

# Lecture 8: Interprocedural Analysis

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# How do we analyze these programs?

Data-Flow Analysis

# Approach #1: Analyze functions independently

- Pretend function  $f()$  cannot see the source of function  $g()$
- Simulates separate compilation and dynamic linking (e.g. C, Java)
- Create CFG for each function body and run **intraprocedural** analysis
- **Q:** What should  $\sigma_0$  and  $f_Z[x := g(y)]$  and  $f_Z[\text{return } x]$  be for zero analysis?

$$\sigma_0 =$$

$$f[x := g(y)](\sigma) =$$

$$f[\text{return } x](\sigma) =$$

# Can we show that division on line 2 is safe?

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# Approach #2: User-defined Annotations

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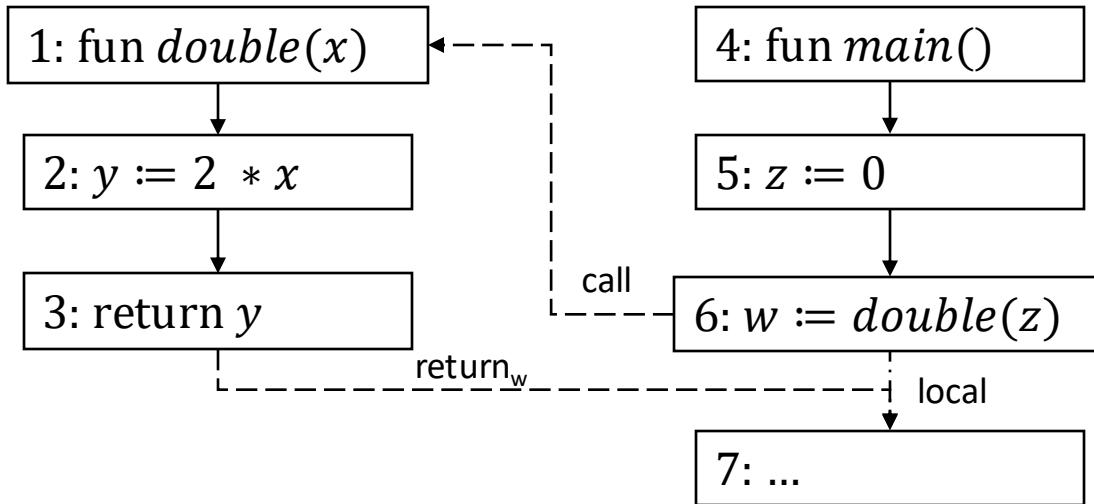
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@Any -> @NonZero

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3 :   return y Error!
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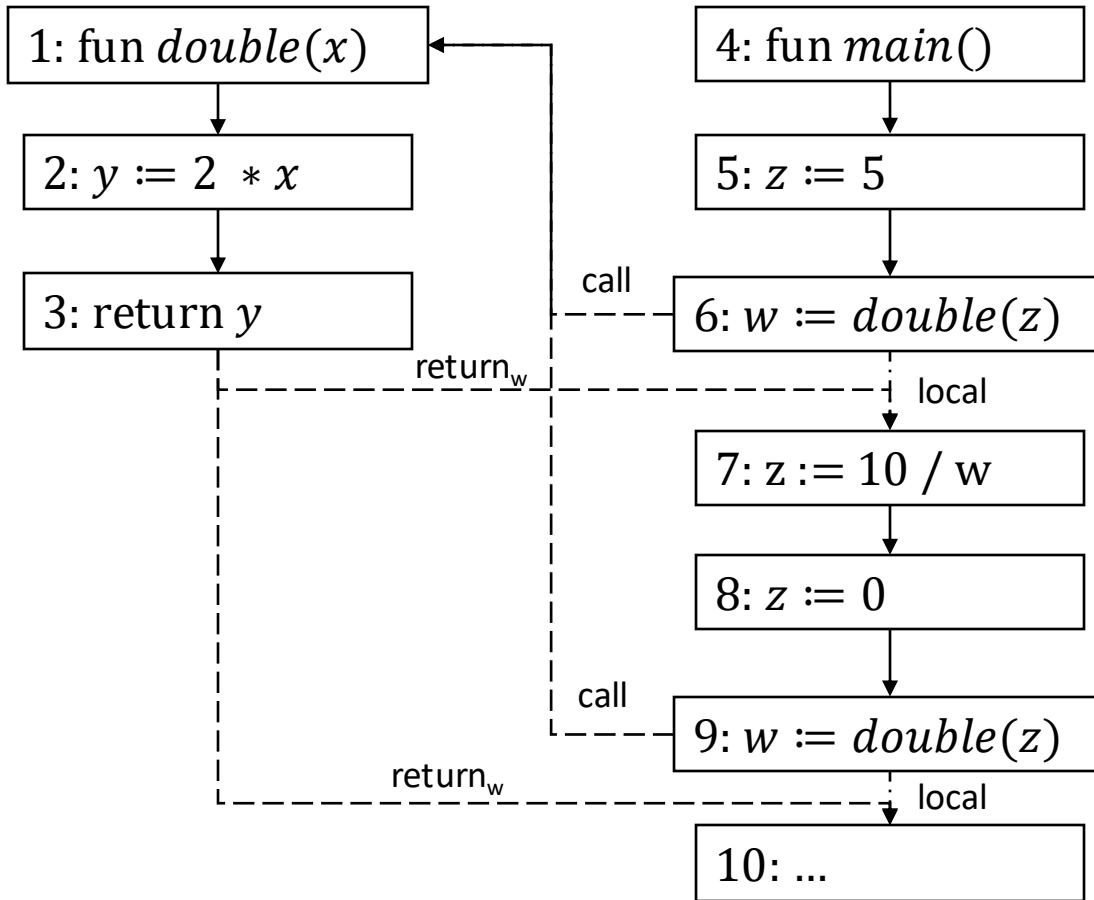
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**Exercise:** What would be the result of zero analysis for this program at line 7 and at the end (after line 9)?

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# Problems with Interprocedural CFG

- Merges (joins) information across call sites to same function
- Loses precision
- Models infeasible paths (call from one site and return to another)
- Can we “remember” where to return data-flow values?