Instructions for Running Assembly Graphics

- 1. **Install DOSBox** from the link below according to your Operating System. Link: http://www.dosbox.com/download.php?main=1
- 2. Create a folder where convenient. Let us rename it, "dosprogs" for example, which is created in C: drive in windows. For Ubuntu/Mac it is created in home folder of the user.
- 3. Copy the provided "tasm" folder to the "dosprogs" folder created in 2.
- 4. Start DOSBox. We need to mount the "dosprogs" folder as C: drive in DOSBox. For this write the command for respected OS in DOSBox command window:

Windows: **mount c C:\dosprogs**Ubuntu/Mac: **mount c ~\dosprogs**

Now, the folder is mounted as **C**: drive. [Remember for Ubuntu/Mac, folder and file names are case sensitive.]

- 5. Now to go to **C**: of DOSBox by typing **C**: in the DOSBox command window and press enter.
- 6. We need to go to **BIN** folder of **tasm**. So type, **cd tasm\BIN**
- 7. Copy your .asm file in to the **tasm\BIN** folder. Let the file name is **ex.asm** To compile the program execute the following command.

tasm /l /zi ex.asm

It will create an object file named **ex.obj**

8. Next command is used to for linking the necessary files.

tlink ex.obj io.obj

9. Now ex.exe file will be created in the BIN folder. To run the exe file type **ex.exe** and press enter.

Notes: For multiple source files, use the following command

tasm /l /zi file1.asm + file2.asm + file3.asm tlink file1.obj file2.obj file3.obj io.obj

The exe will be created for the file, which contains MAIN PROC. Then just run the exe as in 7.

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