Microprocessors & Interfacing

INSTRUCTION SET

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Far Jump

```
                        EXTRN   UP:FAR
0000 33 DB                      XOR BX,BX
0002 B8 0001        START:  ADD AX,1
0005 E9 0200 R              JMP NEXT

                    ;<skipped memory locations>

0200 8B D8          NEXT:   MOV BX,AX
0202 EA 0002 —— R           JMP FAR PTR START

0207 EA 0000 —— R           JMP UP
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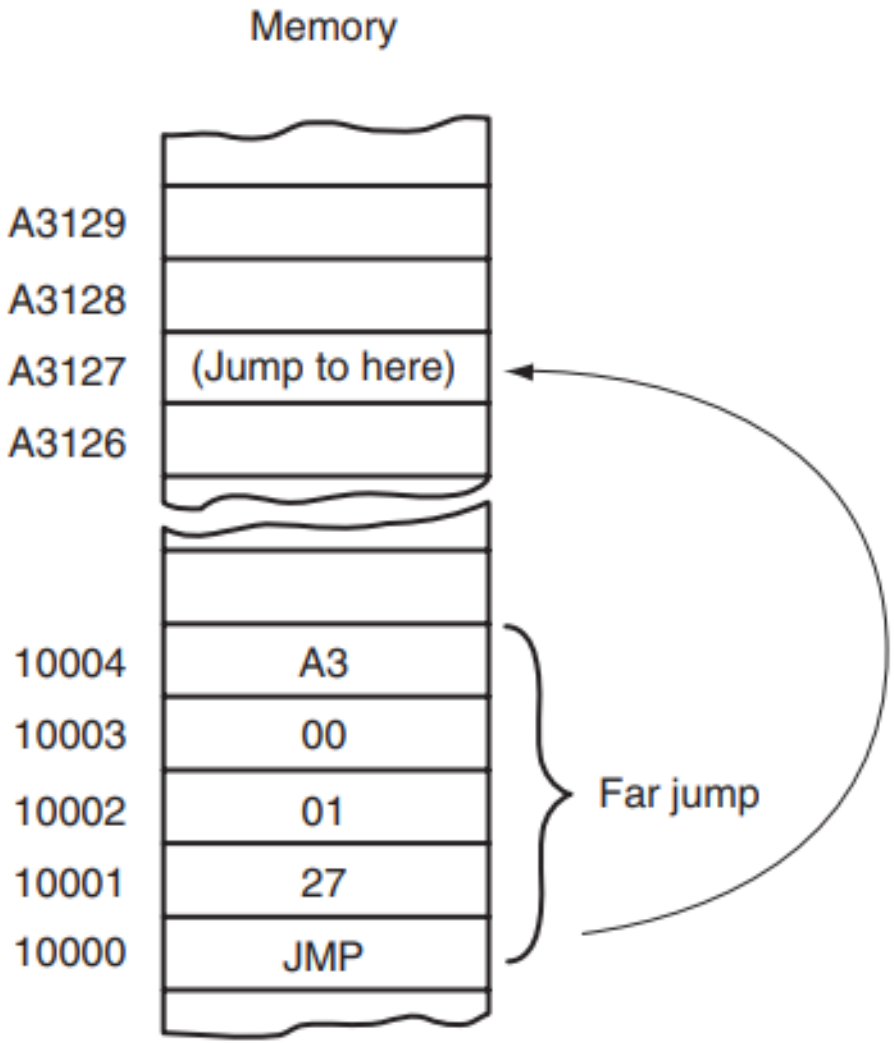

Jumps with Register Operands

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- The jump instruction can also use a 16- or 32-bit register as an operand

E.g. JMP AX

Copies the contents of the AX register into the IP when the jump occurs.

Example

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;Instructions that read 1, 2, or 3 from the keyboard.
;The number is displayed as 1, 2, or 3 using a jump table
;
.MODEL SMALL                    ;select SMALL model
.DATA                           ;start data segment
TABLE:  DW ONE                  ;jump table
        DW TWO
        DW THREE
.CODE                           ;start code segment
.STARTUP                        ;start program
TOP:    MOV AH,1                ;read key into AL
        INT 21H
        SUB AL,31               ;convert to BCD
        JB TOP                  ;if key < 1
        CMP AL,2
        JA TOP                  ;if key > 3
        MOV AH,0                ;double key code
        ADD AX,AX
        MOV SI,OFFSET TABLE     ;address TABLE
        ADD SI,AX               ;form lookup address
        MOV AX,[SI]             ;get ONE, TWO or THREE
        JMP AX                  ;jump to ONE, TWO or THREE
ONE:    MOV DL,'1'              ;get ASCII 1
        JMP BOT
TWO:    MOV DL,'2'              ;get ASCII 2
        JMP BOT
THREE:  MOV DL,'3'              ;get ASCII 3
BOT:    MOV AH,2                ;display number
        INT 21H
.EXIT
END
```

