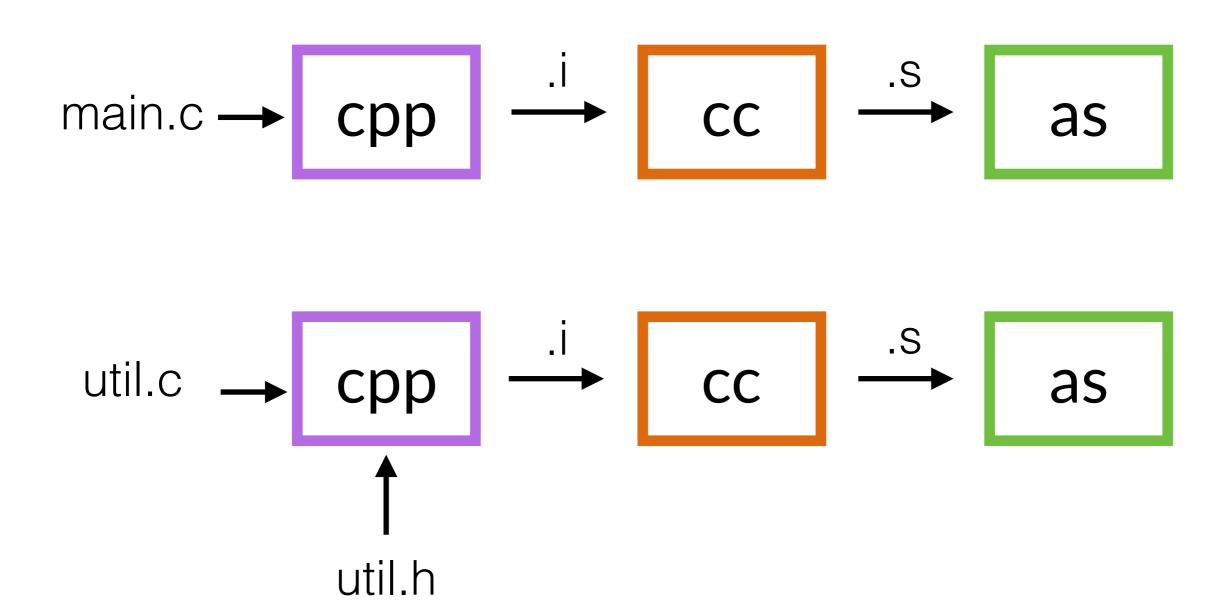
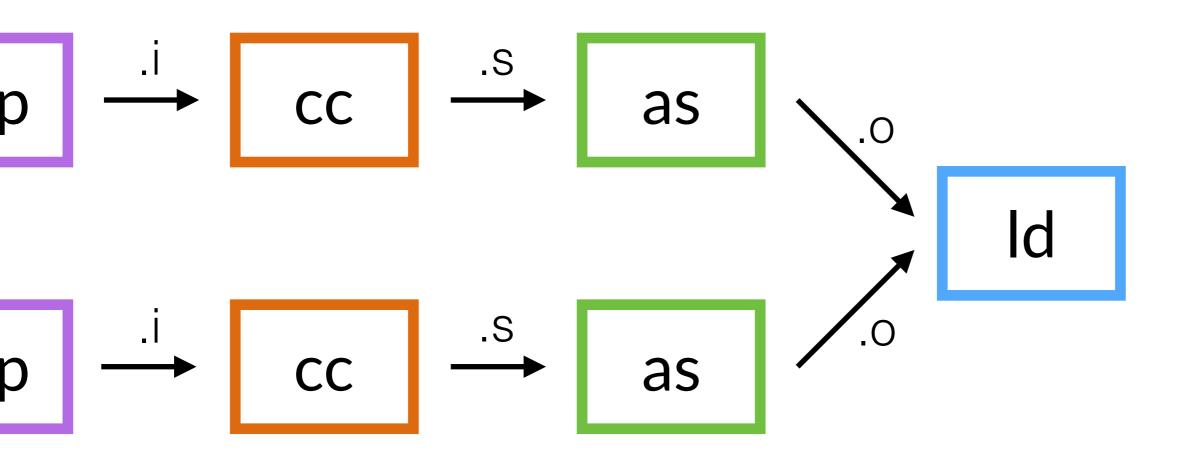
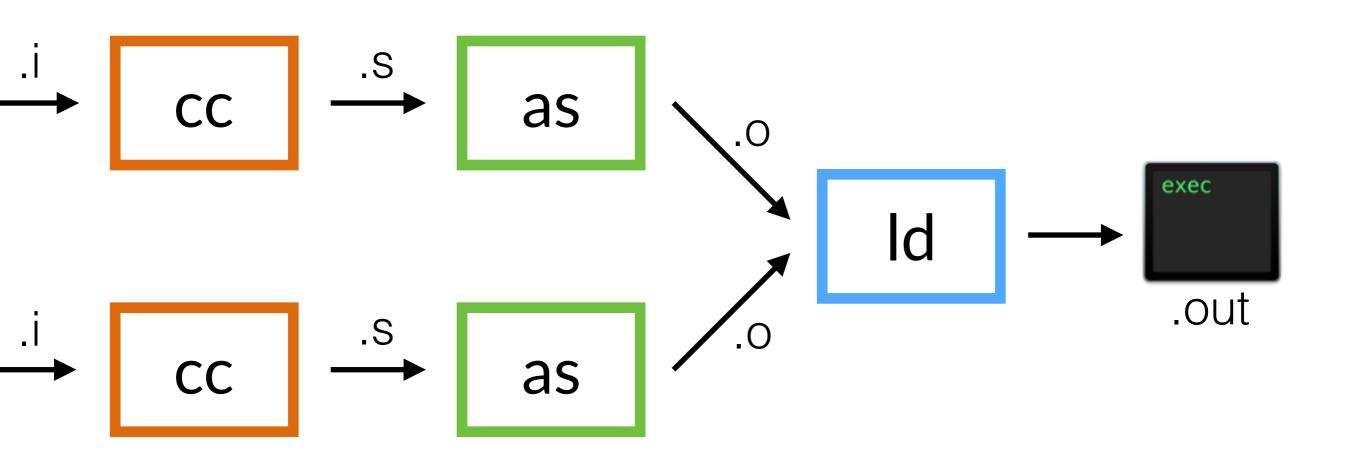
The Trying Journey of the C Program

