

Data Transfer InstructionsMOV - MOV Destination, Source

MOV CX, 037AH → Put immediate no. 037AH to CX.

MOV BL, [437AH] → Copy byte in DS at offset 437AH to BL.

MOV AX, BX → Copy content of register BX to AX.

MOV DL, [BX] → Copy byte from memory at [BX] to DL.

MOV DS, BX → Copy word from BX to DS register.

MOV RESULT [BP], AX → Copy AX to two memory location.

MOV ES: RESULT [BP], AX → physical address = EA + ES.

XCHG - XCHG Destination, Source

XCHG AX, DX → Exchange word in AX with word in DX.

XCHG BL, CH → Exchange byte in BL with byte in CH.

XCHG AL, PRICE [BX] → Exchange byte in AL with byte in memory at EA = PRICE [BX] in DS.

### LEA - LEA Register, Source

LEA BX, PRICES  $\rightarrow$  Load BX with offset of price in DS.

LEA BP, SS: STACK-TOP  $\rightarrow$  Load BP with offset of STACK-TOP in SS.

LEA CX, [BX][DI]  $\rightarrow$  Load CX with  $EA = [BX] + [DI]$

### LDS - LDS Register, Memory Addr of the first word.

LDS BX, [4326]  $\rightarrow$  Copy content of memory at displacement 4326H in DS to BL, content of 4327H to BH. Copy content at displacement of 4328H and 4329H in DS to DS register.

LDS SI, SPTR  $\rightarrow$  Copy content of memory at displacement SPTR and SPTR+1 in DS to SI register. Copy content of memory at displacements SPTR+2 and SPTR+3 in DS to DS register. DS: SI now points at start of the desired string.

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ADD - ADD Destination, Source

ADC - ADC Destination, Source

ADD AL, 74H → Add immediate number 74H to content of AL, Result in AL

ADC CL, BL → Add content of BL plus carry status to content of CL.

ADD DX, BX → Add content of BX to content of DX.

ADD DX, [SI] → Add word from memory at offset [SI] in DS to content of DX.

ADD AL, PRICES [BX] → Add byte from effective address PRICES [BX] plus carry status to content of AL.

SUB - SUB Destination, Source

SBB - SBB Destination, Source

SUB CX, BX → CX - BX; Result in CX.

SBB CH, AL → Subtract content of AL and content of CF from content of CH. Result in CH.

SUB AX, 3427H → Subtract immediate number 3427H from AX.



SBB BX, [3427H] → Subtract word at displacement 3427H in DS and content of CF from BX.

SBB PRICES [BX], 04H → Subtract 04 from byte at effective address PRICES[BX], if PRICES is declared with DB; subtract 04 from word at effective address PRICES[BX], if it is declared with DW.

SBB CX, TABLE [BX] → Subtract word from effective address TABLE[BX] and status of CF from CX.

SBB TABLE [BX], CX → Subtract CX and status of CF from word in memory at effective address TABLE[BX].

### MUL - MUL Source

MUL BH → Multiply AL with BH; result in AX

MUL CX → Multiply AX with CX; Result high word in DX, low word in AX.

MUL BYTE PTR [BX] → Multiply AL with byte in DS pointed to by [BX].

MOV AX, MAND\_16 → Load 16-bit multiplicand into AX.

MOV CL, MPLIER\_8 → " 8 " " " CL.



## DIV - DIV Source

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DIV BL  $\rightarrow$  Divide word in AX by byte in BL;  
Quotient - in AL, remainder in AH.

DIV CX  $\rightarrow$  Divide down word in DX and AX  
by word in CX;

## INC - INC Destination

INC BL  $\rightarrow$  Add 1 to contents of BL register.

INC CX  $\rightarrow$  Add 1 to contents of CX register.

INC BYTE PTR [BX]  $\rightarrow$  Increment byte in data segment  
at offset contained in BX.

INC WORD PTR [BX]  $\rightarrow$  Increment the word at offset  
of [BX] and [BX+1] in the  
data segment.

INC TEMP  $\rightarrow$  Increment byte or word named TEMP  
in the data segment. Increment byte  
if MAX-TEMP declared with DB.  
Increment word if MAX-TEMP is declared  
with DW.

INC PRICES [BX]  $\rightarrow$  Increment element pointed to by  
[BX] in Array PRICES. Increment  
a word if PRICES is declared  
as an array of words.

### DEC - DEC Destination.

DEC CL  $\rightarrow$  Subtract 1 from content of CL register.

DEC BP  $\rightarrow$  Subtract 1 from content of BP register.

DEC BYTE PTR [BX]  $\rightarrow$  Subtract 1 from byte at offset [BX] in DS.

DEC WORD PTR [BP]  $\rightarrow$  Subtract 1 from word at offset [BP] in SS.

