

Module 04: CS-1319-1: Programming Language Design and Implementation (PLDI)

Run-time Environments

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- Understand the Run-Time Environment for Program Execution
- Understand Symbol Tables, Activation Records (Stack Frames) and interrelationships
- Understand Binding, Layout and Scopes

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Storage Organization

Dragon Book: Pages 427-430 (Storage Organization)

Typical sub-division of run-time memory into code and data areas with the corresponding bindings

Memory Segment		Bound Items
<i>Text</i>		<i>Program Code</i>
<i>Const</i>		<i>Program Constants</i>
<i>Static</i>		<i>Global & Non-Local Static</i>
<i>Heap</i>		<i>Dynamic</i>
...		
Heap grows downwards here ...		
...		
Free Memory		
...		
Stack grows upwards here ...		
...		
<i>Stack</i>		<i>Automatic</i>

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Function Call in Execution

Symbol Table \Rightarrow Activation Record

Dragon Book: Pages 430-438 (Stack Allocation of Space)

Dragon Book: Pages 363-369 (Three Address Codes)

Dragon Book: Pages 33-35 (Parameter Passing Mechanism)

Evaluation strategy, Wikipedia

Examples by PPD

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```
int fibo(int n)
{
    if (n < 2)
        return n;
    else
        return
            fibo(n-1)+
            fibo(n-2);
}
```

```
int main()
{
    int m = 10;
    int f = 0;

    f = fibo(m);

    return 0;
}
```

```
fibo:    t1 = 2
        if (n < t1) goto L100
        goto L101
L100:    return n
        goto L102
L101:    t2 = 1
        t3 = n - t2
        param t3
        t4 = call fibo,1
        t5 = 2
        t6 = n - t5
        param t6
        t7 = call fibo, 1
        t8 = t4 + t7
        return t8
        goto L102
L102:    goto L102

main:    param m
        t1 = call fibo, 1;
        f = t1;
```

Activation Tree / Call Graph – Fibo

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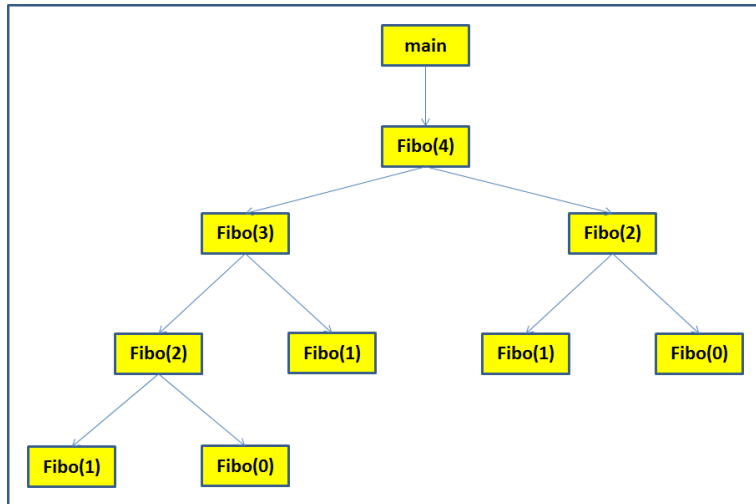
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Activation Records in Action on Stack – Fibo

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AR of main()	
Prm	
RV	...
Lnk	crtmain()

AR of fibo(4)	
Prm	4
RV	...
Lnk	main()

AR of fibo(3)	
Prm	3
RV	...
Lnk	fibo(4)

AR of fibo(2)	
Prm	2
RV	...
Lnk	fibo(3)

AR of fibo(1)	
Prm	1
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Prm	0
RV	...
Lnk	fibo(2)

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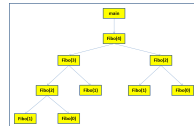
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Example: main() & add(): Source & TAC

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int add(int x, int y) {
    int z;
    z = x + y;
    return z;
}

void main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    int a, b, c;
    a = 2;
    b = 3;
    c = add(a, b);
    return;
}
```

```
add:    t1 = x + y
        z = t1
        return z

main:   t1 = 2
        a = t1
        t2 = 3
        b = t2
        param a
        param b
        c = call add, 2
        return
```

<i>ST.glb</i>		<i>Parent = None</i>		
add	int × int → int			
	func	0	0	
main	int × array(*, char*) → void			
	func	0	0	

<i>ST.add()</i>		<i>Parent = ST.glb</i>		
y	int	param	4	+8
x	int	param	4	+4
z	int	local	4	0
t1	int	temp	4	-4

