

CSCI 320-54 – Assignment 7: X86 Lab 1

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Objectives

Analyze, edit, assemble, link and run the programs. Write a program to display a “?”, read two decimal digits whose sum is less than 10, and display them and their sum on the next line, with an appropriate message.

Equipment Used

GUI Turbo Assembler 5.1

Procedure

To edit a program use notepad
Save with .asm extension.

To assemble the program
C: tasm pgm4_1; or masm pgm4_1

To link
C:tlink pgm4_1;

To run
Pgm4_1

1.Edit, assemble, link and run the above x86 programs. Make sure to fix the errors.

2.Write a program to (a) display a “?”, (b) read two decimal digits whose sum is less than 10, (c) Display them and their sum on the next line, with an appropriate message.

Sample Execution:

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?27
THE SUM OF 2 AND 7 IS 9
Submit your .docx report.
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New Operations Learned

MOV AX: Moves into the AX register.

MOV DS, AX: Set the data segment register (DS) to point to the data segment.

MOV AH: Move the value into the AH register.

MOV DX, OFFSET msgPrompt: Move the offset address of msgPrompt into the DX register.

INT 21h: Call interrupt 21h used to display a string or read a character.

SUB AL, '0': Subtract the ASCII value of '0' from AL to convert the character to its corresponding numerical value.

ADD AL, num2: Add the value in num2 to AL.

CMP sum, 10: Compare the value of sum with 10.

JAE overflow: Jump to the overflow label if sum is greater than or equal to 10.

LEA DX,MSG2: get message MSG2.

Program Description

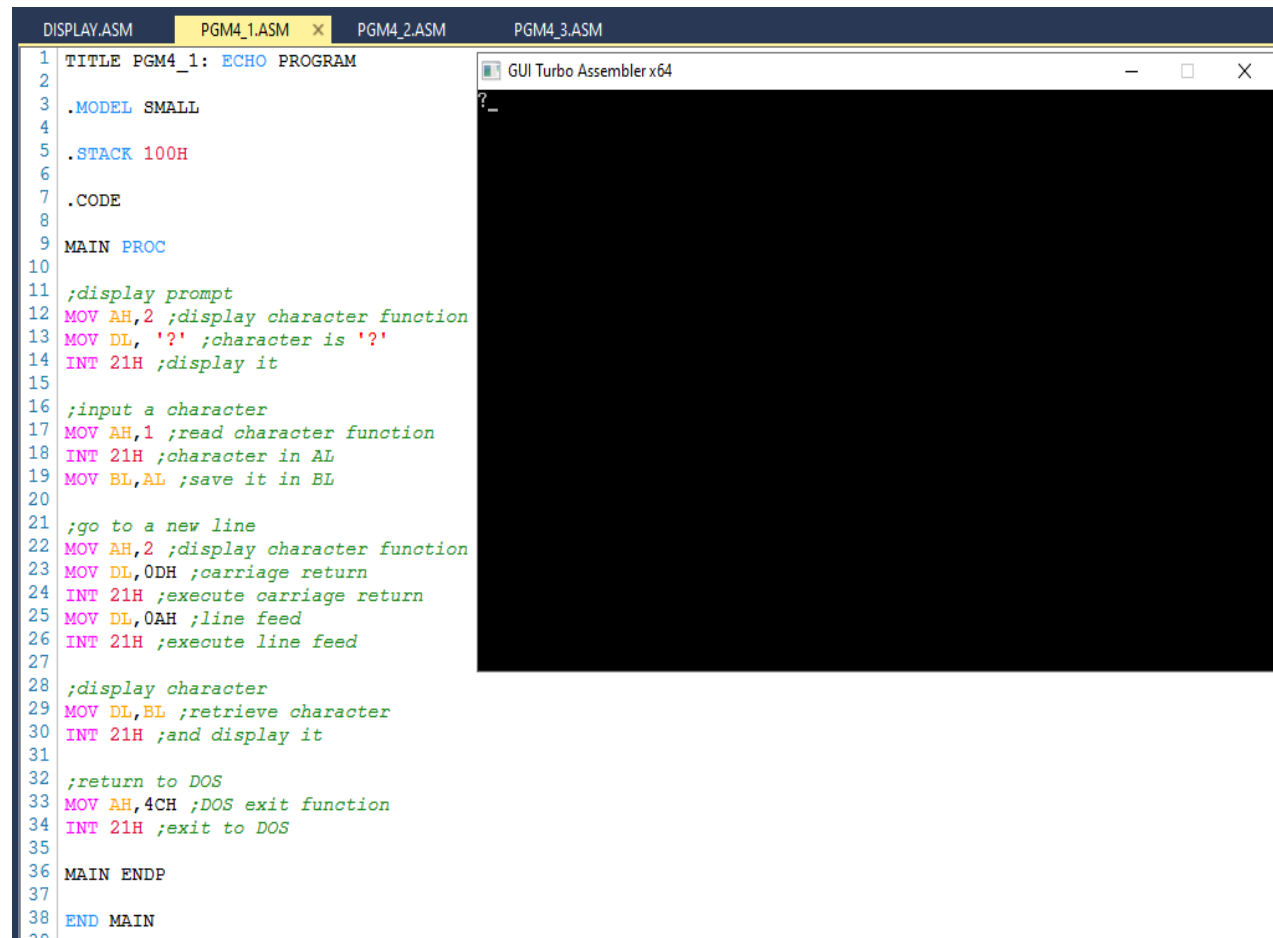
PGM4_1: This program displays a ?.

