

# Introduction to 8086 Assembly

## Lecture 20

x86 floating point

# Floating point operations



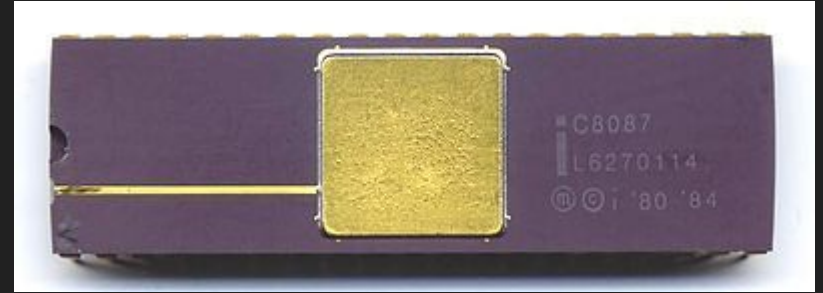
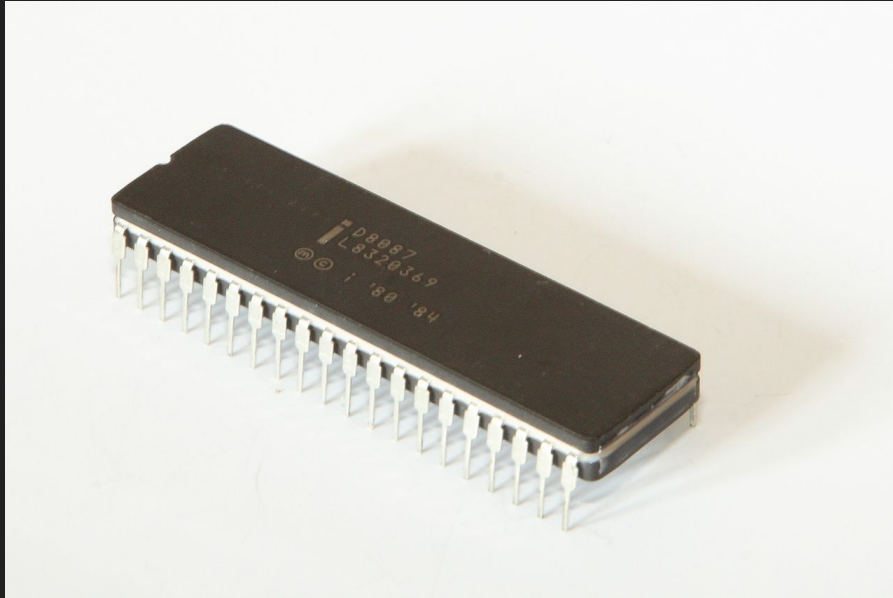
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- Floating point libraries
- Math coprocessor (floating point coprocessor, floating point unit FPU)
  - add-on
  - Integrated

# Intel 8087 coprocessor



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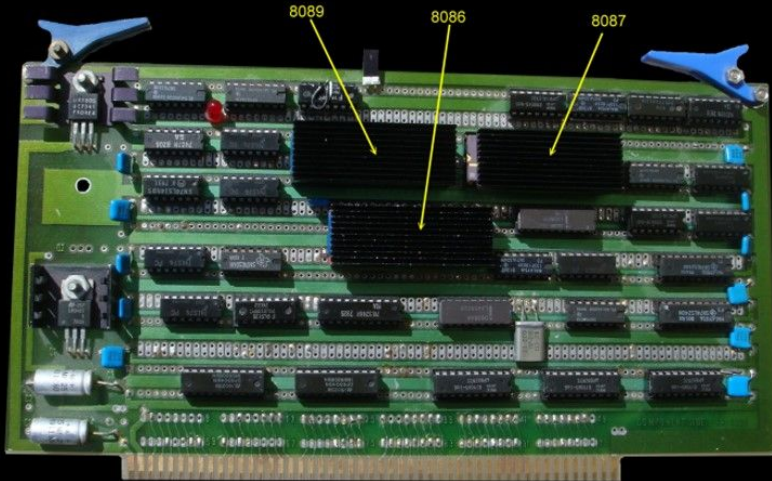