<i>ST.main()</i>		<i>Parent = ST.glb</i>		
argv	array(*, char*)			
	param	4	+8	
argc	int	param	4	+4
a	int	local	4	0
b	int	local	4	-4
c	int	local	4	-8
t1	int	temp	4	-12
t2	int	temp	4	-16

Columns: Name, Type, Category, Size, & Offset



Example of Symbol Tables

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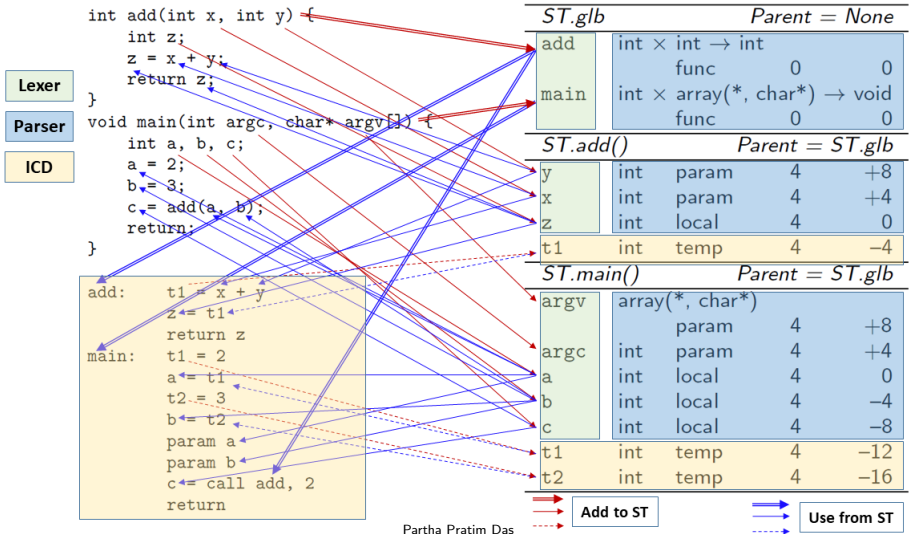
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main() & add(): Peep-hole Optimized

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    c = add(a, b);
    return;
}
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        return z

