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Performance	5	
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Total	20	

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Performance	4-5	2-3	1
Understanding	4-5	2-3	1
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Aim: Mixed language program for adding two numbers.

Theory:

C generates an object code that is extremely fast and compact but it is not as fast as the object code generated by a good programmer using assembly language. The time needed to write a program in assembly language is much more than the time taken in higher level languages like C.

However, there are special cases where a function is coded in assembly language to reduce the execution time.

Eg: The floating point math package must be loaded in assembly language as it is used frequently and its execution speed will have a great effect on the overall speed of the program that uses it.

There are also situations in which special hardware devices need exact timing and it is must to write a program in assembly language to meet this strict timing requirement. Certain instructions cannot be executed by a C program.

Eg: There is no built-in bit-wise rotate operation in C. To efficiently perform this it is necessary to use assembly language routine.

In spite of C being very powerful, routines must be written in assembly language to:

1. Increase the speed and efficiency of the routine
2. Perform machine specific function not available in Microsoft C or Turbo C.
3. Use third party routines

Combining C and assembly:

Built-In-Inline assembly is used to include assembly language routines in C program without any need for a specific assembler.

Such assembly language routines are called in-line assembly.

They are compiled right along with C routines rather than being assembled separately and then linked together using linker modules provided by the C compiler.

Turbo C has inline assembly.

In mixed language program, prefix the keyword `asm` for a function and write Assembly instruction in the curly braces in a C program.



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Code:

```
#include<stdio.h>

void main()
{
    int a,b,c;
    clrscr();
    printf("Enter two numbers:\n");
    scanf("%d %d", &a, &b);

    asm{
        mov ax,a
        mov bx,b
        add ax,bx
        mov c,ax
    }
    printf("Result is %d",c);
    getch();
}
```

Output:

A screenshot of a terminal window with a black background and white text. It shows the output of the program: 'Enter two numbers:' followed by two lines of input, '8' and '2', and then the output 'Result is 10'.

```
Enter two numbers:
8
2
Result is 10
```

Conclusion:

In conclusion, a mixed-language program that adds two numbers demonstrates the ability to combine high-level language features with low-level assembly operations. By leveraging the strengths of both languages, the program can efficiently handle arithmetic operations while providing flexibility in system-level programming tasks. This approach highlights the power of using assembly for performance-critical operations in conjunction with high-level languages for ease of development.



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1. Explain any 2 branch instructions.

Branch instructions are used to alter the flow of control in a program, allowing execution to jump to a different part of the code. Here are two common branch instructions in assembly language:

1. **JMP (Jump):**

Purpose: The **JMP** instruction unconditionally transfers control to a specified label or address.

○ **Syntax:** **JMP** *label*

○ **Example:**

`jmp skip` ; Jump to the 'skip' label

○ **Description:** The **JMP** instruction does not check any conditions; it always jumps to the given location.

2. **JE (Jump if Equal):**

○ **Purpose:** The **JE** instruction causes a jump to a specified label if the Zero Flag (ZF) is set, indicating that two values were equal.

○ **Syntax:** **JE** *label*

○ **Example:**

`cmp ax, bx` ; Compare AX with BX

`je equal` ; Jump to 'equal' if AX == BX

○ **Description:** The **JE** instruction checks the Zero Flag after a comparison (e.g., **CMP**). If the values are equal, the Zero Flag is set, and the program jumps to the label.

2. Explain the syntax of loop.

In assembly language, the **LOOP** instruction is used to create loops by automatically decrementing the **CX** (or **ECX** in 32-bit mode) register and jumping to a specified label if the value of **CX** is not zero. It is commonly used for repeating a set of instructions a specific number of times.

`mov cx, 5` ; Initialize CX to 5 (number of iterations)

`start_loop:`

`; Your code here (to be repeated)`

`loop start_loop` ; Decrements CX and jumps if CX != 0