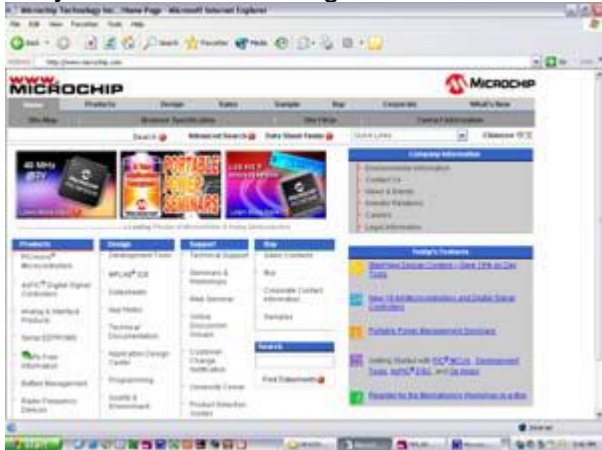


Objective:

To educate oneself on how to find answers about the *P16F684* and *Assembler*

Procedure

- Go to www.microchip.com and download the latest full version of **MPLAB IDE** onto your PC at home. Also load *PICC-Lite* when it prompts you after loading *MPLAB*. This is the 'C' compiler you can use if writing in 'C'.



- Use MPLAB IDE, and "The PIC Package" to answer the following questions:
 - How many available GPRs are there in Bank 0 of the *16F684*?
 - What is the first available address (in hex) in the GPR? The last?
 - Which programmers can you use with the *P16F684*? (hint: see "Configure" menu in MPLAB IDE)
 - How large is the instruction set in MPASM (Microchip PIC Assembler)?
 - For the instruction **movlw k**, what does **k** represent?
 - Where must all data first be written to before going to any other register?
 - For the instruction **addwf f,d**, what does **f** represent?
 - For the instruction **addwf f,d**, what does **d** represent?
 - Using *Notepad*, open the header file *p16f684.inc* (run a search). What values are assigned (EQU) to **W** and **F** registers. Why?
 - What are the two address locations of the Status Register?
 - What would have to happen in order to set (logical 1) the **Z** bit of the Status Reg?
 - What would have to happen in order to set (logical 1) the **C** bit of the Status Reg?
 - Which bit in the STATUS Register is responsible for bank selecting?
 - Which bank is being selected if the Status Reg had a value of 00100110?
Is the value of the Digit Carry bit set (logical 1) or cleared (logical 0)?
 - What is the address of the "Reset Vector"?
 - What do bits 6 and 7 represent in both PORTA and PORTC?
Why?
 - asmSecond**
Make a new project and name it *asmSecond.mcp*, saving it in a folder called *asmSecond*
Write a program that adds the contents of 2 different GPR registers, subtracts this sum from the contents of another register, and finally stores the result in the *WREG* (i.e. $(10 + 13) - 5 = 18$). Remember to utilize the template when coding and use *MPLAB SIM* to view the results of your code in the *Wato*