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**Question 01**

(a)

i. For the following instructions determine the new values of CF, SF, AF, PF and OF with

a short explanation. Suppose that the flags are initially 0. “**NEG AX**” where AX contains 8000h

Answer:

**CF (Carry Flag): 1**

For Negative Operation, If the borrow occurs, the carry flag will be 1, and if the borrow doesn’t occur, the carry flag will remain 0. Here Neg AX can be written like 0 – AX = –AX. In this type of scenario where we subtract a large value from a small value, the borrow is occurred, resulting the Carry Flag 1.

**SF(Sign Flag): 1**

The Sign Flag (SF) is 1 when the most significant bit (MSB) is 1, and 0 when the MSB is 0. Here, converting 8000h into 16-bit binary gives 1000 0000 0000 0000. Since the MSB is 1, the Sign Flag is set to 1.

**OF(Overflow Flag): 1**

The Overflow Flag is set to 1 when the result of an operation is too large to fit in the destination operand’s signed range. For 16-bit signed numbers, the valid range is:

−2 15 to 2 15  −1 🡪 −32768 to +32767

Here, AX = 8000h which represents −32768 (since the MSB is 1).

The operation is: NEG 8000h = 0−(−32768) = +32768

But +32768 cannot be represented in 16-bit signed range, so overflow occurs

**AF(Auxiliary Flag): 0**

The Auxiliary Flag (AF) is set to 1 if there is a borrow (in subtraction) or carry (in addition) between the low nibble (bits 0–3) and the high nibble (bits 4–7) of the lower byte. In the operation NEG AX with AX = 8000h, the lower byte is 0h, so no borrow occurs between

bit 3 and bit 4. Therefore, AF = 0

**PF(Parity Flag): 1**

The Parity Flag (PF) is set to 1 if the low byte of the result contains an even number of 1s, and 0 if it contains an odd number of 1s. In NEG AX with AX = 8000h, the low byte is 0h, which has 0 ones. Since 0 is an even number, PF = 1.

ii. For the following instructions determine the new values of CF, SF, AF, PF and OF with

a short explanation. Suppose that the flags are initially 0. ”**INC AX”** where AX contains FFFFh

Answer:

**CF(Carry Flag): 0**

The Carry Flag (CF) is not affected by the INC instruction. Even though incrementing FFFFh wraps around to 0000h, CF stays unchanged.

**SF(Sign Flag): 0**

The Sign Flag (SF) is 0 when the most significant bit (MSB) is 0, and 1 when the MSB is 1

For INC FFFFh:

1111 1111 1111 1111 (FFFFh)

+ 0000 0000 0000 0001

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0000 0000 0000 0000 (0000h)

The MSB of the result is 0, so the Sign Flag = 0.

**OF(Overflow Flag): 0**

The Overflow Flag (OF) is set when a signed result cannot be represented within the available number of bits. For 16-bit signed numbers, the range is −32768 to +32767 (in decimal). The result of INC FFFFh is 0000h (0 in decimal), which falls within this range, so OF = 0.

**AF(Auxiliary Flag): 1**

The Auxiliary Flag is set if there is a carry out from bit 3 to bit 4 (low nibble to high nibble) in the lower byte during addition. In INC FFFFh, the lower byte is FFh (1111 1111), and adding 1 produces 00h, causing a carry from bit 3 to bit 4. Therefore, AF = 1.

**PF(Parity Flag): 1**

The Parity Flag (PF) is set to 1 if the lower byte of the result contains an even number of 1s. After INC FFFFh, the result is 0000h, whose lower byte has 0 ones, which is even. Therefore,

PF = 1.

(b)

i. A memory location has a physical address 8DCE2h. Write down the logical

address if it has segment 7EDAh.

Answer:

Given physical address is 8DCE2h and segment 7EDAh.