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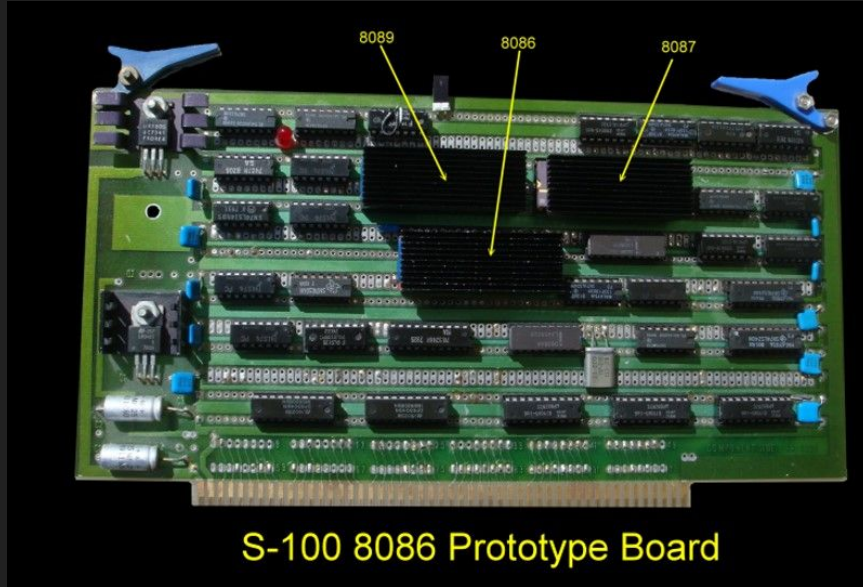
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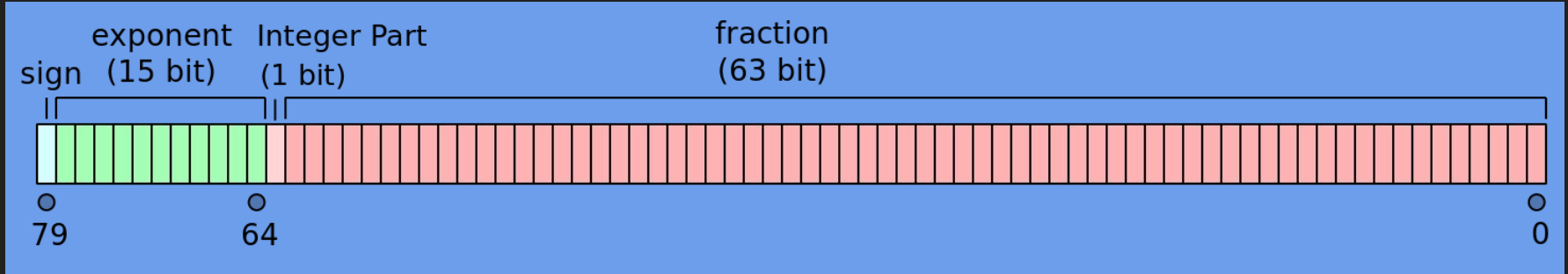
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# Intel x87 extended precision



