

Microprocessor and Assembly Language Lab

Lab Material 6 for CSE 312 (M&AL Lab)

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MUL and DIV Operations

The MUL (unsigned multiply) instruction multiplies an 8, 16, or 32 bit operand by either AL, AX, or EAX. The instruction formats are:

MUL *r/m8*MUL *r/m16*MUL *r/m32*

The single operand is the multiplier. The following table shows the <u>default</u> multiplicand and product, depending on the size of the multiplier:

Multiplicand	Multiplier	Product AX	
AL	r/m8		
AX	r/m16	DX:AX	
EAX	r/m32	EDX:EAX	

The register(s) holding the product are twice the size of the multiplicand and multiplier, guaranteeing that overflow will never occur.

Example 1: The following statements perform 8-bit unsigned multiplication (5 * 10h), producing 50h in AX:

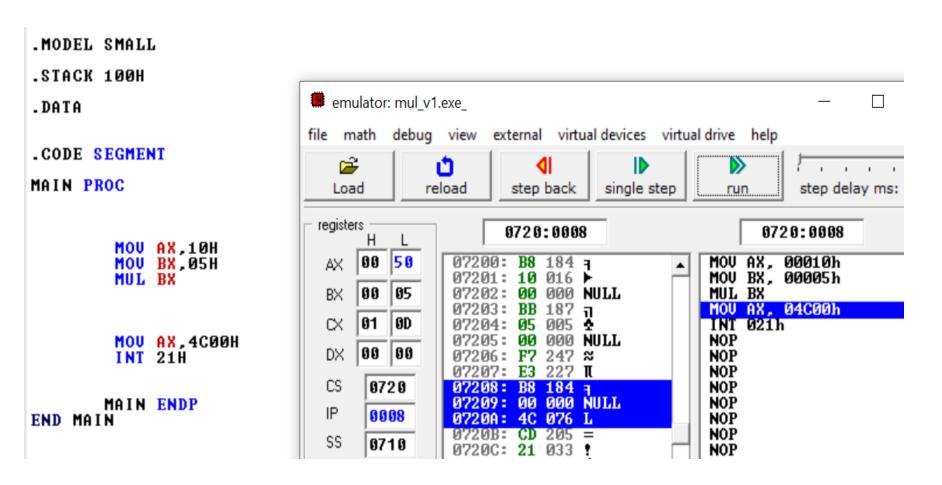
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mov al,5h; AL=05H
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mov bl,l0h; BL=10H

mul bl ; $AL*BL=5H*10H=50H \rightarrow AX$ CF = 0

The Carry flag is clear because AH (the upper half of the product) equals zero.