main:   a = 2
        b = 3
        param a
        param b
        c = call add, 2
        return
```

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y	int param	4	+8	
x	int param	4	+4	
z	int local	4	0	

<i>ST.main()</i>		<i>Parent = ST.glb</i>		
argv	array(*, char*)			
	param	4	+8	
argc	int param	4	+4	
a	int local	4	0	
b	int local	4	-4	
c	int local	4	-8	

Columns: Name, Type, Category, Size, & Offset

Actual Params	The actual parameters used by the calling procedure (often placed in registers for greater efficiency).
Returned Values	Space for the return value of the called function (often placed in a register for efficiency). Not needed for <code>void</code> type.
Return Address	The return address (value of the program counter, to which the called procedure must return).
Control Link	A control link, pointing to the activation record of the caller.
Access Link	An "access link" to locate data needed by the called procedure but found elsewhere, e.g., in another activation record.
Saved Machine Status	A saved machine status (state) just before the call to the procedure. This information typically includes the contents of registers that were used by the calling procedure and that must be restored when the return occurs.
Local Data	Local data belonging to the procedure.
Temporary Variables	Temporary values arising from the evaluation of expressions (in cases where those temporaries cannot be held in registers).

- **Calling Sequences:**

Consists of code that allocates an activation record on the stack and enters information into its fields.

The code in a calling sequence is divided between

- The calling procedure (the "caller") and
- The procedure it calls (the "callee").

- **Return Sequence:**

Restores the state of the machine so the calling procedure can continue its execution after the call.

Calling & Return Sequences

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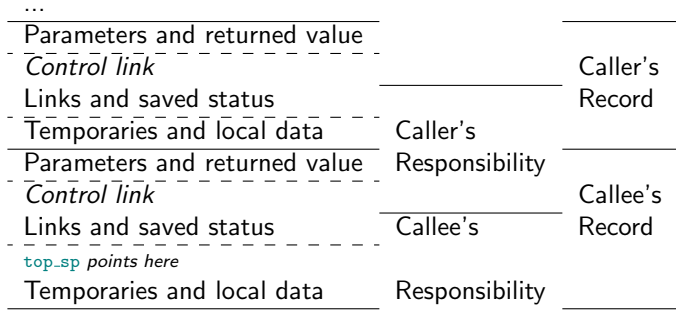
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Calling & Return Sequences: Calling Sequences

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The calling sequence and its division between caller and callee:

- **Caller's Responsibility**
 - The caller evaluates the actual parameters.
 - The caller stores a return address and the old value of `top_sp` into the callee's activation record. The caller then increments `top_sp` to the position shown – just past the caller's local data and temporaries and the callee's parameters and status fields.
- **Callee's Responsibility: Function Prologue**
 - The callee saves the register values and other status information.
 - The callee initializes its local data and begins execution.

Calling & Return Sequences: Return Sequence

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A suitable, corresponding return sequence is:

- **Callee's Responsibility: Function Epilogue**
 - The callee places the return value next to the parameters.
 - Using information in the machine-status field, the callee restores `top_sp` and other registers, and then branches to the return address that the caller placed in the status field.
- **Caller's Responsibility**
 - Although `top_sp` has been decremented, the caller knows where the return value is, relative to the current value of `top_sp`; the caller therefore may use that value.

Symbol Table to Activation Record: Functions

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Symbol Table 3-Address Code <i>Compile Time</i>	Activation Record Target Code <i>Run Time</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parameters Local Variables Temporary Nested Block <p>Nested blocks are flattened out in the Symbol Table of the Function they are contained in so that all local and temporary variables of the nested blocks are allocated in the activation record of the function.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Variables <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parameters Local Variables Temporary Non-Local References Stack Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Return Address Return Value Saved Machine Status Call-Return Protocol

Understanding Assembly: Registers of x86

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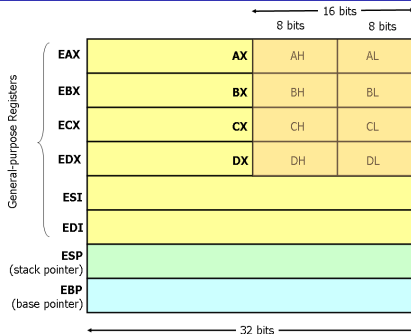
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Register	Purpose	Remarks
EAX, EBX, ECX, EDX	General Purpose	Available in 32-, 16-, and 8-bits
ESI	Extended Source Index	General Purpose Index Register
EDI	Extended Destination Index	General Purpose Index Register
ESP	Extended Stack Pointer	Current Stack Pointer
EBP	Extended Base Pointer	Pointer to Stack Frame
EIP	Extended Instruction Pointer	Pointer to Instruction under Execution

Source: [x86 instruction set](#) and [x86 Assembly Guide](#)

Understanding Assembly: Notation and Conventions

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- **Memory segment:** `SEGMENT` – `TEXT` / `DATA` / `CONST`: Text or Program / Data / Constant
- **External Symbols:** `EXTERN`: Symbols not defined in the current file
- **Data Declarations:** `DB`: Byte; `DW`: Word (2 bytes); `DD`: Double Word (4 bytes)
- **Pointer Declarations (Address of:** `BYTE PTR`: Byte; `WORD PTR`: Word; `DWORD PTR`: Double word
- **8 Registers (General Purpose):** `eax`, `ebx`, `ecx`, `edx`, `esi`, `edi`, `ebp` (base pointer), `esp` (stack pointer)
- **Address Computation** by `[]`: Content of an address – de-referencing. For example, if `ebp = 100`, then `[ebp+8]` is the value stored in location 108. Also, `a[i] = i[a] = [a + i]`
- **Addressing Modes:** Implied (`EFLAGS` for `cmp` or `jle`) – Stack (`esp`); Immediate (`2`); Register (`eax`); Register Indirect (`-12[eax]`); Direct / Absolute / Memory (`023D0016H`); Indexed (`[esi + 08]`);
- **Arithmetic & Logical:** `mov a, b`: `a = b`; `add a, b`: `a += b`; `sub`; `imul`; `idiv`; `neg`; `and`; `or`; `xor`; `not`
- **Load Effective Address:** `lea a, [b + c * d]`: `a = b + c * d`
- **memset in assembly:** `rep stosd`: Stores the contents of `eax` for `ecx` number of times into where `edi` points to – increment (decrement) `edi` (depending on the direction flag) by 4 bytes each time
- **Jump <label>:** **Unconditional:** `jmp`. **Conditional:** `je` (`==`); `jne` (`!=`); `jz` (`==0`); `jg` (`>`); `jge` (`>=`); `j1` (`<`); `jle` (`<=`): Based on `EFLAGS` set by `cmp a, b` – `EFLAGS` (bit 6 for 0; bit 7 for <0)
- **Hardwired Stack:** Managed by `esp` with `push` & `pop` operations. Stack grows from higher to lower memory address. Hence, `push` (`pop`) decrements (increments) `esp`
- **Assembly Functions:** `call <label>`: Jump to `<label>` storing **return address** on stack. `ret`: Return by indirect jump to **return address** when done.
- **Stack Frame:** A function has a frame for params / locals – variables are offset from `ebp` (base)

main(): x86 Assembly (MSVC++, 32-bit)

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```

PUBLIC      _main
EXTRN      __RTC_CheckEsp:PROC
; Function compile flags: /Odtp /RTCsu
_TEXT      SEGMENT ; Symbol Offsets
_c$ = -12      ; size = 4
_b$ = -8       ; size = 4
_a$ = -4       ; size = 4
_argc$ = 8     ; size = 4
_argv$ = 12    ; size = 4
_main      PROC ; Code Starts
; 6      : void main(int argc, char *argv[]) {
; Prologue Starts
        push    ebp
        mov     ebp, esp
        sub     esp, 12 ; 0000000cH
        mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-12], 0xffffffffcH
        mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-8], 0xffffffffcH
        mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-4], 0xffffffffcH
; Prologue Ends - Function Body Starts
; 7      :     int a, b, c;
; 8      :     a = 2;
        mov     DWORD PTR _a$[ebp], 2
; 9      :     b = 3;
        mov     DWORD PTR _b$[ebp], 3

