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Microprocessor : Types & Its Applications

Microprocessor is an integral part of various electronic devices. It forms the core and is responsible for performing multiple operations. Without it, you will not be able to perform any operation on your system. It is a key component of the electronic industry and is used for various applications to perform computational and logical operations such as data processing, communication, input-output management, etc. In this article, we will be done based on the number of instructions it can execute. In the next section, we have given a detailed description of a microprocessor, its types and its applications.

What is a Microprocessor?

A microprocessor is nothing but the Central Processing Unit of a computer system. It is constructed on a single chip. It is an integrated circuit and

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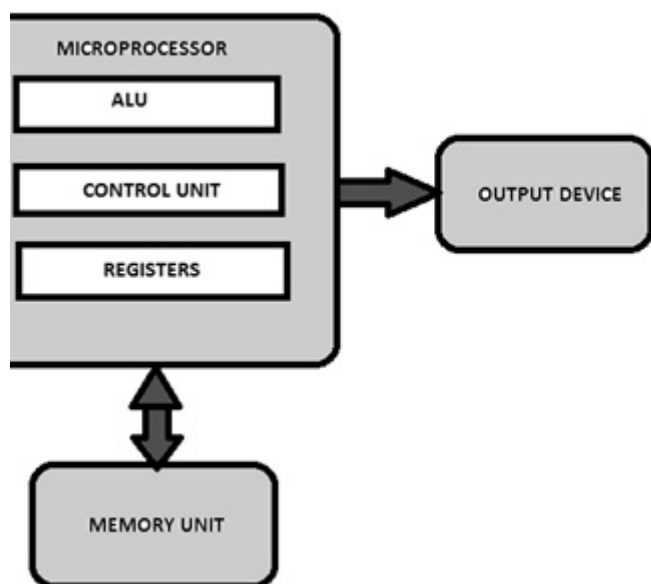
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Architecture

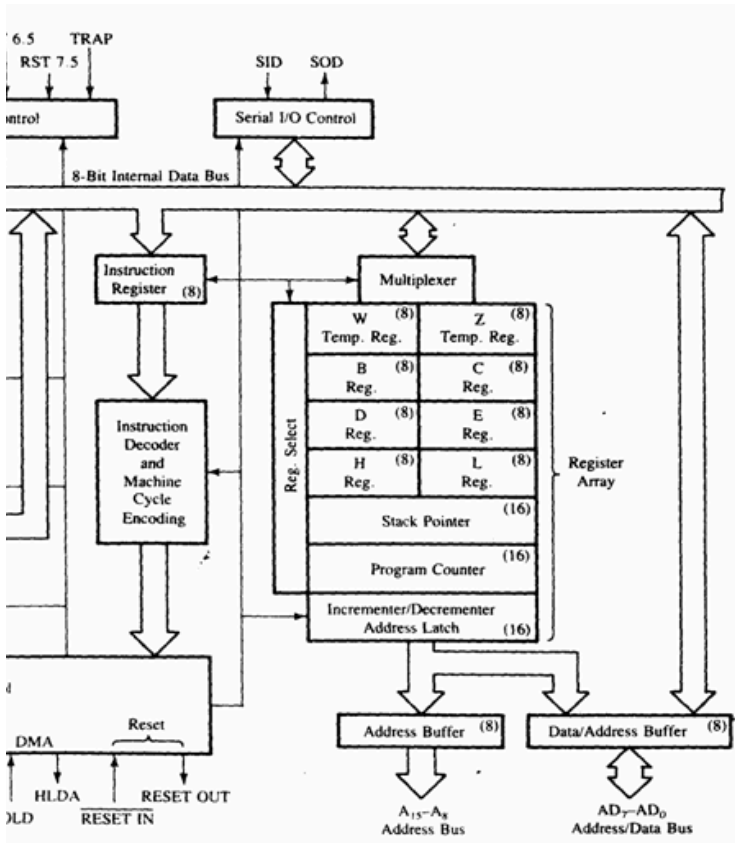
The architecture of the **8085 microprocessor**.

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a stack pointer of 16 bits, the program counter of 16 bits, and an incrementer/decrementer of 16 bits.



Architecture

The architecture mainly consists of the arithmetic control unit, instruction register, decoder, interrupt control unit, and timing and control unit. The ALU performs the various arithmetic operations. The timing and control unit brings about coordination within the microprocessor. Given below is the architecture of an 8085 microprocessor.

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is discussed below.

A group of instructions or command which is given to the microprocessor. The instruction set acts as an interface between the software and the hardware.

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The bus is a communication system for the transmission of data, address and control information. This is one of the most important elements of the microprocessor. The bus in this is divided into three types, which are data bus, a control bus, and address bus.

The instruction cycle is the time taken for the instructions that a CPU can execute in a single clock cycle.

The data path is the path through which the data that can be processed in a single instruction.

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number of bits that can be processed by the instance of time.

s of data formats which the microprocessor can SCII signed number and unsigned number.

Processors

sed below.

Set type is capable of executing single instructions. These low-level functions can be used for several memory, memory store or any kind of arithmetic tions can also be performed.

Set type can be used to work with fewer instruction iM. It is made up of a set of simple instructions and it instruction pipeline flow. RISM is the most commonly

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able of implementing instruction-level parallelism and
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kind of processor is extremely fast and gives more
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is used for specific purposes only. They can be used
i bitcoin miner. The design is extremely modern and
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there are a number of special processors as well.
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cessor is the 8087 processor.

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by Intel. It is a 16-bit microprocessor that has 16 data
 e storage is 1 MB. It consists of instruction sets using
 form complex operations easily. It operates in two
 mode and minimum mode.

Microprocessor include the following.

- perform a number of operations.
- capable of processing over 3 billion instructions per
- move data between various memory locations.

Microprocessor include the following.

- the size of data
- support the floating-point operation
- g of the design
- ntact with any kind of external device

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Used for?

Microprocessor chip to perform different operations. It can be configured to give the desired output.

Microprocessor is basically the same. However, CPU is used to refer to the central processor unit of a microprocessor.

Example?

Examples of microprocessors like Budget, Mainstream and Dual-Core.

Important?

Microprocessor executes necessary instructions which are required by a microcontroller device to perform its operations.

Microprocessor?

Microprocessor consists of the Arithmetic Logic Unit and Control Unit. It also has

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