

NASM Intel x86 Assembly Language Cheat Sheet

Instruction	Effect	Examples
Copying Data		
<code>mov dest,src</code>	Copy src to dest	<code>mov eax,10</code> <code>mov eax,[2000]</code>
Arithmetic		
<code>add dest,src</code>	<code>dest = dest + src</code>	<code>add esi,10</code>
<code>sub dest,src</code>	<code>dest = dest - src</code>	<code>sub eax, ebx</code>
<code>mul reg</code>	<code>edx:eax = eax * reg</code>	<code>mul esi</code>
<code>div reg</code>	<code>edx = edx:eax mod reg</code> <code>eax = edx:eax ÷ reg</code>	<code>div edi</code>
<code>inc dest</code>	Increment destination	<code>inc eax</code>
<code>dec dest</code>	Decrement destination	<code>dec word [0x1000]</code>
Function Calls		
<code>call label</code>	Push eip, transfer control	<code>call format_disk</code>
<code>ret</code>	Pop eip and return	<code>ret</code>
<code>push item</code>	Push item (constant or register) to stack. I.e.: <code>esp=esp-4; memory[esp] = item</code>	<code>push dword 32</code> <code>push eax</code>
<code>pop [reg]</code>	Pop item from stack and store to register I.e.: <code>reg=memory[esp]; esp=esp+4</code>	<code>pop eax</code>
Bitwise Operations		
<code>and dest, src</code>	<code>dest = src & dest</code>	<code>and ebx, eax</code>
<code>or dest,src</code>	<code>dest = src dest</code>	<code>or eax,[0x2000]</code>
<code>xor dest, src</code>	<code>dest = src ^ dest</code>	<code>xor ebx, 0xffffffff</code>
<code>shl dest,count</code>	<code>dest = dest << count</code>	<code>shl eax, 2</code>
<code>shr dest,count</code>	<code>dest = dest >> count</code>	<code>shr dword [eax],4</code>
Conditionals and Jumps		
<code>cmp b,a</code>	Compare b to a; must immediately precede any of the conditional jump instructions	<code>cmp eax,0</code>
<code>je label</code>	Jump to label if b == a	<code>je endloop</code>
<code>jne label</code>	Jump to label if b != a	<code>jne loopstart</code>
<code>jg label</code>	Jump to label if b > a	<code>jg exit</code>
<code>jge label</code>	Jump to label if b ≥ a	<code>jge format_disk</code>
<code>jl label</code>	Jump to label if b < a	<code>jl error</code>
<code>jle label</code>	Jump to label if b ≤ a	<code>jle finish</code>
<code>test reg,imm</code>	Bitwise compare of register and constant; should immediately precede the <code>jz</code> or <code>jnz</code> instructions	<code>test eax,0xffff</code>
<code>jz label</code>	Jump to label if bits were not set ("zero")	<code>jz looparound</code>
<code>jmp label</code>	Jump to label if bits were set ("not zero")	<code>jmp error</code>
<code>jmp label</code>	Unconditional relative jump	<code>jmp exit</code>
<code>jmp reg</code>	Unconditional absolute jump; arg is a register	<code>jmp eax</code>
Miscellaneous		
<code>nop</code>	No-op (opcode 0x90)	<code>nop</code>
<code>hlt</code>	Halt the CPU	<code>hlt</code>

Instructions with no memory references must include 'byte', 'word' or 'dword' size specifier.

Arguments to instructions: Note that it is not possible for **both** src and dest to be memory addresses.

Constant (decimal or hex): 10 or 0xff Fixed address: [200] or [0x1000+53]

Register: eax bl Dynamic address: [eax] or [esp+16]

32-bit registers: eax, ebx, ecx, edx, esi, edi, ebp, esp (points to first used location on top of stack)

16-bit registers: ax, bx, cx, dx, si, di, sp, bp

8-bit registers: al, ah, bl, bh, cl, ch, dl, dh