```

```

; 10     :     c = add(a, b);
        mov     eax, DWORD PTR _b$[ebp]
        push    eax
        mov     ecx, DWORD PTR _a$[ebp]
        push    ecx
        call    _add
        add     esp, 8 ; pop params
        mov     DWORD PTR _c$[ebp], eax
; 11     :     return;
; 12     : }
; Function Body Ends - Epilogue Starts
        xor     eax, eax
        add     esp, 12 ; 0000000cH
        cmp     ebp, esp
        call    __RTC_CheckEsp
        mov     esp, ebp
        pop     ebp
; Epilogue Ends
        ret     0
_main     ENDP ; Code Ends
_TEXT     ENDS

● No Edit + Continue
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```

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```

PUBLIC      _add
EXTRN      __RTC_Shutdown:PROC
EXTRN      __RTC_InitBase:PROC
; Function compile flags: /Odtp /RTCsu
rtc$IMZ     ENDS
_TEXT      SEGMENT ; Symbol Offsets
_z$ = -4      ; size = 4
_x$ = 8      ; size = 4
_y$ = 12     ; size = 4
_add       PROC ; Code Starts
; 1      : int add(int x, int y) {
; Prologue Starts
        push    ebp
        mov     ebp, esp
        push    ecx
        mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-4], 0ccccccccH
; Prologue Ends - Function Body Starts
; 2      :      int z;
; 3      :      z = x + y;
        mov     eax, DWORD PTR _x$[ebp]
        add     eax, DWORD PTR _y$[ebp]
        mov     DWORD PTR _z$[ebp], eax

