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; Factorial program
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; This is an example program in 8086 Assembly
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; This instruction defines the memory model that MASM or TASM use
.model small

; Define the stack size. This instruction initializes the SP.
.stack 100h

; Variables & other definitions section
.data
N      dw 7          ; this is the input parameter
arg    dw 10         ; this is the output base for printax
zero   dw 0

; This is the program itself
.code
start:  mov ax,@data   ; Since the .data instruction doesn't initialize
        mov ds,ax     ; the ds register we have to do it manually

        mov bx,[N]    ; move our ds parameter to the input register
        call factorial ; compute
        call printax  ; print the result

        mov ax,4c00h  ; This is the program terminator
        int 21h       ; just like putting "return 0" in C

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; Procedure definitions
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; Procedure name: factorial - recursively compute BX!
; Input:          BX - the number to compute factorial of
; Output:         DXAX - BX!
; =====
factorial proc near
        cmp bx,1      ; halt condition
        jg re_call   ; if not - do recursion
        mov ax,1     ; initialization
        jmp done
re_call: push bx      ; put parameter in stack
        dec bx       ; N=N-1
        call factorial ; recursive call
        pop bx       ; get parameter from stack
        mul bx       ; compute F(N)=F(N-1)*N
done:   ret
factorial endp

; =====
; Procedure name: printax - print AX register in base arg
; Input:          AX - the number to be printed
;                arg - output base [2-10]
; Output:         None
; =====
printax proc near

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    mov si,0           ; si will count the num of digits
again4: mov dx,0
    div arg           ; AX/arg-> remainder is in DX
    add dx,30h       ; convert value to ASCII: 0-9 => "0"-"9"
    push dx          ; Store in stack
    inc si
    cmp zero,ax      ; if the quotient is 0, we are finished
    mov cx,2         ; make sure the loop doesn't finish because
                    ; CX=0

    loopnz again4

    ; Move down to next line - Carriage Return + Line Feed
    mov cx,si        ; CX will count the result's digits

    mov al,10        ; Print CR + LF
    call printch
    mov al,13
    call printch

again5: pop ax        ; get result from stack and print it
    call printch
    loop again5

    ret
printax endp

; =====
; Procedure name: printch - Print a char to console
; Input:          AL - the char's ASCII code
; Output:         None
; =====
printch proc near
    mov bx,0         ; No color definitions
    mov ah,0Eh      ; Print char to TTY function code
    int 10h         ; Call
    ret
printch endp

; End of program
end start

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