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# **EXPERIMENT - 4**

## **AIM**

 Design an 8086-assembly language program to compute the factorial of a positive integer 'n' using a recursive procedure. Integer n is a byte integer.

## **SOFTWARE**

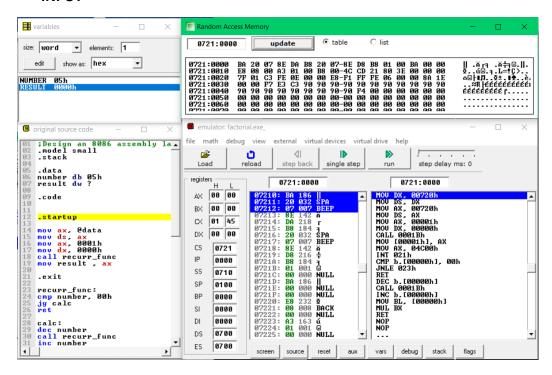
EMU8086 emulator

### **ALGORITHM**

- 1. Input the Number whose factorial is to be found into variable called 'number'.
- 2. Insert 0001 in AX (Condition for MUL Instruction) and 0000 in DX
- 3. Decrement number
- 4. Call recur\_func till number is not equal to zero
- 5. Copy the content of AX to 'result' variable.
- 6. Stop Execution

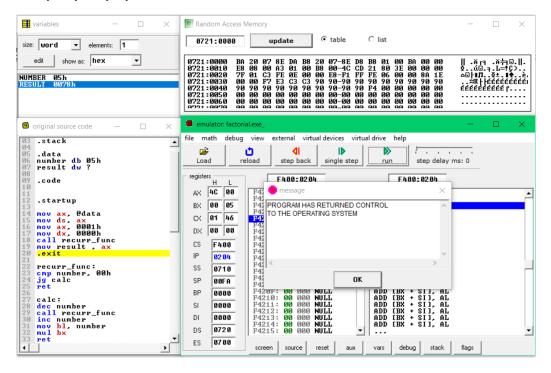
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.model small
.stack
.data
   number db 05h
    result dw ?
.code
    .startup
    mov ax, @data
    mov ds, ax
    mov ax, 0001h
    mov dx, 0000h
    call recurr_func
    mov result , ax
    .exit
    recurr_func:
        cmp number, 00h
        jg calc
        ret
    calc:
        dec number
        call recurr_func
        inc number
        mov bl, number
        mul bx
        ret
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#### INPUT



#### OUTPUT

### $5! = (120)_{10} = (78)_{16}$



### **CONCLUSION**

In this program we have learnt how to implement recursion in assembly language. Recursion is a fast method to solve problems but takes a lot of memory