PGM4_2: This program displays “Hello!”.

PGM4_3: This program takes a lower-case letter in as an input then out puts it as a upper case letter.

DISPLAY.ASM: This program displays a ?, then reads two decimal digits whose sum is less than 10 and displays them and their sum on the next line.

SOURCE CODE



The screenshot shows a Turbo Assembler x64 window with two panes. The left pane displays the assembly source code for PGM4_1.ASM, and the right pane shows the terminal output.

```
1  TITLE PGM4_1: ECHO PROGRAM
2
3  .MODEL SMALL
4
5  .STACK 100H
6
7  .CODE
8
9  MAIN PROC
10
11  ;display prompt
12  MOV AH,2 ;display character function
13  MOV DL,'?' ;character is '?'
14  INT 21H ;display it
15
16  ;input a character
17  MOV AH,1 ;read character function
18  INT 21H ;character in AL
19  MOV BL,AL ;save it in BL
20
21  ;go to a new line
22  MOV AH,2 ;display character function
23  MOV DL,0DH ;carriage return
24  INT 21H ;execute carriage return
25  MOV DL,0AH ;line feed
26  INT 21H ;execute line feed
27
28  ;display character
29  MOV DL,BL ;retrieve character
30  INT 21H ;and display it
31
32  ;return to DOS
33  MOV AH,4CH ;DOS exit function
34  INT 21H ;exit to DOS
35
36  MAIN ENDP
37
38  END MAIN
```

The terminal output on the right shows a question mark '?' followed by a carriage return and line feed, resulting in the prompt appearing on a new line.

Figure 1 shows the source code for PGM4_1 and the terminal output after execution.