DEC COUNT  $\rightarrow$  Subtract 1 from byte or word named COUNT in DS.

### DAA (Decimal adjust after BCD addition).

Let AL = 59 BCD, and BL = 35 BCD

ADD AL, BL

ADAA

AL = 8EH; lower nibble > 9, add 06H to AL

AL = 94 BCD, CF = 0

Let AL = 88 BCD, and BL = 49 BCD

ADD AL, BL

DAA

AL = D1H; AF = 1, add 06H to AL

AL = D7H; upper nibble > 9, add 60H to AL

AL = 37 BCD, CF = 1

The DAA instruction updates AF, CF, SF, PF and ZF; OF is undefined.

## AAA (ASCII Adjust for Addition)

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Let  $AL = 0011\ 0101$  (ASCII 5), and  $BL = 0011\ 1001$  (ASCII 9)  
 $ADD\ AL,\ BL$   
 $AAA$   
 $AL = 0110\ 1101$  (6EH, which is incBCD)  
 $AL = 0000\ 0100$  (unpacked BCD 4)  
 $CF = 1$  indicates answer is 14 decimal.

## AND - AND Destination, Source

$AND\ CX,\ [SI]$  → AND word in DS at offset[SI] with word in CX register, Result in CX register.  
 $AND\ BH,\ CL$  → AND byte in CL with byte in BH, Result in BH  
 $AND\ BX,\ 00FFH$  → 00FFH masks upper byte, leaves lower byte unchanged.

## OR - OR destination, Source

$OR\ AH,\ CL$  → CL ORed with AH, result in AH, CL not changed.  
 $OR\ BP,\ SI$  → SI ORed with BP, result in BP, SI not changed.  
 $OR\ SI,\ BP$  → BP " " SI, " " SI, BP " "  
 $OR\ BL,\ 80H$  → BL " " immediate number 80H; set MSB of BL to 1.

OR CX, TABLE[SI] → CX ORed with word from effective address TABLE[SI]; content of memory is not changed.

### XOR - XOR Destination, Source

XOR CL, BH → Byte in BH exclusive-ORed with byte in CL. Result in CL. BH not changed.

XOR BP, DI → Word in DI exclusive-ORed with word in BP; Result in BP. DI not changed.

XOR WORD PTR [BX], 00FFH → Exclusive-OR immediate no. 00FFH with word at offset [BX] in the data segment.

### CMP - CMP Destination, Source

CMP AL, 01H → Compare immediate number 01H with byte in AL.

CMP BH, CL → Compare byte in CL with byte in BH.

CMP CX, TEMP → Compare word in DS at displacement TEMP with word at CX.



## TEST - Destination, Source

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TEST AL, BH  $\rightarrow$  AND BH with AL, No result stored.  
Update PF, SF, ZF.

TEST CX, 0001 H  $\rightarrow$  AND CX with immediate number  
0001 H, No result stored, Update  
PF, SF, ZF.

TEST BP, [BX][DI]  $\rightarrow$  AND word at offset [BX][DI]  
in DS with word in BP.

## RCL - RCL Destination, Count

RCL DX, 1  $\rightarrow$  word in DX, 1 bit left, MSB to CF, CF to LSB.

MOV CL, 4  $\rightarrow$  Load the no. of bit position to  
RCL SUM [BX], CL rotate into CL.

Rotate byte or word at effective  
address SUM [BX] 4 bits left.

Original bit 4 now in CF.

## RCR, RCR destination, Count

RCR BX, 1  $\rightarrow$  word in BX right, 1 bit, CF to MSB,  
LSB to CF.

MOV CL, 4  $\rightarrow$  Load CL for rotating 4 bit position.

RCR BYTE PTR [BX], 4  $\rightarrow$  Rotate the byte at offset [BX]  
in DS 4 bit position right.

SAL - SAL Destination, Count

SHL - SHL " "

SAL BX, 1 → Shift word in BX, 1 bit position left,  
0 in LSB.

MOV CL, 02H → Load desired no. of shift in CL

SAL BP, CL → Shift word in BP left CL bit pos, 0 in LSB

SAL BYTE PTR [BX], 1 → Shift byte in DX at offset [BX]  
1 bit position left, 0 in LSB.

SAR - SAR Destination, Count

SAR DX, 1 → Shift word in DI one bit position right,  
new MSB = old MSB.

MOV CL, 02H → Load desired number of shifts in CL

SAR WORD PTR [BP], CL → Shift word at offset [BP]  
in stack segment right by two  
bit positions, the two MSBs  
are now copies of original LSB.

SHR - SHR destination, Count

SHR BP, 1 → Shift word in BP one bit position right,  
0 in MSB.

MOV CL, 03H → Load desired no. of shift into CL.

