

Assembly Programming with NASM (and GAS)

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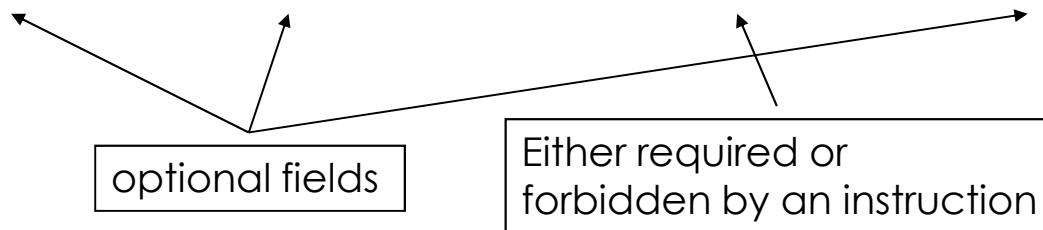
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► L4	db	12h	; byte
► L5	db	17o	; byte
► L6	dd	1A92h	; double word
► L7	resb	1	; uninitialized byte
► L8	db	'A'	; ascii code = 'A'
► L9	db	0,1,2,3	; 4 bytes
► L10	db	'w','o','r','d',0	; string
► L11	db	'word', 0	
► L12	times 100 db	0	; 100 bytes of zero
► L13	resw	100	; 100*2(word bytes)

Data Types in IA32 (AT&T format)

short	Word	w	2
int	Double word	l	4
long int	Double word	l	4
long long int	—	—	4
char *	Double word	l	4
float	Single precision	s	4
double	Double precision	l	8
long double	Extended precision	t	10/12

Instruction Basics



1. **Backslash (\)** uses as the line continuation character: if a line ends with backslash, the next line is considered to be a part of the backslash-ended line.
2. **No restrictions on white space** within a line.
3. A colon after a label is optional.

Example Program

3	int t = *xp + y;	4	movl 8(%ebp), %edx	Retrieve xp
4	*xp = t;	5	movl 12(%ebp), %eax	Retrieve y
5	return t;	6	addl (%edx), %eax	Add *xp to get t
6	}	7	movl %eax, (%edx)	Store t at xp
		8	popl %ebp	Restore frame pointer
		9	ret	Return

Operand Modes

movl	Imm	Mem	<code>movl \$-147, (%eax)</code>	<code>*p = -147;</code>
	Reg	Reg	<code>movl %eax,%edx</code>	<code>temp2 = temp1;</code>
		Mem	<code>movl %eax,(%edx)</code>	<code>*p = temp;</code>
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Examples

- ▶ **Mov [L1], ah ; copy ah into byte at L1**
- ▶ **Mov eax, [L6] ; copy double word**
- ▶ **Add eax, [L6] ; eax = eax + double word at L6**
- ▶ **Add [L6], eax ; double word at L6 += eax**
- ▶ **Mov al, [L6] ; copy first byte of double word at L6 into al**
- ▶ **Mov [L6], 1 ; operation size is not specified**
- ▶ **Mov dword [L6], 1 ; store a 1 at L6**

Instructions: Setup

- ▶ Also used for making subprogram calls, passing parameters and local variables.
- ▶ Data can only be added in double word units
- ▶ PUSH
 - ▶ inserts a double word on the stack by **subtracting 4 from ESP**
 - ▶ And then stores the double word at [ESP]

Instructions: Setup

- ▶ And then adds 4 to ESP
- ▶ CALL
 - ▶ Call subprogram
 - ▶ Make an unconditional jump to a subprogram
 - ▶ And pushes the address of the next instruction on the stack

Instructions: Setup

- ▶ And jumps to that address.
- ▶ When using this inst.: It is very important that one manage the stack correctly so that **the right number is popped off by the RET**.

Example

```
{  
    int t0 = *xp;  
    int t1 = *yp;  
    *xp = t1;  
    *yp = t0;  
}
```

```
        movl 12(%ebp),%ecx  
        movl 8(%ebp),%edx  
        movl (%ecx),%eax  
        movl (%edx),%ebx  
        movl %eax,(%edx)  
        movl %ebx,(%ecx)
```

Body

```
        movl -4(%ebp),%ebx  
        movl %ebp,%esp  
        popl %ebp  
        ret
```

Finish

Example (contd.)

Register	Variable
%ecx	yp
%edx	xp
%eax	t1
%ebx	t0

```
*xp = t1;
*yp = t0;
}

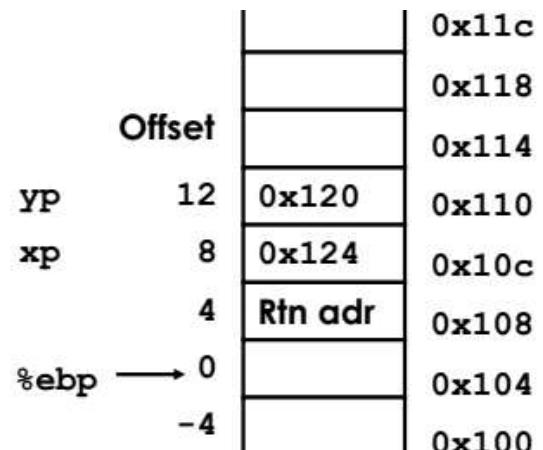
movl 12(%ebp),%ecx # ecx = yp
movl 8(%ebp),%edx # edx = xp
movl (%ecx),%eax # eax = *yp (t1)
movl (%edx),%ebx # ebx = *xp (t0)
movl %eax,(%edx) # *xp = eax
movl %ebx,(%ecx) # *yp = ebx
```

Offset	
12	yp
8	xp
4	Rtn adr
0	Old %ebp ← %ebp
-4	Old %ebx

Example (contd.)