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1 TITLE PGM4_2: PRINT STRING PROGRAM
2
3 .MODEL SMALL
4
5 .STACK 100H
6
7 .DATA
8 MSG DB 'HELLO!$'
9
10 .CODE
11
12 MAIN PROC
13
14 ;initialize DS
15 MOV AX,@DATA
16 MOV DS,AX ;initialize DS
17
18 ;display message
19 LEA DX,MSG ;get message
20 MOV AH,9 ;display string function
21 INT 21H ;display message
22
23 ;return to DOS
24 MOV AH,4CH
25 INT 21H ;DOS exit
26
27 MAIN ENDP
28
29 END MAIN
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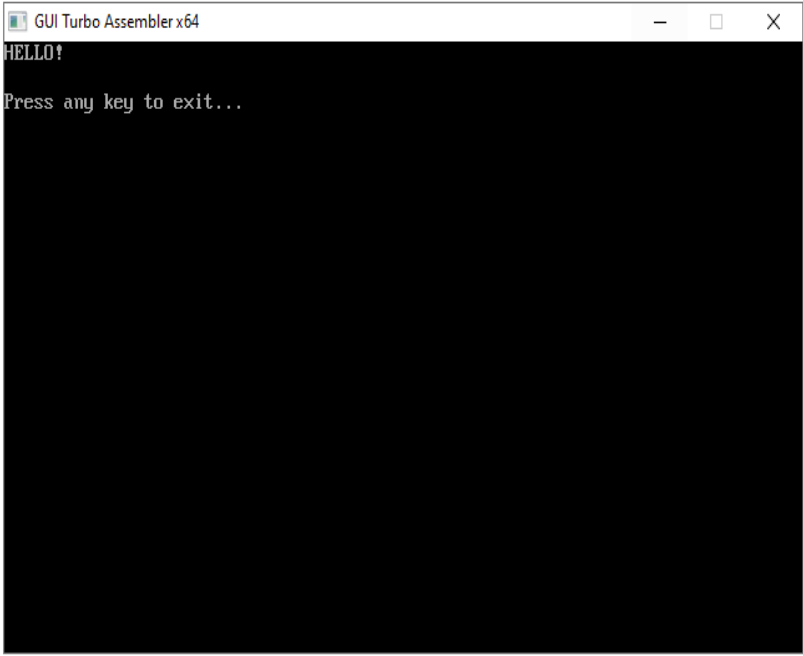
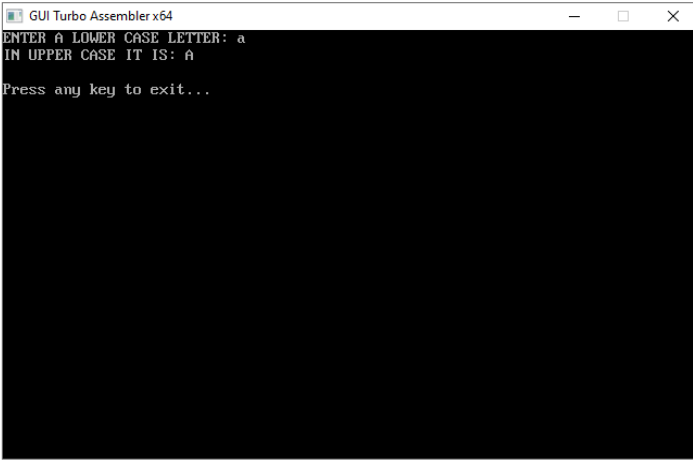


Figure 2 shows the source code for PGM4_2 and the terminal output after execution.



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1 TITLE PGM4_3: CASE CONVERSION PROGRAM
2
3 .MODEL SMALL
4
5 .STACK 100H
6
7 .DATA
8 MSG1 DB 'ENTER A LOWER CASE LETTER: $'
9 MSG2 DB 0DH,0AH,'IN UPPER CASE IT IS: '
10 CHAR DB ?, '$'
11
12 .CODE
13
14 MAIN PROC
15
16 ;initialize DS
17 MOV AX,@DATA ;get data segment
18 MOV DS,AX ;initialize DS
19
20 ;print user prompt
21 LEA DX,MSG1 ;get first message
22 MOV AH,9 ;display string function
23 INT 21H ;display first message
24
25 ;input a character and convert to upper case
26 MOV AH,1 ;read character function
27 INT 21H ;read a small letter into AL
28 SUB AL,20H ;convert it to upper case
29 MOV CHAR,AL ;and store it
30
31 ;display on the next line
32 LEA DX,MSG2 ;get second message MSG2
33 MOV AH,9 ;display string function
34 INT 21H ;display message and upper case
35
36 ;DOS exit
37 MOV AH,4CH
38 INT 21H ;DOS exit
39
40 MAIN ENDP
41
42 END MAIN
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Figure 3 shows the source code for PGM4_3 and the terminal output after execution.

