

Experiment No 9

Objective:

Write a menu driven mixed language code to increment, decrement the size of cursor and disable the cursor.

Prerequisite:

Turbo C Compiler

Description:

To increment/ decrement the size of cursor, **INT 10H** interrupt functions are used. These functions are called using **CH** and **CL** register as parameters. Where

CH =Minimum value of cursor (00h)

CL=Maximum limit of cursor (count)

01h function of **INT 10H** interrupt is used to increment and decrement the size of cursor. To increment cursor size, count value gets incremented and moved to CL register and to decrement cursor size, count value gets decremented and moved to CL register.

To disable the cursor, **CL must be loaded with 20h** and then call 01h function of INT 10h DOS interrupt.

Algorithm:

1. Start
2. Declare count value as char type
3. If choice =1 then goto step no 4 else goto step no 10
4. Check count >=4 then goto step no 5 else step no 6
5. Display the msg as "Reached maxium limit"
6. Increment count value by 1
7. Move count value to CL and move 00h to CH register.
8. Move 01h to AH register
9. Call function INT 10H DOS interrupt.
10. If choice =2 then goto step no. 11 else goto step no 17

11. Check count ≤ 0 then goto step no 12 else goto step no 13
12. Display the message as "Reached minimum limit"
13. Decrement count by 1
14. Move count value to CL and move 00h to CH register.
15. Move 01h to AH register
16. Call function INT 10h DOS interrupt
17. If choice =3 then goto step no 18 else goto step no 21
18. Move 20h to CH register
19. Move 01h to AH register
20. Call function INT 10h interrupt.
21. Stop