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Assignment 05

Subject

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## Assignment 05

### Question 1

Ans:- Extended stack pointer

### Question 2

Ans:- IT is called LIFO structure because it contains set of memory blocks, in which data is retrieved in order.

i.e The last value pushed into the stack is the first value popped out from the stack.

### Question 3

Ans:- ESP is Decrementated by 4

### Question 4:

Ans:- Execution would continue beyond the end of the procedure, possibly into the beginning of another procedure

### Question 5

Ans:- A list of input parameter and their usage, labeled by a



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word such as receivers. A description of any values returned by the procedure, labeled by a word such as returns.

### Question 6

Ans:- Random Range procedure.

### Question 7

Ans:- Wait msg procedure

### Question 8

Ans:- Code example `mov eax, 700`  
`call Delay`

### Question 9

Ans:- WriteDec procedure

### Question 10

Ans:- Gotoxy

### Question 11

Ans:- Imagine two possible way of calling the DumpMem procedure.

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Require input parameters

Pushed

```
mov esi, OFFSET array  
mov ecx, LENGTHOF array  
mov ebx, TYPE array  
call DumpMem  
poped
```

### Question 12

Ans:- ESI contain the offset of an array of bytes, and ECX contain the maximum number of character to read.

### Question 13

Ans:- Random Range

### Question 14

Ans:- Final value in eax after these instruction execution. (5)

### Question 15

Ans:- This one I would believe it would equal 10 because of LIFO (last in first out), EAX



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would equal 10 because it was the last one in.

### Question 16

Ans:- By looking at this, I think that EAX would still equal 30 at the end of line 6 because eax was just pushed on the stack not a change in value.

### Question 17

Ans:- EAX will be equal 30 on line 6.

### Question 18

Ans:- EAX will equal 40 on line 6.

### Question 19

Ans:-

push ebx

push eax

pop ebx

pop eax

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A sequence of statements are  
push ebx; Assume EBX = X and  
EAX = Y, here the content of  
EBX (i.e. X) is pushed  
push eax, which is assumed to be  
Y  
pop ebx; Y from stack is  
assigned to EBX, therefore EBX = Y  
pop eax; X from stack is assigned  
to EAX therefore EAX = X.

## Question 21

Ans:-

Program:-

; Random strings.

```
INCLUDE Irvine32.inc
```

```
TAB = 9 ; ASCII code for tab
```

```
strlen = 10 ; length of string
```

o 386

o model flat stack

o Stack 4096

Exit process PROTO, dw Exit code: DWORD

o data

```
Str1 BYTE "The 20 random strings  
are:", 0
```



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Code

main PROC

mov edx, OFFSET str1 ; "The C20 random  
string are:"

Call WriteString ; writes strings

Call crlf ; writes on end-of-line  
sequence to the console  
window

mov ecx, 20 ; Create 20 strings.

LL: mov edx, OFFSET arr1

mov eax, strLen ; EAX: String length

Call RandomString ; EAX: String length

Call Display ; generates the random string

mov al, TAB

Call Writechar

exit

main ENDP ; leave a tab space

RandomString PROC uses eax esi

mov ecx, eax ; ECX = String length

LL: mov eax, 26

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call RandomRange

add eax, 65 ; EAX gets ASCII of  
a capital letter.

mov arr1[esi], eax

inc esi

loop L1

RandomString ENDP

Display PROC USES eax esi ; Display  
the generate random-  
strings.

mov ecx, eax ; ECX = String length.

L1: mov eax, arr1[esi]; EAX = ASCII  
value

call write char ; Write the letter

inc esi

loop L1

Display ENDP

call dump>regs

INVOKE Exit process, 0

END main



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## Question 22

Ans:- Title Random characters

(Source.cpp) // This program display a single character at 100 random screen locations.

```
include Irvine32.inc
```

• data

```
row WORD ? ; // rows variable to hold  
num of rows.
```

```
col WORD ? ; // cols variable to hold  
num of columns.
```

• code

```
main PROC
```

```
Call clrscr ; // set cursor top left
```

```
mov eax, 100 ; // loop for 100 times
```

```
L1: Call GetMaxXY ; // size console window
```

```
mov rows, ax ; // return rows
```

```
mov cols, dx ; // return column
```

```
movzx eax, rows ; // moving rows eax
```

```
Call RandomRange ; // generate integer
```

```
mov dh, al ; // setting range boundaries
```

```
movzx eax, cols ; // moving column to eax
```

```
Call RandomRange ; // generates integers
```

```
mov dl, al ; // setting range boundaries
```

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```
Call Gotoxy ;// cursor allocation  
Call Writechar ;// Write random character  
mov eax, 100 ;// time, 100 milliseconds  
Call delay ; // pauses program, 100 milliseconds
```

```
Loop L1 ; looping
```

```
exit
```

```
main ENDP
```

```
END main
```

## Question 23

Ans:-

; Color Matrix

; Write a program that displays  
a single characters in all  
possible

; Combination of foreground and  
background color ( $16 \times 16 = 256$ )

; Color are numbered from 0 to 15

So you can use a nested loop  
to generate all possible  
combinations.

; Last update :

```
INCLUDE Irvine32.inc
```

```
CR = 0DH ; Carriage return
```



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LF = 0Ah ; line feed

• data

Prompt 1 BYTE "Please type a  
character : ", 0

dispx DW 0

• Code

main PROC

; Set text color to white text  
on black background.

; even though these are the  
default defined in Irvine32.inc

mov eax, white + (black 16)

Call SetTextColor

Call clrscr ; clear the screen

; Get the user to type some  
character for our display:

mov edx, OFFSET prompt1; please  
type a .....

Call writeString

Call ReadChar

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; One now has the desired character in AL,

; but we can only use it letter, so we save it in variable dispchar:

```
mov dispchar, eax
```

```
call crlf ; new line
```

; Generating all the color combination in a nested loop require a bit more work than simply a single loop.

EAX will be preserved on the stack across the inner loop:

```
mov ecx ; outer loop counter
```

```
L1 :- push ecx ; save " "
```

; As the text attributes above illustrate to set colors we need to compute EAX in a way that combine both attributes. Set EAX using the stack copy of EAX lowest (with the outer loop



counter).

mov ecx, 16 ; inner loop counter

L2: pop eax; get the outer loop counter in EAX

~~push eax; get the outer loop counter in EAX~~

push eax ; saves it back again

sub eax, 1 ; shift range from 1-16 to 0-15

vol ecx, 4 ; Sets AL for background

vol ecx, ecx; add the inner loop counter of ECX

Sub eax, 1 ; Set AL for the foreground color

Call SetTextColor

; EAX is now available for restoring the display character.

mov eax, dispch

Call write char

loop L2

; Return the cursor to beginning of the next row for matrix

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Call CrIF ; new line

pop ecx ; restore outerloop counter

loop L1

; Show the result on screen

until user hit enter, then exit

mov eax, white + (black \* 16)

Call SetTextColor ; otherwise we  
leave black on black

Call CrIF ; new line

Call waitMsg ; "press [Enter]..."

exit

main ENDP

END main