Before execution:

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1 DATA SEGMENT
2     msgPrompt DB '?', '$' ; Prompt message to display '?'
3     msgSumPart1 DB 13, 10, 'THE SUM OF ', '$' ; First part of the message to display sum
4     msgSumPart2 DB ' AND ', '$' ; Second part of the message to display sum
5     msgIs DB ' IS ', '$' ; Message to display ' IS '
6     errorMsg DB 13, 10, 'Sum is not less than 10.', 13, 10, '$' ; Error message to display
7
8     num1 DB ? ; Reserve space for first digit
9     num2 DB ? ; Reserve space for second digit
10    sum DB ? ; Reserve space for sum
11 DATA ENDS
12
13 CODE SEGMENT
14 ASSUME CS:CODE, DS:DATA ; Set up code and data segment assumptions
15
16 START: ; Entry point for the program
17 MOV AX, DATA ; Load the data segment address into AX
18 MOV DS, AX ; Set the data segment register to point to the data segment
19
20 ; Display prompt message
21 MOV AH, 9 ; Function 9 of interrupt 21h displays a '$'-terminated string
22 MOV DX, OFFSET msgPrompt ; Load the offset address of msgPrompt into DX
23 INT 21h ; Call interrupt 21h to display the prompt message
24
25 ; Read two decimal digits from the user
26 MOV AH, 1 ; Function 1 of interrupt 21h reads a character from standard input
27 INT 21h ; Call interrupt 21h to read the first decimal digit
28 SUB AL, '0' ; Convert the ASCII character to its decimal value
29 MOV num1, AL ; Store the first digit in the variable num1
30
31 MOV AH, 1 ; Read the second decimal digit
32 INT 21h ; Call interrupt 21h to read the second decimal digit
33 SUB AL, '0' ; Convert the ASCII character to its decimal value
34 MOV num2, AL ; Store the second digit in the variable num2
35
36 ; Calculate the sum of the digits
37 MOV AL, num1 ; Move the first digit into AL
38 ADD AL, num2 ; Add the second digit to AL
39 MOV sum, AL ; Store the sum in the variable sum
40
41 ; Check if the sum is less than 10
42 CMP sum, 10 ; Compare the sum with 10
43 JAE overflow ; If sum is greater than or equal to 10, jump to the overflow label
44
45 ; Display the sum message on a new line
46 MOV AH, 9 ; Display the first part of the sum message
47 MOV DX, OFFSET msgSumPart1 ; Load the offset address of msgSumPart1 into DX
48 INT 21h
49
50 MOV DL, num1 ; Display the first digit of the sum
51 ADD DL, '0' ; Convert the decimal value to ASCII character
52 MOV AH, 2 ; Function 2 of interrupt 21h displays a character
53 INT 21h
54
55 MOV AH, 9 ; Display the second part of the sum message
56 MOV DX, OFFSET msgSumPart2 ; Load the offset address of msgSumPart2 into DX
57 INT 21h
58
59 MOV DL, num2 ; Display the second digit of the sum
60 ADD DL, '0' ; Convert the decimal value to ASCII character
61 MOV AH, 2 ; Function 2 of interrupt 21h displays a character
62 INT 21h
63
64 MOV AH, 9 ; Display the 'IS' part of the sum message
65 MOV DX, OFFSET msgIs ; Load the offset address of msgIs into DX
66 INT 21h
67
68 MOV DL, sum ; Display the calculated sum
69 ADD DL, '0' ; Convert the decimal value to ASCII character
70 MOV AH, 2 ; Function 2 of interrupt 21h displays a character
71 INT 21h
72
73 ; Display newline and carriage return
74 MOV AH, 2 ; Function 2 of interrupt 21h displays a character
75 MOV DL, 13 ; ASCII code for carriage return
76 INT 21h
77
78 MOV AH, 2 ; Function 2 of interrupt 21h displays a character
79 MOV DL, 10 ; ASCII code for newline
80 INT 21h
81
82 ; Exit the program
83 MOV AH, 4Ch ; Function 4Ch of interrupt 21h terminates the program with the return code in AL
84 INT 21h
85
86 overflow:
87 ; Display an error message if the sum is 10 or greater on a new line
88 MOV AH, 9 ; Display the error message
89 MOV DX, OFFSET msgPrompt + 1 ; Load the offset address of msgPrompt + 1 to skip the '?'
90 INT 21h
91
92 MOV AH, 9 ; Display the error message
93 MOV DX, OFFSET errorMsg ; Load the offset address of errorMsg into DX
94 INT 21h
95
96 ; Display newline and carriage return
97 MOV AH, 2 ; Function 2 of interrupt 21h displays a character
98 MOV DL, 13 ; ASCII code for carriage return
99 INT 21h

