



EC-310 Microprocessor & Microcontroller based Design

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Arrays and Addressing Modes

- **Arrays:**

- Single name to a group / collection of similar data items
- Array name holds the address of the 1st element
- Any element can be accessed by using an Index

- **2-Dimensional Array:**

- Array whose each element is also an array (Array of arrays)

- **Addressing Modes:**

- The way an operand is specified in the instruction

1-D Arrays

Declaration of Arrays

- 1-D Arrays: ordered list of elements, having same type
- The address of the array variable is called the **Base address of the array**

1) DB and DW pseudo-ops

- MSG **DB** 'abcde'
- W **DW** 10,20,30,40,50,60

2) The DUP Operator

- To define arrays whose elements share a common initial value
 - Repeat_count **DUP** (Initial_Value)
 - Delta **DW** 212 **DUP**(?)
 - Line **DB** 5,4, 3 **DUP** (2, 3 **DUP** (0), 1)

Location	Elements
$A + 0$	A[1]
$A + 1 \times S$	A[2]
$A + 2 \times S$	A[3]
.	.
$A + (N-1) \times S$	A[N]

S = 1 for byte & S = 2 for word array

Addressing Modes

1. **Register Mode** - Operand is a register
2. **Immediate Mode** - Operand is a constant
3. **Direct Mode** - Operand is a variable

4. **Register Indirect Mode**
5. **Based Mode**
6. **Indexed Mode**
7. **Based Indexed Mode**

To address memory operands indirectly

Examples:

MOV AX, 0

; Destination AX is register mode,
; Source 0 is immediate mode

ADD ALPHA, AX

; Destination ALPHA is direct mode,
; AX is register mode

Register Indirect Mode

- Register acts as a Pointer to memory location
- Operand Format is: **[Register]**
- Supported Registers: BX, BP, SI, DI
- Segment Address: For BX, SI, DI -> **DS** and For BP -> **SS**
- **Examples:**
 - MOV AX, [SI]
 - Write a code to sum the elements of the 10-element array
W DW 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10

```
XOR AX,AX
LEA SI,W
MOV CX,10

ADDNOS:
ADD AX,[SI]
ADD SI,2

LOOP ADDNOS
```

Based and Indexed Addressing Modes

- The operand's offset address is obtained by adding a number called **Displacement**

- **Displacement:**

- The offset address of a variable
- A constant (+ve or -ve)
- E.g. A , -2, A +4

- Supported Registers: BX, SI, DI -> **DS** and BP -> **SS**

- **Possible Formats:**

- [Reg. + Displ.] -> MOV AX, [BX + W]
- [Displ. + Reg.] -> MOV AX, [W + BX]
- [Reg.] + Displ. -> MOV AX, [BX] + W
- Displ. + [Reg.] -> MOV AX, W + [BX]
- Displ.[Reg.] -> MOV AX, **W[BX]**

```
XOR  AX,AX
XOR  BX,BX
MOV  CX,10
ADDNOS:
ADD  AX,W[BX]
ADD  BX,2
LOOP ADDNOS
```

- **Based Addressing** Mode -> **BX or BP** AND **Indexed Addressing** Mode -> **DI, SI** used

Based and Indexed Addressing Modes

- Examples:

Example 10.6 Suppose that ALPHA is declared as

```
ALPHA DW 0123h, 0456h, 0789h, 0ABCDh
```

in the segment addressed by DS. Suppose also that

BX contains 2

Offset 0002 contains 1084h

SI contains 4

Offset 0004 contains 2BACH

DI contains 1

Tell which of the following instructions are legal. If legal, give the source offset address and the number moved.

- a. MOV AX, [ALPHA+BX]
- b. MOV BX, [BX+2]
- c. MOV CX, ALPHA[SI]
- d. MOV AX, -2[SI]
- e. MOV BX, [ALPHA+3+DI]
- f. MOV AX, [BX]2
- g. ADD BX, [ALPHA+AX]

PTR Operator

- MOV AX, 5 Vs. MOV AL, 5
- MOV [BX], 1 ;illegal

Legal: Assembler infers type from other operand
Word type Vs. Byte type instruction

- **Sol:** MOV **BYTE PTR** [BX], 1 ; for destination is to be a byte
- OR: MOV **WORD PTR** [BX], 1 ; for word type destination

Using PTR to Override a Type

- Type PTR address_expression
- Type: BYTE, WORD, DWORD
 - DOLLARS DB 1Ah
 - CENTS DB 52h
 - MOV AX, DOLLARS ; illegal
 - MOV AX, **WORD PTR** DOLLARS ; Legal, AH = cents, AL = Dollars , AX = 521Ah

