



## CS 330 Chapter 13

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1. The value of the mode field determines which addressing mode is to be used. T
  2. In a system without virtual memory, the effective address is a virtual address or a register. F
  3. The disadvantage of immediate addressing is that the size of the number is restricted to the size of the address field. T
  4. With direct addressing, the length of the address field is usually less than the word length, thus limiting the address range. T
  5. Register addressing is similar to direct addressing with the only difference being that the address field refers to a register rather than a main memory address. T
  6. Register indirect addressing uses the same number of memory references as indirect addressing. F
  7. Three of the most common uses of stack addressing are relative addressing, base-register addressing, and indexing. F
  8. The method of calculating the EA is the same for both base-register addressing and indexing. T
  9. Typically an instruction set will include both preindexing and postindexing. F
  10. The x86 is equipped with a variety of addressing modes intended to allow the efficient execution of high-level languages. T
  11. The base with index and displacement mode sums the contents of the base register, the index register, and a displacement to form the effective address. T
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12. The memory transfer rate has not kept up with increases in processor speed. T
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13. For addresses that reference memory the range of addresses that can be referenced is not related to the number of address bits. F
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14. The principal price to pay for variable-length instructions is an increase in the complexity of the processor. T
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15. One advantage of linking the addressing mode to the operand rather than the opcode is that any addressing mode can be used with any opcode. T
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16. The advantage of \_\_\_\_\_ is that no memory reference other than the instruction fetch is required to obtain the operand. B. immediate addressing
- A. direct addressing C. register addressing D. stack addressing
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17. The principal advantage of \_\_\_\_\_ addressing is that it is a very simple form of addressing. D. direct
- A. displacement B. register
- C. stack D. direct
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18. \_\_\_\_\_ has the advantage of large address space, however it has the disadvantage of multiple memory references. A. Indirect addressing
- A. Indirect addressing B. Direct addressing
- C. Immediate addressing D. Stack addressing
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19. The advantages of \_\_\_\_\_ addressing are that only a small address field is needed in the instruction and no time-consuming memory references are required. C. register



A. direct B. indirect

**C. register** D. displacement

20. \_\_\_\_\_ has the advantage of flexibility, but the disadvantage of complexity. B. Displacement addressing

A. Stack addressing **B. Displacement addressing**

C. Direct addressing D. Register addressing

21. For \_\_\_\_\_, the address field references a main memory address and the referenced register contains a positive displacement from that address. A. indexing

**A. indexing** B. base-register addressing

C. relative addressing D. all of the above

22. Indexing performed after the indirection is \_\_\_\_\_. C. postindexing

A. relative addressing B. autoindexing

**C. postindexing** D. preindexing

23. For the \_\_\_\_\_ mode, the operand is included in the instruction. A. immediate

**A. immediate** B. base

C. register D. displacement

24. The only form of addressing for branch instructions is \_\_\_\_\_. D. immediate addressing.

A. register B. relative

C. base **D. immediate**



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25. Which of the following interrelated factors go into determining the use of the addressing bits? D. all of the above
- A. number of operands B. number of register sets
- C. address range D. all of the above
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26. \_\_\_\_\_ is a principle by which two variables are independent of each other. B. Orthogonality
- A. Opcode B. Orthogonality
- C. Completeness D. Autoindexing
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27. The \_\_\_\_\_ was designed to provide a powerful and flexible instruction set within the constraints of a 16-bit minicomputer. C. PDP-11
- A. PDP-1 B. PDP-8
- C. PDP-11 D. PDP-10
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28. The \_\_\_\_\_ byte consists of three fields: the Scale field, the Index field and the Base field. A. SIB
- A. SIB B. VAX
- C. PDP-11 D. ModR/M
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29. All instructions in the ARM architecture are \_\_\_\_\_ bits long and follow a regular format. C. 32
- A. 8 B. 16
- C. 32 D. 64
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30. \_\_\_\_\_ is a design principle employed in designing the PDP-10 instruction set. D. All of the above



### A. Orthogonality B. Completeness

### C. Direct addressing D. All of the above

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31. The actual mapping to a physical address is a function of the \_\_\_\_\_ and is invisible to the programmer. memory management unit (MMU)
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32. The simplest form of addressing is \_\_\_\_\_ addressing. immediate
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33. Not common on contemporary architectures, \_\_\_\_\_ requires only one memory reference and no special calculation, but provides only a limited address space. direct addressing
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34. Just as register addressing is analogous to direct addressing, \_\_\_\_\_ addressing is analogous to indirect addressing. register indirect
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35. A very powerful mode of addressing, \_\_\_\_\_ combines the capabilities of direct addressing and register indirect addressing, requiring that the instruction have two address fields, at least one of which is explicit. displacement addressing
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36. \_\_\_\_\_ is when the increment or decrement of the index register after each reference to it is done automatically as part of the same instruction cycle. autoindexing
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37. Sometimes referred to as a pushdown list or last-in-first-out queue, a \_\_\_\_\_ is a linear array of locations. stack
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38. In the \_\_\_\_\_ mode the instruction includes a displacement to be added to a base register, which may be any of the general-purpose registers. base with displacement
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39. A(n) \_\_\_\_\_ defines the layout of the bits of an instruction in terms of its constituent fields, must in-
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**clude an opcode and, implicitly or explicitly, zero or more operands.**

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40. "All instructions should have the 'natural' number of operands" and "all operands should have the same generality in specification" are two criteria that were used in designing the \_\_\_\_\_ instruction format. VAX
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41. \_\_\_\_\_ explicitly specifies which segment register an instruction should use, overriding the default segment-register selection generated by the x86 for that instruction. segment override
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42. The \_\_\_\_\_ byte specifies whether an operand is in a register or in memory, and if it is in memory, then fields within the byte specify the addressing mode to be used. ModR/M
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43. The \_\_\_\_\_ instruction set is designed to increase the performance of ARM implementations that use a 16-bit or narrower memory data bus and to allow better code density than provided by the ARM instruction set. Thumb
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44. Programs written in assembly language are translated into machine language by an \_\_\_\_\_. assembler
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45. If a programmer wished to program directly in machine language it would be necessary to enter the program as \_\_\_\_\_ data. binary
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