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Q1. Solve the following

1/ (a) $64_{10} = (?)_2$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 2 & 64 \\ \hline 2 & 32 - 0 \\ \hline 2 & 16 - 0 \\ \hline 2 & 8 - 0 \\ \hline 2 & 4 - 0 \\ \hline 2 & 2 - 0 \\ \hline & 1 - 0 \end{array}$$

$$64_{10} = (1000000)_2$$

1/ (b)

$$\begin{aligned} (01111111)_2 &= (?)_{10} \\ &= (0 \times 2^7) + (1 \times 2^6) + (1 \times 2^5) + (1 \times 2^4) + (1 \times 2^3) + (1 \times 2^2) + \\ &\quad (1 \times 2^1) + (1 \times 2^0) \\ &= 0 + 64 + 32 + 16 + 8 + 4 + 2 + 1 \\ &= 127 \end{aligned}$$

1/ (c) $4D7F_{16} = (?)_{10}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (4 \times 16^3) + (13 \times 16^2) + (7 \times 16^1) + (15 \times 16^0) \\ &= (4 \times 4096) + (13 \times 256) + (7 \times 16) + (15 \times 1) \\ &= 16384 + 3328 + 112 + 15 \\ &= 19839 \end{aligned}$$

1/ (d) $128_{10} = (?)_{16}$

$$128_{10} = (80)_{16}$$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 16 & 128 \\ \hline & 8 - 0 \end{array}$$

Q1 part (e)

$$3A6F_{16} = (?)$$

3	A	6	F
0011	1010	0110	1111

$$(0011101001101111)_2$$

Q1 part (f)

$$110000111100101_2 = (?)_{16}$$

$\frac{1100}{C}$	$\frac{0011}{3}$	$\frac{1110}{E}$	$\frac{0101}{5}$
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$$(C3E5)_{16}$$

Q1 part (g)

$$11111111_2 = \pm (?)_{10}$$

MSB is 1 shows the number is negative

$$-(1 \times 2^7) + (1 \times 2^6) + (1 \times 2^5) + (1 \times 2^4) + (1 \times 2^3)$$

$$+ (1 \times 2^2) + (1 \times 2^1) + (1 \times 2^0)$$

$$= -128 + (64 + 32 + 16 + 8 + 4 + 2 + 1)$$

$$= -128 + 127$$

$$= -1$$

Q1 part (h)

~~$$-16_{10} = (?)_2$$~~

Q1 part (k)

$$(-16)_{10} = (?)_2$$

$$\begin{array}{r|l} 2 & 16 \\ \hline 2 & 8 - 0 \\ 2 & 4 - 0 \\ 2 & 2 - 0 \\ 2 & 1 - 0 \end{array}$$

$$(00010000)_2,$$

Taking 2's complement

$$\begin{array}{r} 00010000 \\ \hline 11101111 \end{array}$$

+ 1

$$\hline (11110000)_2 \text{ Ans.}$$

Q1 part (i)

$$(01111111)_2 - (00000111)_2$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 01111111 \\ - 00000111 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$01111000$$

Taking 2's complement

$$10000111$$

+ 1

$$\hline (10001000)_2 \text{ Ans.}$$

Q1 part (j)

6D₁₆ - 3F₁₆

$$\begin{array}{cc}
 \underbrace{6\ D}_{0110} & \underbrace{1101} & - & \underbrace{3}_{0011} & \underbrace{F}_{1111}
 \end{array}$$

6D = 0110 1101

3F = 0011 1111

Just first number of second number.

$$\begin{array}{l}
 0111111 \\
 \hookrightarrow 1000000
 \end{array}$$

Adding both number

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1101101 \\
 1000000 \\
 \hline
 \text{Carry } \textcircled{1} \ 0101101 \\
 \phantom{\text{Carry}} \ 0101101 \\
 \phantom{\text{Carry}} + 1 \\
 \hline
 \underbrace{0010}_{2} \ \underbrace{1110}_{E}
 \end{array}$$

