



***ObjAsm***

*x86 / x64*

Macros

# 1. Introduction

**ObjAsm** is based on macros clustered over several files depending on their function. This document describes those macros. All files are provided in the **ObjAsm** package.

Implementation details can be checked at the source code level by reading the comments on each file.

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## 4. Nomenclature

The following list describes the rules used to create the library:

1. X prefixes are used to denote a variable or register that can change according to the bitness assembly target. Example: xax means rax in 64 bits, while eax in 32 bits.
2. T file suffixes are used to denote a neutral string encoding.
3. X file suffixes are used to denote bitness-neutral code.
4. P file suffixes denote platform-independent code, usually leaf procedures.
5. Other file suffixes were used to identify the purpose of the code.

## 5. Abbreviations

BNC: Bitness Neutral Code  
COM: Component Object Model  
DLL: Dynamic Link Library  
GUID: Globally Unique Identifier  
HLL: High Level Language  
ID: Identifier  
IID: Interface Identifier  
ZTC: Zero Terminating Character  
→: Pointer to

## 6. Notes

The links in section 7 assume that this document is on the same drive as the **ObjAsm** installation and that it was done at the root level of the drive, e.g. D:\ObjAsm\...

## 7. Macros

Macro: StringA / (\$)CStrA / (\$)DStrA / (\$)JStrA  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Astrings.inc](#)  
Purpose: Place an ANSI string in the .const, .data or .code segment.  
Arguments: Arg1: Reference name (optional).  
Arg2: Quoted string text.  
Return: Nothing / Reference to the string.

Macro: \$Ofs(C/T/D/J)StrA  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Astrings.inc](#)  
Purpose: Place an ANSI string in the S\_CONST, S\_DATA or S\_TEXT segment.  
Arguments: Arg1: Quoted string text.  
Return: String offset.

Macro: BString / (\$)CBStr / (\$)TBStr / (\$)DBStr / (\$)JBStr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Bstrings.inc](#)  
Purpose: Place an BSTR string in the S\_CONST, S\_DATA or S\_TEXT segment.  
Arguments: Arg1: Reference name (optional).  
Arg2: Quoted string text.  
Return: Nothing / Reference to the string.  
Notes:

- Quotation marks can be used as usual. See example.
- Partial input strings can be separated by commas.
- Break input lines with "\".
- Empty input strings ("" or '') causes an error.
- Numeric inputs in word range are possible.

Example: CBStr MyBStr, 'Note: ', "Director's cut", '', 13, 10  
Resulting BStr: Note: "Director's cut" + CRLF

Macro: \$Ofs(C/T/D/J)BStr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Bstrings.inc](#)  
Purpose: Place an BSTR string in the S\_CONST, S\_TEXT, S\_DATA segment.  
Arguments: Arg1: Quoted string text.  
Return: String offset.

Macro: CDLL\_InsertAfter  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\CDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Insert an object after another in the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Member to insert after.  
Arg2: → Member to insert.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register, default is rdx.

Macro: CDLL\_InsertBefore  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\CDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Insert an object before another in the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Member to insert before.  
Arg2: → Member to insert.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register, default is rdx.

Macro: LinkedList\_InsertFirst  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\CDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Insert a new member to the end of the Linked List.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Control structure or reference.  
Arg2: → Member to insert.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register, default is rdx.  
Arg4: Optional auxiliar register

Macro: LinkedList\_InsertLast  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\CDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Insert a new member to the end of the Linked List.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Control structure or reference.  
Arg2: → Member to insert.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register, default is rdx.  
Arg4: Optional auxiliar register

Macro: CDLL\_Remove  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\CDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Remove a member from the linked list.  
If the removed item is the first, the second takes its place.

If the list does not contain any item, the pFirst pointer is set to NULL.

Arguments: Arg1: → Control structure or reference.  
Arg2: → Member to remove.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register, default is rcx.  
Arg4: Auxiliar register, default is rdx.

Macro: CDLL\_RemoveFirst  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\CDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Remove the first member from the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Control structure or reference.  
Arg2: Auxiliar register.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register.

Macro: CDLL\_RemoveLast  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\CDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Remove the last member from the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Control structure or reference.  
Arg2: Auxiliar register.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register.

Macro: DbgSaveContext  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Save CPU & FPU registers & flags onto stack and aligns it. This way, all subsequent invocations have an aligned stack and a cleared direction flag. Additionally, a Critacal Section is passed to avoid racing conditions.  
Arguments: Arg1: Handle the passed argument as a Value (FALSE) or a reference (TRUE).  
Arg2: Var to be saved in rbx/ebx/bx/bl or the address of Var in xbx.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: On entry, the stack doesn't need to be aligned

Macro: DbgLoadContext  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Load CPU & FPU registers & flags from stack and restores the original stack alignment.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: DbgSetDestWnd  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Set the global symbol ??DbgDstwnd.  
Arguments: Arg1: Name of the child window of the Debug Center MDI target to which the information is directed.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: DbgShowSrcInfo  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output source line info on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Optional destination Window name.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: DbgShowTxtInfo  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output additional text info on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Text.  
Arg2: Optional destination window name.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: DbgOutHex  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a number in hexadecimal on the debug output device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Text displayed before the value.  
Arg2: Output color of PreText (default is black).  
Arg3: Symbol. Value or address must be stored in rbx/ebx/bx/bl.  
Arg4: Output color (default = black).  
Arg5: Optional destination window name.  
Note: If register addressing is used, a size prefix is required.  
i.e.: DbgHexHex DWORD ptr [rcx]  
THIS MACRO TRASHES XDI & XSI

Macro: DbgLine  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Draw a single line on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgLine2  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Draw a double line on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgText  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a text on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Text.  
Arg2: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgTextF  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output formatted a text on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Optinal text color.  
Arg2: Optional destination window name.  
Arg3: Quoted format string.  
Arg 4..n: optional arguments.  
Example: DbgTextF "Output", \$RGB(000,000,000), "Data = '%s'", xax

Macro: DbgWarning  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a text on the debug device on red color.  
Arguments: Arg1: Text.  
Arg2: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgWriteA  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a string on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: → ANSI String.  
Arg2: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgWritew  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a string on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: → WIDE String.  
Arg2: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgWriteFA  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a string on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Optinal text color.  
Arg2: Optional destination window name.  
Arg3: Quoted format string.  
Arg 4..n: optional arguments.  
Note: Dont use xbx as argument register. it is used internally

Macro: DbgWriteFW  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a string on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Optinal text color.  
Arg2: Optional destination window name.  
Arg3: Quoted format string.  
Arg 4..n: optional arguments.

Macro: DbgStrA  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a specified string on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: ANSI String.  
Arg2: Additional information.  
Arg3: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgStrW  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a specified WIDE string on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: WIDE string.  
Arg2: Additional information.  
Arg3: Optional destination window name.



Macro: DbgStrCA  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a limited ANSI string on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: ANSI string.  
Arg2: Character count (fix number, like 8).  
Arg3: Additional information.  
Arg4: Optional destination Window name.

Macro: DbgStrCW  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a limited WIDE string on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: WIDE string.  
Arg2: Character count.  
Arg3: Additional information.  
Arg4: Optional destination Window name.

Macro: DbgHex  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Display a number in hexadecimal format on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Number (register or symbol).  
Arg2: Additional information.  
Arg3: Optional destination window name.  
Note: If register addressing is used, a size prefix is required.  
i.e.: DbgHex DWORD ptr [rcx]

Macro: DbgBin  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a number in binary format on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Number (register or symbol). Max 32 bits.  
Arg2: Additional information.  
Arg3: Optional destination window name.  
Note: If register addressing is used, a size prefix is required.  
i.e.: DbgBin DWORD ptr [rcx]

Macro: DbgDec  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a number in decimal format on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Number (register or symbol). Max 32 bits  
Arg2: Additional information.  
Arg3: Optional destination window name.  
Note: If register addressing is used, a size prefix is required.  
i.e.: DbgDec DWORD ptr [rcx]

Macro: DbgFloat  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Display a floating point number in decimal format on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Floating point number (REAL4 or REAL8)  
Arg2: Additional information.  
Arg3: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgBmp  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a specified bitmap on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: Bitmap HANDLE.  
Arg2: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgBmpFromDC  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a specified bitmap on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: DC HANDLE.  
Arg2: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgMem  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Output a memory block on the debug device.  
Arguments: Arg1: → memory block.  
Arg2: Size of memory block.  
Arg3: Output format (DBG\_MEM\_STR, DBG\_MEM\_[U]I??, DBG\_MEM\_R?, DBG\_MEM\_H??).  
Arg4: Additional information.  
Arg5: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgGlobalMemUsage

File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Display global memory usage on the debug window.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Additional information.  
 Arg2: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgFPU  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Output the content of the FPU registers on the debug device.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Additional information.  
 Arg2: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgMessage  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Translate a windows message to a string and output it to the debug device.  
 Arguments: Arg1: windows message.  
 Arg2: Additional information.  
 Arg3: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgApiError  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Translate an API error to a string and output it to the debug device.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Additional information.  
 Arg2: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgComError  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Translate a COM error to a string and output it to the debug device.  
 Arguments: Arg1: COM error code.  
 Arg2: Additional information.  
 Arg3: Optional destination window name.

Macro: DbgObject  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Output object variables to the debug device.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Instance::ClassName.  
 Arg2: Additional information.  
 Arg3: Optional destination window name.  
 Return: Nothing.  
 Note: ebp is assumed to nothing

Macro: DbgVMT  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Output offsets contained in a VMT.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Instance::ClassName.  
 Arg2: Additional information.  
 Arg3: Optional destination window name.  
 Return: Nothing.  
 Note: ebp is assumed to nothing

Macro: DbgIMT  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Output offsets contained in a IMT.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Instance::ClassName.  
 Arg2: Additional information.  
 Arg3: Optional destination window name.  
 Return: Nothing.  
 Note: ebp is assumed to nothing

Macro: DbgAttach  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Break execution and attaches the system debugger. If already loaded, nothing is done.  
 Arguments: None.

Macro: DbgBreak  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Break execution.  
 Arguments: None.

Macro: DbgCloseAll  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Close all child windows of the Debug window.

Arguments: None.

Macro: DbgCloseTxt  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Close specific text child window of the Debug window.  
Arguments: Arg1: Target Debug Window name.

Macro: DbgCloseBmp  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Close specific bitmap child window of the Debug window.  
Arguments: Arg1: Target Debug Window name.

Macro: DbgClearAll  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Clear the content of all child windows of the Debug window.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: DbgClearTxt  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Clear the content of a specific text child window of the Debug window.  
Arguments: Arg1: Target Debug Window name.

Macro: DbgClearBmp  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Clear the content of a specific bitmap child window of the Debug window.  
Arguments: Arg1: Target Debug Window name.

Macro: Fix  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Reminder text echoed at compile time.  
Arguments: Arg1: (optional) Text.

Macro: ASSERT  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Display a message if an argument value is FALSE.  
Arguments: Arg1: Value.  
Arg2: Additional information.  
Arg3: Optional destination window name.  
Note: = as unequality comparison.

Macro: ResGuard\_Show  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Show the result of ResGuard system activity.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: ResGuard\_Start  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Start activity of the ResGuard system.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: ResGuard\_Stop  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Debug.inc](#)  
Purpose: Stop activity of the ResGuard system.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: FlexArg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Check the Arg parameter to determine if it is blank, contains NULL, a quoted text or an ordinal value to generate a proper segment memory allocation.  
Arguments: Arg1: Input.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: DIALOGEX  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a DIALOGEX template structure.  
Arguments: Structure arguments.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: CONTROL  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a control template structure.  
Arguments: Structure arguments.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: PUSHBUTTON  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a PUSHBUTTON control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: DEFPUSHBUTTON  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a DEFPUSHBUTTON control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: PUSHBOX  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a PUSHBOX control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: AUTO3STATE  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a AUTO3STATE control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: STATE3  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a STATE3 control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: AUTOCHECKBOX  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a AUTOCHECKBOX control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: CHECKBOX  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a CHECKBOX control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: RADIOBUTTON  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a RADIOBUTTON control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: AUTORADIOBUTTON  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a AUTORADIOBUTTON control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: GROUPBOX  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a GROUPBOX control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: LTEXT  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a LTEXT control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra

Return: Nothing.

Macro: RTEXT  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a RTEXT control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: CTEXT  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a CTEXT control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: COMBOBOX  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a COMBOBOX control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: LISTBOX  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a LISTBOX control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: EDITTEXT  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a EDITTEXT control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: SCROLLBAR  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a SCROLLBAR control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: ICON  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a ICON control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: TREEVIEW  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a TREEVIEW control template structure.  
Arguments: dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: LISTVIEW  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a LISTVIEW control template structure.  
Arguments: dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: HYPERLINK  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\DlgTmpl.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a HYPERLINK control template structure.  
Arguments: sTitle, dCtlID, wxPos, wyPos, wwidth, wHeight, dStyle, dExStyle, dHelpID, wExtra  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: .try  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception32.inc](#)  
Purpose: Instructions between this .try and the next .Catch or Finally will be protected.  
Arguments: Arg1: Name of the XFRAME which will deal with exceptions.  
Arg2: Flags for the exception handler.  
Arg3: → some informations for the exception handler.

