

MSE Assignment-3

Question 1 :

Explore the DVM instructions and prepare a summary of the same atleast for 5 instructions in a detailed format

i) Instruction name ii) syntax iii) example

Solution:

Instruction Name	Syntax	Description	Example
move	move vA,vB	Moves the content of vB into vA. Both registers must be in the first 256 register range.	move v0, v1 Moves v1 into v0.
nop	nop	Wastes Cycles	nop
return	return vA	Return with vA return value	return v0 Returns with return value in v0.
array-length	array-length vA,vB	Calculates the number of elements of the array referenced by vB and puts the length value into vA.	array-length v1,v1
throw	throw vA	Throws an exception object.	throw a The reference of the exception object is in a.
goto	goto target	Unconditionally jump to the indicated instruction.	goto +AA

Question 2:

Differentiate between mobile and cloud computing.

Solution:

MOBILE COMPUTING	CLOUD COMPUTING
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Mobile computing applications are built specific to a particular device keeping in mind its capabilities, resolutions, capacity, feature support, etc2. Mobile computing does not need to be concerned about communication and data fault tolerance. Everything happens within the device itself. Therefore, one doesn't have to pay special attention to these issues.	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Cloud computing applications need to overcome device differences. Eg : platform differences, device specific customizations, operating systems, etc2. Cloud computing needs to be communication fault tolerant. Connections can become weaker and may even disconnect while an application is being used.

<p>3. Distance is not a factor of concern in mobile computing. Everything is present within a single device.</p> <p>4. Mobile computing needs to be mindful of the limited energy and resources available. They are fixed and limited with certain functionalities and capabilities which can't change on the fly.</p> <p>5. Usually involves direct human interaction with the device to perform major tasks.</p> <p>Eg: calculator</p> <p>6. Advantages :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improved reliability • Data ownership <p>7. Disadvantages :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limited battery life • Restricted computation power • Less storage 	<p>3. Distance matters in cloud computing. Applications when using cloud may be sensitive to network latencies caused by distance from the server.</p> <p>4. Cloud computing has the flexibility to dynamically expand its computational power, hardware or software requirements and resources.</p> <p>5. Cloud computing usually involves applications communicating to other applications or services.</p> <p>Eg: email client service</p> <p>6. Advantages :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remote access • Self-service provisioning • Increased storage <p>7. Disadvantages :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Data issues • Privacy issues • Infected applications • Security issues
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Question 3:

Give an example of an application simulating an environment of context aware computing and justify.

Solution:

Google Maps is a context-aware application as it allows to select routes according to the current traffic near our location. It does this with the help of GPS as when, one is stuck in a traffic, a marker is put for oneself and so for the whole region (context) around for all the people, the markers indicate whether the traffic is fast or slow.

