

2024-2025 CPT101 quiz

Question 1

Correct

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Suppose you are given an array named myArray containing 5 integers. Your task is to develop an assembly program to calculate their sum, and store the result in the **eax** register. The instructions you may use to compose this program are provided under the table. Drag-and-drop suitable instructions to fill up line 1 to line 9. Instructions for Lines 3, 4, and 6 are shown already. Complete the rest. (Total 60 marks, i.e. 10 marks for each correct answer.)

Line 1	lea esi, myArray ✓
Line 2	mov eax, 0 ✓
Line 3	mov ecx, 0
Line 4	sumLoop:
Line 5	add eax, [esi] ✗ #add eax, [esi]#
Line 6	add esi, 4
Line 7	inc ecx ✓
Line 8	cmp ecx, 5 ✓
Line 9	jl sumLoop ✓

lea esi, myArray jl sumLoop add eax, [esi] dec ecx cmp ecx, 5 jnl sumLoop inc ecx mov eax, 0 mov esi, myArray

Question 2

Correct

Mark 40.00 out of 40.00

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What will be the contents of the stack values after the execution of the following code? Assume we have a stack that grows downward. The initial stack pointer points at the memory cell 0x003CFAD6 , and the initial value of each stack space is 00. Dra-and-drop your answer to the end of each stack memory space. (Total 40 marks, i.e. 10 marks for each correct answer.)

mov ax, 1
mov bx, 2
mov cx, 3
add bx, ax
sub cx, ax
push bx
push cx
push ax

0x003CFACE 00 ✓
0x003CFAD0 1 ✓
0x003CFAD2 2 ✓
0x003CFAD4 3 ✓
0 4 1 00 3 2

Question 3

Partially correct

Mark 60.00 out of 70.00

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The code segment below is designed to reverse the order of the first 5 characters in a character array named **myArray**. You may assume the array contains more than 5 characters. Here is how it works:

- (1) read a character in the array, starting from the first till the 5th;
- (2) push the character into the stack;
- (3) repeat steps (1) and (2) five times;
- (4) pop a character out from the stack;
- (5) place it in the array, starting from the first till the 5th;
- (6) repeat steps (4) and (5) five times.

The code segment is incomplete. **Drag-and-drop** the correct arguments and/or instructions to the missing places. (Total 70 marks, i.e. 10 mark for each correct answer.)

Line 1	start_here: mov ecx, 5
Line 2	mov esi, 0 ✓
Line 3	repeat_push:
Line 4	mov ✗ #movzx# eax, myArray [esi] ✓
Line 5	push eax
Line 6	inc esi ✓
Line 7	loop repeat_push ✓
Line 8	mov esi, 0
Line 9	mov ecx, 5
Line 10	repeat_pop: pop eax
Line 11	mov myArray[esi], al ✓
Line 12	inc esi
Line 13	loop repeat_pop ✓

start_here repeat_pop ax [esi] 5 al eax 0 mov esi ah add dec movzx repeat_push sub

Your answer is partially correct.

Question 4

Correct

Mark 30.00 out of 30.00

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Identify the operand addressing mode used in the following instructions. **Drag-and-drop** your answer to the end of each instruction. (Total 30 marks, i.e. 10 marks for each correct answer.)

(1) add ebx, ecx register ✓

(2) add cx, 2 constant ✓

(3) mov myVar, ebx memory ✓

memory register constant non-addressing constant+memory pointer