Macro: .catch  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception32.inc](#)  
Purpose: The following instructions will be executed if an exception is raised.  
Arguments: Arg1: Name of the Exception Handler which will deal with the exceptions.  
Arg2: (optional) Name of the exception record that will be filled on an exception.  
Note: If we reach this place, some register are filled with the following content:  
eax → EXCEPTION\_RECORD.  
ecx = Exception code.  
edx = pInformation passed to the .try macro.

Macro: .endcatch  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception32.inc](#)  
Purpose: Follow immediately instructions guarded by a .catch.  
Arguments: Name of the handler which will deal with exceptions.

Macro: .finally  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception32.inc](#)  
Purpose: Following instructions will run even if an exception which can be handled by the exception handler is raised.  
Arguments: Name of the handler which will deal with exceptions.  
Note: If we reach this place, some register are filled with the following content:  
eax → EXCEPTION\_RECORD or NULL if no exception was raised.  
ecx = Exception code or unchanged if no exception was raised.  
edx = pInformation passed to the .try macro or unchanged if no exception was raised.

Macro: .endfinally  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception32.inc](#)  
Purpose: Follow immediately instructions guarded by a .finally.

Macro: xMsg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception32.inc](#)  
Purpose: Allow to define a message for an exception.  
Arguments: Arg1: Name of the handler which will deal with exceptions.  
Arg2: Message associated with the exception.

Macro: Throw  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception32.inc](#)  
Purpose: Raise an exception.  
Arguments: Arg1: Code of the exception to raise.  
Arg2: Name of a xMsg.  
Notes: If Msg is blank the exception is raised with the message szSehNoMsg in order to allowing the Top Level to know if the user provided a message or not.

Macro: InstallTLH  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception32.inc](#)  
Purpose: Install a Top Level Handler.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Top Level handler to install.  
Arg2: Var which will hold the pointer to the old handler.

Macro: RestoreTLH  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception32.inc](#)  
Purpose: Reinstall the old top level handler.  
Arguments: var holding the pointer to the old handler.

Macro: \$GetExceptionCode  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception32.inc](#)  
Purpose: Retrieve the Exception Code.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: \$GetExceptionAddr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception32.inc](#)  
Purpose: Retrieve the Exception address.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: CreateExceptionHandler  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception32.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a handler which can deal with one or more exceptions.  
Arguments: Arg1: Name of the handler to be created.  
Arg2: Address of Unwind code.  
Arg3: List of exceptions codes to deal with.  
Notes: The error handler MUST be declared as a C procedure for proper stack cleanup

Macro: TopLevelHandler  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception32.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a top level handler to deal with exceptions not caught.  
Arguments: Arg1: Name of the top level handler to be created.

Macro: .try  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception64.inc](#)  
Purpose: Initialize a protected area.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: .catch  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception64.inc](#)  
Purpose: Finalizes a protected area. The following code is executed in case of an exception.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: This macro can be ommited.

Macro: .endcatch  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception64.inc](#)  
Purpose: 32 bit compatibility macro.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: This macro can be ommited.

Macro: .finally  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception64.inc](#)  
Purpose: The following code is always executed.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: This macro must always be present

Macro: .finally  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Exception64.inc](#)  
Purpose: 32 bit compatibility macro.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: This macro can be ommited.

Macro: fildReg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Load a CPU register containing an integer onto the FPU stack.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register name.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.

Macro: fistReg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Store the integer part of the FPU st(0) register to a CPU register.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register name.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fistpReg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Store the integer part of the FPU st(0) register to a CPU register & pops it.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register name.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fldReg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Load a CPU register containing a REAL4 onto the FPU stack.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register name.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.

Macro: fstReg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Store the FPU st(0) register to a CPU register in REAL4 format.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register name.

Return: Nothing.

Macro: fstpReg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Store and pops the FPU st(0) register to a CPU register in REAL4 format.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register name.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fSgn  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute the signum function of the content of st0.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.  
Requires .586 option for the fcomip instruction.  
Uses rax register.

Macro: fCheckStatus  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Check the status word of the FPU to detect fp computation errors.  
Arguments: Arg1: Status bit(s) to be checked.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: The result affects the zero flag, that can be used to decide.

Macro: fGetFlags  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Set EFlags with FPU Statusword flags.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: Uses ax.

Macro: fSetPrecision  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Set the precision bits in the control register.  
Arguments: Arg1: Precision (REAL4, REAL8, REAL10).  
Return: Nothing.  
Notes: 00 = 24 bits (REAL4)  
01 = Not used  
10 = 53 bits (REAL8)  
11 = 64 bits (REAL10) (this is the initialized state)

Macro: fMin  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compare two floats, returns the smaller value on the FPU.  
Arguments: Arg1: first value.  
Arg2: Second value.  
Return: Smallest value in st(0).  
Note: Uses ax.  
st7 must be empty.

Macro: fMax  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compare two floats, returns the larger on the FPU stack.  
Arguments: Arg1: first value.  
Arg2: Second value.  
Return: Largest value in st(0).  
Note: Uses ax.  
st7 must be empty.

Macro: fAbsMin  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compare two floats, returns the absolute smaller value on the FPU stack.  
Arguments: Arg1: first value.  
Arg2: Second value.  
Return: Smallest absolute value in st(0).  
Note: Uses ax.  
st6 and st7 must be empty.

Macro: fAbsMax  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compare two floats, returns the absolute larger value on the FPU.  
Arguments: Arg1: first value.



Return: Arg2: Second value.  
Largest absolute value in st(0).  
Note: Uses ax.  
st6 and st7 must be empty.

Macro: fRnd  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Round the content of st0.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fRndUp  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Round up the content of st0.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fRndDn  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Round down the content of st0.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fInt  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate the integer part of the content of st0.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fFrac  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate the fractional part of the content of st0.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.

Macro: fRound  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Round the content of st0 to x decimals.  
Arguments: Arg1: Decimals.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st5, st6 and st7 must be empty.

Macro: fExp2  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute  $2^x = 2^{st0}$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st5, st6 and st7 must be empty.

Macro: fExpN  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute  $st(0) = e^{st0}$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st5, st6 and st7 must be empty.

Macro: fLogN  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate the neperian logarithm of st0 and store it in st0.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.

Macro: fExpT  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute  $st0 = 10^{st0}$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st5, st6 and st7 must be empty.

Macro: fLogT  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate the logarithm base 10 of st0 and store it in st0.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.

Macro: fPower  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute  $st0 = st0^{st1}$  ( $x^y$ ).  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st5, st6 and st7 must be empty.

Macro: fLog  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate the logarithm base st1 of st0 and store the result in st0.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st6 and st7 must be empty.  
 $Log[st1](st0) = Log2(st0) / Log2(st1)$ .

Macro: fFitTrigRange  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Reduce the value in st0 to fit in the range of trig. functions:  $|x| < 2^{63}$ .  
Arguments: st0.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st6 and st7 must be empty.  
The result of fprem1 depends on the state of the FPU rounding bits.

Macro: fTan  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \tan(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.

Macro: fSec  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \sec(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fCsc  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \csc(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fCot  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \cot(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.

Macro: fArcSin  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \arcsin(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.

Macro: fArcCos  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \arccos(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.

Macro: fArcTan  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \text{ArcTan}(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.

Macro: fArcSec  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \text{ArcSec}(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.

Macro: fArcCsc  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \text{ArcCsc}(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.

Macro: fArcCot  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \text{ArcCot}(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st7 must be empty.

Macro: fSinh  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \sinh(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st5, st6 and st7 must be empty.

Macro: fCosh  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \cosh(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st5, st6 and st7 must be empty.

Macro: fTanh  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \tanh(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st5, st6 and st7 must be empty.

Macro: fSech  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \text{sech}(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st5, st6 and st7 must be empty.

Macro: fCsch  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \text{csch}(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st5, st6 and st7 must be empty.

Macro: fCoth  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \coth(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: st5, st6 and st7 must be empty.

Macro: fArcSinh

File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \text{ArcSinh}(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note:  $st7$  must be empty.

Macro: fArcCosh  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \text{ArcCosh}(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note:  $st7$  must be empty.

Macro: fArcTanh  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \text{ArcTanh}(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note:  $st7$  must be empty.

Macro: fArcSech  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \text{ArcSech}(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note:  $st7$  must be empty.

Macro: fArcCsch  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \text{ArcCsch}(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note:  $st7$  must be empty.

Macro: fArcCoth  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate  $st0 = \text{ArcCoth}(st0)$ .  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note:  $st7$  must be empty.

Macro: fUnload  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Unload several stack registers  
Arguments: Number of FPU registers.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fstStrA  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a string representation of the content of the  $st0$  FPU register.  
Arguments: Arg1: → destination buffer (at best 20 bytes + padding bytes).  
Arg2: Number of padding bytes.  
Arg3: Number of decimal places.  
Arg4: Format flag (f\_NOR or f\_SCI)  
Return: Operation code.  
Note:  $st4$ ,  $st5$ ,  $st6$  and  $st7$  must be empty.  
Destination buffer should have at least 20 bytes (add padding bytes)

Macro: fLdStrA  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Load a string representation of a floating point number into the  $st0$  FPU register.  
Arguments: Arg1: → string.  
Return: Operation code.  
Note:  $st4$ ,  $st5$ ,  $st6$  and  $st7$  must be empty.

Macro: fJg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fmMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Jump to label if the result of the previous fcom instruction indicates greater.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination label.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fjl  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Jump to label if the result of the previous fcom instruction indicates less.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination label.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fje  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Jump to label if the result of the previous fcom instruction indicates equal.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination label.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fjne  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Jump to label if the result of the previous fcom instruction indicates not equal.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination label.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fjge  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Jump to label if the result of the previous fcom instruction indicates greater or equal.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination label.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fjle  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Jump to label if the result of the previous fcom instruction indicates less or equal.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination label.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fjnc  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Jump to label if the result of the previous fcom instruction indicates that the arguments are non-comparable.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination label.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: fcmp  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\fMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Fast way to compare REAL4 floats with sign using the CPU.  
Arguments: Arg1: first comparand.  
Arg2: Second comparand.  
Return: Modified flags.  
Note: This macro distinguishes between -0.0 and +0.0

Macro: LDLL\_InsertAfter  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\LDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Insert an object after another in the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Control structure or reference.  
Arg2: → Member to insert after.  
Arg3: → Member to insert.  
Arg4: Auxiliar register, default is xdx.

Macro: LDLL\_InsertBefore  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\LDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Insert an object before another in the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Control structure or reference.  
Arg2: → Member to insert before.  
Arg3: → Member to insert.  
Arg4: Auxiliar register, default is xdx.

Macro: LinkedList\_InsertFirst  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\LDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Insert a new member to the end of the Linked List.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Control structure or reference.  
Arg2: → Member to insert.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register, default is xdx.

Macro: [LinkedList\\_InsertLast](#)  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\LDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Insert a new member to the end of the Linked List.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Control structure or reference.  
Arg2: → Member to insert.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register, default is xdx.

Macro: [LDLL\\_Remove](#)  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\LDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Remove a member from the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Control structure or reference.  
Arg2: → Member to remove.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register, default is rcx.  
Arg4: Optional auxiliar register.

Macro: [LDLL\\_RemoveFirst](#)  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\LDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Remove the first member from the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Control structure or reference.  
Arg2: Auxiliar register

Macro: [LDLL\\_RemoveLast](#)  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\LDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Remove the last member from the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Control structure or reference.  
Arg2: Auxiliar register

Macro: [LSLL.InsertAfter](#)  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\LSLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Insert an object after another in the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Member to insert after.  
Arg2: → Member to insert.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register.

Macro: [LSLL\\_RemoveAfter](#)  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\LSLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Remove a member from the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Member to remove after.  
Arg2: Auxiliar register, default is xcX.

Macro: [Static](#)  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Allocate a variable in the Data segment  
Arguments: Arg1: Name.  
Arg2: Type.  
Arg3: Initial value.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: [MemAlloc / \\$MemAlloc](#)  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Allocate a memory block on global memory.  
Arguments: Arg1: Memory block size. For windows must be less than 7FFF8h.  
Arg2: Optional memory allocation flags:  
MEM\_DEFAULT, MEM\_INIT\_ZERO, MEM\_GENERATE\_EXCEPTION, MEM\_NO\_SERIALIZE.  
Return: xax → allocated memory block. NULL or exception if failed.  
UEFI returns an mem block aligned to 8.

Macro: [MemReAlloc](#)  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Reallocate a block of memory.  
Arguments: Arg1: Memory POINTER obtained with MemAlloc/MemReAlloc.  
Arg2: New memory block size.  
Arg3: Optional memory allocation flags:  
MEM\_INIT\_ZERO, MEM\_GENERATE\_EXCEPTION, MEM\_NO\_SERIALIZE, MEM\_NO\_MOVE  
Return: rax → allocated memory block. NULL or exception if failed.

Macro: [MemFree](#)  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Free a memory block previously allocated with MemAlloc or MemReAlloc.  
Arguments: Arg1: → allocated memory block.  
Arg2: Optional memory allocation flags: MEM\_NO\_SERIALIZE, MEM\_SAFE\_FREE  
Return: eax = TRUE if succeeded, otherwise FALSE.

Macro: MemCheck  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Validates a memory block on the process heap.  
Arguments: Arg1: → allocated memory block. If NULL, the whole heap is checked.  
Return: eax = non FALSE if succeeded, otherwise FALSE.

