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DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS & COMMUNICATION ENGINEERING MICROPROCESSORS AND MICROCONTROLLERS

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UNIT 1 – 8085 AND 8086 ARCHITECTURE

TOPIC – Introduction to 8085 Architecture





- 8085 is an 8-bit microprocessor as it operates on 8 bits at a time and is created with N-MOS technology.
- Basically, 8085 was the first commercially successful microprocessor by Intel. As some of the architectural drawbacks associated with 8080 was also eliminated by 8085.
- The size of the data bus of 8085 is 8 bits while that of the address bus is 16. Therefore, can address 64 KB (i.e., **2**¹⁶) memory. Also, as it can perform 8-bit operation thus the size of ALU is also 8-bit.



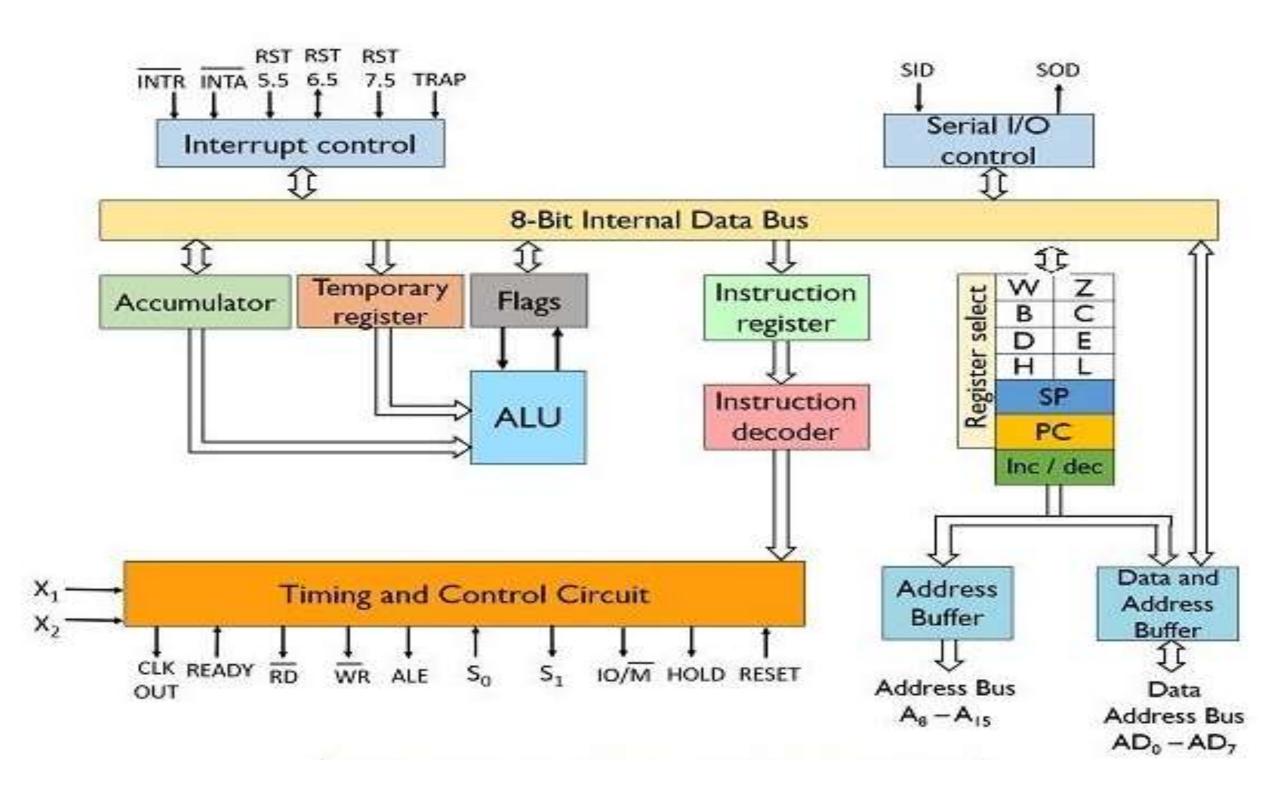


8085 Architecture can perform operations that are given below:

- Operates on and stores 8-bit data.
- It executes arithmetic and logic operations.
- 8085 also sequences the instructions to be executed.
- Stores data temporarily.
- However, in order to perform all such operations, the processor needs a control unit, arithmetic logic unit, registers, buses etc.