%ecx	
%ebx	
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%edi	
%esp	
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8	0x118
4	0x114
Rtn adr	0x120
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	0x124
	0x10c
	0x108
	0x104
	0x100

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Rtn adr → 0

%ebp → -4

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%edi	
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Some Integer Instructions

addl Src,Dest	Dest = Dest + Src	
subl Src,Dest	Dest = Dest - Src	
imull Src,Dest	Dest = Dest * Src	
sall k,Dest	Dest = Dest << k	Also called shll
sarl k,Dest	Dest = Dest >> k	Arithmetic
shrl k,Dest	Dest = Dest >> k	Logical

k is an immediate value or contents of %cl

Some Integer Instructions

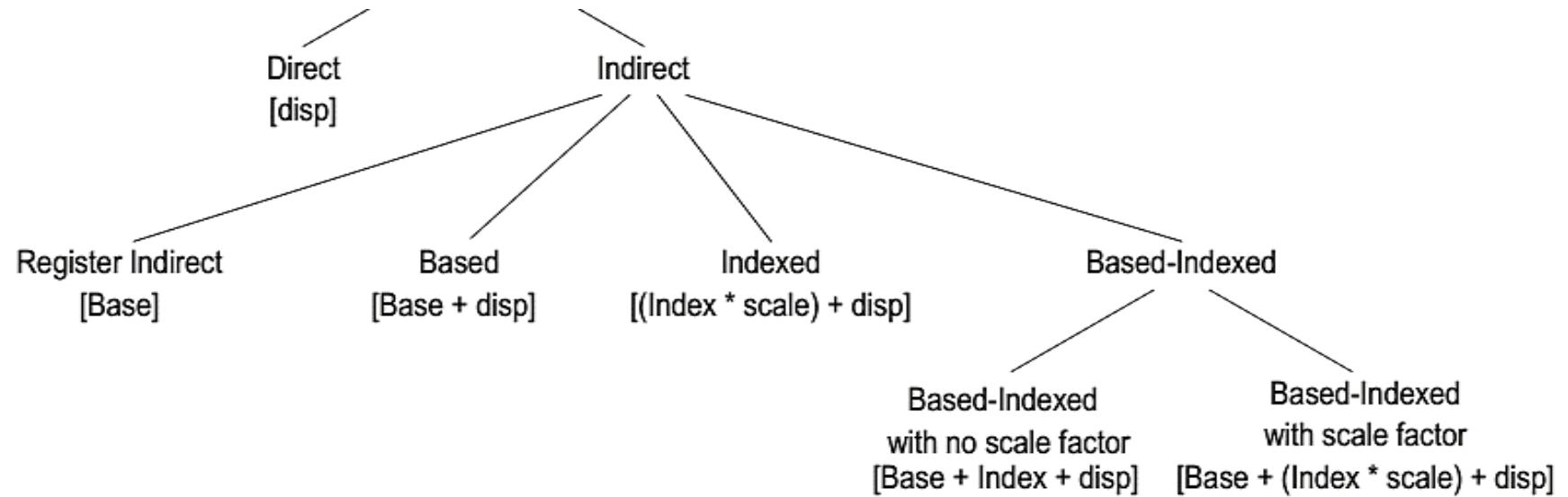
xorl Src,Dest	<i>Dest = Dest ^ Src</i>
andl Src,Dest	<i>Dest = Dest & Src</i>
orl Src,Dest	<i>Dest = Dest Src</i>

Some Integer Instructions

<code>incl Dest</code>	$Dest = Dest + 1$
<code>decl Dest</code>	$Dest = Dest - 1$
<code>negl Dest</code>	$Dest = -Dest$
<code>notl Dest</code>	$Dest = \sim Dest$

Addressing modes (32-bits)

Addressing Modes



Operands in X86 (NASM)

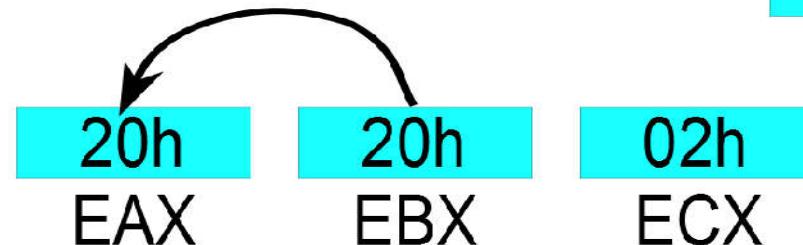
- ▶ Immediate: **MOV EAX, 10h**
 - ▶ Copy constant to register
- ▶ Memory: different addressing modes
 - ▶ Typically at most one memory operand
 - ▶ Complex address computation supported

Addressing modes

- ▶ Indirect: **MOV EAX, [EBX]**
 - ▶ Copy value pointed to by register BX
- ▶ Indexed: **MOV AL, [EBX + ECX * 4 + 10h]**
 - ▶ Copy value from array (BX[4 * CX + 0x10])
- ▶ Pointers can be associated to type
 - ▶ **MOV AL, byte ptr [BX]**