Macro: (x)BitClear  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Reset a bit in a value.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination.  
Arg2: Bit to be reset (ie: BIT12)  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: (x)BitMask  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: AND a bit in a value.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination.  
Arg2: Bit to be masked (ie: BIT12)  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: BitSet  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Set a bit in a value.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination.  
Arg2: Bit to be set (ie: BIT15)  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: (x)BitToggle  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Toggle a bit in a value.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination.  
Arg2: Bit to be toggled (ie: BIT15)  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: .ifBitSet  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Start a conditional clauses, that must be terminated with .endif.  
Examine if any of the indicated bits are set.  
Arguments: Arg1: Bit holding variable.  
Arg2: Bit to be tested for (ie: BIT12)  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: .elseifBitSet  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Continue a conditional clauses, that must be terminated with .endif.  
Examine if any of the indicated bits are set.  
Arguments: Arg1: Bit holding variable.  
Arg2: Bit to be tested for (ie: BIT12)  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: .ifBitClr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Start a conditional clauses, that must be terminated with .endif.  
Examine if all of the indicated bits are not set.  
Arguments: Arg1: Bit holding variable.  
Arg2: Bit to be tested for (ie: BIT12)  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: .elseifBitClr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Start a conditional clauses, that must be terminated with .endif.  
Examine if all of the indicated bits are not set.  
Arguments: Arg1: Bit holding variable.  
Arg2: Bit to be tested for (ie: BIT12)  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: JmpIfBitSet  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Jump if a bit is set.  
Arguments: Arg1: Bit holding variable.

Return: Arg2: Bit to be tested for (ie: BIT12)  
Nothing.

Macro: `JmpIfBitClr`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Jump if a bit is not set.  
Arguments: Arg1: Bit holding variable.  
Arg2: Bit to be tested for (ie: BIT12)  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: `CloneGuid`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Copy the content of a GUID from a location to another.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination GUID.  
Arg2: Source GUID.  
Arg3: optional register to be used.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: `($)StackAlloc`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Reserve a chunk of memory from stack.  
Arguments: Arg1: Requested memory size in bytes.  
Return: `rax` → Buffer begin.  
Notes: `StackAlloc` and `StackFree` must always be paired and no values ought remain in the stack between these macros.  
Stack probing is performed automatically.

Macro: `StackFree`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Memory.inc](#)  
Purpose: Release the reserved stack space with `StackAlloc`.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: `SysSetup`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Model.inc](#)  
Purpose: Load and configure standard modules.  
Arguments: Support level: OOP, WIN32/WIN64, CON32/CON64, NUI32/NUI64, LIB32/LIB64.  
Debug Switches : SHOWINFO, TRACE, RESGUARD, STKGUARD  
Source identification: "... " (also used as LOG file name)  
Default string type: ANSI\_STRING or WIDE\_STRING  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: `SysInit`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Model.inc](#)  
Purpose: Initialize the model and internal variables.  
Arguments: windows:  
Arg1: Instance HANDLE. If not specified, the Module HANDLE is loaded into `hInstance`.  
Arg2: unused.  
UEFI:  
Arg1: Image HANDLE.  
Arg2: → `SystemTable`.

Macro: `SysDone`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Model.inc](#)  
Purpose: Finalize the model.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: `ObjNamespace`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Set the current object namespace.  
Arguments: Arg1: Space name.

Macro: `$ObjInst`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the mangled object name instance.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object Expression [Namespace:]ObjectName.  
Example: `.data`  
`MyObject $ObjInst(Primer)`

Macro: `$ObjMthd`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)



Purpose: Return the mangled object method name.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object name.  
Example: .data  
MyObject \$ObjMtd(pop)

Macro: \$Obj  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the mangled object name.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object Expression [Namespace:]ObjectName.

Macro: \$ObjPtr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the mangled object pointer name.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object Expression: [Namespace:]ObjectName.

Macro: \$ObjTpl  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the mangled object template name.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object Expression: [Namespace:]ObjectName.

Macro: ExterndefMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Declares an external defined method.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method Expression: ObjectName.MethodName.

Macro: BuildObjInherPath  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to put in 1 symbol the whole inheritance path starting from Primer to the final object and viceversa.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: Mangled ancestor name.  
Return: TRUE = OK, FALSE = failure.

Macro: Object  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Start object definition. Here starts the magic  
Arguments: Arg1: Object Expression: Namespace:ObjectName.  
Arg2: Unique number to identificate the object type at run-time.  
Arg3: Ancestor Expression: [Namespace:]AncestorName. (single inheritance).

Macro: ObjectEnd  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Terminate the declaration of an object and defines the following structures:  
ObjectName: Uninitialized object Template.  
??ObjectName\_VMT: Uninitialized Virtual Method Table (VMT).  
??ObjectName\_IMT: Uninitialized Interface Method Table (IMT).  
??ObjectName\_DMT: Uninitialized VMT + IMT.  
??ObjectName\_Events: Initialized ??EVENT\_ENTRY structures list.  
TPL\_ObjectName: Initialized ObjectName template.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: Private  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Methods that follows this directive are defined with private scope.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: PrivateEnd  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Methods that follows this directive are defined with public scope.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: InterfaceAbstract  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Define a placeholder for an interface method that can be overridden.  
Calling an abstract method without overriding it, causes an GPF-Error.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: List of argument types.

Macro: InterfaceMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)

Purpose: Define a method that is common to each instance of the object.  
 The implementation of the method must be placed in the code segment like:  
 Method <ObjectName>.<MethodName>, uses..., Argument1:...  
 pSelf is the instance POINTER passed to the method to access instance data.

Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
 Arg2: List of argument types.

  

Macro: VirtualAbstract  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Define a placeholder for a virtual method that can be overridden.  
 Calling an abstract method without overriding it, causes a GPF-Error.

Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
 Arg2: List of argument types.

  

Macro: VirtualMethod  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Define a method that is common to each instance of the object.  
 The implementation of the method must be placed in the code segment like:  
 Method <ObjectName>.<MethodName>, uses..., Argument1:...  
 pSelf is the instance POINTER passed to the method to access instance data.

Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
 Arg2: List of argument types.

  

Macro: DynamicAbstract  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Define a placeholder for a dynamic method that can be overridden.  
 Calling an abstract method without overriding it, causes an GPF-Error.

Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
 Arg2: List of argument types.

  

Macro: DynamicMethod  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Define a method that is unique for each instance of the object.  
 The implementation of the method must be placed in the code segment like:  
 Method <ObjectName>.<MethodName>, uses..., Argument1:...  
 pSelf is the instance POINTER passed to the method to access instance data.

Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
 Arg2: List of argument types.

  

Macro: StaticMethod  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Define a method that is common to each instance of the object and it is called  
 directly, avoiding the indirection over the DMT. This implements early binding.  
 The implementation of the method must be placed in the code segment like:  
 Method <ObjectName>.<MethodName>, uses..., Argument1:...  
 pSelf is the instance POINTER passed to the method to access instance data.

Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
 Arg2: List of argument types.

  

Macro: InlineMethod  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Define a method that is common to each instance of the object.  
 The implementation of the method must be placed in the code segment like:  
 Method <ObjectName>.<MethodName>, uses..., Argument1:...  
 pSelf is the instance POINTER passed to the method to access instance data.

Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
 Arg2: List of argument types.

  

Macro: RedefineMethod  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Redefine a method (static, virtual, dynamic or interface) at compile-time.

Arguments: Arg1: Method Name to be redefined.  
 Arg2: List of new argument types.

  

Macro: ObsoleteMethod  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Invalidate a method definition (virtual or dynamic) at compile-time.

Arguments: Arg1: Method name to be erased.

  

Macro: DefineEvent  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Helper macro to define an event. Don't called directly.

Arguments: Arg1: Mangled method name.  
Arg2: EventID list, like WM\_CLOSE.

Macro: Event  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Define a method that responds to an event, like a windows message.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: EventID list, like WM\_CLOSE.  
Note: Inline Methods are not allowed.

Macro: IDispEvent  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Define a method that responds to the COM IDispatch.Invoke call.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: DispID.  
Arg3: Flags (DISPATCH\_METHOD, DISPATCH\_PROPERTYGET, DISPATCH\_PROPERTYPUT, DISPATCH\_PROPERTYPUTREF).

Macro: StaticEvent  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: This is a shortcut for StaticMethod and Event macros.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: EventID list, like WM\_CLOSE.

Macro: VirtualEvent  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: This is a shortcut for VirtualMethod and Event macros.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: EventID list, like WM\_CLOSE.

Macro: InterfaceEvent  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: This is a shortcut for InterfaceMethod and Event macros.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: EventID list, like WM\_CLOSE.

Macro: DynamicEvent  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: This is a shortcut for DynamicMethod and Event macros.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: EventID list, like WM\_CLOSE.

Macro: DefineVariable  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Define a variable (Unique to each instance of the object).  
Arguments: Arg1: Variable name.  
Arg2: Variable type.  
Arg3/4: Optional initial value/structure initial value(s).

Macro: RedefineVariable  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Redefine a variables initial value.  
Arguments: Arg1: Variable name.  
Arg2: New initial value.

Macro: LoadObjects  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Load all object structures from a precompiled file (ObjectName.lib).  
Arguments: Arg1: File name list (without extention) that contain the object data to load.

Macro: MakeObjects  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Load all object data from a file.  
Arguments: Arg1: File name list (without extention) that contain the object data to compile.

Macro: VirtualObjects  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create the object data structures to reference an external object instance.  
Arguments: Arg1: File name list (without extention) that contain the object data definitions.

Macro: PrototypeMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to perform the necessary method definitions for the compiler.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name  
Arg2: Method name.  
Arg3: List of argument types.

Macro: CountInterfaceMethods  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro that counts all interface methods belonging to an object.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Return: Count of Interface methods.

Macro: CreateOMList  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to create a list of methods to override.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Return: Count of methods to override.

Macro: CreateOVList  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to create a list of variables to override.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Return: Count of variables to override.

Macro: CreateInterfaceMethodTable  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to create the structure of the interface method table of an object.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: with (TRUE) or without (FALSE) member initialization.

Macro: CreateVirtualMethodTable  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to create the structure of the virtual method table of an object.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: with (TRUE) or without (FALSE) references.  
Note: This VMT is in reverse order to make place for the IMT

Macro: CreateTemplate  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro that defines the following structures:  
??ObjectName\_Init: Initialized template.  
??ObjectName\_DMT\_Init: Initialized VMT + IMT.  
Additionally it creates the object data list in the .data segment.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled Object name.

Macro: CreateDynamicTemplate  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to create the dynamic section of the object template.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: with (TRUE) or without (FALSE) references.

Macro: CreateEventList  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to create the event list of an object.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.

Macro: GetMtdType  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return method type.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: Mangled method name.  
Return: ??MtdType: ??MTDTYPE\_UNKNOWN, ..., ??MTDTYPE\_DYNAMIC  
??ImpObj: Mangled object name that implements the method.

Macro: \$IsObsoleteMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Check if a method of an object is obsolete or not.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: Mangled method name.

Retrun: FALSE: is NOT an obsolete method, TRUE: it is an obsolete method.

Macro: `$IsPrivateMethod`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Scan recursively in the inheritance path of a specified method to find out if it is a private method.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: Mangled method name.  
Retrun: TRUE: it is a virtual method, FALSE: is NOT a virtual method.

Macro: `$MethodAddr`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return a method address.  
Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
Notes: - this macro uses the eax/rax register, except for static methods.  
- if the expression contains an instance POINTER, then the returned address is relative to this particular instance, otherwise to the object template.  
- can be used inside nested into OCall/ACall/etc. macros.  
- Possible syntax combinations:  
- Ins::Nsp:Obj.Mtd  
- Ins::Obj.Mtd  
- Nsp:Obj.Mtd  
- Obj.Mtd  
- Mtd

Macro: `New / $New`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a new instance of an object copying the object template.  
It is also suitable for object instances located on the stack using the LOCAL keyword.  
Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form "Instance::NameSpace:Object"  
"Instance" is an optional expression used for preallocated instances like when stack is used to hold the object.  
"Object" is a required expression, that identifies the object type to instantiate.  
Return: rax → created object instance.  
Possible syntax combinations:  
- Preallocated memory  
- Ins::Nsp:Obj  
- Ins::Obj  
- with memory allocation  
- Nsp:Obj  
- Obj

Macro: `Destroy`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Safely free the memory allocated for a particular object instance but calling first its destructor method. If not specified, "Done" is assumed.  
Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
Possible syntax combinations:  
- Ins::Nsp:Obj.Mtd  
- Ins::Obj.Mtd  
- Ins.Mtd  
- Ins

Macro: `Kill`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Free the memory allocated for a particular object instance but calling first its destructor method. If not specified, "Done" is assumed.  
Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
Possible syntax combinations:  
- Ins::Nsp:Obj.Mtd  
- Ins::Obj.Mtd  
- Ins.Mtd  
- Ins

Macro: `SetObject`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Assume a register to an object type.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register, i.e.: rax, rbx, ...  
Arg2: (optional) Object name.  
Arg3: (optional) Instance POINTER. Default is pSelf.

Macro: `SetOwner`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)

Purpose: Link a register to an object owner object type and instance at compile-time.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Register, i.e.: rax, rbx, ...  
           Arg2: Object name.  
           Arg3: (optional) Instance POINTER. Default is pSelf.