(2E)₁₆ Ans

Question #02

Part a

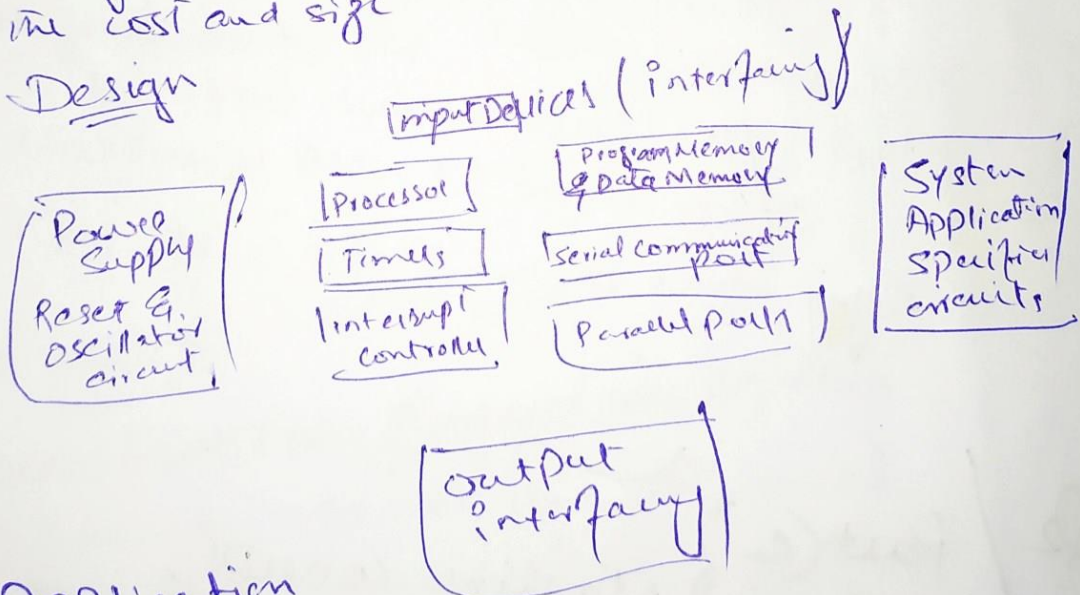
Embedded Systems

The electronic system which integrates the hardware circuitry with software programming techniques for providing project solutions is called as embedded system.

Purpose

By using this embedded system technology the complexity of the circuits can be reduced to a great extent which further reduces the cost and size.

Design



Application

Embedded systems find numerous applications in various fields such as digital, electronics, telecommunications, computing

Networks, smart cards, satellite systems
military defense system equipment,
research equipment & so on —

Q2 / Part (b)

Device Driver

Devices are programs that translate general operating system commands into specific references to hardware details.

Printer manufacturers, for example create different MS-Windows device drivers for each model they sell.

Often these device drivers contain significant amount of assembly language code.

Q2 / Part (c)

Virtual Machine Concept

An effective way to explain how a computer's hardware and software are related is called the virtual machine concept.

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Programming language Analogy?

↳ Each computer has a native machine language ~~is actually constructed above~~ ~~that~~

(Language L₀) that runs directly on its hardware

↳ A more human friendly language is usually constructed above machine language called Language L₁

Program written in L₁ can run two different ways.

* Interpretation: L₀ program interprets & executes L₁ instruction one by one.

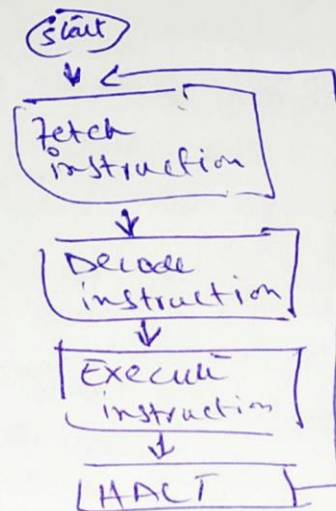
* Translation: L₁ program is completely translated into an L₀ Program which then runs on the computer hardware.

Q2 part D

Instruction Execution cycle :-

↳ the time period during which one instruction is fetched from & executed when computer given an instruction in machine language

- C) Each instruction is further divided into sequence of phases.
- ↳ After execution of program counter is incremented to point the next instruction.



Q2 part e

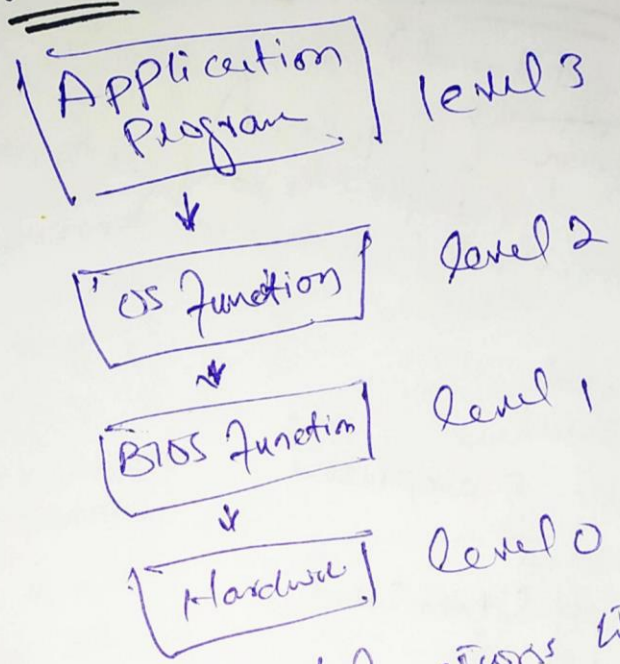
Motherboard Chipset

Living on the motherboard, PC's chipset controls the communication between the CPU, RAM, Storage & other peripherals. The chipset determines how many high speed components or USB devices your motherboard can support.

