

## The Academic College of Tel-Aviv-Yaffo 121113 Computer Structure and the 8086 Assembly Language Spring 2002

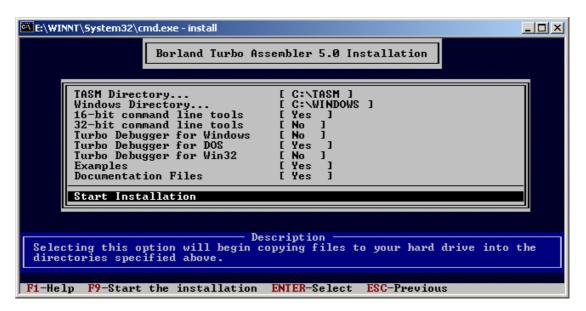
## TASM installation and execution instructions

## **Installation**

- 1. Get the 3 installation diskettes from the Computer Lab.
- 2. Enter the DOS command prompt, and write:

>A: >INSTALL

3. In the installation screen, choose the following options:



4. After you select the appropriate options, go to "Start Installation" and press ENTER. During the installation process, you will be asked to insert the installation diskettes.

## **Executing TASM and TLINK**

To make an EXE file, you need to compile your ASM files and then use Turbo Linker.

- 1. Enter into the DOS prompt.
- 2. To start working, you have to get the BIN directory to your PATH. Do it using the command:

```
>PATH=%PATH%;C:\TASM\BIN
```

- 3. Now, your system is ready to work.
- 4. Example- running the HELLO.ASM sample:

Create a directory (for example C:\HELLO) and copy HELLO.ASM to that directory.

Get into the DOS command prompt, and run the following commands:

```
>PATH=%PATH%;C:\TASM\BIN
>C:
>CD \HELLO
>TASM HELLO.ASM
>TLINK HELLO.OBJ
>HELLO
```

5. To use Turbo Debugger, you should include the debug symbols in your compilation. To do that, enter into the DOS prompt and run the following commands:

```
>PATH=%PATH%;C:\TASM\BIN
>C:
>CD \HELLO
>TASM /ZI HELLO.ASM
>TLINK /V HELLO.OBJ
>TD HELLO
```

The /ZI and /V directives make sure the debug symbols are included in the executable.

Good Luck!

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