Macro: ReleaseObject  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Free the link between a register and an object at compile-time.  
 Arguments: Arg1: (Optional) Register, i.e.: rax, rbx, ...

Macro: Override  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Set a new method address in the dynamic-, virtual-, interfacetable.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Instance::Object.Method  
           Arg2: Object.Method or procedure address.  
 Note: Don't use r11 to pass a procedure address It is used internally.

Macro: ObjectsInit  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Helper macro to initialize all object templates calling their Startup procedure.  
           No instance creation takes place.  
 Arguments: None.

Macro: ObjectsDone  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Helper macro to finalize all object templates calling their Shutdown procedure.  
 Arguments: None.

Macro: \$MethodPrologue32  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Method prolog macro.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Procedure name  
           Arg2: Flags.  
           Arg3: Number of parameter bytes.  
           Arg4: Number of local bytes.  
           Arg5: Uses register list.  
           Arg6: Additional macro arguments.  
 Return: Total local space (byte count).

Macro: MethodEpilogue32  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Helper macro that defines the method epilog.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Procedure name  
           Arg2: Flags.  
           Arg3: Number of parameter bytes.  
           Arg4: Number of local bytes.  
           Arg5: Uses register list.  
           Arg6: Additional macro arguments.

Macro: \$NoFramePrologue32  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Method prolog macro.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Procedure name  
           Arg2: Flags.  
           Arg3: Number of parameter bytes.  
           Arg4: Number of local bytes.  
           Arg5: Uses register list.  
           Arg6: Additional macro arguments.

Macro: NoFrameEpilogue32  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Helper macro that defines the NOFRAME method epilog.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Procedure name  
           Arg2: Flags.  
           Arg3: Number of parameter bytes.  
           Arg4: Number of local bytes.  
           Arg5: Uses register list.  
           Arg6: Additional macro arguments.

Macro: Method  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Define an object method.

Arguments: Arg1: Object method name (ObjectName.MethodName).  
Arg2: Method options like "uses".  
Arg3: Method arguments.

Macro: MethodEnd  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Terminate an object method.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: \$Method  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Returns the mangled object template name.  
Arguments: Arg1: ObjectName.MethodName  
Example: \$Method(Object.Method) macro pSelf, Arg1, Arg2  
...  
endm

Macro: ExitMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Terminate an object method.  
Arguments: Arg1: Expression.  
Note: - More efficient is the use of i.e. "je @@EOM".  
- Attention with the = should be used.

Macro: Embed  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Embed a named object instance into the template of another object.  
Arguments: Arg1: Instance name.  
Arg2: Object expression (Namespace:ObjectName).  
Note: - Never call Destroy to free an embedded object. Only call "Done".

Macro: \$PushMethodArgs  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro that pushes all method arguments.  
Arguments: Arg1: Argument count.  
Arg2: Method argument list.

Macro: \$GetDeclaredParamCount  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro that returns the parameter count of a method definition inside "Object".  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: Mangled method name.

Macro: \$GetInstance32  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro for 32 bit that returns the instance pointer in a register.  
Arguments: Arg1: Instance name.  
Arg2: Used register.

Macro: GetInstance64  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro for 64 bit that returns the instance pointer in the rcx register.  
Arguments: Arg1: Instance name.

Macro: SetVarargPassedParams  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro that sets the total parameter count (excluded pSelf) in the eax register.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method arguments.

Macro: MethodInvoke  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro that calls a method.  
Arguments: Arg1: Invocation flag: TRUE = use the template, FALSE = use object instance.  
Arg2: Instance name.  
Arg3: Mangled object name.  
Arg4: Mangled method name.  
Arg5: Arguments.  
Notes: If a method has VARARGS, the number of arguments is passed in eax.

Macro: PreParseExpr

File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Get the positions of the separators of an expression like:  
"InsName::Namespace:ObjName.MtdName"  
| | |  
??Pos1 ??Pos2 ??Pos3  
Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
Return: ??Pos1, ??Pos2 & ??Pos3.

Macro: \$ParseMtdExpr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Parse an input expression for address macros.  
Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
Return: TRUE if the parsing was successful, otherwise FALSE.  
??InsExpr, ??ObjExpr, ??MtdExpr. (??ObjExpr and ??MtdExpr are mangled).  
Notes: The challenge from this macro is to avoid symbol expansion. E.g. GetObject is the name of a well known api. When we use it as the name of a method, it will get expanded to \_\_imp\_GetObjectA, which causes problems when parsing the input expression.  
Possible syntax combinations:  
- Ins::Nsp:Obj.Mtd  
- Ins::Obj.Mtd  
- Nsp:Obj.Mtd  
- Obj.Mtd  
- Mtd

Macro: \$ParseCallExpr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Parse an input expression for ?Call macros.  
Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
Return: TRUE if the parsing was successful, otherwise FALSE.  
??InsExpr, ??ObjExpr, ??MtdExpr. (??ObjExpr and ??MtdExpr are mangled).  
Notes: The challenge from this macro is to avoid symbol expansion. E.g. GetObject is the name of a well known api. When we use it as the name of a method, it will get expanded to \_\_imp\_GetObjectA, which causes problems when parsing the input expression.  
Possible syntax combinations:  
- Ins::Nsp:Obj.Mtd  
- Ins::Obj.Mtd  
- Nsp:Obj.Mtd  
- Ins.Mtd  
- Mtd

Macro: \$ParseInstExpr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Parse an input expression for some Debug macros.  
Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
Return: TRUE if the parsing was successful, otherwise FALSE.  
??InsExpr, ??ObjExpr, ??MtdExpr. (??ObjExpr and ??MtdExpr are mangled).  
Notes: Possible syntax combinations:  
- Ins::Nsp:Obj  
- Ins::Obj

Macro: \$ParseObjExpr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Parse an input expression for object macro.  
Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form: "NameSpace:ObjName"  
Return: TRUE if the parsing was successful, otherwise FALSE.  
??ObjExpr (mangled).  
Notes: The challenge from this macro is to avoid symbol expansion. E.g. GetObject is the name of a well known api. When we use it as the name of a method, it will get expanded to \_\_imp\_GetObjectA, which causes problems when parsing the input expression.  
Possible syntax combinations:  
- Nsp:Obj  
- Obj

Macro: oCall / \$oCall  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Call an object method.  
Arguments: Arg1: "InsName::ObjName.MtdName" expression. See \$ParseCallExpr.  
Arg2: Method arguments.

Macro: aCall / \$aCall  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Call the ancestor method of an object.  
Arguments: Arg1: "InsName::ObjName.MtdName" expression. See \$ParseCallExpr.  
Arg2: Method arguments.



Macro: TCall / \$TCall  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Call a method using the address stored in the object template.  
Arguments: Arg1: "InsName::ObjName.MtdName" expression. See \$ParseCallExpr.  
Arg2: Method arguments.

Macro: DCall / \$DCall  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Call an object method directly like a normal procedure (like a static method).  
Arguments: Arg1: "InsName::ObjName.MtdName" expression. See \$ParseCallExpr.  
Arg2: Method arguments.

Macro: \$GetParamCount  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro counts parameters in Args list.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method parameter list.

Macro: \$GetImpIfc  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Get the implementing interface name.  
Arguments: Arg1: Interface name.  
Arg2: Method name.

Macro: ICall / \$ICall  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Interface method call.  
Arguments: Arg1: InstancePointer::InterfaceName.MethodName.  
Arg2: Method arguments.

Macro: AddErrMsg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: Add an error message and creates the necessary Object Error Tables.  
Arguments: Arg1: Symbol name describing the error, e.g. OBJ\_OUT\_OF\_MEMORY.  
Arg2: [Optional] Error description text.  
Arg3: [Optional] Error ID. Sets the first ID in a series of error messages.

Macro: LockObjectAccess / UnlockObjectAccess  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects.inc](#)  
Purpose: These macros perform object locking for multithreaded access. The threads of a single process can use a ObjLock for mutual-exclusion synchronization. There is no guarantee about the order that threads obtain ownership of the ObjLock.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object instance. Must be a non volatile register.

Macro: ObjNamespace  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Set the current object namespace.  
Arguments: Arg1: Space name.

Macro: \$ObjInst  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the mangled object name instance.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object Expression [Namespace:]ObjectName.  
Example: .data  
MyObject \$ObjInst(Primer)

Macro: \$ObjMtd  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the mangled object method name.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object name.  
Example: .data  
MyObject \$ObjMtd(pop)

Macro: \$Obj  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the mangled object name.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object Expression [Namespace:]ObjectName.

Macro: \$ObjPtr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)

Purpose: Return the mangled object pointer name.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object Expression: [Namespace:]ObjectName.

Macro: \$ObjTmp1  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the mangled object template name.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object Expression: [Namespace:]ObjectName.

Macro: ExterndefMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Declares an external defined method.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method Expression: ObjectName.MethodName.

Macro: BuildObjInherPath  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to put in 1 symbol the whole interitance path starting from Primer to the final object and viceversa.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: Mangled ancestor name.  
Return: TRUE = OK, FALSE = failure.

Macro: Object  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Start object definition. Here starts the magic  
Arguments: Arg1: Object Expression: Namespace:ObjectName.  
Arg2: Unique number to identificate the object type at run-time.  
Arg3: Ancestor Expression: [Namespace:]AncestorName. (single inheritance).

Macro: ObjectEnd  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Terminate the declaration of an object and defines the following structures:  
ObjectName: Uninitialized object Template.  
??ObjectName\_VMT: Uninitialized Virtual Method Table (VMT).  
??ObjectName\_IMT: Uninitialized Interface Method Table (IMT).  
??ObjectName\_DMT: Uninitialized VMT + IMT.  
??ObjectName\_Events: Initialized ??EVENT\_ENTRY structures list.  
TPL\_ObjectName: Initialized ObjectName template.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: Private  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Methods that follows this directive are defined with private scope.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: PrivateEnd  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Methods that follows this directive are defined with public scope.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: InterfaceAbstract  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Define a placeholder for an interface method that can be overridden.  
Calling an abstract method without overriding it, causes an GPF-Error.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: List of argument types.

Macro: InterfaceMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Define a method that is common to each instance of the object.  
The implementation of the method must be placed in the code segment like:  
Method <ObjectName>.<MethodName>, uses..., Argument1:...,  
pSelf is the instance POINTER passed to the method to access instance data.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: List of argument types.

Macro: VirtualAbstract  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Define a placeholder for a virtual method that can be overridden.  
Calling an abstract method without overriding it, causes a GPF-Error.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: List of argument types.

Macro: VirtualMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Define a method that is common to each instance of the object.  
The implementation of the method must be placed in the code segment like:  
Method <ObjectName>.<MethodName>, uses..., Argument1:...  
pSelf is the instance POINTER passed to the method to access instance data.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: List of argument types.

Macro: DynamicAbstract  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Define a placeholder for a dynamic method that can be overridden.  
Calling an abstract method without overriding it, causes an GPF-Error.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: List of argument types.

Macro: DynamicMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Define a method that is unique for each instance of the object.  
The implementation of the method must be placed in the code segment like:  
Method <ObjectName>.<MethodName>, uses..., Argument1:...  
pSelf is the instance POINTER passed to the method to access instance data.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: List of argument types.

Macro: StaticMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Define a method that is common to each instance of the object and it is called directly, avoiding the indirection over the DMT. This implements early binding.  
The implementation of the method must be placed in the code segment like:  
Method <ObjectName>.<MethodName>, uses..., Argument1:...  
pSelf is the instance POINTER passed to the method to access instance data.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: List of argument types.

Macro: InlineMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Define a method that is common to each instance of the object.  
The implementation of the method must be placed in the code segment like:  
Method <ObjectName>.<MethodName>, uses..., Argument1:...  
pSelf is the instance POINTER passed to the method to access instance data.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: List of argument types.

Macro: RedefineMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Redefine a method (static, virtual, dynamic or interface) at compile-time.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method Name to be redefined.  
Arg2: List of new argument types.

Macro: ObsoleteMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Invalidate a method definition (virtual or dynamic) at compile-time.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name to be erased.

Macro: DefineEvent  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to define an event. Don't called directly.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled method name.  
Arg2: EventID list, like WM\_CLOSE.

Macro: Event  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Define a method that responds to an event, like a windows message.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
Arg2: EventID list, like WM\_CLOSE.  
Note: Inline Methods are not allowed.

Macro: IDispEvent  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)

Purpose: Define a method that responds to the COM IDispatch.Invoke call.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
           Arg2: DispID.  
           Arg3: Flags (DISPATCH\_METHOD, DISPATCH\_PROPERTYGET, DISPATCH\_PROPERTYPUT, DISPATCH\_PROPERTYPUTREF).

Macro: StaticEvent  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: This is a shortcut for StaticMethod and Event macros.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
           Arg2: EventID list, like WM\_CLOSE.

Macro: VirtualEvent  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: This is a shortcut for VirtualMethod and Event macros.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
           Arg2: EventID list, like WM\_CLOSE.

Macro: InterfaceEvent  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: This is a shortcut for InterfaceMethod and Event macros.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
           Arg2: EventID list, like WM\_CLOSE.

Macro: DynamicEvent  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: This is a shortcut for DynamicMethod and Event macros.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Method name.  
           Arg2: EventID list, like WM\_CLOSE.

