```

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