Example: Replace 't' by 'T'
'MSG DB 'this is a msg'

; Register Indirect
LEA SI, MSG
MOV BYTE PTR [SI], 'T'

;Using Index mode
XOR SI,SI
MOV MSG[SI], 'T'

LABEL Pseudo-op

- Can be used to avoid type-conflict problems
 - `MONEY LABEL WORD ; MONEY` declared as word variable
 - `DOLLARS DB 1Ah`
 - `CENTS DB 52h`
- No memory is going to reserve for `MONEY`, instead `MONEY` and `DOLLARS` being assigned the same address by the assembler
 - `MOV AX, MONEY ; Legal, AH = cents, AL = Dollars`
 - `MOV AL, DOLLARS ; Legal`
 - `MOV AH, CENTS ; Legal`

Segment Override

- BX, SI, DI -> DS BP, SP-> SS
- Default segment Register can be override
- Format: **Segment_register: [pointer_register]**
- Example: MOV AX, **ES:[SI]**
- Use Case: When ES represents 2nd data segment.

2-D Arrays

- An array of arrays
 - How 2-D arrays stored in 1-D memory?
 - Most High-level lang. compilers used row major order
 - Location of an Element
 - Find where row i th begins
 - Find the location of the j th element
 - Row Major order $A(M \times N)$: $A[i,j] \rightarrow A + ((i-1) \times N + (j-1)) \times S$
 - Col. Major order $A(M \times N)$: $A[i,j] \rightarrow A + ((i-1) + (j-1) \times M) \times S$
- For A is an $M \times N$ word array stored in a row-major order
 1. Where does row i begin?
 2. Where does column j begin?
 - $A[i, 1]: A + (i-1) \times N \times 2$
 - $A[1, j]: A + (j-1) \times 2$

Based Indexed Addressing Modes

- Both Base and index registers are used
- The offset address is the sum of **base + index + displacement** (optional)
- `MOV AX, W[SI][BX]`
- `MOV AX, [W+BX+SI]`

Overview of Addressing Modes

- Assume **DS**: 1000h, **BX**: 0200h, **SI**: 0300h

Addressing Mode	Example	Source Operands		
		Working	Address Generation	Address
Register	MOV AX, BX	Copy BX's contents to AX	--	--
Immediate	MOV AX, 0F7h	Copy constant 0F7h to AX	--	--
Direct	MOV AX, [1234h]	Copy contents at memory location 11234h to AX	DS x 10h + 1234h	11234h
Reg. Indirect	MOV AX, [BX]	Copy contents at mem. Loc. Pointed by BX (i.e. 10200h) to AX	DS x 10h + 0200h	10200h
Based	MOV AX, [BX+6]	Copy contents at mem. Loc. Pointed by BX+6 (10206) to AX	DS x 10h + 0200h + 0006h	10206h
Indexed	MOV AX, [SI+6]	Copy contents at mem. Loc. pointed by SI+6 (10306h) to AX	DS x 10h + 0300h + 0006h	10306h
Based-Indexed	MOV AX, [BX+SI+6]	Copy contents at mem. Loc. Pointed by BX+SI+6 (10506h) to AX	DS x 10h + 0200h + 0300h + 0006h	10506h

XLAT instruction

- Convert one value into another value based on pre-defined table
- No operand instruction
- Computes $[BX] + AL$ to find the complete offset address of look-up entry in table (Stored in memory)
- Used to translate a byte in AL using a table in the memory.
- Return the result in AL

```
TABLE DB 030h, 031h, 032h, 033h, 034h, 035, 036h, 037h, 038h, 039h
      DB 041h, 042h, 043h, 044h, 045h, 046h
```

For instance, to convert 0Ch to "C", we do the following:

```
MOV AL, 0Ch      ; number to convert
LEA BX, TABLE   ; BX has table offset
XLAT             ; AL has 'C'
```

INCLUDE Pseudo-op

- To insert procedures into the program
- Format: **INCLUDE** filepath

Program Listing PGM9_2.ASM

```
TITLE PGM9_2: DECIMAL OUTPUT
.MODEL SMALL
.STACK 100H
.CODE
MAIN PROC
    CALL OUTDEC
    MOV AH, 4CH
    INT 21H                ;DOS exit
MAIN ENDP
INCLUDE A:PGM9_1.ASM
END MAIN
```

Program Listing PGM9_1.ASM

```
1:  OUTDEC PROC
2:  ;prints AX as a signed decimal :
3:  ;input: AX
4:  ;output: none
5:          PUSH AX          ;save
6:          PUSH BX
7:          PUSH CX
8:          PUSH DX
9:  ;if AX < 0
```