We know :

Physical Address = Segment × 16 + Offset

Converting segment into binary : 0111 1110 1101 1010

Shift left 4 bits (×16):  
 Segment x16 = 0111 1110 1101 1010 0000

= 7EDA0h

Offset=Physical Address – Segment x 16

= 8DCE2h − 7EDA0h

= 0EF42h

logical address = Segment : Offset

so , Here the logical address is 7EDA:0EF42h

ii. A memory location has a physical address ABCDEh. Write down the logical

address if it has offset BF2Eh.

Answer:

Given physical address is ABCDEh and offset BF2Eh.

We know :

Physical Address = Segment × 16 + Offset

Segment x 16 = Physical Address – Offset

= ABCDEh -BF2Eh

= 9FDB0h

Converting Segment x16 into binary : 1001 1111 1101 1011 0000

Shit right 4 bits(/16):

Segment = 1001 1111 1101 1011

= 9FDBh

logical address = Segment : Offset

so , Here the logical address is 9FDB:BF2Eh

(c)

i. Show how the decimal integer -267 would be represented in 16 bits. Express

the answer in hexadecimal.

Answer:

To represent the decimal number −267 in 16 bits, we use two’s complement.

26710 = 0000 0001 0000 10112

0000 0001 0000 1011

1111 1110 1111 0100 (1’s complement)

+1

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1111 1110 1111 0101 (2’s complement)

Converting this binary number to hexadecimal: FEF5h

ii. Show how the decimal integer -263 would be represented in 16 bits. Express

it in hexadecimal.

Answer:

To represent the decimal number −263 in 16 bits, we use two’s complement.

26310 = 0000 0001 0000 01112

0000 0001 0000 0111

1111 1110 1111 1000 (1’s complement)

+1

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1111 1110 1111 1001 (2’s complement)

Converting this binary number to hexadecimal: FEF9h

**Question 02**

(a)

i. Write an assembly code to perform the following operations:

• Declare A as constant and set its value as 7.

• Declare B and C as regular variables and initialize it with 3 and 2 respectively.

• Perform the following equation and store the value in Z. Display it with an appropriate message.

**Z = A + 2B – 1 – 2C**

Answer:

.model small

.stack 100h

.DATA

A EQU 7

B DB 3

C DB 2

Z DB ?

MSG DB 'Z = $'

.CODE

MAIN PROC

MOV AX,@DATA

MOV DS,AX

MOV AL,B

MOV BL,2

MUL BL

MOV Z,AL

DEC Z

MOV AL,C

MOV BL,2

MUL BL

SUB Z,AL

MOV AL,A

ADD Z,AL

ADD Z,48

MOV AH,9

LEA DX, MSG

INT 21h

MOV AH,2

MOV DL,Z

INT 21H

MOV AH,4Ch

INT 21h

MAIN ENDP

END MAIN

ii. Write an assembly code to perform the following operations:

• Declare P and Q as regular variables and initialize them with 6 and 4,respectively.

• Declare R as a constant and set its value to 3.

• Perform the following equation and store the value in Y. Display it

with an appropriate message.

**Y = P + 1 + Q – 2R + 1**

Answer:

.model small

.stack 100h

.DATA

R EQU 3

P DB 6

Q DB 4

Z DB ?

MSG DB 'Y = $'

.CODE

MAIN PROC

MOV AX,@DATA

MOV DS,AX

MOV AL,P

MOV Z,AL

MOV AL,Q

ADD Z,AL

INC Z

INC Z

MOV AL,R

MOV BL,2

MUL BL

SUB Z,AL

ADD Z,48

MOV AH,9

LEA DX, MSG

INT 21h

MOV AH,2

MOV DL,Z

INT 21H

MOV AH,4Ch

INT 21h

MAIN ENDP

END MAIN

(b) Write an assembly language program that takes an integer N as input (1 ≤ N ≤

14) and prints the Fibonacci series up to the Nth term.

Answer:

.MODEL SMALL

.STACK 100H

.DATA

R DB 'ENTER RANGE: $'

FAB DB 13,10,13,10,'FIBONACCI SERIES $'

N DB ?

TEMP DW ?