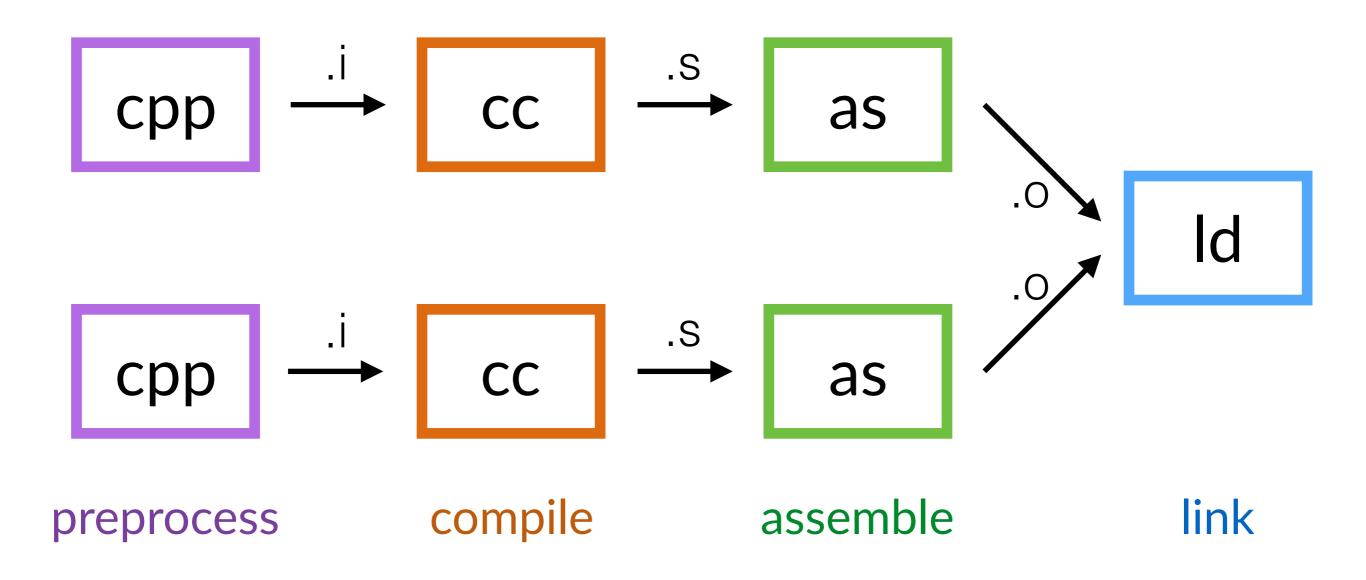
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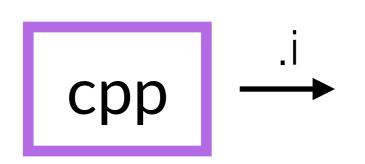




