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Interrupt Process

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If interrupt event occurs AND interrupt flag for that event is enabled, AND interrupts are enabled, then:

1. Current PC is pushed on stack.
2. Program execution continues at the interrupt vector address for that interrupt.
3. When a RETI instruction is encountered, the PC is popped from the stack and program execution resumes where it left off.



Interrupt Priorities



- What if **two** interrupt sources interrupt at the **same time**?
- The interrupt with the highest **PRIORITY** gets serviced first.
- All interrupts have a default priority order.
- Priority can also be set to “high” or “low”.



Interrupt SFRs



Figure 12.9. IE: Interrupt Enable

R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	R/W	Reset Value
EA	IEGF0	ET2	ES0	ET1	EX1	ET0	EX0	00000000
Bit7	Bit6	Bit5	Bit4	Bit3	Bit2	Bit1	Bit0	SFR Address: (bit addressable) 0xA8



Interrupt Vectors



Each interrupt has a **specific** place in code memory where program execution (interrupt service routine) begins.

External Interrupt 0:	0003h
Timer 0 overflow:	000Bh
External Interrupt 1:	0013h
Timer 1 overflow:	001Bh
Serial :	0023h
Timer 2 overflow (8052+)	002bh

**Note: that there are
only 8 memory
locations between
vectors.**



Example Interrupt Service Routine

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;EX7 ISR to blink the LED 5 times.  
;Modifies R0, R5-R7, bank 3.  
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ISRBLK:    push PSW           ; save state of status word  
                mov PSW,#18h   ;select register bank 3  
                mov R0, #10     ;initialize counter  
Loop2:      mov R7, #02h   ;delay a while  
Loop1:      mov R6, #00h  
Loop0:      mov R5, #00h  
                djnz R5, $  
                djnz R6, Loop0  
                djnz R7, Loop1  
                cpl P1.6       ;complement LED value  
                djnz R0, Loop2  ;go on then off 10 times  
                pop PSW  
                reti
```