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org 100h
mov al, 5h; AL=05H
mov bl, 10h; BL=10H
mul bl
ret
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                                                             MOU AL, 05h
                                                                                              mov bl, 10h
                                                                                                                 ; BL=10H
                               07101: 05 005 $
                                                             MOV BL, 010h
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                                                                                              mul bl
                     00 10
                                07102: B3 179
                                                            MUL BL
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                 BΧ
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                                07103: 10 016 b
                                                             RET
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                 CX
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                                                            NOP
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                               07105: E3 227 II
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                 DX
                     00 00
                               07106: C3 195
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                                                             NOP
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                 CS
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                               07108: 90 144 É
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                               0710A: 90 144
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                 SP
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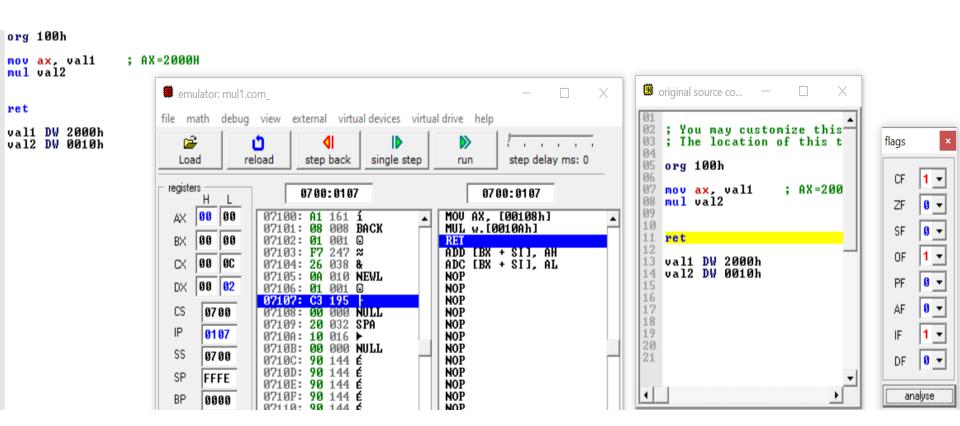
First operand is multiplicand and the second one is multiplier. Result is stored in AX

```
.MODEL SMALL
.STACK 100H
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CODE SEGMENT
MAIN PROC
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                                     Load
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          MOU AX,1010H
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          MOU BX, 2020H
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                                                   07202: 10 016 ►
                                                                                  MUL BX
          MUL BX
                                                                                  MOU AX, 04C00h
                                                   07203: BB 187
                                    CX
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                                                                                  INT 021h
                                                   07205: 20 032 SPA
                                                                                  NOP
                                        02
                                           04
                                   DΧ
                                                                                  NOP
                                                                                               flags
          MOU AX,4C00H
          INT 21H
                                                                                  NOP
                                                   07207: E3 227 π
                                   CS
                                         0720
                                                                                  NOP
                                                                                  NOP
                                                   07209: 00 000 NULL
                                   IΡ
                                         8000
         MAIN ENDP
                                                   0720A: 4C 076
                                                                                  NOP
                                                                                  NOP
END MAIN
                                    SS
                                         0710
                                                                                  NOP
                                                   0720C: 21 033
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                                    SP
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                                                                                  NOP
                                                   07214: 90 144
                                         0700
                                    DS
                                                   07215: 90 144 É
                                         0700
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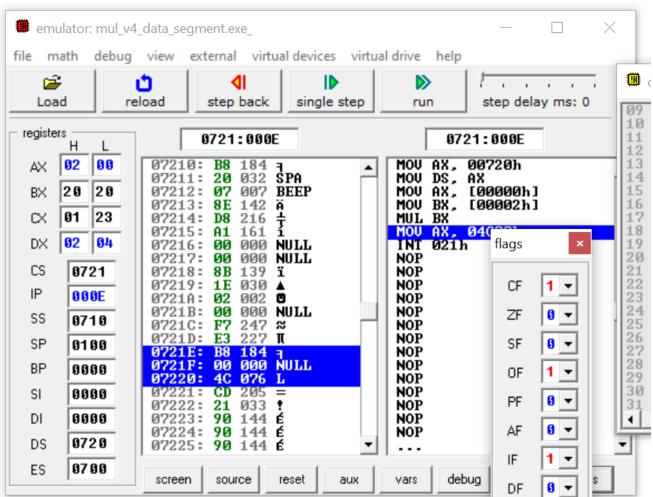
Example 2: The following statements perform 16-bit unsigned multiplication (0010h * 2000h) producing 00020000h in DX:AX:

```
. data
val1 WORD 2000h
val2 WORD 0010h
.code
mov ax, val1; AX=2000H
mul val2
AX*val2=2000H*0010H=00020000h \rightarrow DX:AX CF = 1
The Carry flag is set because DX is not equal to zero.
```



MUL Instruction (MOV CX, 0000H)