Indirect Jumps Using an Index

- The jump instruction may also use the [ ] form of addressing to directly access the jump table.

E.g. JMP TABLE [SI]

Procedures

- A procedure is a reusable section of the software that is stored in memory once, but used as often as necessary.
- The CALL instruction links to the procedure, and the RET (return) instruction returns from the procedure.
- The stack stores the return address whenever a procedure is called during the execution of a program.
- The CALL instruction pushes the address of the instruction following the CALL (return address) on the stack.
- The RET instruction removes an address from the stack so the program returns to the instruction following the CALL
- A procedure begins with the PROC directive and ends with the ENDP directive.

Example

```
0000                    SUMS    PROC    NEAR
0000 03 C3                      ADD     AX,BX
0002 03 C1                      ADD     AX,CX
0004 03 C2                      ADD     AX,DX
0006 C3                         RET
0007                    SUMS    ENDP

0007                    SUMS1   PROC    FAR
0007 03 C3                      ADD     AX,BX
0009 03 C1                      ADD     AX,CX
000B 03 C2                      ADD     AX,DX
000D CB                         RET
000E                    SUMS1   ENDP

000E                    SUMS3   PROC    NEAR USE BX CX DX
0011 03 C3                      ADD     AX,BX
0013 03 C1                      ADD     AX,CX
0015 03 C2                      ADD     AX,DX
                                RET
001B                    SUMS    ENDP
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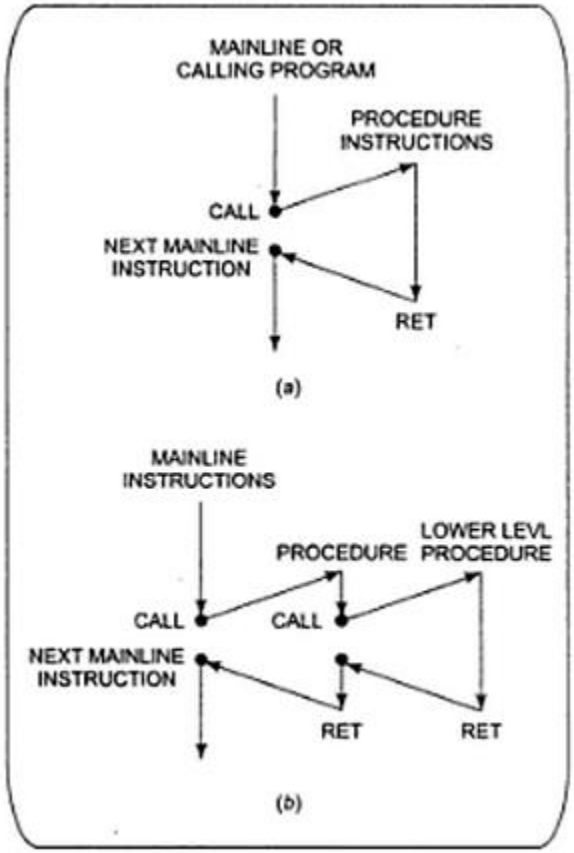
Call

- The CALL instruction differs from the jump instruction because a CALL saves a return address on the stack.
- The return address returns control to the instruction that immediately follows the CALL in a program when a RET instruction executes.

Call & Return


MAINLINE OR
CALLING PROGRAM
PROCEDURE
INSTRUCTIONS
CALL
NEXT MAINLINE
INSTRUCTION
RET
(a)
MAINLINE
INSTRUCTIONS
PROCEDURE
LOWER LEVL
PROCEDURE
CALL
CALL
NEXT MAINLINE
INSTRUCTION
RET
RET
(b)

Types of CALL

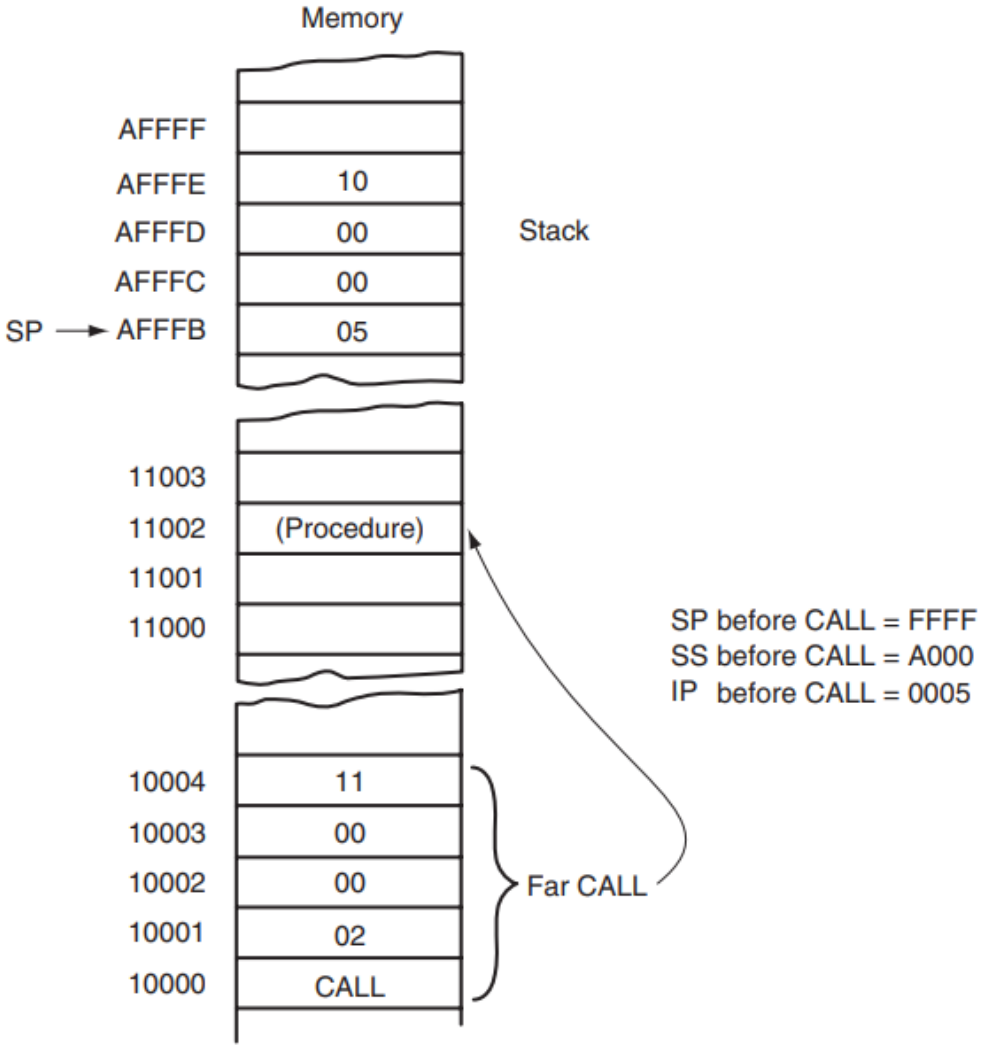
Near CALL

- Near CALL instruction is 3 bytes long; the first byte contains the opcode, and the second and third bytes contain the displacement, or distance of ±32K

Far CALL

- 5-byte instruction that contains an opcode followed by the next value for the IP and CS registers. Bytes 2 and 3 contain the new contents of the IP, and bytes 4 and 5 contain the new contents for CS.