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# 8087 register stack



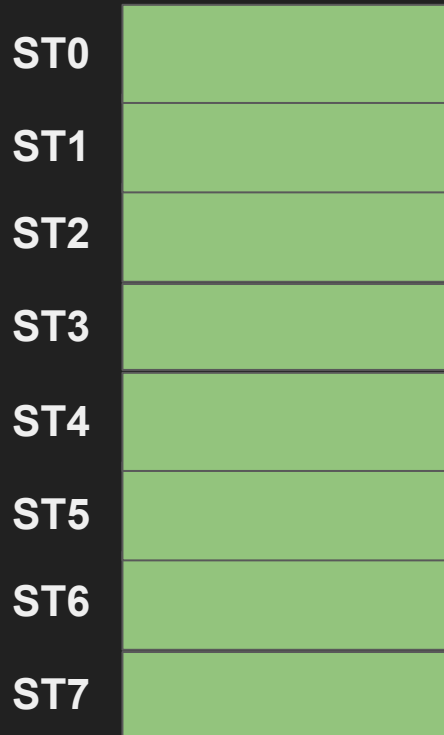
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- ST0, ST1, ST2, ST3, ST4, ST5, ST6, ST7

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# 8087 register stack



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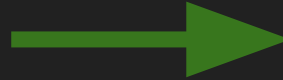
<b>ST0</b>	<b>48.88</b>
<b>ST1</b>	<b>12.04</b>
<b>ST2</b>	<b>111.1</b>
<b>ST3</b>	<b>40.9</b>
<b>ST4</b>	<b>0.003</b>
<b>ST5</b>	<b>12.0</b>
<b>ST6</b>	<b>6.8</b>
<b>ST7</b>	<b>4.2</b>

# 8087 register stack



ST0	48.88
ST1	12.04
ST2	111.1
ST3	40.9
ST4	0.003
ST5	12.0
ST6	6.8
ST7	4.2

push 72.0



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# 8087 register stack



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# Floating points in memory



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```
segment .data
l1:      dd  1.0, 18.9, 0.000001, 1e-14, 12.0
l2:      dq  1.0, 18.9, 0.000001, 1e-14, 12.0
```

single precision



double precision



# Floating points in memory



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32 bit integer



```
l1:    dd    1.0, 18.9, 0.000001, 1e-14, 12
```

```
l2:    dq    1.0, 18.9, 0.000001, 1e-14, 12.0
```

double precision



# Example



```
segment .data  
  
l1:      dd  1.0, 18.9, 0.00001, 1e-14, 12.0  
  
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```

```
fld dword [l1]           ; ST0 = [l1]  
fld dword [l1+4]        ; ST0 = [l1+4]  
  
fadd ST1                ; ST0 += ST1  
  
fist dword [l1]         ; [l1] = (int) ST0  
  
mov eax, [l1]  
call print_int  
call print_nl
```

# Example



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mov eax, [l1]  
call print_int  
call print_nl
```

```
b.nasihatkon@kntu:lecture20$ ./run.sh float1  
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```

# Loading (pushing)



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<code>FLD mem32 (/mem64/mem80)</code>	<code>push ST0 &lt;- mem32 (so on)</code>
<code>FLD STi</code>	<code>push ST0 &lt;- STi</code> <code>STi: ST0, ST1, ... or ST7</code>
<code>FILD mem16 (/mem32/mem64)</code>	<code>push ST0 &lt;- int2float(mem32)</code>

Example:

```
FLD dword [11]
```

```
FLD qword [12]
```



# Loading (pushing) constants



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FLD1	push ST0 <- 1.0
FLDZ	push ST0 <- +0.0
FLDPI	push ST0 <- $\Pi$ (the pi number)
FLDL2T/FLDL2E FLDLG2/FLDLN2	

# Storing



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<code>FST mem32/mem64</code>	<code>mem32 &lt;- ST0</code>
<code>FST STi</code>	<code>STi &lt;- ST0 (i=0,1,...,7)</code>
<code>FIST mem16/mem32/mem64</code>	<code>mem32 &lt;- float2int(ST0)</code>
<code>FSTP dest</code> <code>FISTP dest</code>	<b>similar to FSTP and FISTP but also pops top of stack</b>

**Example:**

```
FST dword [11]
```

```
FST qword [12]
```

# Exchange



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`FXCH STi`

`ST0 <-> STi (i=0,1,...,7)`

# Math operations



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FADD	src	ST0 += src
FSUB	src	ST0 -= src
FMUL	src	ST0 *= src
FDIV	src	ST0 /= src
		<b>src: STi/mem32/mem64</b>