```
.MODEL SMALL
.STACK 100H
                                emulator: mul v4 data segment.exe
. DATA
ual1 DW 1010h
va12 DW 2020h
                                              reload
                                   Load
                                 registers
.CODE SEGMENT
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                                      02
                                         00
MAIN PROC
                                  ΑX
                                      20
                                         20
                                      01
                                         23
                                  CX
         MOU AX, @DATA
         MOU DS, AX
                                      92
                                         84
                                  DX
         MOU AX, val1
                                       0721
                                  CS
         MOU BX.va12
                                  IΡ
                                       BBBE
         MUL BX
                                  SS
                                       0710
                                  SP
                                       0100
         MOU AX,4C00H
         INT 21H
                                  BP
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                                       0000
                                  SL
        MAIN ENDP
                                  DΙ
                                       0000
END MAIN
                                       0720
                                  DS
                                       0700
                                  ES
                                                         source
                                                 screen
```



Example 2: The following statements perform 16-bit unsigned multiplication (0011h * 2000h) producing 00022000h in DX:AX:

. data

val1 WORD 2000h

val2 WORD 0011h

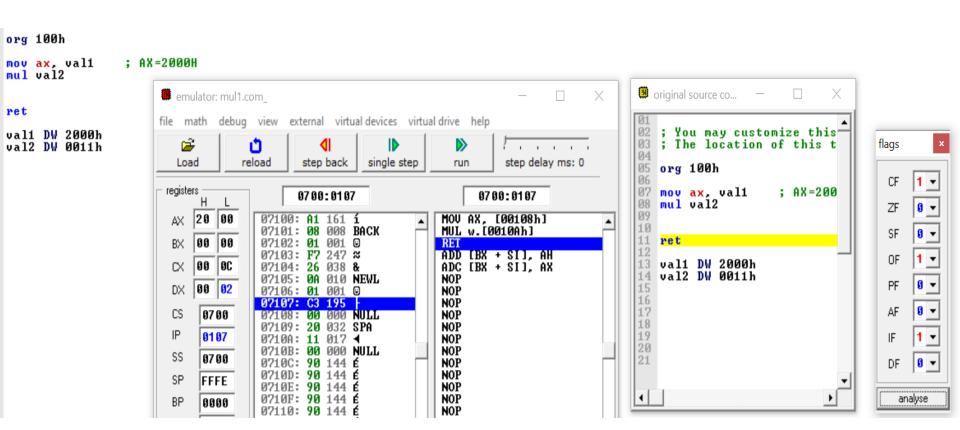
.code

mov ax, vall ; AX=2000H

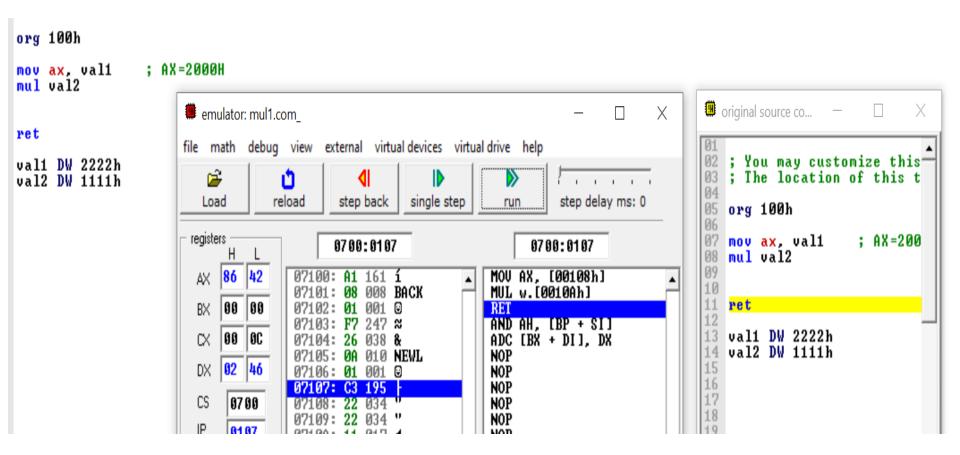
mul val2 ; AX*val2=2000H*0011H=00021000h → DX:AX

CF = 1

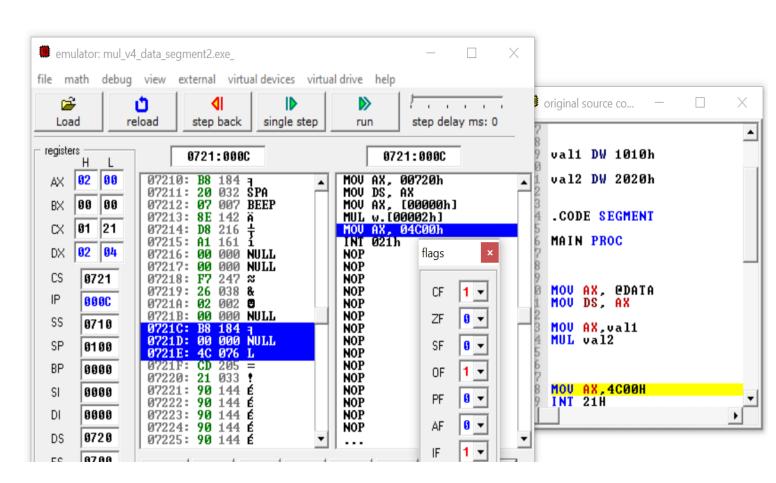
The Carry flag is set because DX is not equal to zero.



Another example with different operand



