

Exercises on Organization

- ⦿ For a Pentium II processor descriptor that contains a base address of 00280000 H, a limit of 00010 H, and G=1, what starting and ending locations are addressed?
- ⦿ Code a descriptor that describes a memory segment that begins at location 03000000 H and ends at location 05FFFFFF H. This is a data segment that grows upward in the memory system and can be written, for an 80386 Intel processor.

- If the processor sends linear address 00200000 H to the paging mechanism, which paging directory entry is accessed and which page entry is accessed.
- What is wrong with a `MOV [BX],[DI]` instruction?
- What, if anything, is wrong with `MOV AL, [BX][DI]` instruction?
- Suppose `DS=1100 H`, `BX=0200 H`, `LIST=0250 H`, and `SI=0500 H`, determine the address accessed by each of the following instructions.
 - a) `MOV LIST[SI], EDX`
 - b) `MOV CL, LIST[BX+SI]`
 - c) `MOV CH, [BX+SI]`

- Explain what happens when **PUSH EAX** instruction is executed. Assume **SP=0100 H** and **SS=0200 H**.
- Develop a sequence of instructions that copy 12 bytes of data from an area of memory addressed by **SOURCE** into an area of memory addressed by **DEST**.
- What is wrong with a **MOV CS, AX** instruction?

- If $AX=1001\text{ H}$ and $DX=20\text{FF H}$, list the sum and the content of each flag register bit (C, A, S, Z, and O) after the `ADD AX, DX` instruction executes.
- What is wrong with `INC[BX]` instruction?
- Develop a sequence of instructions that sets (to 1) the rightmost 4 bits of `AX`, clears (to 0) the leftmost three bits of `AX`, and inverts bits 7, 8, and 9 of `AX`.
- Why are buffers required in 8086- and 8088-based systems?
- What two 8086 operations occur during a bus cycle?

- **Briefly describe the purpose of each T state from T1 to T4.**
- **Modify the NAND gate decoder in Figure 10-13 to select the memory for address range DF800 H- DFFFF H.**

- **Modify Figure 10-19 by rewriting the PAL program to address B0000 H-BFFFF H.**

- **Modify the circuit of Figure 10-20 to select memory locations 68000 H-6FFFF H.**