let's see!

What's going on? "gcc -E"

Do something useful with comments!



preprocess

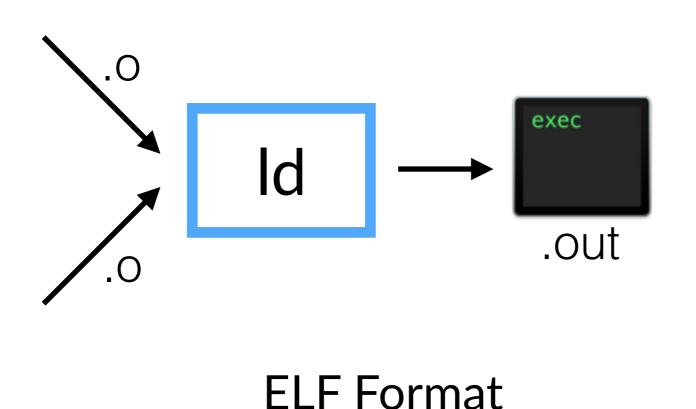
Macros: #define

Header Files: #include

Conditionals: #ifdef, #ifndef, #if

let's see!

What's going on? "blink.o vs. blink.exe"



Linking view

Execution view

Program header table (optional)

Section 1

Section n

Section header table

Program header table

Segment 1

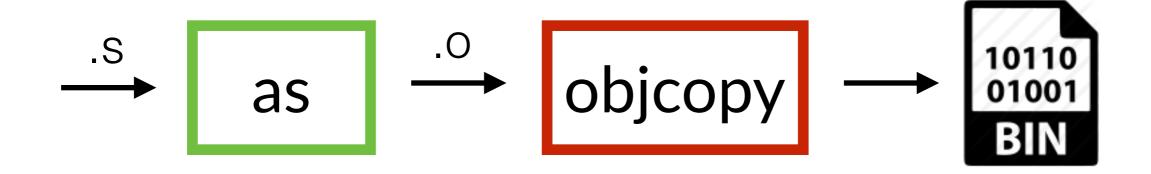
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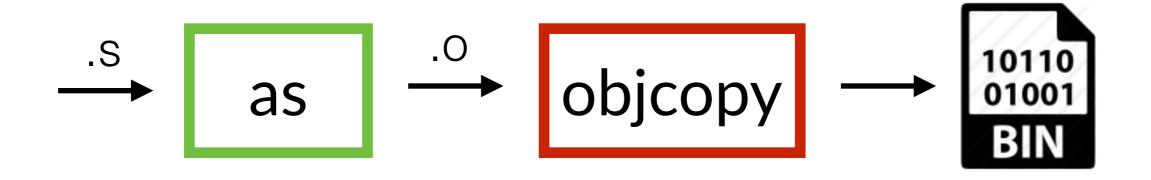
Section header table (optional)

let's see!

What's going on? "objcopy -O binary"



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#define ELF_MAGIC 0x464C457FU
struct Elf {
    uint32_t e_magic; // ELF_MAGIC
    uint8_t e_elf[12];
    uint16_t e_type; // exec, reloc, etc.
    uint16_t e_machine; // machine type
    ...
    uint32_t e_shoff; // offset to sh
    ...
    uint16_t e_shstrndx; // sh str index
};

struct Secthdr {
    uint32_t sh_name; // sh str offset
    uint32_t sh_type; // progbits, etc.
    ...
    uint32_t sh_offset; // file offset
    uint32_t sh_size;
    ...
};
```

let's write it!