```
.MODEL SMALL
.STACK 100H
.DATA
val1 DW 1010h
va12 DW 2020h
.CODE SEGMENT
MAIN PROC
        MOU AX, @DATA
        MOU DS, AX
        MOU AX, val1
        MUL val2
        MOU AX,4C00H
        INT 21H
       MAIN ENDP
END MAIN
```



The DIV (unsigned divide) instruction performs 8-bit, 16-bit, and 32-bit division on unsigned integers. A single operand is supplied (register or memory operand), which is assumed to be the divisor. The instruction formats for DIV are:

DIV *r/m8*

DIV *r/m16*

DIV r/m32

The following table shows the relationship between the dividend, divisor, quotient, and remainder. Everything is determined by the size of the **divisor**:

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Dividend	Divisor	Quotient	Remainder
AX	r/m8	AL	AH
DX:AX	r/m16	AX	DX
EDX:EAX	r/m32	EAX	EDX

Example 1: The following instructions perform 8-bit unsigned division (83h / 2), producing a quotient of 41h and a remainder of 1:

```
mov ax,0083h ; AX=0083H
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mov bl,2; BL=02H

div bl ; AX/BL=0083H/02H→AL=41H, AH=01H

First operand is dividend and the second one is divisor.

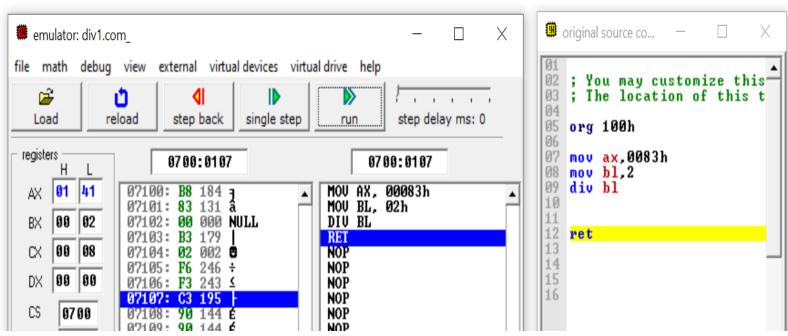
Quotient or Result is stored in AL and the Reminder in AH

```
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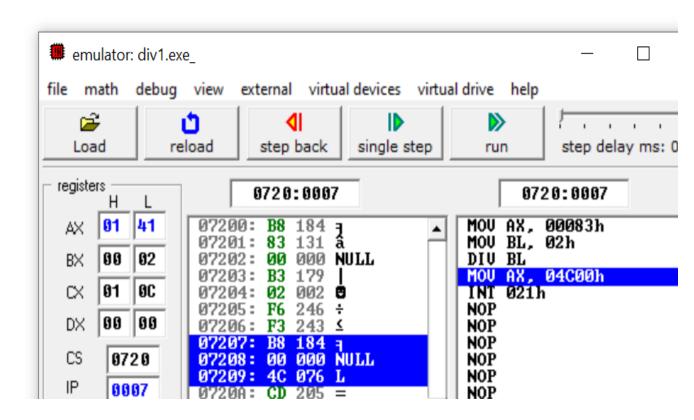
mov ax,0083h
mov bl,2
div bl
```