SHR BYTE PTR [BX] → Shift byte in DS at offset [BX]  
3 bits right

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## JBE/JNA

CMP AX, 4371H → Compare (AX - 4371H)

JBE NEXT → Jump to label NEXT if AX is below or equal to 4371H

CMP AX, 4371H → Compare (AX - 4371H)

JNA NEXT → Jump to label NEXT if AX is not above 4371H

## JG/JNLE

CMP BL, 39H → Compare by subtracting 39H from BL.

JG NEXT → Jump to label NEXT if BL more positive than 39H

CMP BL, 39H → Compare by subtracting 39H from BL.

JNLE NEXT → Jump to label NEXT if BL is not less than or equal to 39H.

## JL/JNGE

CMP BL, 39H → Compare by subtracting 39H from BL.

JL AGAIN → Jump to label AGAIN if BL more negative than 39H.

`CMP BL, 39H` → Compare by subtracting 39H from BL.  
`JNGE AGAIN` Jump to label AGAIN if BL not more positive than or equal to 39H.

### JLE/JNG

`CMP BL, 39H` → Compare by subtracting 39H from BL.  
`JLE NEXT` Jump to label NEXT if BL more negative than or equal to 39H.

`CMP BL, 39H` → Compare by subtracting 39H from BL.  
`JNG NEXT` Jump to label NEXT if BL not more positive than 39H.

### JE/~~JN~~ JZ

`CMP BX, DX` → Compare (BX-DX)  
`JE DONE` Jump to DONE if BX-DX

`IN AL, 30H` → Read data from port 8FH  
`SUB AL, 30H` Subtract the minimum value.  
`JZ START` Jump to label START if the result of sub is 0.

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## JNE/JNZ

IN AL, 0F8H → Read data value from port  
CMP AL, 72 → Compare (AL - 72)  
JNE NEXT → Jump to label NEXT if AL ≠ 72

ADD AX, 0002H → Add count factor 0002H to AX  
DEC BX → Decrement BX  
JNZ NEXT → Jump to label NEXT if BX ≠ 0

## PUSH - PUSH Source

PUSH BX → Decrement SP by 2, copy BX to stack

PUSH DS → Decrement SP by 2, copy DS to stack.

PUSH BL → Illegal: must push a word

PUSH TABLE[BX] → Decrement <sup>SP</sup> by 2, and copy word  
from memory in DS at  
EA = TABLE + [BX] to stack;

## POP - POP Destination

POP DX → Copy a word from top of stack to DX,  
increment SP by 2.

POP DS → Copy a word from top of stack to DS; increment  
by 2



POP TABLE [DX] → Copy a word from top of stack to memory in DS with EA = TABLE [BX]; increment SP by 2.

### IN-IN Accumulator, Port

IN AL, 0C8H → Input a byte from port 0C8H to AL

IN AX, 34H → Input a word from port 34H to AX

MOV DX, 0FF78H → Initialize DX to point to port

IN AL, DX                      Input a byte from 8-bit port  
0FF78H to AL

IN AX, DX                      Input a word from 16-bit port  
0FF78H to AX.

### OUT=OUT Port, Accumulator

OUT 3BH, AL → Copy the content of AL to port 3BH

OUT 2CH, AX → Copy the " " of AX " " 2CH.

MOV DX, 0FFF8H → Load desired port address in DX.

OUT DX, AL                      Copy content of AL to port FFF8H

OUT DX, AX                      Copy content of AX to port FFF8H.

### ENDS

CODE SEGMENT → Start of logical segment containing code  
instruction statements

CODE ENDS

End of segment name CODE.

DW.

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WORDS DW 1234H, 3456H → Declare an array of 2 words and initialize them with the specified values.

STORAGE DW 100 DUP(0) → Reserve an array of 100 words of memory and initialize all 100 words with 0000. Array is named as STORAGE.

STORAGE DW 100 DUP(?) → Reserve 100 words of storage in memory and give it the name STORAGE, but leave the words un-initialized.

PROC

The PROC directive is used to identify the start of a procedure. The PROC directive follows a name you give the procedure. After the PROC directive, the term near or the term far is used to specify the name of the procedure. The ~~pro~~ PROC directive is used with the ENDP directive to "bracket" a procedure.

## ENDP

SQUARE\_ROOT PROC → start of procedure  
SQUARE\_ROOT ENDP → end of procedure.

## LABEL

ENTRY\_POINT LABEL FAR → Can jump to here from another segment.

NEXT: MOV AL, BL → Can not do a far jump directly to a label with a colon.

STACK\_SEG SEGMENT STACK

DW 100 DUP(0)

→ Set aside 100 words for stack

STACK\_TOP LABEL WORD

Give name to next location after last word in stack

STACK\_SEG ENDS

## INCLUDE

The directive is used to tell the assembler to insert a block of source code from the named file into the current source module.