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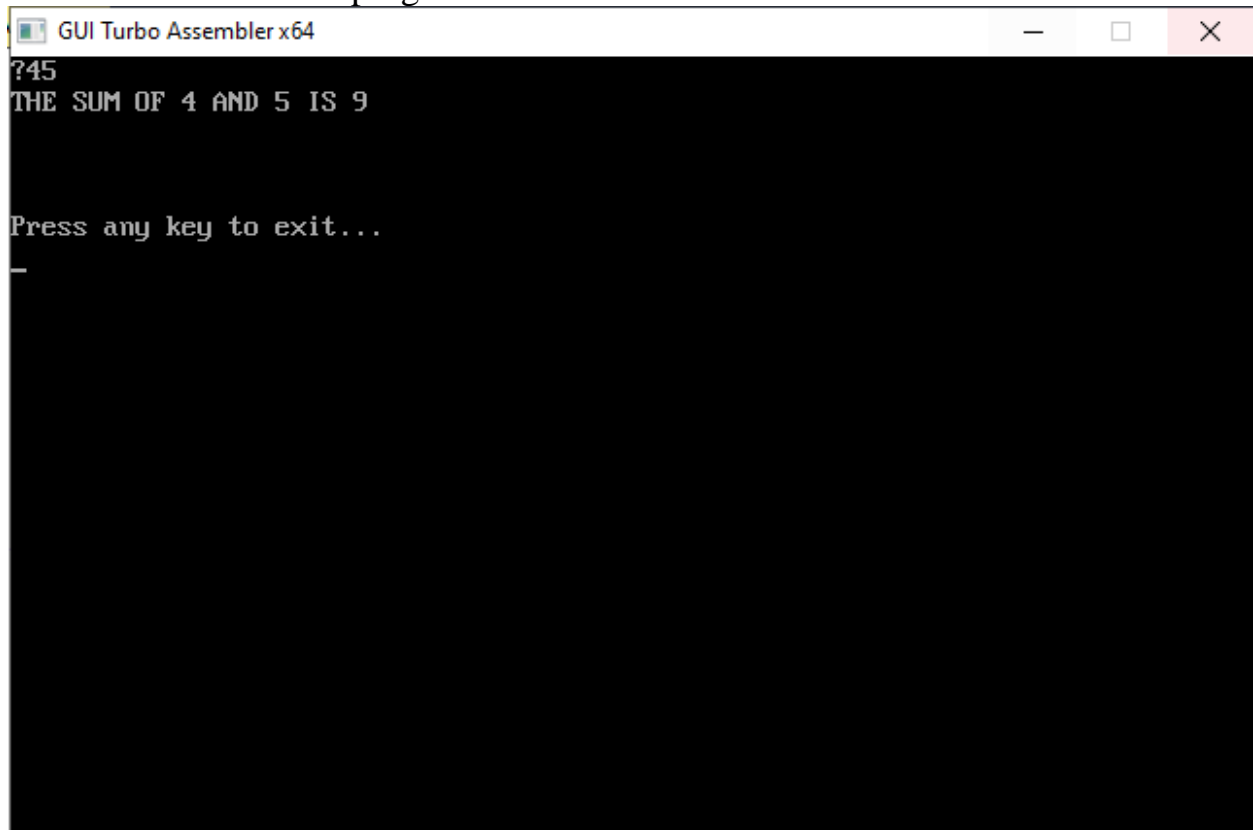
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101      MOV AH, 2          ; Function 2 of interrupt 21h displays a character
102      MOV DL, 10        ; ASCII code for newline
103      INT 21h
104
105      ; Exit the program
106      MOV AH, 4Ch        ; Function 4Ch of interrupt 21h terminates the program with the return code in AL
107      INT 21h
108
109      CODE ENDS          ; End of the code segment
110      END START          ; End of the program, specifying the starting point
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Figure 4, 5, 6 shows the source code for DISPLAY.ASM.