Flags: The Direction Flag

- **6 Status Flags:** reflect the result of an operation
- **3 Control Flags:** are used to control the processor's operation
- **Direction FLAG:**
 - determine the direction in which the string operations will proceed
- String operations used two index registers SI and DI
 - If **DF = 0**, **SI** and **DI** proceed in the direction of **increasing** memory address(from left to right across the string)
 - If **DF=1**, **SI** and **DI** will proceed in the direction of **decreasing** memory addresses (from right to left)

STRING1 DB 'ABC' ; Assume string going to save at offset 0200h		
Offset Address	Content	ASCII Character
0200h	041h	A
0201h	042h	B
0202h	043h	C



The Flags Register

Flags: Interrupt and Trap Flags

- **Interrupt Flag (IF):** This flag is for **interrupts**
 - If **IF = 1**, the microprocessor will recognize interrupt requests from the peripherals.
 - If **IF = 0**, the microprocessor will ignore all interrupt requests.
- **TRAP FLAG (TF):** This flag is used for **on-chip debugging**
 - Setting trap flag puts the microprocessor into single step mode for debugging. In single stepping, the microprocessor executes a instruction and enters into single step ISR.
 - If trap flag is **set (1)**, the CPU automatically generates **an internal interrupt after each instruction**, allowing a program to be inspected as it executes instruction by instruction.
 - If trap flag is **reset (0)**, no function is performed.

				11	10	9	8	7	6		4		2		0
				OF	DF	IF	TF	SF	ZF		AF		PF		CF

Processor Control Instructions

These instructions are used to control the processor action by setting/resetting the flag values

- **STC** – Used to set carry flag CF to 1
- **CLC** – Used to clear/reset carry flag CF to 0
- **CMC** – Used to put complement at the state of carry flag CF.
- **STD** – Used to set the direction flag DF to 1
- **CLD** – Used to clear/reset the direction flag DF to 0
- **STI** – Used to set the interrupt enable flag to 1, i.e., enable INTR input.
- **CLI** – Used to clear the interrupt enable flag to 0, i.e., disable INTR input.

Interrupt Instructions

These instructions are used to call the interrupt during program execution.

- **INT** – Used to interrupt the program during execution and calling service specified.
- **INTO** – Used to interrupt the program during execution if OF = 1
- **IRET** – Used to return from interrupt service to the main program.

The STRING Instructions

- In 8086 assembly language, string is simply a byte or word array
- Following Operations supported:
 - Copy / Move a string into another string
 - Search a string for a particular byte or word
 - Store characters in a string
 - Compare strings of characters alphabetically
- String Instructions have built-in advantages:
 - Automatic updating of pointer registers
 - Allow memory-memory operations

Copy / Moving a String (MOVSB, MOVSW)

- Move the contents of string1 (source) pointed by DS:SI to destination string addressed by ES:DI
- Auto update SI and DI. (increments if DF = 0 and decrements if DF = 1)
- Format:
 - MOVSB ; byte transfer,
 - MOVSW ; word transfer
- REP prefix: Repeat until counter CX become zero
- Example:**
 - Write instructions to copy String1 into String 2 in reverse order
 - Arr Dw 10,20,40,50,60,?
Insert 30 b/w 20 and 40

```
LEA SI, STRING1+4
LEA DI, STRING2
STD
MOV CX, 5

MOVE:
MOVSB
ADD DI, 2
LOOP MOVE
```

```
STD
LEA SI, ARR+8h
LEA DI, ARR+Ah
MOV CX, 3
REP MOVSW
JCV WORD PTR [DI], 30
```

Storing a String

- STOSB
- STOSW
- move the contents of AL or AX into byte word addressed by ES:DI
- NO effect on flags (Copy, Storing and Loading instructions)
- INT 21H function 0Ah can be implemented by using STOS + INT 21h function 1

LOAD a String

- LODSB
- LODSW
- Byte or word addressed by DS:SI to AL or AX
- No effect on flags

SCAN a String

- SCASB
- SCASW
- Target value in AL or AX is subtracted from byte or word addressed by ES:DI
- will effect flags
- **REPNE** Prefix: Repeat until not zero/equal and CX!= 0

Summary

- COMPARE String Homework reading

<i>Instruction</i>	<i>Destination</i>	<i>Source</i>	<i>Byte form</i>	<i>Word form</i>
Move string	ES:DI	DS:SI	MOVSB	MOVSW
Compare string*	ES:DI	DS:SI	CMPSB	CMPSW
Store string	ES:DI	AL or AX	STOSB	STOSW
Load string	AL or AX	DS:SI	LODSB	LODSW
Scan string	ES:DI	AL or AX	SCASB	SCASW

* Result not stored.