Macro: DefineVariable  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Define a variable (Unique to each instance of the object).  
 Arguments: Arg1: Variable name.  
           Arg2: Variable type.  
           Arg3/4: Optional initial value/structure initial value(s).

Macro: RedefineVariable  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Redefine a variables initial value.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Variable name.  
           Arg2: New initial value.

Macro: LoadObjects  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Load all object structures from a precompiled file (ObjectName.lib).  
 Arguments: Arg1: File name list (without extention) that contain the object data to load.

Macro: MakeObjects  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Load all object data from a file.  
 Arguments: Arg1: File name list (without extention) that contain the object data to compile.

Macro: VirtualObjects  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Create the object data structures to reference an external object instance.  
 Arguments: Arg1: File name list (without extention) that contain the object data definitions.

Macro: PrototypeMethod  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Helper macro to perform the necessary method definitions for the compiler.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name  
           Arg2: Method name.  
           Arg3: List of argument types.

Macro: CountInterfaceMethods  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Helper macro that counts all interface methods belonging to an object.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
 Return: Count of Interface methods.

Macro: CreateOMList  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to create a list of methods to override.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Return: Count of methods to override.

Macro: CreateOVList  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to create a list of variables to override.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Return: Count of variables to override.

Macro: CreateInterfaceMethodTable  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to create the structure of the interface method table of an object.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: with (TRUE) or without (FALSE) member initialization.

Macro: CreateVirtualMethodTable  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to create the structure of the virtual method table of an object.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: with (TRUE) or without (FALSE) references.  
Note: This VMT is in reverse order to make place for the IMT

Macro: CreateTemplate  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro that defines the following structures:  
??ObjectName\_Init: Initialized template.  
??ObjectName\_DMT\_Init: Initialized VMT + IMT.  
Additionally it creates the object data list in the .data segment.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled Object name.

Macro: CreateDynamicTemplate  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to create the dynamic section of the object template.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: with (TRUE) or without (FALSE) references.

Macro: CreateEventList  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro to create the event list of an object.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.

Macro: GetMtdType  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return method type.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: Mangled method name.  
Retrun: ??MtdType: ??MTDTYPE\_UNKNOWN, ..., ??MTDTYPE\_DYNAMIC  
??ImpObj: Mangled object name that implements the method.

Macro: \$IsObsoleteMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Check if a method of an object is obsolete or not.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: Mangled method name.  
Retrun: FALSE: is NOT an obsolete method, TRUE: it is an obsolete method.

Macro: \$IsPrivateMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Scan recursively in the inheritance path of a specified method to find out if it is a private method.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: Mangled method name.  
Retrun: TRUE: it is a virtual method, FALSE: is NOT a virtual method.

Macro: \$MethodAddr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)

Purpose: Return a method address.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
 Notes:
 

- this macro uses the eax/rax register, except for static methods.
- if the expression contains an instance POINTER, then the returned address is relative to this particular instance, otherwise to the object template.
- can be used inside nested into OCall/ACall/etc. macros.
- Possible syntax combinations:
  - Ins::Nsp:Obj.Mtd
  - Ins::Obj.Mtd
  - Nsp:Obj.Mtd
  - Obj.Mtd
  - Mtd

Macro: New / \$New  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Create a new instance of an object copying the object template.  
 It is also suitable for object instances located on the stack using the LOCAL keyword.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form "Instance::Namespace:Object"  
 "Instance" is an optional expression used for preallocated instances like when stack is used to hold the object.  
 "Object" is a required expression, that identifies the object type to instantiate.  
 Return: rax → created object instance.  
 Possible syntax combinations:
 

- Preallocated memory
- Ins::Nsp:Obj
- Ins::Obj
- With memory allocation
- Nsp:Obj
- Obj

Macro: Destroy  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Safely free the memory allocated for a particular object instance but calling first its destructor method. If not specified, "Done" is assumed.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
 Possible syntax combinations:
 

- Ins::Nsp:Obj.Mtd
- Ins::Obj.Mtd
- Ins.Mtd
- Ins

Macro: Kill  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Free the memory allocated for a particular object instance but calling first its destructor method. If not specified, "Done" is assumed.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
 Possible syntax combinations:
 

- Ins::Nsp:Obj.Mtd
- Ins::Obj.Mtd
- Ins.Mtd
- Ins

Macro: SetObject  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Assume a register to an object type.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Register, i.e.: rax, rbx, ...  
 Arg2: (optional) Object name.  
 Arg3: (optional) Instance POINTER. Default is pSelf.

Macro: SetOwner  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Link a register to an object owner object type and instance at compile-time.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Register, i.e.: rax, rbx, ...  
 Arg2: Object name.  
 Arg3: (optional) Instance POINTER. Default is pSelf.

Macro: ReleaseObject  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Free the link between a register and an object at compile-time.  
 Arguments: Arg1: (Optional) Register, i.e.: rax, rbx, ...

Macro: Override  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)

Purpose: Set a new method address in the dynamic-, virtual-, interfacetable.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Instance::Object.Method  
 Arg2: Object.Method or procedure address.  
 Note: Don't use r11 to pass a procedure address It is used internally.

Macro: ObjectsInit  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Helper macro to initialize all object templates calling their Startup procedure.  
 No instance creation takes place.  
 Arguments: None.

Macro: ObjectsDone  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Helper macro to finalize all object templates calling their Shutdown procedure.  
 Arguments: None.

Macro: \$MethodPrologue32  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Method prolog macro.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Procedure name  
 Arg2: Flags.  
 Arg3: Number of parameter bytes.  
 Arg4: Number of local bytes.  
 Arg5: Uses register list.  
 Arg6: Additional macro arguments.  
 Return: Total local space (byte count).

Macro: MethodEpilogue32  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Helper macro that defines the method epilog.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Procedure name  
 Arg2: Flags.  
 Arg3: Number of parameter bytes.  
 Arg4: Number of local bytes.  
 Arg5: Uses register list.  
 Arg6: Additional macro arguments.

Macro: \$NoFramePrologue32  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Method prolog macro.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Procedure name  
 Arg2: Flags.  
 Arg3: Number of parameter bytes.  
 Arg4: Number of local bytes.  
 Arg5: Uses register list.  
 Arg6: Additional macro arguments.

Macro: NoFrameEpilogue32  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Helper macro that defines the NOFRAME method epilog.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Procedure name  
 Arg2: Flags.  
 Arg3: Number of parameter bytes.  
 Arg4: Number of local bytes.  
 Arg5: Uses register list.  
 Arg6: Additional macro arguments.

Macro: Method  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Define an object method.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Object method name (ObjectName.MethodName).  
 Arg2: Method options like "uses".  
 Arg3: Method arguments.

Macro: MethodEnd  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Terminate an object method.  
 Arguments: None.

Macro: \$Method  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Returns the mangled object template name.

Arguments: Arg1: ObjectName.MethodName  
Example: \$Method(Object.Method) macro pSelf, Arg1, Arg2  
...  
endm

Macro: ExitMethod  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Terminate an object method.  
Arguments: Arg1: Expression.  
Note: - More efficient is the use of i.e. "je @@EOM".  
- Attention with the = should be used.

Macro: Embed  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Embed a named object instance into the template of another object.  
Arguments: Arg1: Instance name.  
Arg2: Object expression (Namespace:ObjectName).  
Note: - Never call Destroy to free an embedded object. Only call "Done".

Macro: \$PushMethodArgs  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro that pushes all method arguments.  
Arguments: Arg1: Argument count.  
Arg2: Method argument list.

Macro: \$GetDeclaredParamCount  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro that returns the parameter count of a method definition inside "Object".  
Arguments: Arg1: Mangled object name.  
Arg2: Mangled method name.

Macro: \$GetInstance32  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro for 32 bit that returns the instance pointer in a register.  
Arguments: Arg1: Instance name.  
Arg2: Used register.

Macro: GetInstance64  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro for 64 bit that returns the instance pointer in the rcx register.  
Arguments: Arg1: Instance name.

Macro: SetVarargPassedParams  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro that sets the total parameter count (excluded pSelf) in the eax register.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method arguments.

Macro: MethodInvoke  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro that calls a method.  
Arguments: Arg1: Invocation flag: TRUE = use the template, FALSE = use object instance.  
Arg2: Instance name.  
Arg3: Mangled object name.  
Arg4: Mangled method name.  
Arg5: Arguments.  
Notes: If a method has VARARGS, the number of arguments is passed in eax.

Macro: PreParseExpr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Get the positions of the separators of an expression like:  
"InsName::Namespace:ObjName.MtdName"  
| |  
??Pos1 ??Pos2 ??Pos3  
Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
Return: ??Pos1, ??Pos2 & ??Pos3.

Macro: \$ParseMtdExpr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Parse an input expression for address macros.  
Arguments: Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
Return: TRUE if the parsing was successful, otherwise FALSE.



Notes:      ??InsExpr, ??ObjExpr, ??MtdExpr. (??ObjExpr and ??MtdExpr are mangled).  
The challenge from this macro is to avoid symbol expansion. E.g. GetObject is the name of a well known api. When we use it as the name of a method, it will get expanded to \_\_imp\_GetObjectA, which causes problems when parsing the input expression.  
Possible syntax combinations:  
- Ins::Nsp.Obj.Mtd  
- Ins::Obj.Mtd  
- Nsp.Obj.Mtd  
- Obj.Mtd  
- Mtd

Macro:      \$ParseCallExpr  
File:      [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose:    Parse an input expression for ?Call macros.  
Arguments:  Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
Return:    TRUE if the parsing was successful, otherwise FALSE.  
Notes:      ??InsExpr, ??ObjExpr, ??MtdExpr. (??ObjExpr and ??MtdExpr are mangled).  
The challenge from this macro is to avoid symbol expansion. E.g. GetObject is the name of a well known api. When we use it as the name of a method, it will get expanded to \_\_imp\_GetObjectA, which causes problems when parsing the input expression.  
Possible syntax combinations:  
- Ins::Nsp.Obj.Mtd  
- Ins::Obj.Mtd  
- Nsp.Obj.Mtd  
- Ins.Mtd  
- Mtd

Macro:      \$ParseInstExpr  
File:      [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose:    Parse an input expression for some Debug macros.  
Arguments:  Arg1: Expression of the form: "InsName::NameSpace:ObjName.MtdName"  
Return:    TRUE if the parsing was successful, otherwise FALSE.  
Notes:      ??InsExpr, ??ObjExpr, ??MtdExpr. (??ObjExpr and ??MtdExpr are mangled).  
Possible syntax combinations:  
- Ins::Nsp.Obj  
- Ins::Obj

Macro:      \$ParseObjExpr  
File:      [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose:    Parse an input expression for object macro.  
Arguments:  Arg1: Expression of the form: "NameSpace:ObjName"  
Return:    TRUE if the parsing was successful, otherwise FALSE.  
Notes:      ??ObjExpr (mangled).  
The challenge from this macro is to avoid symbol expansion. E.g. GetObject is the name of a well known api. When we use it as the name of a method, it will get expanded to \_\_imp\_GetObjectA, which causes problems when parsing the input expression.  
Possible syntax combinations:  
- Nsp.Obj  
- Obj

Macro:      OCall / \$OCall  
File:      [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose:    Call an object method.  
Arguments:  Arg1: "InsName::ObjName.MtdName" expression. See \$ParseCallExpr.  
Arg2: Method arguments.

Macro:      ACall / \$ACall  
File:      [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose:    Call the ancestor method of an object.  
Arguments:  Arg1: "InsName::ObjName.MtdName" expression. See \$ParseCallExpr.  
Arg2: Method arguments.

Macro:      TCall / \$TCall  
File:      [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose:    Call a method using the address stored in the object template.  
Arguments:  Arg1: "InsName::ObjName.MtdName" expression. See \$ParseCallExpr.  
Arg2: Method arguments.

Macro:      DCall / \$DCall  
File:      [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose:    Call an object method directly like a normal procedure (like a static method).  
Arguments:  Arg1: "InsName::ObjName.MtdName" expression. See \$ParseCallExpr.  
Arg2: Method arguments.

Macro: `$GetParamCount`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Helper macro counts parameters in Args list.  
Arguments: Arg1: Method parameter list.

Macro: `$GetImpIfc`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Get the implementing interface name.  
Arguments: Arg1: Interface name.  
Arg2: Method name.

Macro: `ICall / $ICall`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Interface method call.  
Arguments: Arg1: `InstancePointer::InterfaceName.MethodName`.  
Arg2: Method arguments.

Macro: `AddErrMsg`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: Add an error message and creates the necessary Object Error Tables.  
Arguments: Arg1: Symbol name describing the error, e.g. `OBJ_OUT_OF_MEMORY`.  
Arg2: [Optional] Error description text.  
Arg3: [Optional] Error ID. Sets the first ID in a series of error messages.

Macro: `LockObjectAccess / UnlockObjectAccess`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Objects2.inc](#)  
Purpose: These macros perform object locking for multithreaded access. The threads of a single process can use a `ObjLock` for mutual-exclusion synchronization. There is no guarantee about the order that threads obtain ownership of the `ObjLock`.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object instance. Must be a non volatile register.

Macro: `qMathInit`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\qMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Initialize internal trigonometric tables.  
Arguments: Arg1: temporary DWORD value.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: `qSin`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\qMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute the sin of a bittian value.  
Arguments: Arg1: Number of terms [1..3] used to compute the taylor series.  
Arg2: Temporary DWORD value.  
Return: sin value in `st(0)`.

