

Assignment No.

Program:

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;Title : Write X86/64 ALP to accept a string and to display its
length.
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;Perform Date :
;-----section data-----
section .data
    msg      db      10,10,"Enter the string:  "; Define a message to
prompt the user to enter a string
    msg_len  equ     $-msg; Calculate the length of the message

    smsg     db      10,10,"The length of string is:  "; Define a
message to display the length of the string
    smsg_len equ     $-smsg; Calculate the length of the message

;-----bss section-----
Section .bss
    string   resb 50; Allocate space in memory to store the input
string (50 bytes)
    stringl  equ  $-string; Calculate the length of the string

    count    resb 1; Allocate space in memory to store the count of
characters in the string
    char_ans resb 2; Allocate space in memory to store the ASCII
representation of the count

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%macro Print 2
    mov     rax, 1; Load the system call number for write (1) into rax
    mov     rdi, 1; Load file descriptor for stdout (1) into rdi
    mov     rsi, %1; Load the address of the message to be printed into
rsi
    mov     rdx, %2; Load the length of the message into rdx
    syscall; Invoke the kernel to perform the write operation
%endmacro

%macro Read 2
    mov     rax, 0; Load the system call number for read (0) into rax
    mov     rdi, 0; Load file descriptor for stdin (0) into rdi
    mov     rsi, %1; Load the buffer address to store input into rsi
    mov     rdx, %2; Load the maximum number of bytes to read into rdx
    syscall; Invoke the kernel to perform the read operation
%endmacro

%macro Exit 0
    mov     rax, 60; Load the system call number for exit (60) into rax
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        mov rdi, 0; Load the exit status (0) into rdi
        syscall; Invoke the kernel to terminate the program
%endmacro

;-----code section-----
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section .text
    global _start
_start:
    Print msg, msg_len; Print the message prompting the user to enter
a string
    Read string, stringl; Read the input string from the user
    mov [count], rax; Store the length of the input string

    Print smsg, smsg_len; Print the message indicating the length of
the string
    mov rax, [count]; Load the length of the string into rax
    call Display; Call the Display subroutine to display the length
in ASCII
    Exit; Terminate the program
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Display:
    mov rbx,16; Set divisor to 16 for hexadecimal conversion
    mov rcx,2; Set number of digits to 2 for displaying byte value

    mov rsi,char_ans+1; Load the address of the last byte in
char_ans buffer into rsi
cnt:
    mov rdx,0; Clear rdx (as in div instruction rdx:rax/rbx)
    div rbx; Divide rax by rbx (divisor)

    cmp dl, 09h; Check if remainder (dl) is less than or equal to 9
    jbe add30; Jump if less than or equal to 9
    add dl, 07h; Adjust remainder for hexadecimal conversion

add30:
    add dl,30h; Convert remainder to ASCII character
    mov [rsi],dl; Store ASCII character in buffer
    dec rsi; Move pointer to previous byte in buffer

    dec rcx; Decrement digit count
    jnz cnt; Repeat until all digits are processed

    Print char_ans, 2; Print the ASCII representation of the count
    ret
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Output:

Enter the string:Aviraj

The length of string is: 06