Far CALL


Memory
AFFFF
AFFFE
10
AFFFD
00
Stack
AFFFC
00
SP
AFFFB
05
11003
11002
(Procedure)
11001
11000
SP before CALL = FFFF
SS before CALL = A000
IP before CALL = 0005
10004
11
10003
00
10002
00
Far CALL
10001
02
10000
CALL

Types of Calls

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CALLs with Register Operands

- contains a register operand.

E.g. CALL BX instruction, which pushes the contents of IP onto the stack. It then jumps to the offset address, located in register BX, in the current code segment

CALLs with Indirect Memory Addresses

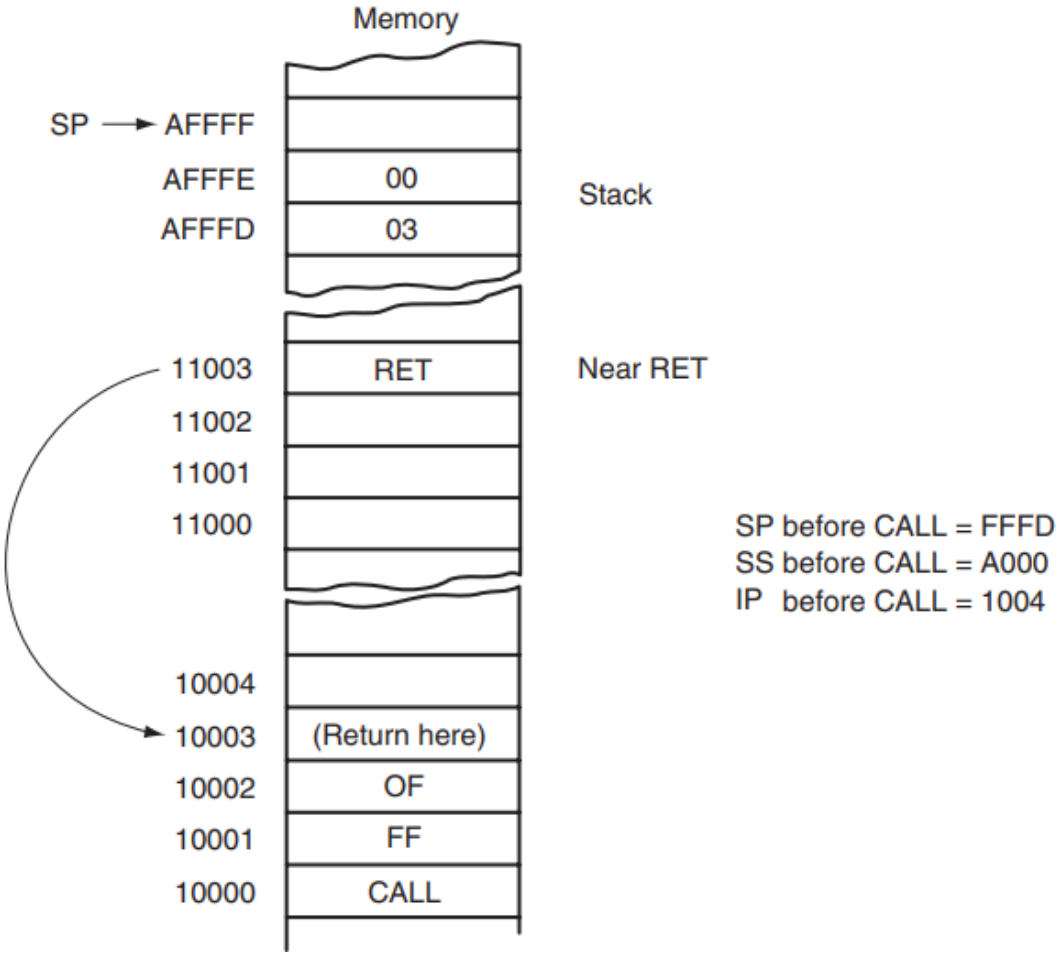
- Useful whenever different subroutines need to be chosen in a program.

E.g. CALL TABLE [4*EBX]

RET

- The return instruction (RET) removes a 16-bit number (near return) from the stack and places it into IP, or removes a 32-bit number (far return) and places it into IP and CS.
- The near and far return instructions are both defined in the procedure's PROC directive, which automatically selects the proper return instruction.

RET


Memory
SP
AFFFF
AFFFE
00
AFFFD
03
Stack
11003
RET
Near RET
11002
11001
11000
SP before CALL = FFFD
SS before CALL = A000
IP before CALL = 1004
10004
10003
(Return here)
10002
OF
10001
FF
10000
CALL

Example