Macro: `qCos`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\qMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute the cos of a bittian value.  
Arguments: Arg1: Number of terms [1..3] used to compute the taylor series.  
Arg2: Temporary DWORD value.  
Return: cos value in `st(0)`.

Macro: `qSinCos`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\qMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute the sin and cos of a bittian value.  
Arguments: Arg1: Number of terms [1..3] used to compute the taylor series.  
Arg2: Temporary DWORD value.  
Return: sin value in `st(1)`.  
cos value in `st(0)`.

Macro: `qCosSin`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\qMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute the cos and sin of a bittian value.  
Arguments: Arg1: Number of terms [1..3] used to compute the taylor series.  
Arg2: Temporary DWORD value.  
Return: cos value in `st(1)`.  
sin value in `st(0)`.

Macro: `qRcpSqrt`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\qMath.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute the reciprocal sqrt of `st(0)` value.

Arguments: Arg1: Number of iterations [0..3]. -1 means using the fpu equivalent instructions.  
 Arg2: temporary DWORD value.  
 Return: 1/sqrt in st(0).

Macro: qSqrt  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\qMath.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Compute the sqrt of st(0) value.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Number of iterations [0..3]. -1 means using the fpu equivalent instructions.  
 Arg2: temporary DWORD value.  
 Return: 1/sqrt in st(0).

Macro: \$Quad  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Quadword.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Transform 2 Doublewords into a Quadword.  
 Arguments: Arg1: High order Doubleword.  
 Arg2: Low order Doubleword.  
 Return: QUADWORD in edx::eax.

Macro: qmov  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Quadword.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Move a QUADWORD.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Destination QUADWORD.  
 Arg2: Source QUADWORD.

Macro: qdmov  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Quadword.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Move a DWORD to a QUADWORD.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Destination QUADWORD.  
 Arg2: Source dword.

Macro: qShiftL  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Quadword.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Shift a edx::eax left cx bits.  
 Arguments: Arg1: edx::eax = QWORD  
 Arg2: cx = bit shift count

Macro: qneg  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Quadword.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Negate edx::eax  
 Arguments: arg1: edx::eax = QWORD

Macro: qdadd  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Quadword.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Add a Doubleword to a QUADWORD (qwrđ = qwrđ + dwrđ).  
 Arguments: Arg1: Destination QUADWORD.  
 Arg2: Source Doubleword.

Macro: qqadd  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Quadword.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Add 2 Quadwords (qwrđ1 = qwrđ1 + qwrđ2).  
 Arguments: Arg1: Destination QUADWORD.  
 Arg2: Source QUADWORD.

Macro: qdsub  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Quadword.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Subtract a Doubleword from a QUADWORD (qwrđ = qwrđ - dwrđ).  
 Arguments: Arg1: Destination QUADWORD.  
 Arg2: Source Doubleword.

Macro: qqsub  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Quadword.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Subtract 2 Quadwords (qwrđ1 = qwrđ1 - qwrđ2).  
 Arguments: Arg1: Destination QUADWORD.  
 Arg2: Source QUADWORD.

Macro: qdmul  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Quadword.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Multiply a QUADWORD by a Doubleword.  
 Arguments: ecx::edx::eax = edx::eax \* ebx.

Macro: qddiv  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Quadword.inc](#)  
Purpose: Divide a QUADWORD by a Doubleword. Uses ecx.  
Output: edx::eax = quotient of division of dividend by divisor  
ebx = remainder of division of dividend by divisor  
Arguments: edx::eax = dividend  
ebx = divisor

Macro: qqdiv  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Quadword.inc](#)  
Purpose: Divide 2 unsigned Quadwords. Uses edi, esi.  
Output: edx::eax = quotient of division of dividend by divisor  
ecx::ebx = remainder of division of dividend by divisor  
Arguments: edx::eax = dividend  
ecx::ebx = divisor

Macro: SDLL\_Init  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Initialize the control structure.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register → Sentinel structure.

Macro: SDLL\_InsertAfter  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Inserts an object after another in the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register → Member to insert after.  
Arg2: Register → Member to insert.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register. If not specified, RefReg is used.

Macro: SDLL\_InsertBefore  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Insert an object before another in the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register → Member to insert before.  
Arg2: Register → Member to insert.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register. If not specified, RefReg is used.

Macro: SDLL\_Remove  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Remove a member from the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register → Member to remove register or reference.  
Arg2: Auxiliar register 1.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register 2. If not specified, RefReg is used.

Macro: SDLL\_RemoveFirst  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Remove the first member from the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register → Sentinel structure.  
Arg2: Auxiliar register.

Macro: SDLL\_RemoveLast  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Remove the first member from the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register → Sentinel structure.  
Arg2: Auxiliar register 1.

Macro: SDLL\_GetFirst  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the first item in the list.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register → Sentinel structure.  
Arg2: Return register.  
Note: If SnlReg == [SnlReg].SDLL\_ITEM.pNextItem, then the list is empty  
Example: SDLL\_GetFirst ecx, eax; jz ...

Macro: SDLL\_GetLast  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the last item in the list.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register → Sentinel structure.  
Arg2: Return register.  
Note: If SnlReg == [SnlReg].SDLL\_ITEM.pPrevItem, then the list is empty  
Example: SDLL\_GetLast ecx, eax; jz ...

Macro: SDLL\_GetNext  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the next item in the list.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register → Reference item.  
Arg2: Register → Sentinel structure.  
Arg3: Return register. If not specified, the RefReg is used as return register.  
Note: If SnlReg == [RefReg].SDLL\_ITEM.pNextItem, then the list is empty  
Example: SDLL\_GetNext ecx, eax; jz ...

Macro: SDLL\_GetPrev  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SDLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the previous item in the list.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register → Reference item.  
Arg2: Register → Sentinel structure.  
Arg3: Return register. If not specified, the RefReg is used as return register.  
Note: If SnlReg == [RefReg].SDLL\_ITEM.pNextItem, then the list is empty  
Example: SDLL\_GetNext ecx, eax; jz ...

Macro: Vec4\_SquareMagnitude\_SSE  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SIMD\\_Math.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate the squared magnitude of a VEC4.  
Arguments: Arg1: xmm register holding the VEC4.  
Arg2: xmm auxiliary register.  
Notes: Output = Arg1.

Macro: Vec4\_Magnitude\_SSE  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SIMD\\_Math.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate the magnitude of a VEC4.  
Arguments: Arg1: xmm register holding the VEC4.  
Arg2: xmm auxiliary register.  
Notes: Output = Arg1.

Macro: Vec4\_Normalize\_SSE  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SIMD\\_Math.inc](#)  
Purpose: Normalize a VEC4.  
Arguments: Arg1: xmm register holding the VEC4.  
Arg2..3: xmm auxiliary registers.  
Notes: Output = Arg1.  
Link: <http://www.3dbuzz.com/vbforum/showthread.php?104753-HowTo-Inline-Assembly-amp-SSE-Vector-normalization-done-fast>

Macro: Vec4\_CrossProduct\_SSE  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SIMD\\_Math.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate the cross product of 2 VEC4.  
Arguments: Arg1: xmm register holding the first VEC4.  
Arg2: xmm register holding the second VEC4.  
Arg3..4: xmm auxiliary registers.  
Link: [http://neilkemp.us/src/sse\\_tutorial/sse\\_tutorial.html](http://neilkemp.us/src/sse_tutorial/sse_tutorial.html)  
Notes: Output = Arg1.

Macro: Vec4\_DotProduct\_SSE  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SIMD\\_Math.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate the dot product of 2 VEC4.  
Arguments: Arg1: xmm register holding the first VEC4.  
Arg2: xmm register holding the second VEC4.  
Arg3: xmm auxiliary register.  
Notes: Output = Arg1.

Macro: Mat44\_Load\_A\_SSE  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SIMD\\_Math.inc](#)  
Purpose: Load a matrix from aligned memory to xmm registers.  
Arguments: Arg1: → MAT44.  
Arg2..5: xmm registers that will receive the MAT44 rows.

Macro: Mat44\_Load\_U\_SSE  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SIMD\\_Math.inc](#)  
Purpose: Load a matrix from unaligned memory to xmm registers.  
Arguments: Arg1: → MAT44.  
Arg2..5: xmm registers that will receive the MAT44 rows.

Macro: Mat44\_Store\_A\_SSE  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SIMD\\_Math.inc](#)

Purpose: Store a matrix from xmm registers to aligned memory.  
Arguments: Arg1: → MAT44.  
Arg2..5: xmm registers that will receive the MAT44 rows.

Macro: Mat44\_Store\_U\_SSE  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SIMD\\_Math.inc](#)  
Purpose: Store a matrix from xmm registers to unaligned memory.  
Arguments: Arg1: → MAT44.  
Arg2..5: xmm registers that will receive the MAT44 rows.

Macro: Mat44\_Transpose\_SSE  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SIMD\\_Math.inc](#)  
Purpose: Transpose the MAT44 loaded in xmm registers.  
Arguments: Arg1..4: xmm registers holding the MAT44 columns.  
Arg5: auxiliary xmm register.  
Notes: Output = Arg1..4 xmm registers holding the MAT44 rows.

Macro: Mat44\_Transpose\_SSE\_2  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SIMD\\_Math.inc](#)  
Purpose: Transpose the MAT44 loaded in xmm registers.  
This code is somewhat slower as Mat44\_Transpose\_SSE but can be compiled with ML6.15  
Arguments: Arg1..4: xmm registers holding the MAT44 columns.  
Arg5..6: auxiliary xmm registers.  
Notes: Output = Arg1..4 xmm registers holding the MAT44 rows.

Macro: Mat44\_Mult\_Vec4\_SSE  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SIMD\\_Math.inc](#)  
Purpose: Multiplication of MAT44 by VEC4  
Arguments: Arg1..4: xmm registers holding the MAT44 columns.  
Arg5: xmm register holding the input VEC4.  
Arg6..8: auxiliary xmm registers.  
Notes: Output = Arg5.

Macro: Real8ToXmm  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\SIMD\\_Math.inc](#)  
Purpose: Moves Real8 values to an xmm register  
Arguments: Arg1: Real8 value  
Arg2: Real8 value  
Example: movaps xmm15, XMMWORD ptr Real8ToXmm(1.0, -1.0)

Macro: \$Esc  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Strings.inc](#)  
Purpose: Convert escape sequences to the corresponding character codes.  
Arguments: Arg1: Text.  
Return: Processed text.  
Notes:

esc. seq.	code	symbol
-----	-----	-----
\: 21h	'	
\{ 28h	('	
\} 29h	)'	
\[ 3Ch	'<	
\] 3Eh	'>	
\= 22h	'"	
\, 3Bh	';	
\0 0	zero character	
\n 0Dh, 0Ah	new line	
\r 0Dh	carriage return	
\l 0Ah	line feed	
\t 09h	horizontal tabulation	

other combinations of the "\" character are treated as literals.

Macro: \$RepChr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Strings.inc](#)  
Purpose: Repeat a character N times.  
Arguments: Arg1: Character to repeat  
Arg2: Character count.  
Return: Quoted text.  
Example: CStrW wBlanks, \$RepChr(< >, 15)

Macro: \$Ofs(C/T/D/J)Str  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Strings.inc](#)  
Purpose: Place an ANSI or UNICODE string in the CONST, \_DATA or \_TEXT Segment.

Arguments: Arg1: Quoted string text.  
Return: String offset.

Macro: \$PCG\_RndChr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Strings.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return at assembly-time a randomly generated (PCG) character value.  
Arguments: None.  
Return: Character value.

Macro: \$PCG\_RndStr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\Strings.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return at assembly-time a randomly generated (PCG) string in const segment.  
On each run of the macro, a new string is generated  
Arguments: Arg1: String length in chars.  
Return: String location.  
Example: DbgWriteF , , "|ST", offset \$PCG\_RndStr(64)

Macro: \$ArgRev  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return a reversed order version of a symbol list.  
Arguments: Arg1: Symbol list.  
Return: Reversed symbol list.

Macro: PushAll  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Push recursively all arguments on stack.  
Arguments: Arg1: List of arguments.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: PopAll  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Pop a list of arguments of the stack.  
Arguments: Arg1: List of arguments.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: PushAllRev  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Push all arguments on stack in reverse order.  
Arguments: Arg1: List of arguments.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: PopAllRev  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Pop recursively all arguments on stack in reverse order.  
Arguments: Arg1: List of arguments.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: c2m  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Move a constant value to a QWORD, DWORD, WORD or BYTE memory address.  
Arguments: Arg1: destination memory symbol.  
Arg2: source constant value.  
Arg3: register used to move the memory content. If not specified, r13 is used.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: m2m  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Move a QWORD, DWORD, WORD or BYTE value from a memory address to another.  
Auxiliary register may not be used.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination memory symbol.  
Arg2: Source memory symbol.  
Arg3: Auxiliary register used to move the memory content.  
If not specified, the stack may be used.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: mrm  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Move a QWORD, DWORD, WORD or BYTE value from a memory address to another using  
always the auxiliary register.  
Arguments: Arg1: destination memory symbol.  
Arg2: source memory symbol.

Return: Arg3: register used to move the memory content.  
Nothing.

Macro: m2z  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Zero the content of a memory location.  
Arguments: Arg1: Memory location.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: On older CPUs, like a PIII, "and DstMem, 0" is faster than "mov DstMem, 0".