# Math operations



FADD	src	ST0 += src
FSUB	src	ST0 -= src
FMUL	src	ST0 *= src
FDIV	src	ST0 /= src
FSUBR	src	ST0 = src - ST0
FDIVR	src	ST0 = src / ST0
		<b>src: STi/mem32/mem64</b>

# Math operations



FADDP	STi	STi += ST0
FSUBP	STi	STi -= ST0
FMULP	STi	STi *= ST0
FDIVP	STi	STi /= ST0
FSUBRP	STi	STi = ST0 - STi
FDIVRP	STi	STi = ST0 / STi
		And pop top of stack STi: ST0, ST1, ... or ST7

# Math operations



FADDP FADDP	STi STi, ST0	STi += ST0
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FSUBRP FSUBRP	STi STi, ST0	STi = ST0 - STi
FDIVRP FDIVRP	STi STi, ST0	STi = ST0 / STi
		And pop top of stack

# Math operations



FADD	ST <sub>i</sub> , ST <sub>0</sub>	ST <sub>i</sub> += ST <sub>0</sub>
FSUB	ST <sub>i</sub> , ST <sub>0</sub>	ST <sub>i</sub> -= ST <sub>0</sub>
FMUL	ST <sub>i</sub> , ST <sub>0</sub>	ST <sub>i</sub> *= ST <sub>0</sub>
FDIV	ST <sub>i</sub> , ST <sub>0</sub>	ST <sub>i</sub> /= ST <sub>0</sub>
FSUBR	ST <sub>i</sub> , ST <sub>0</sub>	ST <sub>i</sub> = ST <sub>0</sub> - ST <sub>i</sub>
FDIVR	ST <sub>i</sub> , ST <sub>0</sub>	ST <sub>i</sub> = ST <sub>0</sub> / ST <sub>i</sub>
		ST <sub>i</sub> : ST <sub>0</sub> , ST <sub>1</sub> , ... or ST <sub>7</sub>



# Math operations



<b>FIADD</b> <b>src</b>	<b>ST0 += int2float(src)</b>
<b>FISUB</b> <b>src</b>	<b>ST0 -= int2float(src)</b>
<b>FIMUL</b> <b>src</b>	<b>ST0 *= int2float(src)</b>
<b>FIDIV</b> <b>src</b>	<b>ST0 /= int2float(src)</b>
<b>FISUBR</b> <b>src</b>	<b>ST0 = int2float(src) - ST0</b>
<b>FIDIVR</b> <b>src</b>	<b>ST0 = int2float(src) / ST0</b>
	<b>src: mem32/mem64</b>

# Example



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segment .data  
  
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fld dword [l1]           ; ST0 = [l1]  
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fadd ST1                ; ST0 += ST1  
  
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mov eax, [l1]  
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# Math operations



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FCFS	$ST0 = -ST0$
FABS	$ST0 =  ST0 $
FSQRT	$ST0 = \text{sqrt}(ST0)$
FSCALE	$ST0 *= 2^{\text{floor}(ST1)}$
FRNDINT	$ST0 = \text{round}(ST0)$ still floating point

# Math operations



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FSIN	<code>ST0 = sin(ST0)</code>
FCOS	<code>ST0 = cos(ST0)</code>
FSINCOS	<code>ST0 = cos(ST0)</code> <code>then ST0 &lt;- push sin(ST0)</code>

# x87 status register



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15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0
B	C <sub>3</sub>	TOP			C <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>1</sub>	C <sub>0</sub>	E <sub>S</sub>	S <sub>F</sub>	P <sub>E</sub>	U <sub>E</sub>	O <sub>E</sub>	Z <sub>E</sub>	D <sub>E</sub>	I <sub>E</sub>