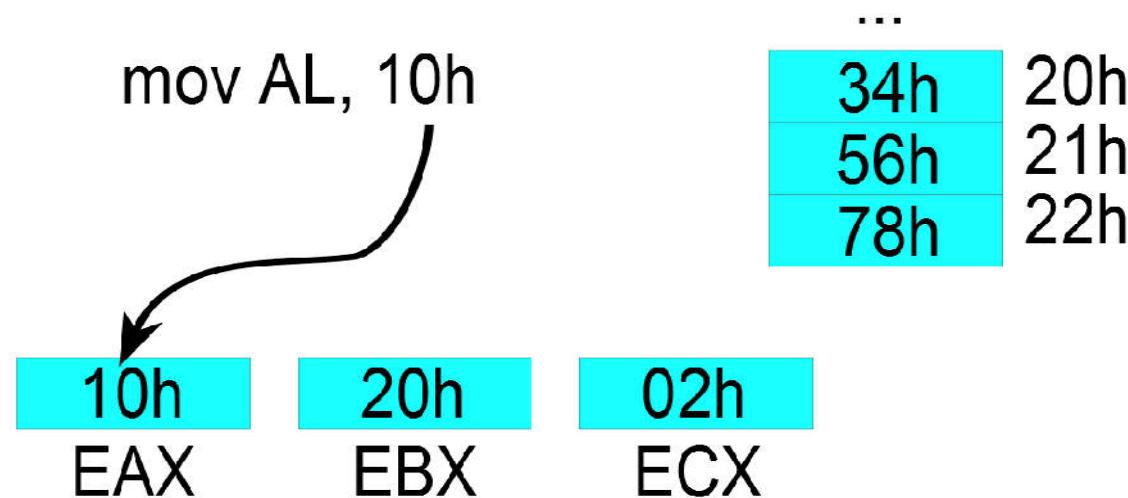
Operands and addressing modes: Register

mov AL, BL

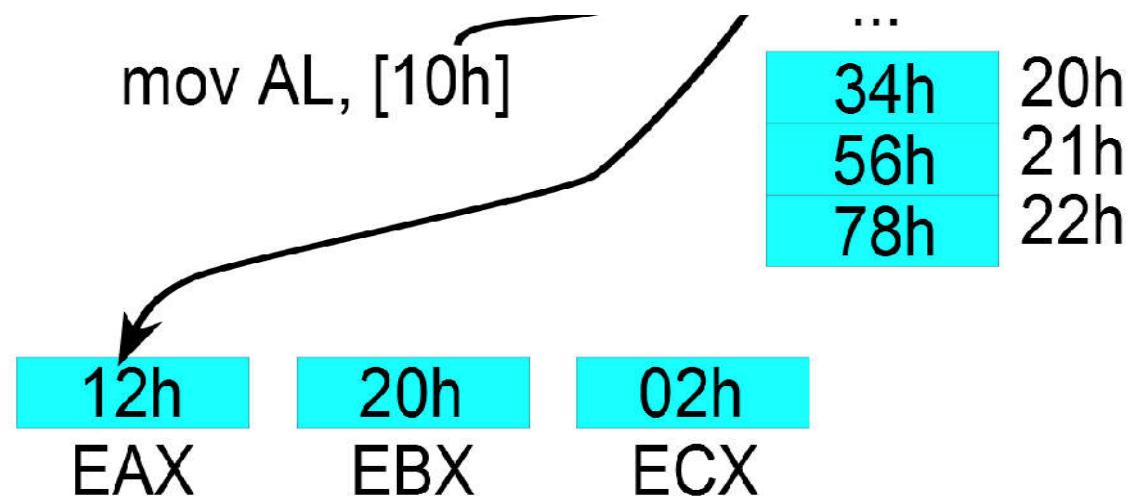


...		
34h	20h	
56h	21h	
78h	22h	

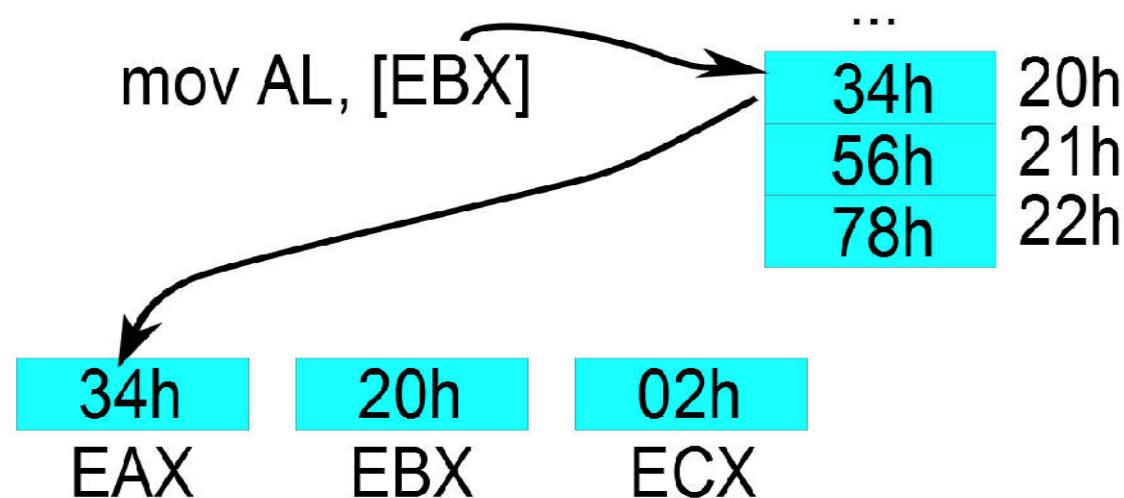
Operands and addressing modes: Immediate



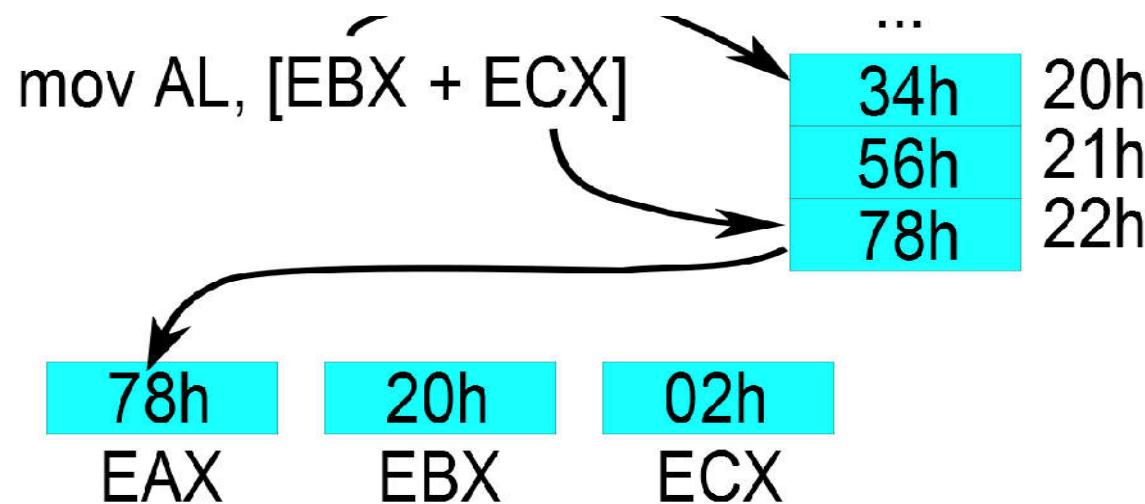
Operands and addressing modes: Direct



Operands and addressing modes: Indirect



Operands and addressing modes: Indexed



Generic 32bit Addressing Mode

				no displacement
SS	EBX	EBX	2	8-bit displacement
DS	ECX	ECX	4	32-bit displacement
ES	EDX	EDX	8	
FS	ESI	ESI		
GS	EDI	EDI		
	EBP	EBP		
	ESP			