Macro: s2s  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Clone a structure to another structure of the same type.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination structure.  
Arg2: Source structure. Structure size must match the destination structure  
Arg3: Available registers for the copy operation.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: Use only AVX instructions to avoid AVX/SSE transition penalties.  
Try using vmovdqu later.

Macro: JumpOn  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a jump table and executes a jump to a label according the content of a register.  
Arguments: Arg1: Case register.  
Arg2: Jump labels.  
Return: Nothing.  
Example: JumpOn eax, @@10, @@20, @@30

Macro: FillStringA  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Fill an ANSI string with text using a series of mov DWORD/WORD/BYTE instructions.  
It doesn't work with QWORDS.  
Arguments: Arg1: String to be filled.  
Arg2: Text.  
Return: Nothing.  
Example: FillStringA myString, <Hello>

Macro: FillStringB  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Fill a BSTR string with text using a series of mov DWORD/WORD/BYTE instructions.  
It doesn't work with QWORDS.  
Arguments: Arg1: String to be filled.  
Arg2: Text.  
Return: Nothing.  
Example: FillStringB myString, <Hello>

Macro: FillStringW  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Fill a UNICODE string with text using a series of mov DWORD/WORD/BYTE instructions.  
Arguments: Arg1: String to be filled.  
Arg2: Text.  
Return: Nothing.  
Example: FillStringW myString, <Hello>

Macro: FillWordA  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Fill with a sequence of ANSI characters using a series of mov DWORD/WORD/BYTE.  
It doesn't work with QWORDS.  
Arguments: Arg1: String to be filled.  
Arg2: Text.  
Return: Nothing.  
Example: FillWordA myBuffer, <Hello>

Macro: FillWordW  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Fill with a sequence of WIDE characters using a series of mov DWORD/WORD.  
It doesn't work with QWORDS.  
Arguments: Arg1: String to be filled.  
Arg2: Text.  
Return: Nothing.  
Example: FillWordW myBuffer, <Hello>



Macro: DoesWordMatchA?  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compare a sequence of ANSI characters with a text using a series of cmp DWORD/WORD/BYTE instructions.  
Arguments: Arg1: Location containing the word to be compared.  
Arg2: Text.  
Return: In case that NoMatchLabel is not specified use the flags.  
ZERO? indicates that the word matches.  
Example: DoesWordMatchA? myword, <Hello>  
DoesWordMatchA? myword, < >

Macro: DoesWordMatchW?  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compare a sequence of WIDE characters with a text using a series of cmp DWORD/WORD instructions.  
Arguments: Arg1: Location containing the word to be compared.  
Arg2: Text.  
Return: In case that NoMatchLabel is not specified use the flags.  
ZERO? indicates that the word matches.  
Example: DoesWordMatchW? myword, <Hello>  
DoesWordMatchW? myword, < >

Macro: DoesStringMatchA?  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compare a string of ANSI characters with a text using a series of cmp DWORD/WORD/BYTE instructions. The ZTC is included in the comparison.  
Arguments: Arg1: Location containing the string to be compared.  
Arg2: Text.  
Return: In case that NoMatchLabel is not specified use the flags.  
Zero indicates that the word matches.  
Example: DoesStringMatchA? myString, <Hello>

Macro: DoesStringMatchW?  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compare a string of WIDE characters with a text using a series of cmp DWORD/WORD instructions. The ZTC is included in the comparison.  
Arguments: Arg1: Location containing the string to be compared.  
Arg2: Text.  
Return: In case that NoMatchLabel is not specified use the flags.  
Zero indicates that the word matches.  
Example: DoesStringMatchW? myString, <Hello>

Macro: WriteF  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Write a formatted string to memory. If format includes format specifiers (subsequences beginning with %), the additional arguments following format are formatted and inserted in the resulting string replacing their respective specifiers. Escape sequences are supported to overcome MASM limitations. Escape sequences begin with a \ character.  
Arguments: Arg1: Non-volatile register pointing to the beginning of the output buffer. It is used internally and its value is modified upon return.  
Arg2: Single or double Quoted format string. Only ANSI characters are allowed. format specifiers start with the "%" character, followed by 2 characters specifying the type (and the decimal places for floating-point numbers) of the subsequent arguments.  
Arg3-N: Additional arguments. Must be non-volatile registers, FPU registers or memory symbols.  
Notes: - Format specifiers:  
SB signed BYTE as decimal  
SW signed WORD as decimal  
SD signed DWORD as decimal  
SQ signed QWORD as decimal  
SX signed DWORD/QWORD as decimal  
UB unsigned BYTE as decimal  
UW unsigned WORD as decimal  
UD unsigned DWORD as decimal  
UQ unsigned QWORD as decimal  
UX unsigned DWORD/QWORD as decimal  
Fn Floating Point with n decimals, regular notation. n ranges from 0 to F  
En Floating Point with n decimals, scientific notation. n ranges from 0 to F  
H4 DWORD as hexadecimal  
H8 QWORD as hexadecimal  
HX DWORD/QWORD as hexadecimal  
SA ANSI string

SW WIDE string  
 ST ANSI/WIDE string  
 GD GUID  
 WE Windows API Error as description string  
 CE COM Error as description string  
 UE UEFI Error as description string  
 MT Move to character position  
 AT fill with spaces up to character position

- Escape sequences:  
 n Carriage Return and Line Feed  
 r Carriage Return  
 l Line Feed  
 0 ZTC  
 t Horizontal Tab  
 [ "<" character  
 ] ">" character  
 : "" character  
 ' "" character  
 \ "\" character

- Format specifiers and escape sequences are case sensitive.

Example: writeF xdi, 'Memory at %H8h: %F3", rsi, REAL4 ptr [xsi]

Macro: IsCharTypeA?  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Compare an ANSI character with a predefined type of characters.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Character to be evaluated.  
 Arg2: Character type.  
 Arg3: (optional) Character table  
 Return: Flags. Zero indicates that the character is NOT of the char type.  
 On return, al contains the tested character.  
 Example: IsCharTypeA? [myString+5], CharTypeText  
 .if \$IsCharTypeA?([myString+5], CharTypeText)

Macro: (\$)Choose  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Choose returns a value from a list of choices based on an index value.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Index.  
 Arg2: First choice.  
 Arg3: Rest of choices.  
 Return: Chosen value.

Macro: (C/D)Real\$\$  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Declare a named floating point variable in the data segment.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Name of the floating point variable.  
 Arg2: Value of the floating point variable. May be ?.

Macro: \$CReal??  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Create in memory a REAL4 constant. Repeated declarations use the same memory location.  
 Arguments: Arg1: value of the floating point variable.  
 Return: Symbol of the declared REAL4 value.  
 Note: The \$CReal?? macro are intended to avoid the creation of multiple instances of the same floating point constant.

Macro: \$DReal??  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Declare a floating point variable as a variable.  
 Arguments: Arg1: value of the floating point variable.  
 Return: Symbol of the floating point value.

Macro: sMax / \$sMax  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Return the maximum of 2 signed values.  
 Arguments: Arg1: First signed word.  
 Arg2: Second signed word.  
 Arg3: Optional destination register. Default is xax.  
 Return: DstReg/rax/eax/ax/al = Biggest signed value.

Macro: sMin / \$sMin  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the minimum of 2 signed values.  
Arguments: Arg1: First signed word.  
Arg2: Second signed word.  
Arg3: Optional destination register. Default is xax.  
Return: DstReg/rax/eax/ax/al = Smallest signed value.

Macro: uMax / \$uMax  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the maximum of 2 values.  
Arguments: Arg1: First word.  
Arg2: Second word.  
Arg3: Optional destination register. Default is xax.  
Return: DstReg/rax/eax/ax/al = Biggest value.

Macro: uMin / \$uMin  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the minimum of 2 values.  
Arguments: Arg1: First value.  
Arg2: Second value.  
Arg3: Optional destination register. Default is xax.  
Return: DstReg/rax/eax/ax/al = Smallest value.

Macro: \$uMini / uMini  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the smallest of 2 values.  
Arguments: Arg1: Default rax = a, rcx = b  
Return: Reg1/rax/eax/ax/al = \$uMini(a,b)  
Uses: Default are rax, rcx, rdx (Reg2 and AuxReg are trashed).

Macro: \$uMaxi / uMaxi  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the maximum of 2 values.  
Arguments: Arg1: Default rax = a, rcx = b  
Return: Reg1/rax/eax/ax/al = \$uMaxi(a,b)  
Uses: Default are rax, rcx, rdx (Reg2 and AuxReg are trashed).

Macro: \$sMaxi / sMaxi  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the maximum of 2 signed values.  
Arguments: rax = a, rdx = b  
Return: rax/eax/ax/al = min(a,b), rdx/edx/dx/di = max(a,b)  
Uses: rax, rdx.

Macro: uMiniMaxi  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the minimum and maximum of 2 values.  
Arguments: Reg1, Reg2  
Return: Reg1 = min(Reg1, Reg2), Reg2 = max(Reg1, Reg2)  
Uses: Reg1, Reg2, AuxReg1, AuxReg2

Macro: sMean / \$sMean  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute (Reg1 + Reg2)/2 (signed values).  
Arguments: Arg1: Reg1.  
Arg2: Reg2.  
Arg3: AuxReg.  
Return: rax/eax/ax/al = (Reg1 + Reg2)/2.  
Uses: Default rax, rcx, rdx (AuxReg is trashed).  
Note: This algorithm can not overflow

Macro: LoadRegIfLessThan  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compare Reg with a value and load it according to the result.  
Arguments: Arg1: Register to be compared.  
Arg2: Than value or register.  
Arg3: Then value or register.  
Arg4: Otherwise value or register.  
Arg5: [optional] auxiliary register. Default edx.  
Return: Register.

Macro: Hiword / \$Hiword  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Retrieve the high WORD from a DWORD.  
Arguments: Arg1: DWORD.  
Return: eax = High WORD.

Macro: Loword / \$Loword  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Retrieve the low WORD from a DWORD.  
Arguments: Arg1: DWORD.  
Return: eax = Low WORD.

Macro: \$addr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Get the runtime address of the operand. Used in those cases where "addr" is not allowed.  
Arguments: Arg1: Operand.  
Return: Memory address of operand.

Macro: PushArgsFor  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Push all arguments on stack in reverse order.  
Arguments: Arg1: API name.  
Arg2: List of arguments.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: \$RGB  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate a RGB value of the specified R/G/B/Alpha arguments.  
Arguments: Arg1: Red component.  
Arg2: Green component.  
Arg3: Blue component.  
Arg4: Alpha component (if any).  
Return: RGB DWORD value (CRGB).

Macro: \$BGR  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Calculate a RGB value of the specified B/G/R/Alpha arguments.  
Arguments: Arg1: Blue component.  
Arg2: Green component.  
Arg3: Red component.  
Arg4: Alpha component (if any).  
Return: RGB DWORD value (RGBQUAD).

Macro: RGB2BGR  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Convert the color from RGB to BGR as it is usually stored in memory.  
Arguments: Arg1: 32 bit register containeing the RGB/BRG color.

Macro: \$Lower  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Convert a text symbol to lowercase.  
Arguments: Arg1: String symbol.

Macro: \$Upper  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Convert a text symbol to uppercase.  
Arguments: Arg1: Text symbol.

Macro: \$IsFloat  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Check if a passed text is a floating point value.  
Arguments: Arg1: Text representing a float.  
Link: <http://masm32.com/board/index.php?topic=4709.15>  
Return: TRUE for any REAL4/8/10 variable or decimal FP literal.  
Autor: qword

Macro: \$invoke  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Accelerator macro that calls a procedure and returns its return value in eax.

Arguments: Arg1: Procedure name to be called.  
Arg2: Procedure arguments.  
Return: Return value of the procedure in eax.

Macro: \$call  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Call invocation that returns eax.  
Arguments: Arg1: Procedure name.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: \$Makeword  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute a WORD value.  
Arguments: Arg1: High order BYTE.  
Arg2: Low order BYTE.  
Return: DWORD value.

Macro: \$MakeDword  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute a DWORD value.  
Arguments: Arg1: High order WORD.  
Arg2: Low order WORD.  
Return: DWORD value.

Macro: IsPositive  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return TRUE if the signed integer argument is  $\geq 0$ , otherwise FALSE.  
Arguments: Arg1: SDWORD  
Return: TRUE or FALSE.

Macro: IsNegative  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return TRUE if the signed integer argument is  $< 0$ , otherwise FALSE.  
Arguments: Arg1: SDWORD  
Return: TRUE or FALSE.

Macro: MSB32  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute the most significant "1" bit in a DWORD.  
Arguments: Arg1: Argument value in a register.  
Arg2: (optional) Auxiliar register.  
Return: Result in input register.

Macro: LSB32  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute the least significant "1" bit in a DWORD.  
Arguments: Arg1: Argument value in a register.  
Arg2: (optional) Auxiliar register.  
Return: Result in input register.

Macro: NLPo2  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compute the Next Largest Power of 2 of a DWORD.  
Arguments: Arg1: Argument value in a register.  
Arg2: (optional) Auxiliar register.  
Return: Result in input register.

Macro: PopulationCount32  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Count the number of "1"s in a DWORD.  
Arguments: Arg1: Argument value in a register.  
Arg2: (optional) Auxiliar register.  
Return: Result in input register.