PC chipset are designed by Intel & AMD but are found on motherboards from a variety of third party vendors such as MSI, ASUS & ASRock.

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Q2 part (7) Access Levels for Input-Output operation



Level 3: Call library functions to perform generic text I/O and file based I/O

Level 2: Call the operating system function. If the OS uses GUI it has function to display graphics in a device independent way.

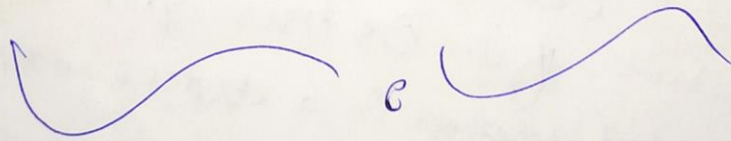
Level 1: Call BIOS function to control color, graphics, sound, keyboard input & low level disk I/O.

Level 0: Send & receive data from H/W ports

Q2 part (g)

Basic part of Assembly language
Instruction

- 1) Label (Optional)
 - 2) ~~Mnemonic~~ Mnemonic (Required)
 - 3) Operand (depends on the instruction)
 - 4) Comment (Optional)
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- Data label
 - code label
 - constant expression
 - constant
 - Memory (data label)
 - register



Question No 03 Differentiate each of the following

Part a

- Assembly language
- ↳ Program written for one processor will not run on another type of processor
 - ↳ Performance & accuracy of Assembly language are better than high level.
 - ↳ Directly read pointers at a physical address
 - ↳ Assembly is used
 - ↳ Should know about registers

- High level language
- ↳ Program runs independently of processor type
 - ↳ It is not as accurate as assembly language.
 - ↳ Not possible to read pointers at a physical address
 - ↳ Compiler is used
 - ↳ Doesn't need to know about ^{detail} hardware like registers

Q3 part b

REAL MODE

- 1) Only 1 MByte of memory can be addressed from hexa decimal 0000 to FFFF
- 2) The processor can only run one program at a time
- 3) Application programs are permitted to access any memory location including address that are directly linked to system H/W
eg. MS DOS

PROTECTED MODE

- 1) It assigns each process a limit of 4 GByte of memory
- 2) Processor can run multiple program at the same time
- 3) Each program can be assigned its own reserved memory area and program are prevented according to accessing each other's code & data
eg. MS Windows, Linux.

Q3 part (c)

Assembler

↳ Translates assembly language program into machine code language. The output of assembler is called an object.

Linker

↳ Computer program that links & merges various object files together in order to make executable file.

Q3 part (d)

Instruction

↳ It's a task to be carried out by the processor at run time. Instruction are assembled into machine code & eventually linked into the final executable.

Directives

↳ It's an instruction to the assembler telling it how to treat the data it's asked to assemble. For instance, it might specify the location in memory where you want the program to be loaded, once it's been assembled.

Q3 part(e)

Code Label

These are just the names which are used by other instructions to jump from particular position to that position where data label is located. It must end with (:)

Code labels are declared in coding of segment.

eg
 target
 mov ax, bpx
 jmp target

Data Label

These are just like variables in any other language.

eg `count dw 1000`
 Data labels are declared in data segment of the code.

Q3 part(f)

Line Comment

Single line comments, beginning with a semicolon character (;). All the character following semicolon on the same line is ignored by assembler.

Block Comment

Beginning with `COMMENT` directive and user-specified symbol. All the subsequent lines of text are ignored by assembler until the same user-specified symbol appears.

`COMMENT!`

Q3 part gEqual Sign Directive

- Syntax
 name = expression
 ↳ expression is 32 bit integer (expression/constant)
 ↳ may be redefined.
 ↳ name is called symbolic constant
- good programming style
 ↳ use symbols
 COUNT = 500
 mov al, count

EQU Directive

- Define a symbol either an integer or text expression
- Can't be redefined.

- Syntax
 name EQU expression
 name EQU symbol
 name EQU <text>

eg.
 matrix EQU 10K10
 PI EQU <3.1416>

Q4 Give the answer to each of the following

Part A

Concept of Portability

A language whose source program can be compiled and run on a wide variety of computer system is said to be portable.