Addressing Mode GNU-AS

- ▶ Rb: Base register: Any of 8 integer registers
- ▶ Ri: Index register: Any, **except for %esp**
 - ▶ Unlikely you'd use %ebp, either
- ▶ S: Scale: 1, 2, 4, or 8

GAS - Indexed Addressing Modes

- ▶ $D(Rb, Ri) \text{ Mem } [\text{Reg}[Rb] + \text{Reg}[Ri] + D]$
- ▶ $(Rb, Ri, S) \quad \text{Mem } [\text{Reg}[Rb] + S * \text{Reg}[Ri]]$

Solve the Followings:

`0x80(%edx,%ecx)`

`(%edx,%ecx)`

`(%edx,%ecx,4)`

`0x80(%edx,2)`

► Given:

<code>%edx</code>	<code>0xf000</code>
<code>%ecx</code>	<code>0x100</code>

Another Programming Example

- ▶ Print the value
- ▶ Add 1 to that
- ▶ Print the result

Another Program (1)

```
; set-up phase
push ebp
mov ebp, esp

; finish phase
mov esp, ebp
pop ebp
ret
```

Another Program (2)

```
; set-up phase
    push ebp
    mov ebp, esp

; get the command-line data
    mov ebx, DWORD [esp + 12] ; get argv starting address
    mov ebx, [ebx + 4]          ; get the second argument data

; finish phase
    mov esp, ebp
    pop ebp
    ret
```

Another Program (3)

```
SECTION .text
    extern printf
    global main

main:
; set-up phase
    push ebp
    mov ebp, esp
```

Another Program (3)

```
; print the value
push ebx
push msg
call printf

; put data on stack for call
; print the value

; finish phase
add esp, 8
mov esp, ebp
pop ebp
ret
```

Another Program (4)

```
SECTION .text
    extern printf
    extern atoi
    global main

main:
; set-up phase
    push ebp
    mov ebp, esp
```

Another Program (4)

```
; print the value
push ebx
push msg
call printf

; put data on stack for call
; print the value

; convert to integer
add esp, 4
call atoi

; stack points to entry edx
; call atoi - return in EAX?
```

Another Program (4)

```
; print the result
push eax
push msg2
call printf

; push arg for print
; push print message

; finish phase
add esp, 8
mov esp, ebp
pop ebp
ret
```

Another Program (final)

```
SECTION .text
    extern printf
    extern atoi
    global main

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; set-up phase
    push ebp
    mov ebp, esp
```

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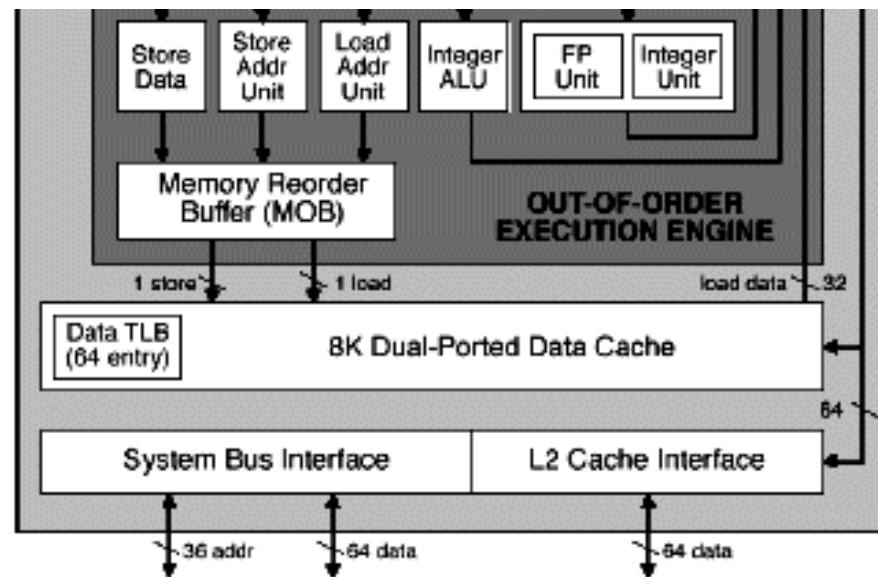
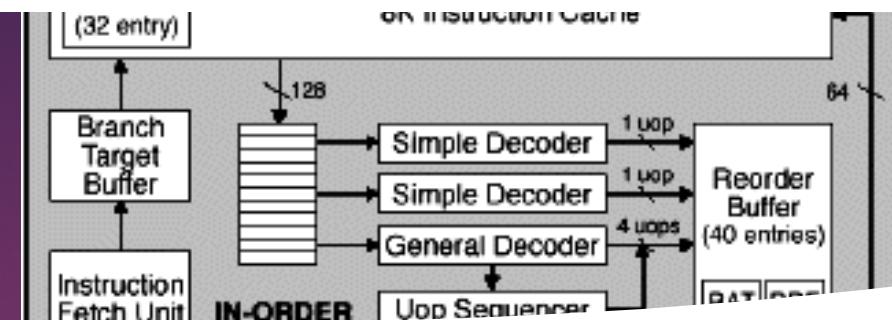
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```