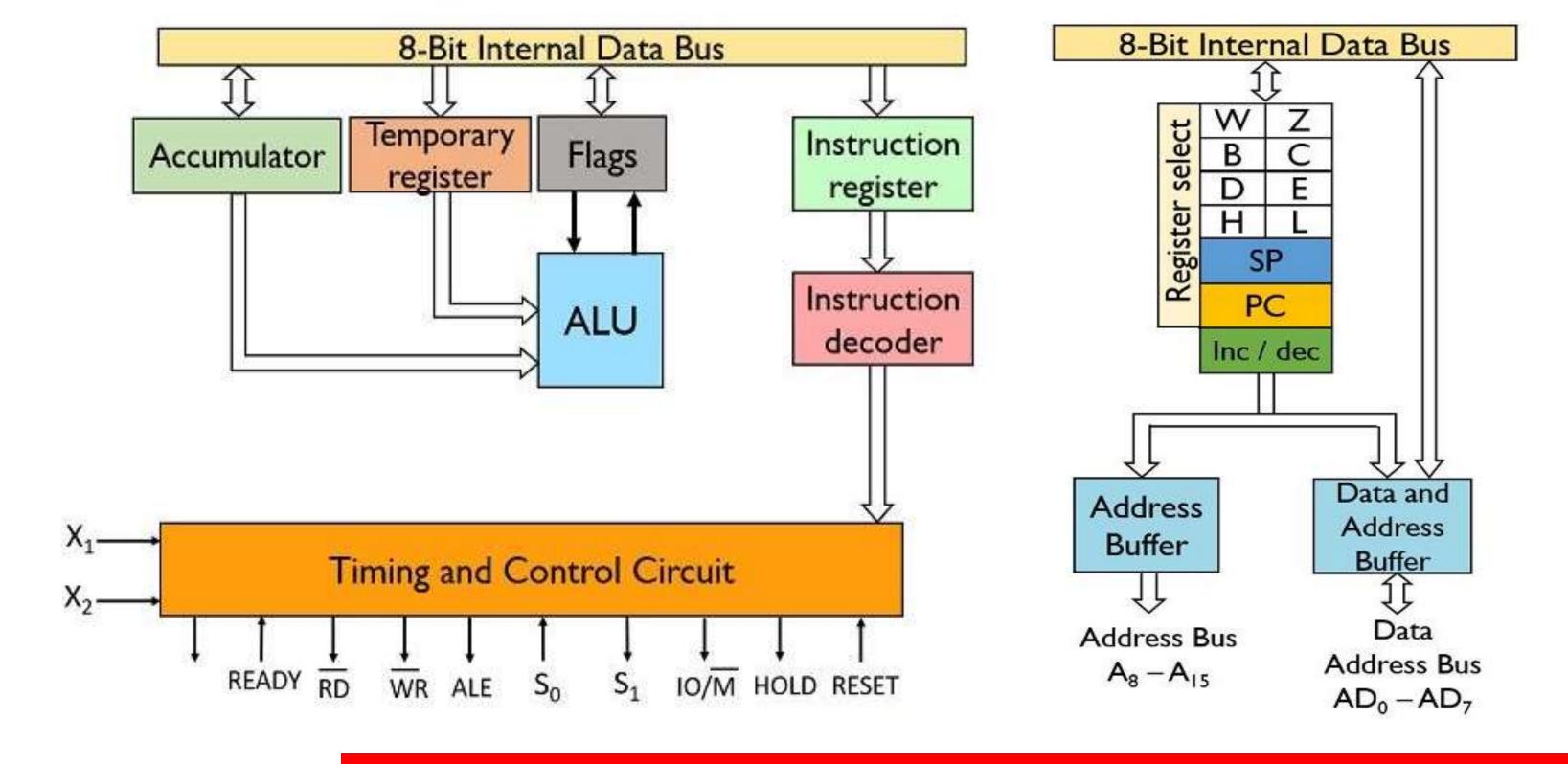




- Arithmetic and Logic Unit (ALU): It is used to perform mathematical operations like: addition, multiplication, subtraction, division, decrement, increment, etc.
- **Flag Register**: It is an 8-bit register that stores either 0 or 1 depending upon which value is stored in the accumulator.
- **Accumulator**: Accumulator is used to perform I/O, arithmetic and logical operations. It is connected to ALU and internal data bus.











- **General Purpose Registers**: There are 6 general purpose registers. These registers can hold 8 bit values. These 8-bit registers are B,C,D,E,H,L. These registers work as 16-bit registers when they work in pair like: B-C, D-E, H-L.
- **Program Counter:** Program Counter holds the address value of the memory to the next instruction that is to be executed. It is a 16-bit register.
- **Stack Pointer:** It works like stack. In stack ,the content of register is stored that is later used in the program. It is a 16-bit special register.





- **Temporary Register**: It is a 8-bit register that holds data values during arithmetic and logical operations.
- **Instruction register and decoder :** It is a 8-bit register that holds the instruction code that is being decoded. The instruction is fetched from the memory.
- **Timing and control unit**: The timing and control unit comes under the CPU section, and it controls the flow of data from CPU to other devices.





- It is also used to control the operations performed by the microprocessor and the devices connected to it. There are certain timing and control signals like: Control signals, DMA Signals, RESET signals, Status Signal.
- **Interrupt control**: Whenever a microprocessor is executing a main program and if suddenly an interrupt occurs, the microprocessor shifts the control from the main program to process the incoming request.
- After the request is completed, the control goes back to the main program.





- There are 5 interrupt signals in 8085 microprocessors: INTR, TRAP, RST 7.5, RST 6.5, RST 5.5
- Address bus and data bus: Data bus is bidirectional and carries the data which is to be stored.
- Address bus is unidirectional and carries location where data is to be stored.
- **Serial Input/output control**: It controls the serial data communication by using Serial input data and Serial output data.



ASSESSMENT



- 1. Define accumulator.
- 2. List the temporary registers in 8085 architecture.
- 3. ------ holds the address value of the memory to the next instruction that is to be executed.
- 4. Mention the timing and control signals in 8085 architecture.
- 5. There are 5 interrupt signals in 8085 microprocessors. They are ------
- 6. What is meant by address bus and data bus?





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