```

```

; 4      :      return z;
        mov     eax, DWORD PTR _z$[ebp]

; 5      : }
; Function Body Ends - Epilogue Starts
        mov     esp, ebp
        pop     ebp
; Epilogue Ends
        ret     0
_add      ENDP ; Code Ends
_TEXT     ENDS

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ARs of main() and add(): Compiled Code

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ST & AR of main()

argv	array(*, char*)		
		prm	+8
argc	int(4)	prm	+4
a	int(4)	lcl	0
b	int(4)	lcl	-4
c	int(4)	lcl	-8

1012	-12	c
1016	-8	b=3
1020	-4	a=2
1024		ebp
1028		RA
1032	+8	argc
1036	+12	argv

ebp = 1024

ST & AR of add()

y	int(4)	prm	+8
x	int(4)	prm	+4
z	int(4)	lcl	0

992	-4	z=5
996		ebp=1024
1000		RA
1004	+8	ecx=2: x
1008	+12	eax=3: y

ebp=996

Code in Execution: main(): Start Address: 0x00

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Loc.	Code	esp	ebp	eax	ecx	Stack / Reg.	Value
	; _a\$=-4 ; _b\$=-8 ; _c\$=-12	1028	?	?	?		
0x00	push ebp	1024				[1024] =	ebp
0x01	mov ebp, esp		1024				
0x03	sub esp, 12 ; 0x0000000c	1012					
0x06	mov DWORD PTR [ebp-12], 0xffffffff ;#fill					c = [1012] =	#fill
0x0d	mov DWORD PTR [ebp-8], 0xffffffff ;#fill					b = [1016] =	#fill
0x14	mov DWORD PTR [ebp-4], 0xffffffff ;#fill					a = [1020] =	#fill
0x1b	mov DWORD PTR _a\$[ebp], 2					a = [1020] =	2
0x22	mov DWORD PTR _b\$[ebp], 3					b = [1016] =	3
0x29	mov eax, DWORD PTR _b\$[ebp]			3		eax =	[1016] = 3
0x2c	push eax	1008				y = [1008] =	eax = 3
0x2d	mov ecx, DWORD PTR _a\$[ebp]				2	ecx =	[1020] = 2
0x30	push ecx	1004				x = [1004] =	ecx = 2
0x31	call _add	1000				RA = [1000] = epi = _add (0x50)	epi = 0x36

Code in Execution: add(): Start Address: 0x50

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Loc.	Code	esp	ebp	eax	ecx	Stack/Reg.	Value
	;_x\$=8 ;_y\$=12 ;_z\$=-4	1000	1024	3	2		
0x50	push ebp	996				[996] =	ebp = 1024
0x51	mov ebp, esp		996				
0x53	push ecx	992					
0x54	mov DWORD PTR [ebp-4], 0xc0000000H ;#fill					z = [992] =	#fill
0x5b	mov eax, DWORD PTR _x\$[ebp]			2		eax =	x = [1004] = 2
0x5e	add eax, DWORD PTR _y\$[ebp]			5		eax =	eax+=y= ([1008]=3)
0x61	mov DWORD PTR _z\$[ebp], eax					z = [992] =	eax = 5
0x64	mov eax, DWORD PTR _z\$[ebp]			5		eax =	z = [992] = 5
0x67	mov esp, ebp	996					
0x69	pop ebp	1000	1024			ebp =	[1024]
0x6a	ret 0	1004				epi =	[1000] = 0x36

Code in Execution: main(): Start Address: 0x36

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	; On return	1004		5	2	epi =	[1000]
0x36	add esp, 8	1012					
0x39	mov DWORD PTR _c\$[ebp], eax					c = [1012] =	eax = 5
0x3c	xor eax, eax			0		eax =	0
0x3e	add esp, 12 ; 0x0000000c	1024					
0x41	cmp ebp, esp					status = ?	
0x43	call _RTC_CheckEsp	1020				[1020] =	epi = 0x48
0x48	mov esp, ebp	1024					
0x4a	pop ebp	1028	?			ebp =	[1024]
0x4b	ret 0	1032					

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```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
int add(int x, int y) {  
    int z;  
    z = x + y;  
    return z;  
}
```

```
void main() {  
    int a, b, c;  
  
    scanf("%d%d", &a, &b);  
    c = add(a, b);  
    printf("%d\n", c);  
    return;  
}
```

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PUBLIC      _add
EXTRN      __RTC_Shutdown:PROC
EXTRN      __RTC_InitBase:PROC
; Function compile flags: /Odtp /RTCsu
_TEXT      SEGMENT
_z$ = -4      ; size = 4
_x$ = 8      ; size = 4
_y$ = 12     ; size = 4
_add       PROC

; 3      : int add(int x, int y) {
        push    ebp
        mov     ebp, esp
        push    ecx
        mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-4], 0xffffffffH

; 4      :     int z;
; 5      :     z = x + y;
        mov     eax, DWORD PTR _x$[ebp]
        add     eax, DWORD PTR _y$[ebp]
        mov     DWORD PTR _z$[ebp], eax

```

```

; 6      :     return z;
        mov     eax, DWORD PTR _z$[ebp]

; 7      : }
        mov     esp, ebp
        pop     ebp
        ret     0
_add     ENDP
_TEXT    ENDS

```

- No change from earlier – as expected

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```

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EXTRN      __imp__printf:PROC
EXTRN      __imp__scanf:PROC
EXTRN      @_RTC_CheckStackVars@8:PROC
EXTRN      __RTC_CheckEsp:PROC
; Function compile flags: /Odtp /RTCsu
_TEXT      SEGMENT
_c$ = -28      ; size = 4
_b$ = -20      ; size = 4
_a$ = -8       ; size = 4
_main      PROC

; 8      : void main() {
      push    ebp
      mov     ebp, esp
      sub     esp, 28 ; 0000001cH
      push    esi
      mov     eax, 0ccccccccH
      mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-28], eax
      mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-24], eax
      mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-20], eax
      mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-16], eax
      mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-12], eax
      mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-8], eax
      mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-4], eax