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Q4 Part (b)

Why would a high level language may not be provided for direct hardware access? prior?

A high level language may not be provided for direct hardware access. Even it does ~~not~~ awkward coding technique must often be used, resulting in possible maintain problem.

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Q4 part (c)

Why does unicode invented?

Unicode is a universal computing standard to represent text in most writing system. It was invented to store most of the words character. It is started during 1987.

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Q4 part (a)

$$W = 11101100, X = 00010011$$

$$Y = 00111100$$

$$Z = W \vee X \wedge \neg Y$$

$$Y = 00111100$$

$$\neg Y = 11000011$$

$$X \wedge \neg Y = \begin{array}{r} 00010011 \\ 11000011 \\ \hline 00000011 \end{array}$$

AND

$$W \vee (X \wedge \neg Y)$$

$$\text{OR} \begin{array}{r} 11101100 \\ 00000011 \\ \hline 11101111 \\ \text{ANS} \end{array}$$

Q4 part (e)

create truth table $\neg(A \vee B)$

A	B	$A \vee B$	$\neg(A \vee B)$
F	F	F	T
F	T	T	F
T	F	T	F
T	T	T	F

Q4 part (f)

Why does memory -----

Conventional memory is outside the CPU and it responds more slowly to access the request. Registers are hard wired inside the CPU.

Q4 part (g)

Discuss the basic -----

XMM Registers

The x86 architecture also contains eight 128-bit registers called Streaming SIMD extension to the instruction.

~~MMX~~
MMX Register

MMX technology improves the performance of Intel processor when implementing advanced multimedia and communication applications.

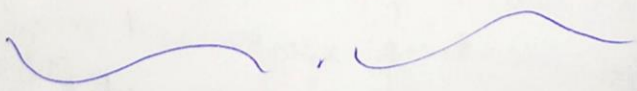
The 64-bit MMX registers support special instructions called SIMD (Single Instruction Multiple Data).

Segment Register

In real address mode 16 bit segment register indicate base addresses of preassigned memory areas named segment.

Basic Programming Execution Register

Registers are high speed storage location inside the CPU designed to be accessed at much higher speed than conventional memory when a processing loop is optimized for speed.



Q5. Discuss the following

INCLUDE

Insert source code from the source file given filename into the current source file during assembly.

Syntax

INCLUDE filename

• 386

Enables assembly of nonprivileged instructions for the 80386 processor. disables assembly of instructions introduced with later processors.

• MODEL

Initialize the program memory model. The memory model can be: TINY, SMALL, COMPACT, MEDIUM, LARGE, HUGE or FLAT. The language can be, C, BASIC, FORTRAN.

• STACK

When used with .MODEL defines a stack segment. The optional size specifies the number of bytes for the stack.

• PROTO

~~PROTO~~ The proto directives by using the PROTO directives

Syntax: label PROTO [distance] [language type]
[[parameter] : tag]

• DATA

When used with model, starts a new data segment for initialized data.

• CODE

When used with .MODEL indicates the start of a code segment called.

• PROC

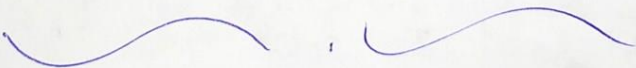
Set of code that can be branched to and returned from in such a way.

• ENBP

Mark the End of ^{Procedure} ~~statements~~ name previously begin with PROC.

• END

Mark the end of model and optionally sets the program entry point to address.



Question No 6

Part a

Write a program --- $A = (A+B) - (C+D)$

- 386
- model flat, std call
- stack 4096
- ExitProcess proto
- of ExitCode: DWORD
- code
- main proc

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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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Q6 part (b) show that ----- 12345678h

0000	78
0001	56
0002	34
0003	12

Q6 Part (c)

write a statement ----- , 0

• data

String 1 byte "Assembly language is easy", 0

String size byte ?

• code

mov eax, size of string

mov string size, eax.

Q6 part (d)

write a program -----

let the Arithmetic operation is

$$x = -m + (n - 0)$$

• data

x DWORD ? ; uninitialized variable

m DWORD 10 ; initialized variable m

n DWORD 25 ; initialized variable n

0 DWORD 17 ; initialize variable 0

• code

main PROC

mov eax, m ; moves value of m into eax

neg eax ; EAX = -12

mov ebx, n ; mov value of n into ebx

sub ebx, 0

add eax, ebx ; Ebx = 13 ; -12 + 13

mov x, eax ; (1)

call DumpRegs ; (1)

exit

main ENDP

ENDP main