```
        MOV     AX,30
        MOV     BX,40
        PUSH    AX                  ;stack parameter 1
        PUSH    BX                  ;stack parameter 2
        CALL    ADDM                ;add stack parameters


ADDM    PROC    NEAR
        PUSH    BP                  ;save BP
        MOV     BP,SP               ;address stack with BP
        MOV     AX,[BP+4]           ;get parameter 1
        ADD     AX,[BP+6]           ;add parameter 2
        POP     BP                  ;restore BP
        RET     4                   ;return, dump parameters
ADDM    ENDP
```

Interrupts

- Hardware-generated CALL (externally derived from a hardware signal) OR
- Software-generated CALL (internally derived from the execution of an instruction or by some other internal event)
- At times, an internal interrupt is called an exception.

- Either type interrupts the program by calling an interrupt service procedure (ISP) or interrupt handler

Interrupt Vectors

- A 4-byte number stored in the first 1024 bytes of the memory (00000H–003FFH) when the microprocessor operates in the real mode.
- In the protected mode, the vector table is replaced by an interrupt descriptor table that uses 8-byte descriptors to describe each of the interrupts.
- There are 256 different interrupt vectors, and each vector contains the address of an interrupt service procedure.

- Each vector contains a value for IP and CS that forms the address of the interrupt service procedure. The first 2 bytes contain the IP, and the last 2 bytes contain the CS

Interrupt vectors defined by Intel

Number	*Address*	*Microprocessor*	*Function*
0	0H–3H	All	Divide error
1	4H–7H	All	Single-step
2	8–BH	All	NMI pin
3	CH–FH	All	Breakpoint
4	10H–13H	All	Interrupt on overflow
5	14H–17H	80186–Core2	Bound instruction
6	18H–1BH	80186–Core2	Invalid opcode
7	1CH–1FH	80186–Core2	Coprocessor emulation
8	20H–23H	80386–Core2	Double fault
9	24H–27H	80386	Coprocessor segment overrun
A	28H–2BH	80386–Core2	Invalid task state segment
B	2CH–2FH	80386–Core2	Segment not present
C	30H–33H	80386–Core2	Stack fault
D	34H–37H	80386–Core2	General protection fault (GPF)
E	38H–3BH	80386–Core2	Page fault
F	3CH–3FH	—	Reserved
10	40H–43H	80286–Core2	Floating-point error
11	44H–47H	80486SX	Alignment check interrupt
12	48H–4BH	Pentium–Core2	Machine check exception
13–1F	4CH–7FH	—	Reserved
20–FF	80H–3FFH	—	User interrupts

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