

Binary Search

Model SMALL

; MACRO TO DISPLAY MESSAGE

DISPLAY MACRO MSG,

LEA DX, MSG,

MOV AH, 09H

INC 21H

ENDM

.DATA

LIST DB 01H, 05H, 07H, 010H, 12H, 14H

NUMBER EQU (\$-LIST)

KEX DE 010H

MSG1 DB 0DH, 0AH, "ELEMENT FOUND IN LIST... \$"

MSG2 DB 0DH, 0AH, "SEARCH FAILED! ELEMENT NOT FOUND \$"

.CODE

START: MOV AX, @DATA

MOV DS, AX

MOV CX, NUMBER 1 ; HIGH VALUE...

MOV CL, 00H ; LOW VALUE

AGAIN: MOVSI, OFFSET LIST

XOR AX, AX

CMP CX, KEX

JB NEXT

JNC FAILED

NEXT: MOV AL, CL

ADD AL, CH

SHR AL, 01H ; Divide by 2.

MOV BL, AL

XOR AH, AH ; Clear AH

MOV BP, AX

MOV AL, DS [BP][ESI]

CMP AL, KEY : ~~if eq, Display~~ ~~Success~~ Comp Key & ACTD
JB SUCCESS ; if eq, Display Success
JL INCLow ; if KEY > ACTD Shift High.
MOV CL, BL
DEC CH
JMP AGAIN

INCLow: MOV CL, BL ; if KEY < ACTD Shift low.
INC CL
JMP AGAIN

SUCCESS: Display MSG1

JMP final

FAILED: Display MSG2

FINAL: MOV AH, 4CH ; JOB OVER, TERMINATE
INT 21H

END START