<http://www.russinoff.com/libman/text/node48.html>

# Making comparisons



FCOM src	compare ST0, src src: mem32/mem64/STi
FCOMP src	like FCOM src AND pop top of stack
FCOMPP	Compare ST0, ST1 AND pop twice
FICOM mem16/mem32	compare ST0, int2float(src) src: mem32/mem64/STi
FTST	compare ST0, 0

# Making comparisons



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<code>FSTSW</code>	<code>mem16</code>	
<code>FSTSW</code>	<code>AX</code>	
<code>SASF</code>		<code>FLAGS &lt;- AX</code> <code>(not all bits)</code>
<code>LASF</code>		<code>AX &lt;- FLAGS</code> <code>(not all bits)</code>

# Making comparisons



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<b>FSTSW</b> <b>mem16</b>	
<b>FSTSW</b> <b>AX</b>	
<b>SASF</b>	<b>FLAGS</b> <- <b>AX</b> <b>(not all bits)</b>
<b>LASF</b>	<b>AX</b> <- <b>FLAGS</b> <b>(not all bits)</b>

**FSTSW AX**

**SASF**

**follows every comparison**



# Directly setting EFLAGS



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<code>FCOMI      STi</code>	<code>compare ST0, STi</code> <code>sets EFLAGS</code>
<code>FCOMIP     STi</code>	<code>FCOMI      STi</code> <code>pops top of stack</code>

# Practice: roots of a quadric



```
extern printf
segment .data
a: dq 1.0
b: dq -3.0
c: dq 2.0
minus4: dq -4.0
temp: dq 0.0
format: db "%f", 10, 0
no_roots_msg: db "No real roots", 10, 0

segment .text
:
```

# Practice: roots of a quadric



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quadroots.asm

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segment .text
:
fld qword [b]
fld qword [b]
fmulp ST1
```

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fld qword [c]
fld qword [minus4]
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```

```
extern printf
```

```
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```

```
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```

```
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```

```
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```
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```
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```

```
fld qword [b]
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```
fmulp ST1
```

```
fld qword [a]
```

```
fld qword [c]
```

```
fld qword [minus4]
```

```
fmulp ST1
```

```
fmulp ST1
```

```
faddp ST1
```

```
fldz
```

```
fcomip ST1
```

```
ja no_roots
```

```
quadroots.asm
```



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    fld qword [c]
    fld qword [minus4]
    fmulp ST1
    fmulp ST1
    faddp ST1

    fldz
    fcomip ST1
    ja    no_roots

```

```

fsqrt

fld st0
fld qword [b]
faddp st1
fchs

fld qword [a]
fld1
fld1
faddp
fmulp
fdivp ST1      ; ST1 /= ST0

; print st0
fst qword [temp]
push dword [temp+4]
push dword [temp]
push format
call printf
add esp, 12

fcomp

```

```

fld qword [b]
fchs
faddp

fld qword [a]
fld1
fld1
faddp
fmulp

fdivp ST1      ; ST1 /= ST0

; print st0
fst qword [temp]
push dword [temp+4]
push dword [temp]
push format
call printf
add esp, 12

jmp endl

no_roots:
    mov eax, no_roots_msg
    call print_string

endl:

```

quadroots.asm

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format: db "%f", 10, 0
no_roots_msg: db "No real
segment .text
:
fld qword [b]
fld qword [b]
fmulp ST1

fld qword [a]
fld qword [c]
fld qword [minus4]
fmulp ST1
fmulp ST1
faddp ST1

fldz
fcomip ST1
ja no_roots
```

```
fsqrt
fld st0
fld qword [b]
faddp st1
fchs

fld qword [a]
```

```
fld qword [b]
fchs
faddp

fld qword [a]
fld1
fld1
faddp
fmulp
```

This code is inefficient!  
Go through the code and make it  
more efficient.

```
push qword [temp]
push format
call printf
add esp, 12

fcomp
```

```
; ST1 /= ST0

[temp]
d [temp+4]
d [temp]
at

add esp, 12

jmp endl

no_roots:
mov eax, no_roots_msg
call print_string

endl:
```