PentiumPro Block Diagram

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Operations

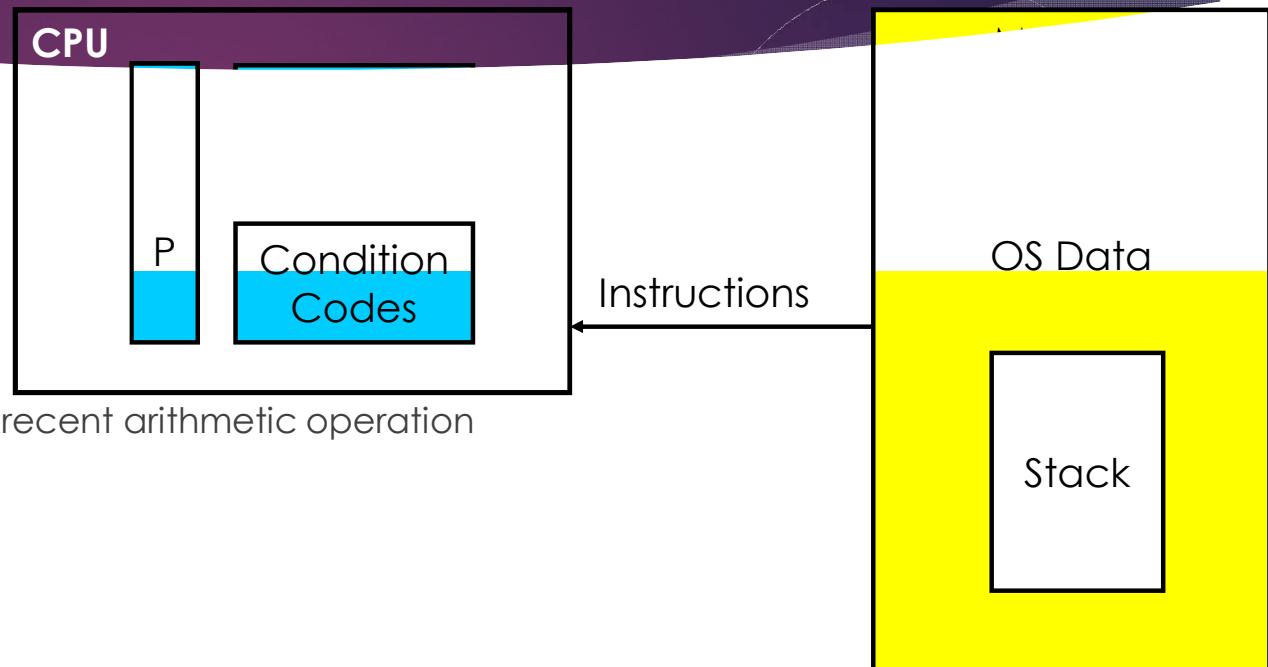
- ▶ Holds
 - ▶ Operation 32
 - ▶ Two sources, and + 32 + 32
 - ▶ Destination + 32 = 128bits **WHY??**
- ▶ Executes Uops with “**Out of Order**” engine
 - ▶ Uop executed when
 1. Operands are available
 2. Functional unit available

Operations

- ▶ Allocates resources
- ▶ Consequences
 - ▶ Indirect relationship between
 - ▶ IA32 code &
 - ▶ What actually gets executed
 - ▶ Tricky to predict / optimize performance at assembly level

Machine View

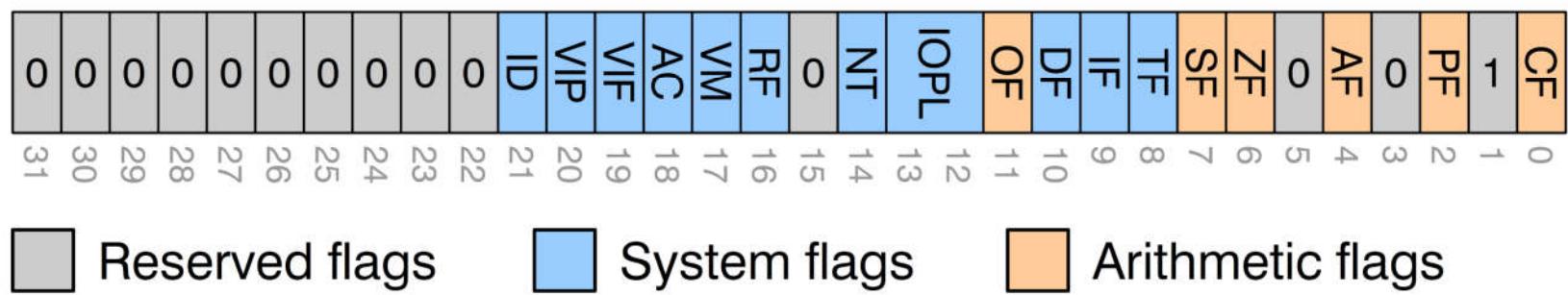
- ▶ Heavily used program data
- ▶ Condition Codes
 - ▶ Store status information about most recent arithmetic operation
 - ▶ Used for conditional branching
- ▶ Memory
 - ▶ Byte addressable array
 - ▶ Code, user data, (some) OS data
 - ▶ Includes stack used to support procedures