```

```

; 9      :      int a, b, c;
; 10     :
; 11     :      scanf("%d%d", &a, &b);
      mov     esi, esp
      lea     eax, DWORD PTR _b$[ebp]
      push    eax ; Address of b is passed
      lea     ecx, DWORD PTR _a$[ebp]
      push    ecx ; Address of a is passed
      push    OFFSET $SG2756
      call    DWORD PTR __imp__scanf
      add     esp, 12 ; 0000000cH
      cmp     esi, esp
      call    __RTC_CheckEsp

; 12     :      c = add(a, b);
      mov     edx, DWORD PTR _b$[ebp]
      push    edx ; Value of b is passed
      mov     eax, DWORD PTR _a$[ebp]
      push    eax ; Value of a is passed
      call    _add
      add     esp, 8 ; pop params
      mov     DWORD PTR _c$[ebp], eax

```

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; 13 :    printf("%d\n", c);
      mov     esi, esp
      mov     ecx, DWORD PTR _c$[ebp]
      push    ecx ; Value of c is passed
      push    OFFSET $SG2757
      call    DWORD PTR __imp__printf
      add     esp, 8
      cmp     esi, esp
      call    __RTC_CheckEsp
; 14 :    return;
; 15 : }
      xor     eax, eax
      push    edx
      mov     ecx, ebp
      push    eax
      lea     edx, DWORD PTR $LN6@main
      call    @_RTC_CheckStackVars@8
      pop     eax
      pop     edx
      pop     esi
      add     esp, 28 ; 0000001cH
      cmp     ebp, esp
      call    __RTC_CheckEsp
      mov     esp, ebp
      pop     ebp
      ret     0
  
```

PLDI

```

$LN6@main:
      DD      2
      DD      $LN5@main
$LN5@main:
      DD      -8 ; ffffffff8H
      DD      4
      DD      $LN3@main
      DD      -20 ; ffffffffecH
      DD      4
      DD      $LN4@main
$LN4@main:
      DB      98 ; 00000062H
      DB      0
$LN3@main:
      DB      97 ; 00000061H
      DB      0
_main     ENDP
_TEXT     ENDS
  
```

- Run-time checks at the end

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```
#include <stdio.h>

int add(int x, int y) {
    int z;
    z = x + y;
    return z;
}

void main() {
    int a, b, c;

    scanf("%d%d", &a, &b);
    c = add(a, b);
    printf("%d\n", c);
    return;
}
```

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```
PUBLIC    _add
; Function compile flags: /Ogtp
_TEXT    SEGMENT
; _x$ = ecx
; _y$ = eax

; 4      :      int z;
; 5      :      z = x + y;
        add     eax, ecx

; 6      :      return z;
; 7      :  }
        ret     0
_add     ENDP
_TEXT    ENDS
```

- Parameters passed through registers
- No save / restore of machine status
- No use of local (z)

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```

PUBLIC      _main
; Function compile flags: /Ogtp
_TEXT      SEGMENT
_b$ = -8      ; size = 4
_a$ = -4      ; size = 4
_main      PROC ; COMDAT

; 8      : void main() {
        push    ebp
        mov     ebp, esp
        sub     esp, 8

; 9      :      int a, b, c;
; 10     :
; 11     :      scanf("%d%d", &a, &b);
        lea     eax, DWORD PTR _b$[ebp]
        push    eax
        lea     ecx, DWORD PTR _a$[ebp]
        push    ecx
        push    OFFSET
                ??_C@_04LLKPOCGK@?$CFd?$CFd?$AA@
        call    DWORD PTR __imp__scanf

```

```

; 12     :      c = add(a, b);
        mov     edx, DWORD PTR _a$[ebp]
        add     edx, DWORD PTR _b$[ebp]

; 13     :      printf("%d\n", c);
        push    edx
        push    OFFSET
                ??_C@_03PMGGPEJJ@?$CFd?6?$AA@
        call    DWORD PTR __imp__printf
        add     esp, 20 ; 00000014H

; 14     :      return;
; 15     : }

        xor     eax, eax
        mov     esp, ebp
        pop     ebp
        ret     0
_main      ENDP
_TEXT      ENDS

```

- No unnecessary save / restore of machine status
- Call to add() optimized out!