DIVISOR DW 10

.CODE

MAIN PROC

MOV AX,@DATA

MOV DS,AX

MOV DX,OFFSET R

MOV AH,9

INT 21H

XOR BX,BX

MOV BL,10

MOV AH,1

INT 21H

CMP AL,13

JE NEXT

SUB AL,30H

MOV CL,AL

MOV AH,1

INT 21H

CMP AL,13

JE NEXT

SUB AL,30H

MOV CH,AL

MOV AL,CL

MUL BL

ADD AL,CH

MOV N,AL

JMP INPUT\_DONE

NEXT:

MOV N,CL

INPUT\_DONE:

LEA DX,FAB

MOV AH,9

INT 21H

MOV CX,0

MOV CL,N

CMP CL,0

JE EXIT\_PROGRAM

MOV BL,0

MOV BH,1

PUSH BX

PUSH CX

MOV AL,BL

MOV AH,0

CALL DISPLAY\_NUMBER

POP CX

POP BX

DEC CX

JZ EXIT\_PROGRAM

PUSH BX

PUSH CX

MOV AL,BH

MOV AH,0

CALL DISPLAY\_NUMBER

POP CX

POP BX

DEC CX

JZ EXIT\_PROGRAM

FIB\_LOOP:

MOV AL,BL

ADD AL,BH

MOV BL,BH

MOV BH,AL

PUSH BX

PUSH CX

MOV AL,BH

MOV AH,0

CALL DISPLAY\_NUMBER

POP CX

POP BX

LOOP FIB\_LOOP

EXIT\_PROGRAM:

; exit

MOV AH,4CH

INT 21H

MAIN ENDP

DISPLAY\_NUMBER PROC

MOV CX,0

MOV BX,DIVISOR

DIGIT\_LOOP:

XOR DX,DX

DIV BX

PUSH DX

INC CX

CMP AX,0

JNE DIGIT\_LOOP

PRINT\_DIGITS:

POP DX

ADD DL,30H

MOV AH,2

INT 21H

LOOP PRINT\_DIGITS

MOV DL,' '

MOV AH,2

INT 21H

RET

DISPLAY\_NUMBER ENDP

END MAIN

(c) Write an assembly language program to find the maximum and minimum elements of a byte array containing 10 unsigned 8-bit numbers. Also, print the range (Maximum Value - Minimum Value) of the array. You do not need to take user input for the array.

Answer:

.MODEL SMALL

.STACK 100H

.DATA

INPUT DB 2,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,4

MSG1 DB 10,13,'LARGEST VALUE: $'

MSG2 DB 10,13,'SMALLEST VALUE: $'

MSG3 DB 10,13,'RANGE: $'

LARGER DB ?

SMALLER DB ?

.CODE

MAIN PROC

MOV AX,@DATA

MOV DS,AX

LEA SI,INPUT

MOV CX,0

MOV BL,0

LARGEST:

MOV AL,[SI]

CMP AL,BL

JLE NOT\_LARGER

MOV BL,AL

NOT\_LARGER:

INC SI

INC CX

CMP CX,10

JL LARGEST

PRINT1:

MOV LARGER,BL

MOV AH,9

LEA DX,MSG1

INT 21H

MOV AH,2

MOV DL,BL

ADD DL, '0'

INT 21H

LEA SI,INPUT

MOV CX,0

MOV BL,100

SMALLEST:

MOV AL,[SI]

CMP AL,BL

JGE NOT\_SMALLER

MOV BL,AL

NOT\_SMALLER:

INC SI

INC CX

CMP CX,10

JL SMALLEST

PRINT2:

MOV SMALLER,BL

MOV AH,9

LEA DX,MSG2

INT 21H

MOV AH,2

MOV DL,BL

ADD DL, '0'

INT 21H

MOV AH,9

LEA DX,MSG3

INT 21H

MOV BL, LARGER

SUB BL, SMALLER

MOV AH,2

MOV DL,BL

ADD DL, '0'

INT 21H

EXIT:

MOV AH,4Ch

INT 21h

MAIN ENDP

END MAIN