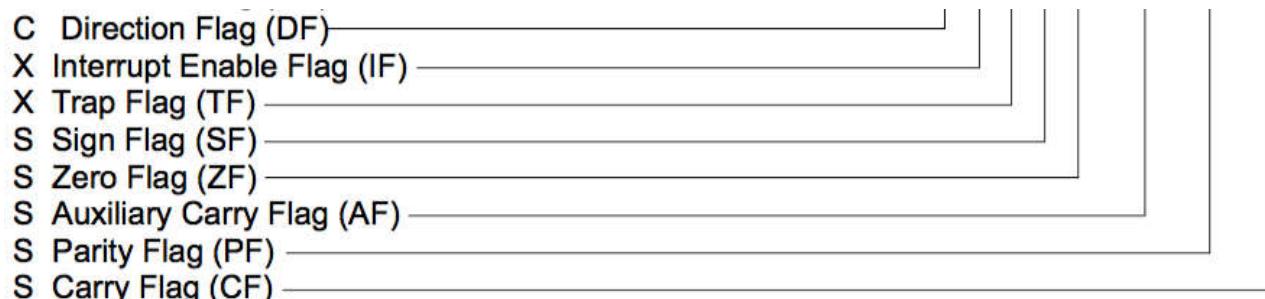
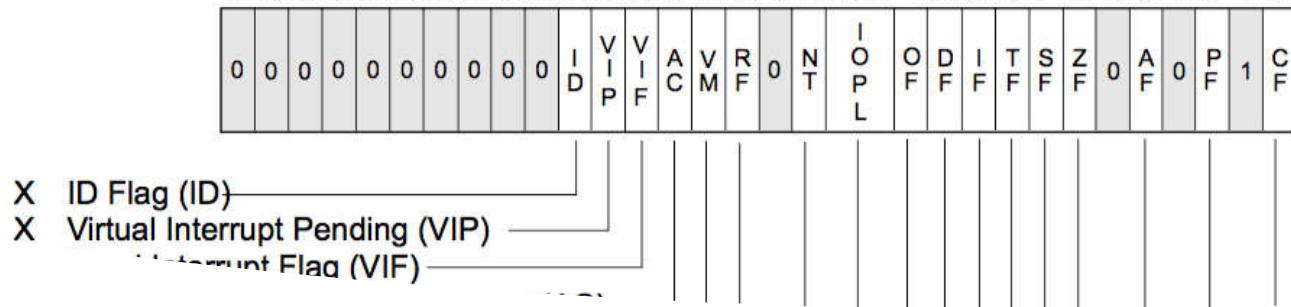
Flow Control Instructions

- ▶ Jcc
- ▶ CALL
- ▶ RET

Revisit EFLAGS



Revisit EFLAGS



S Indicates a Status Flag

C Indicates a Control Flag

X Indicates a System Flag

Reserved bit positions. DO NOT USE.

Always set to values previously read.

JMP: jump

JMP *dest*

- ▶ **Operation (absolute jump):**

EIP \leftarrow *dest*

- ▶ **Operation (relative jump):**

EIP \leftarrow EIP + *dest*

-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

of df sf zf af pf cf

Unconditional Jumps

- ▶ We have two types of jumps,
 - ▶ Intersegment
 - ▶ Intrasegment
- ▶ Address can be in a register, variable or label.

Unconditional Jumps

```
Start:    MOV AX, 0  
          INC AX,  
          JMP Start
```

Jcc: short jump conditional

`Jcc dest`

► **Operation:**

```
if(cc)
    EIP ← EIP + dest
endif
```

► **Notes:** *cc* is any of the condition codes. *dest* must be within a signed 8-bit range (-128 to 127).

-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
of	df	sf	zf	af	pf	cf	

Condition Codes

C analog: $t = a + b$

- ▶ CF set if carry out from most significant bit
 - ▶ Used to detect unsigned overflow
- ▶ ZF set if $t == 0$
- ▶ SF set if $t < 0$
- ▶ OF set if two's complement overflow
$$(a>0 \&& b>0 \&& t<0) \mid\mid (a<0 \&& b<0 \&& t>=0)$$
- ▶ **Not Set by leal instruction**

Condition Codes

NO	<i>No Overflow</i>	OF=0
C	<i>Carry</i>	
B	<i>Below</i>	CF=1
NAE	<i>Not Above nor Equal</i>	
NC	<i>No Carry</i>	
NB	<i>Not Below</i>	CF=0
AE	<i>Above or Equal</i>	

Condition Codes (continued)

E	<i>Equal</i>	
NZ	<i>Not Zero</i>	ZF=0
NE	<i>Not Equal</i>	
BE	<i>Below or Equal</i>	CF=1 OR ZF=1
NA	<i>Not Above</i>	
A	<i>Above</i>	CF=0 AND ZF=0
NBE	<i>Not Below nor Equal</i>	

Condition Codes (continued)

NS	<i>Not Sign</i>	SF=0
P	<i>Parity</i>	PF=1
PE	<i>Parity Even</i>	
NP	<i>Not Parity</i>	PF=0
PO	<i>Parity Odd</i>	

Condition Codes (continued)

NGE	<i>Not Greater nor Equal</i>	
GE	<i>Greater or Equal</i>	SF=OF
NL	<i>Not Less</i>	
LE	<i>Less or Equal</i>	ZF=1 OR SF<>OF
NG	<i>Not Greater</i>	
G	<i>Greater</i>	ZF=0 AND SF=OF
NLE	<i>Not Less nor Equal</i>	

Condition Codes (continued)

Conditional Jumps

- ▶ Example:

JZ → jump if zero flag is set.

Conditional Codes

instructions.

Add a value X to eax;

If $x < 0$

Then

... (body for negative condition)

Else if $x = 0$

... (body for zero condition)

Else

... (body for positive condition)

End if

Conditional Codes

```
JNS elseifZero      ;jump if eax is not negative  
...  
JMP endCheck  
elseifZero:  
  JNZ elsePos        ; jump if x is not zero  
  ...  
  JMP endCheck  
elsePos: ...          ; code for positive balance  
endCheck:
```

Conditional Codes

```
...           ; code for negative condition
JMP endCheck
elseifZero:
    JNZ elsePos   ; jump if x is not zero
    ...
    ; code for zero condition
    JMP endCheck
elsePos:
    ...
    ; code for positive balance
endCheck:
```

Then
... (body for negative condition)
Else if x = 0
... (body for zero condition)
Else
... (body for positive condition)
End if

Setting Codes

- ▶ like computing **Src1-Src2** without setting destination
- ▶ **CF** set if carry out from most significant bit
 - ▶ Used for unsigned comparisons
- ▶ **SF** set if $(a-b) < 0$
- ▶ **ZF** set if $a == b$
- ▶ **OF** set if two's complement overflow
$$(a>0 \ \&\& \ b<0 \ \&\& \ (a-b)<0) \ \|\ \ (a<0 \ \&\& \ b>0 \ \&\& \ (a-b)>0)$$

Compare Examples

- ▶ CF=OF=SF=0
- ▶ ZF=1
- ▶ OP1==OP2 signed and unsigned

Compare Examples

- ▶ OP1-OP2= 26
- ▶ CF=OF=SF=ZF=0
- ▶ OP1>OP2 signed and unsigned

Compare Examples

- ▶ OP1-OP2= 1F
- ▶ SF= OF= ZF= 0s
- ▶ Signed operation = op1>op2
- ▶ CF= (1 – borrow)
- ▶ Unsigned operation =op1 < op2

$$\begin{array}{r} 0001\ 0101 \\ +0000\ 1010 \\ \hline 0001\ 1111 = 1F \end{array}$$

Compare Examples

cmp value, 03dh

Cmp bh, '\$'

Illegal examples

Cmp 1000, total

Compare Programming Ex.