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Consider a simple program:

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main() {
    int num1 = 2, num2 = 3, sum;
    sum = num1 + num2;
    printf("Sum = %d\n", sum);
    return 0;
}
```

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```
; ...
```

```
_DATA SEGMENT
```

```
SSG3049      DB      ' Sum = %d', 0aH, 00H ; string constant on Data Segment. 0aH = '\n'. 00H = NULL
```

```
_DATA ENDS
```

```
PUBLIC _main
```

```
EXTRN __imp__printf:PROC
```

```
EXTRN __RTC_CheckEsp:PROC
```

```
; ...
```

```
_TEXT SEGMENT ; Program code
```

```
; DESCRIPTION OF STACK FRAME OF main
```

```
_sum$ = -12 ; size = 4 ; _sum$ = -12 is offset for sum. Address of sum is ebp-12
```

```
_num2$ = -8 ; size = 4 ; _num2$ = -8 is offset for num2. Address of num2 is ebp-8
```

```
_num1$ = -4 ; size = 4 ; _num1$ = -4 is offset for num1. Address of num1 is ebp-4
```

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`_main PROC ; Function main code start`

`; 4 : {`

`; PROLOGUE OF main STARTS`

```

push    ebp ; save ebp (base pointer) to remember the frame information for caller
          ; register and stack addressing
mov     ebp, esp ; initialize ebp to esp - frame of this function will be allocated from here
sub     esp, 12 ; 0000000cH ; reserve 12 = 4 * 3 bytes for num1, num2, and sum of the frame of main
          ; register and immediate addressing
push    esi ; save esi - used as a temporary register
          ; ccccccccH = -858993460 is the uninitialized value / garbage marker
mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-12], -858993460 ; ccccccccH ; init. sum to marker. Address of sum is ebp-12
mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-8], -858993460 ; ccccccccH ; init. num2 to marker. Addr. of num2 is ebp-8
mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-4], -858993460 ; ccccccccH ; init. num1 to marker. Addr. of num1 is ebp-4

```

`; 5 : int num1 = 2, num2 = 3, sum;`

```

mov     DWORD PTR _num1$[ebp], 2 ; _num1$[ebp] = ebp-4 is address of num1. Init. num1 with 2
mov     DWORD PTR _num2$[ebp], 3 ; _num2$[ebp] = ebp-8 is address of num2. Init. num2 with 3
          ; register indirect and immediate addressing

```

`; PROLOGUE OF main ENDS`

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```

; 6      :
; 7      :      sum = num1 + num2;

mov     eax, DWORD PTR _num1$[ebp] ; load num1 to eax (accumulator)
add     eax, DWORD PTR _num2$[ebp] ; add num2 to eax. eax becomes num1 + num2 = 5
mov     DWORD PTR _sum$[ebp], eax ; store eax to sum. sum becomes 5
                                   ; register and register indirect addressing

; 8      :
; 9      :      printf("Sum = %d\n", sum);

mov     esi, esp ; save esp (stack pointer) to esi to prepare stack to pass parameters
mov     ecx, DWORD PTR _sum$[ebp] ; load sum to ecx
push    ecx ; push ecx to stack. Param 2 for printf. esp -= 4 as side-effect
push    OFFSET $SG3049 ; push offset of ("Sum = %d\n") to stack. Param 1 for printf. esp -= 4
call    DWORD PTR __imp__printf ; call external & imported printf - gets 2 params on top of stack
add     esp, 8 ; esp += 8 to pop two params passed before call
cmp     esi, esp ; compare esp with esi - the value of esp before call. EFLAGS to be set
call    __RTC_CheckEsp ; check EFLAGS to confirm that esp matches its value before call

; 10     :
; 11     :      return 0;

xor     eax, eax ; eax = eax ^ eax = 0. A one cycle instruction to clear eax

_P112    : }
  
```

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```

pop     esi ; restore esi
add     esp, 12 ; 0000000cH ; release 12 bytes of the frame of main
cmp     ebp, esp ; compare esp with ebp - the value of esp before frame of main was reserved
call    __RTC_CheckEsp ; check EFLAGS to confirm that esp matches its value before call
mov     esp, ebp ; restore esp
pop     ebp ; restore ebp { the frame of the parent (caller) function
ret     0 ; Return 0. Control returns through indirect jump