Results

After Execution of the program



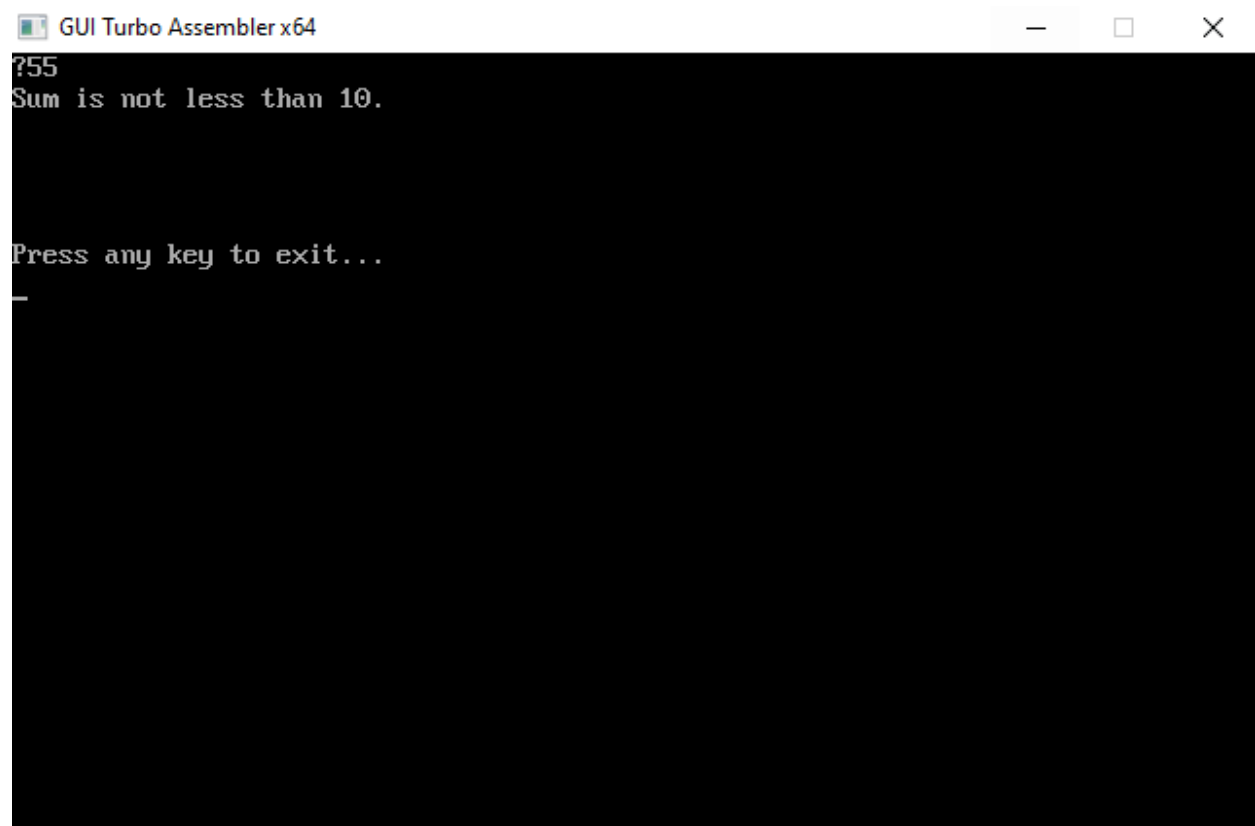
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745
THE SUM OF 4 AND 5 IS 9

Press any key to exit...
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Figure 7 shows the terminal output for DISPLAY.ASM if the two entered integer's sum is less than 10.



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GUI Turbo Assembler x64
755
Sum is not less than 10.

Press any key to exit...
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Figure 8 shows the terminal output for DISPLAY.ASM if the two entered integer's sum is 10 or more.