Then

add 1 to xcount;

Else

add 1 to ycount;

End if;

Compare Programming Ex

```
cmp ebx, 10      ;value < 10
jnl Elsey
inc xcount      ;add 1 to xcount
jmp endVal
```

Elsey:

```
inc ycount      ;add 1 to ycount
```

endVal:

Compare Examples for JNL

- ▶ OP1-OP2=80
- ▶ SF=1
- ▶ OF=1
- ▶ ZF=0
- ▶ Signed operation: **op1>=op2**
- ▶ Unsigned operation = op1 < op2

$$\begin{array}{r} 0111\ 1111 \\ +0000\ 0001 \\ \hline 1000\ 0000 \end{array} = 80$$

Instruction: Test

`test Src1, Src2`

- ▶ Sets condition codes based on value of: **Src1 & Src2**
 - ▶ Useful to have one of the operands be a mask
- ▶ **testl b,a**
 - ▶ like computing **a&b** without setting destination

Instruction: Test

- ▶ AL/AX/EAX (only if **Src2** is immediate)
- ▶ Register
- ▶ Memory
- ▶ ***Src2***
 - ▶ Register
 - ▶ Immediate

Instruction: Test

- ▶ If (Temp == 0) ZF = 1 else ZF = 0
- ▶ PF = BitWiseXorNor(Temp [Max-1:0])
- ▶ CF = 0
- ▶ OF = 0
- ▶ AF is undefined

Set on Condition (setcc reg8)

	Description	Condition	Comments
			SETAE
SETZ	Set if zero	Zero = 1	Same as SETE
SETNZ	Set if not zero	Zero = 0	Same as SETNE
SETS	Set if sign	Sign = 1	-
SETNS	Set if no sign	Sign = 0	-
SETO	Set if overflow	Overflow=1	-
SETNO	Set if no overflow	Overflow=0	-
SETP	Set if parity	Parity = 1	Same as SETPE
SETPE	Set if parity even	Parity = 1	Same as SETP
SETNP	Set if no parity	Parity = 0	Same as SETPO
SETPO	Set if parity odd	Parity = 0	Same as SETNP

Condition Code Example

```
    else  
        return y;  
}
```

```
L9:  
    movl 8(%ebp),%edx  
    movl 12(%ebp),%eax  
    cmpl %eax,%edx  
    jle L9  
    movl %edx,%eax  
  
    movl %ebp,%esp  
    popl %ebp  
    ret
```

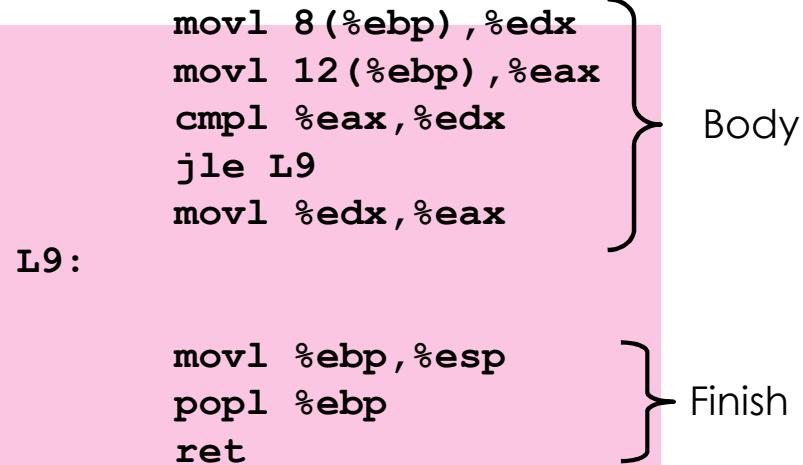
Body

Finish

Condition Code Example

```
    return y;  
  
Flag:  
    return x;  
}
```

```
L9:  
    movl 8(%ebp),%edx  
    movl 12(%ebp),%eax  
    cmpl %eax,%edx  
    jle L9  
    movl %edx,%eax  
  
    movl %ebp,%esp  
    popl %ebp  
    ret
```



“Do-While” Example

```
{  
    int result = 1;  
    do {  
        result *= x;  
        x = x-1;  
    } while (x > 1);  
    return result;  
}
```

```
int result = 1;  
loop:  
    result *= x;  
    x = x-1;  
    if (x > 1)  
        goto loop;  
    return result;  
}
```

“Do-While” Example

Goto Version

```
int fact_goto
    (int x)
{
    int result = 1;
loop:
    result *= x;
    x = x-1;
    if (x > 1)
        goto loop;
    return result;
}
```

- Registers

%edx	x
%eax	result

Assembly

```
_fact_goto:
    pushl %ebp          # Setup
    movl %esp,%ebp      # Setup
    movl $1,%eax        # eax = 1
    movl 8(%ebp),%edx  # edx = x

L11:
    imull %edx,%eax    # result *= x
    decl %edx           # x--
    cmpl $1,%edx        # Compare x : 1
    jg L11              # if > goto loop

    movl %ebp,%esp      # Finish
    popl %ebp            # Finish
    ret                 # Finish
```

Multiplication

operand size	1 byte	2 bytes	4 bytes
other operand	AL	AX	EAX
higher part of result stored in:	AH	DX	EDX
lower part of result stored in:	AL	AX	EAX

- ▶ Signed Multi[pli]cation: **imul** arg

Division

divisor size:	1 byte	2 bytes	4 bytes
dividend	AX	DX:AX	EDX:EAX
remainder stored in:	AH	DX	EDX
quotient stored in:	AL	AX	EAX

- ▶ Signed: **idiv** arg

Sign extended Register

- ▶ Sign-extends EAX into EDX
- ▶ Forms the quad-word **EDX:EAX**.
- ▶ Since (I)DIV uses EDX:EAX as its input, CDQ must be called after setting EAX if EDX is not manually initialized (as in 64/32 division) before (I)DIV.