div bl

ret



```
.MODEL SMALL
.STACK 100H
.DATA
CODE SEGMENT
MAIN PROC
       mov ax,0083h
       mov b1,2
       div bl
        MOU AX,4C00H
        INT 21H
       MAIN ENDP
END MAIN
```



Example 2: The following instructions perform 16-bit unsigned division (8003h / 100h), producing a quotient of 80h and a remainder of 3.

DX contains the high part of the dividend, so it must be cleared before the DIV instruction executes:

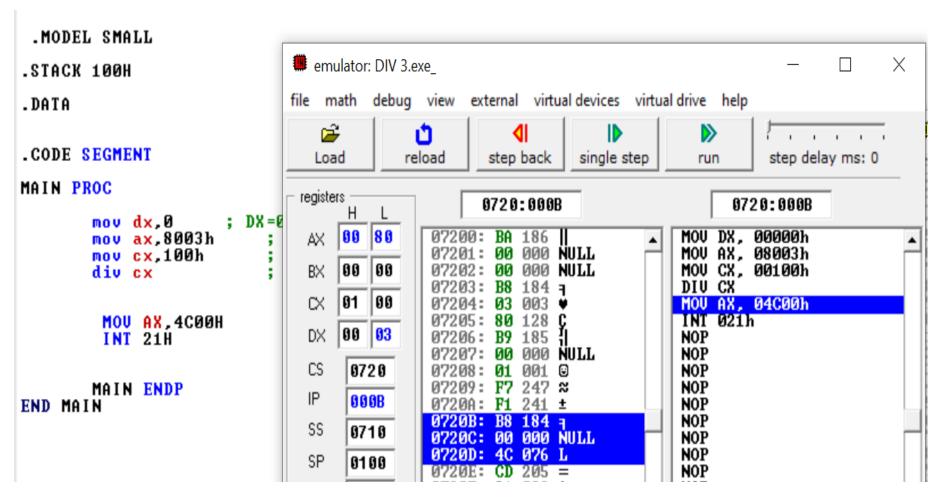
```
mov dx,0; DX=0
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mov ax,8003h ; AX=8003H

mov cx,100h ; CX=100H

div cx ; AX=0800H DX=0003H

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org 100h
mov dx,0
                    ; DX=0
mov ax,8003h
                         ; AX=8003H
mov cx,100h
                    ; CX=100H
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                                          reload
                                                                single step
                               Load
                                                    step back
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                                                                              run
                                                                                                            07 mov dx,0
                                                                                                                                     ; DX=0
                                                                                                            08 mov ax,8003h
                                                                                                                                          ; AX
                             registers
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                                                                                   0700:010B
                                                                                                             09 mov cx,100h
                                                                                                                                         ; CX=
                                                                                                             10 div cx
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                                                                            MOU DX, 00000h
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                                             07101: 00 000 NULL
                                                                            MOV AX, 08003h
                                             07102: 00 000 NULL
                                                                            MOV CX, 00100h
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                                                                                                                ret
                                             07103: B8 184 7
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07105: 80 128 $\psi$
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First operand is dividend and the second one is divisor.

Quotient or Result is stored in AX and the Reminder in DX