# x86 Assembly Foundations

Information about this course

#### **Course Contents**

- Basic structure of x86 architecture
- Introduction to FASM
- Assembly foundations:
  - Arithmetic
  - Branching
  - Signed operations
  - Bitwise operations
  - Memory
  - Strings
  - Subroutines and the Stack

# Course Contents (Cont.)

- Becoming independent
  - Using x86 manuals
  - Debugging with WinDbg
  - Interacting with the Windows OS

## Technical details

- x86 assembly language
- 32 bits protected mode
- Windows operation system
- FASM Flat Assembler

### Course Exercises

- Carefully tailored for every lecture.
- The real learning happens during the exercises.
  - Every exercise will expand your skills a little bit.
- You must do the exercises.
- Exercises could be downloaded for free from my website:
  - www.xorpd.net

## Student Requirements

- The course is made for absolute beginners.
- Requirements:
  - Understand English.
  - Be able to add numbers.
  - Determined to succeed.
- No programming experience is assumed.
- If you are more experienced, bonus exercises are waiting for you in every exercises section.

# System Requirements

- Windows operation system
  - Windows XP
  - Windows Vista
  - Windows 7
  - Windows 8
- Processor:
  - x86 Architecture
    - Intel
    - AMD