Macro: TZC32 Trailing Zero Count  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Count the number of trailing "0"s in a DWORD.  
Arguments: Arg1: Argument value in a register.  
Arg2: (optional) Auxiliar register.  
Return: Result in input register.

Macro: ReverseBits32  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Reverse the bits in a DWORD.  
Arguments: Arg1: Argument value in a register.  
Arg2: (optional) Auxiliar register.  
Return: Result in input register.

Macro: ReverseBitsShort32  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Reverse the bits in a DWORD.  
Arguments: Arg1: Input register value.  
Arg2: Output register value.  
Return: Result in input register.  
Note: Uses ecx.

Macro: IsInRange?  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Check if a specified value is in the range [Base...Top].  
Arguments: Arg1: Value (register)  
Arg2: Bottom.  
Arg3: Top.  
Arg4: (optional) Auxiliar register.  
Return: Value (Arg) is 0 if it is in range, otherwise -1.  
Note: Add an inc to Arg to the end of the macro to return TRUE or FALSE.

Macro: IsNotBetween?  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Check if a specified value is in between the range [Bot...Top], excluding the limits.  
Arguments: Arg1: Value (register)  
Arg2: Bottom  
Arg3: Top  
Arg4: (optional) Auxiliar register  
Return: Value (Arg) is 0 if it is in range, otherwise -1.  
Note: Add an inc to Arg to the end of the macro to return TRUE or FALSE.

Macro: ClearLocals  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Clear all locals.  
Note: Source of Edgar Harris (Donkey).

Macro: ht  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Insert a hint BYTE (hint taken) for conditional jumps.  
Note: Must be inserted immediately before the conditional jump.  
The rules for static prediction are:  
- A forward branch defaults to not taken.  
- A backward branch defaults to taken.  
Once the processor has enough information, dynamic rules take over.

Macro: hnt  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Insert a hint BYTE (hint not taken) for conditional jumps.  
Note: Must be inserted immediately before the conditional jump.

Macro: \_Pause\_  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Emulate the pause instruction.  
Note: <http://siyobik.info/index.php?module=x86&id=232>

Macro: FillMemZero  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Fill a memory range with zeros.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mem to be filled.  
Arg2: Mem size.  
Return: Nothing.  
Example: FillMemZero myString, 5

Macro: FillMemByte  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Fill a memory range with a BYTE value.  
Arguments: Arg1: Mem to be filled.

Arg2: Mem size.  
 Arg3: BYTE value.  
 Return: Nothing.

Macro: FillMemWord  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Fill a memory range with a WORD value.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Mem to be filled.  
           Arg2: Mem size.  
           Arg3: WORD value.  
 Return: Nothing.

Macro: SaveFpuContext  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Save the FPU context that can be restored using LoadFpuContext. FPU is reinitialized.  
 Arguments: None.  
 Return: Nothing.

Macro: LoadFpuContext  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Reload the FPU context that was stored using SaveFpuContext.  
 Arguments: None.  
 Return: Nothing.

Macro: \$Subword  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Return a subword according to the requested size.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Word type (signed or unsigned).  
           Arg2: Required size [1, 2, 4, 8].  
 Return: word.

Macro: \$SubReg  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Return a subregister according to the requested size.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Register name.  
           Arg2: Required register size [1, 2, 4, 8] in bytes.  
 Return: Register.

Macro: \$SubRegMM  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Return a mm subregister according to the requested size.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Register name.  
           Arg2: Required register size [16, 32, 64] (xmm, ymm, zmm) in bytes.  
 Return: Register.

Macro: \$ChrReg  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Return a subregister according to the CHR size.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Register name.  
 Return: Register.

Macro: \$64, \$32, \$16, \$8  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Return a subregister according to the destination size.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Register name.  
 Return: Register.

Macro: GetInterruptTicks  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Return the interrupt tick count since system start.  
           Interrupt ticks are triggered each 100 ns The count is monotone.  
           The count is gathered from a system shared memory area known as KUSER\_SHARED\_DATA,  
           which is always at the same location (7FFE0000h) on windows systems since NT.  
 Arguments: Arg1: (optional) Destination memory where the count should be stored (QWORD).  
 Return: rax = tick count.

Macro: \$Log2  
 File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
 Purpose: Return the Log2 of a value at compile time.  
 Arguments: Arg1: Input value.  
 Return: Log value.

Macro: StackAlign  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Align down the stack to a specified boundary.  
Arguments: Boundary in bytes.  
Note: Uses an auxiliary register, default is edx.

Macro: StackRestore  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Restore the stack to the previous boundary.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: \$CurSeg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Returns the simplified current segment name.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: EchoOpAttr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Echo OpAttr value.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: ANNOTATION  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Pass a hint to external tools.  
Arguments: Hints, separated by commas.  
Examples: ANNOTATION prv:rdi rsi  
ANNOTATION use:Point Arg1 xdi

Macro: \$ToStr  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Used to echo a numeric symbol.  
Arguments: Symbol name.  
Use: %echo This is a test using \$ToStr(%Number1)

Macro: ?mov  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compile mov instruction if TARGET\_BITNESS = 32.  
Arguments: Arg1: First mov.  
Arg2: Second mov.

Macro: ??mov  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compile mov instruction if TARGET\_BITNESS = 64.  
Arguments: Arg1: First mov.  
Arg2: Second mov.

Macro: LocReg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Declares the use of a symbol as a register or as a local.  
Arguments: Expression of the form SymbolName1:Register1, SymbolName2:Register2...

Macro: \$LocReg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Replaces the Expression with the corresponding local or register.  
Arguments: SymbolName declared with LocReg.

Macro: \$LocReg32  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Replaces the Expression with the corresponding local or 32 bit register.  
Arguments: SymbolName declared with LocReg.

Macro: ArgReg  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Declares the use of a symbol as a register or as an argument.  
Arguments: Expression of the form SymbolName1:Register1, SymbolName2:Register2...

Macro: \$ArgReg



File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Replaces the Expression with the corresponding argument or register.  
Arguments: SymbolName.

Macro: \$ArgReg32  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Replaces the Expression with the corresponding argument or 32 bit register.  
Arguments: SymbolName.

Macro: pushfx  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compile pushfd or pushfq according to TARGET\_BITNESS.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: popfx  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compile popfd or popfq according to TARGET\_BITNESS.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: pushaq  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Simil to pushad but for 64 bit. Order of pushed values equal to pushad.  
Arguments: None.  
Note: rsp is not the value of the instruction begin, like it is using pushad.

Macro: popaq  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Simil to popaq but for 64 bit.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: pushax  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compile pushad or pushaq according to TARGET\_BITNESS.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: popax  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compile popad or popaq according to TARGET\_BITNESS.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: stosx  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compile stosd or stosq according to TARGET\_BITNESS.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: stosc  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compile stosb or stosw according to TARGET\_STR\_TYPE.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: movsc  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compile movsb or movsw according to TARGET\_STR\_TYPE.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: scasc  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compile scasb or scasw according to TARGET\_STR\_TYPE.  
Arguments: None.

Macro: @Random  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)  
Purpose: Compile-time random number generator.  
Arguments: Arg1: Range.  
Return: Integer [0..Range-1]

Macro: @Err  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\System.inc](#)

Purpose: Compile-time error generation.  
Arguments: Arg1: Message  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: DispatchEvent  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Search for a specified EventID in the "Event Translation Table". If found, the matching method is called, otherwise the default proc is invoked.  
Arguments: Default procedure name and common parameters.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: - uses xsi → object instance.  
- the event handler receives the event ID (WM\_XXX, ...) in eax.

Macro: Subclass  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Subclass a system window.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object name.  
Arg2: Optional index to allow multiple subclassings.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: xsi has to point to the object instance

Macro: Unsubclass  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Unsubclass a system window.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object name.  
Arg2: Optional index to allow multiple subclassings.  
Return: Nothing.  
Note: xsi has to point to the object instance

Macro: (\$)GetSubclassingInst  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the instance POINTER of the object that subclassed a system window.  
Arguments: Arg1: Object name.  
Arg2: Window HANDLE.  
Arg2: Optional index to allow multiple subclassings.  
Return: rax → Instance.  
Note: xsi has to point to the object instance

Macro: CloneRect  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Copy the coordinates from the source to the destination RECT.  
Arguments: Arg1: Destination RECT structure.  
Arg2: Source RECT structure.  
Arg3: optional registers to be used to copy the RECT content.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: GrowRect  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Change the size of a RECT by a specified value.  
Arguments: Arg1: RECT structure.  
Arg2: X size to grow.  
Arg2: (optional) Y size to grow.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: MoveRect  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Move a RECT by a specified X/Y value.  
Arguments: Arg1: → RECT structure.  
Arg2: X size to move.  
Arg3: (optional) Y size to move.  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: \$MakePoints  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return a POINTS structure (DWORD) containing the coordinates indicated in args.  
Arguments: Arg1: X position.  
Arg2: Y position.  
Return: POINT structure.

Macro: EnabledlgControl  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Enable or disable a dialog control.

Arguments: Arg1: Dialog HANDLE.  
Arg2: Control ID.  
Arg3: Action (TRUE=Enable, FALSE=Disable).  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: EnabledDlgCtrlNotif  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Enable the parent notification mechanism of a dialog control, which was disabled by default.  
Arguments: Arg1: Dialog HANDLE.  
Arg2: Control ID.

Macro: PntS2Pnt  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Convert the POINTS contained in Pnts into a POINT contained in Pnt.  
Arguments: POINT, POINTS  
Return: Nothing.

Macro: PntS2Regs  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Convert the POINTS contained in Pnts to DWORD values in the eax and ecx registers.  
Arguments: POINTS, Reg32  
Return: eax = x, Reg32 = y.

Macro: Pnt2Reg32  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Convert a POINT to a Reg32.  
Arguments: Arg1: Reg32.  
Arg2: POINT.

Macro: \$MakeLangID  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Create a resource language ID.  
Arguments: Arg1: Primary language.  
Arg2: Sublanguage.  
Return: Language ID.

Macro: \$PrimaryLangID  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the primary language from a Language ID.  
Arguments: Language ID.  
Return: Primary Language ID.

Macro: \$SubLangID  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Return the sublanguage from a Language ID.  
Arguments: Language ID.  
Return: Sublanguage ID.

Macro: \$Dlu2PixX  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Converts X Dialog Logic Units to pixel.  
Arguments: Arg1: X DLU value.  
Arg2: X DBU value obtained from GetDlgBaseUnits.  
Return: eax = Pixel value.  
Note: Uses xdx.

Macro: \$Dlu2PixY  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Converts Y Dialog Logic Units to pixel.  
Arguments: Arg1: Y DLU value.  
Arg2: Y DBU value obtained from GetDlgBaseUnits.  
Return: eax = Pixel value.  
Note: Uses xdx.

Macro: SetWndStyle  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Set the style flag of a window.  
Arguments: Arg1: Style flag.  
Note: Uses volatile registers.

Macro: `ClrWndStyle`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Clear the style flag of a window.  
Arguments: Arg1: Style flag.  
Note: Uses volatile registers.

Macro: `SetWndStyleEx`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Set the extended style flag of a window.  
Arguments: Arg1: Extended style flag.  
Note: Uses volatile registers.

Macro: `ClrWndStyleEx`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WinHelpers.inc](#)  
Purpose: Clear the extended style flag of a window.  
Arguments: Arg1: Extended style flag.  
Note: Uses volatile registers.

Macro: `StringW / ($)CStrW / ($)TStrW / ($)DStrW / ($)JStrW`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WStrings.inc](#)  
Purpose: Place an WIDE string in the .const, .text, .data or .code segment.  
Arguments: Arg1: Reference name (optional).  
Arg2: Quoted string text.  
Return: Nothing / Reference to the string.  
Notes:

- Quotation marks can be used as usual. See example.
- Partial input strings can be separated by commas.
- Break input lines with "\".
- Empty input strings (" or ') causes an error.
- Numeric inputs in word range are possible.
- sizeof and length of directives work with this macro.

Example: `CStrW MyStrW, 'Note: ', "Director's cut", '', 13, 10`  
Resulting WIDE string: `Note: "Director's cut" + CRLF`

Macro: `$Ofs(C/T/D/J)WStr`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WStrings.inc](#)  
Purpose: Place an WIDE string in the S\_CONST, S\_TEXT, S\_DATA segment.  
Arguments: Arg1: Quoted string text.  
Return: String offset.

Macro: `IsSurrogateHigh`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WStrings.inc](#)  
Purpose: Check if the WIDE char is a high surrogate.  
Arguments: Arg1: Wide character.  
Return: ZERO? if character is a high surrogate.

Macro: `IsSurrogateLow`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\WStrings.inc](#)  
Purpose: Check if the WIDE char is a low surrogate.  
Arguments: Arg1: Wide character.  
Return: ZERO? if character is a low surrogate.

Macro: `xLSLL.InsertAfter`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\xLSLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Insert an object after another in the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Member to insert after.  
Arg2: → Member to insert.  
Arg3: Auxiliar register.  
Note: `eax` is trashed.

Macro: `xLSLL.RemoveAfter`  
File: [\ObjAsm\Code\Macros\xLSLL.inc](#)  
Purpose: Remove a member from the linked list.  
Arguments: Arg1: → Member to remove after.  
Arg2: Auxiliar register, default is `ecx`.  
Note: `eax` is trashed.