Load Effective Address

- ▶ Calculates the **address** of the **src** operand and **loads** it into the **dest** operand
- ▶ **Src:** Immediate / Register / Memory
- ▶ **Dest:** Register

- ▶ No FLAGS are modified by this instruction

Load Effective Address

arithmetic

- ▶ SRC can use **General Addressing Mode**
- ▶ **[eax + edx*4 -4]** (Intel syntax)
 - ▶ or
- ▶ **-4(%eax, %edx, 4)** (GAS syntax)

Load Effective Address Example

- ▶ LEA can be used as follows

```
lea ebx, [ebx*2] ; Multiply ebx by 2
```

```
lea ebx, [ebx*8+ebx] ; Multiply ebx by 9, which totals ebx*18
```

Jump Table

- ▶ We will construct a **array** of the **jump addresses** .
- ▶ For each number will jump to the **corresponding entry** in the jump table

Example

```
int main (int argc , char* argv)
{
    jumper (0);
    jumper (1);
    jumper (2);
    return 0;
}
```

jump.s

```
dd      label_2

str0:  db      "Got the number 0",10,0
str1:  db      "Got the number 1",10,0
str2:  db      "Out of bound",10,0
str3:  db      "num = %d",10,0
section .text
    align  16
    global jumper
    extern printf
```

jump.s

```
mov    ebx,dword [ebp+8]
push   ebx
push   str3
call   printf          ; Print num
add    esp, 8
cmp    ebx,0            ; Check if num is in bounds
jb     out_of
cmp    ebx ,1
ja    out_of
shl    ebx,2            ; num = num * 4
jmp    dword [ebx+jt]  ; Jump according to address in table
```

jump.s

```
call    printf  
add    esp, 4  
jmp    end
```

label_2:

```
push   str1  
call    printf  
add    esp, 4  
jmp    end
```

```
call    printf  
add    esp, 4  
jmp    end
```

end:

```
popa  
pop    ebp  
ret
```

Output

num = 1

Got the number 1

num = 2

Out of bound

jump.s

```
dd    label_2
```

```
str0: db    "Got the number 0",10,0
str1: db    "Got the number 1",10,0
str2: db    "Out of bound",10,0
str3: db    "num = %d",10,0
```

```
section .text
```

```
align 16
global jumper
extern printf
```

jump.s

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mov    ebx,dword [ebp+8]
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ja     out_of
shl    ebx,2            ; num = num * 4
jmp    dword [ebx+jt]  ; Jump according to address in table
```

jump.s

```
call    printf  
add    esp, 4  
jmp    end
```

label_2:

```
push   str1  
call    printf  
add    esp, 4  
jmp    end
```

```
call    printf  
add    esp, 4  
jmp    end
```

end:

```
popa  
pop    ebp  
ret
```

Switch Statement Example (IA32)

Setup:

```
switch_eg:  
    pushl %ebp          # Setup  
    movl %esp, %ebp    # Setup  
    pushl %ebx          # Setup  
    movl $1, %ebx      # w = 1  
    movl 8(%ebp), %edx # edx = x  
    movl 16(%ebp), %ecx # ecx = z  
    cmpl $6, %edx      # x:6  
    ja .L61           # if > goto default  
    jmp * .L62(,%edx,4) # goto JTab[x]
```

```
long switch_eg  
    (long x, long y, long z)  
{  
    long w = 1;  
    switch(x) {  
        . . .  
    }  
    return w;  
}
```

Jump Table

Table Contents

```
.section .rodata
.align 4
.L62:
.long .L61 # x = 0
.long .L56 # x = 1
.long .L57 # x = 2
.long .L58 # x = 3
.long .L61 # x = 4
.long .L60 # x = 5
.long .L60 # x = 6
```

```
switch(x) {
    case 1:      // .L56
        w = y*z;
        break;
    case 2:      // .L57
        w = y/z;
        /* Fall Through */
    case 3:      // .L58
        w += z;
        break;
    case 5:
    case 6:      // .L60
        w -= z;
        break;
    default:     // .L61
        w = 2;
}
```

Code Blocks (Partial)

```
switch(x) {  
    . . .  
    case 2:      // .L57  
        w = y/z;  
        /* Fall Through */  
    case 3:      // .L58  
        w += z;  
        break;  
    . . .  
    default:     // .L61  
        w = 2;  
}
```

```
.L61: // Default case  
    movl $2, %ebx    # w = 2  
    movl %ebx, %eax # Return w  
    popl %ebx  
    leave  
    ret  
.L57: // Case 2:  
    movl 12(%ebp), %eax # y  
    cltd             # Div prep  
    idivl %ecx       # y/z  
    movl %eax, %ebx # w = y/z  
# Fall through  
.L58: // Case 3:  
    addl %ecx, %ebx # w+= z  
    movl %ebx, %eax # Return w  
    popl %ebx  
    leave  
    ret
```

Code Blocks (Rest)

```
switch(x) {  
    case 1:          // .L56  
        w = y*z;  
        break;  
        . . .  
    case 5:  
    case 6:          // .L60  
        w -= z;  
        break;  
        . . .  
}
```

```
.L60: // Cases 5&6:  
    subl %ecx, %ebx # w -= z  
    movl %ebx, %eax # Return w  
    popl %ebx  
    leave  
    ret  
.L56: // Case 1:  
    movl 12(%ebp), %ebx # w = y  
    imull %ecx, %ebx      # w*= z  
    movl %ebx, %eax # Return w  
    popl %ebx  
    leave  
    ret
```