```

; EPILOGUE OF main ENDS

```
_main    ENDP ; Function main code end
```

```

_TEXT    ENDS
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```

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Dragon Book: Pages 25-31 (Programming Language Basics)
Examples and Expansions by PPD

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A symbol is an identifier in C.

- A symbol may be:
 - A variable
 - ▷ Simple identifier
 - ▷ Array
 - ▷ Structure or Union
 - ▷ Pointer
 - A function
 - A label
 - A type alias
- A symbol has multiple properties in *static* as well as *dynamic* contexts

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A symbol has multiple properties in *static* as well as *dynamic* contexts including:

- **Static / Compile Time Properties**

- *Declaration*: The (lexical) name of the symbol with its data type and qualifier/s, and the initial value if any it takes
- *Definition*: The memory area (where the variable gets stored) and amount of storage to create for the variable. The allocation may be static or dynamic.
- *Initialization*: The initial value of the symbol specified at a declaration
- *Scope*: The regions of a program where the symbol may directly be accessible¹.

- **Static-Dynamic Bridge / Mixed Properties**

- *Binding*: It is the association of entities (data and/or code) with symbols. An symbols bound to an entity / object is said to reference that object.
- *Storage Class*: Every variable has a storage class that specifies the storage duration

- **Dynamic / Run Time Properties**

- *Address*: The physical memory address of the symbol at run-time
- *Value*: The value of the symbol during execution. All symbols may not have a value
- *Lifetime*: The time between the *definition* and *de-allocation* of a variable

¹In C, symbols are statically scoped. Dynamic scoping, though rare, is supported in languages like LaTeX, bash

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- **Declaration:** The (lexical) name of the symbol with its data type and qualifier/s

- Variable

```
// Symbol Name = "sum", Symbol Type = "int"
int sum;
```

```
// Symbol Name = "array_size", Symbol Type = "const int"
const int array_size = 10;
```

- Function

```
// Symbol Name = "info", Symbol Type = "int --> int"
int fibo(int);
```

- Declaration are maintained in the Symbol Table
- Declaration are processed at multiple phases
 - Lexical Analyzer tokenizes the symbol (sum or fibo) and creates entry in Symbol Table
 - Syntax Analyzer adds the type information (int or int → int) on Symbol Table
 - The symbol's size information is also entered. This will be used to created the final offset of the symbol in the Activation Record

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- **Definition:** The static or dynamic allocation of the memory address of the symbol. It is the process of creating the binding

- Variable: Address computation logic is available

```
// Symbol Name = "sum", Symbol Scope = Global
extern int sum; // Declaration without definition - definition created by linking
// Symbol Name = "sum", Symbol Scope = Global
int sum; // Definition at declaration
// Symbol Name = "temp", Symbol Scope = Block
... int temp; /* Definition at declaration */ ...
// Symbol Name = "*p", Symbol Scope = Dynamic
int *p = 0; // p is declared, def. and initialized - static
p = malloc(sizeof(int)); // *p is defined - dynamic
```

- Function: A function can have only one definition or function body

```
int fibo(int n) if (0 == n) return 1; else return n*fibo(n-1);
```

- Definitions typically result in TAC during intermediate code generation that use various symbol information from the Symbol Table
- This process may involve compiler-defined (un-named) temporary variables that also go into the Symbol Table. For example `sum = sum + 1;` may be translated to:

```
t1 = sum + 1 // t1 is un-named temporary
sum = t1
```

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Summary

- **Initialization:** The initial value of the symbol specified at a declaration

```
// Symbol Name = "sum", Symbol Type = "int",  
// Symbol Initialization = "0"  
int sum = 0;
```

```
// Symbol Name = "p", Symbol Type = "int*",  
// Symbol Initialization = "&sum"  
int *p = &sum;
```

- Initialization is maintained in the Symbol Table along with the Declaration of the symbol
- Initialization (static time) is different from assignment (run-time)
- Initialization usually is optional
- Initialization is processed at multiple phases
 - Lexical Analyzer tokenizes the initialization constant (0)
 - Syntax Analyzer adds the initialization information on Symbol Table
 - Semantic Analyzer evaluates the constant initialization expression (like `const double pi = 4.0*atan(1.0);` and updates Symbol Table
 - Note that `class Shape { ... virtual void Draw() = 0; ... }`; is not an initialization, but semantic specifier for pure virtual functions



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- **Scope:** The regions of a program where the symbol may directly be accessible. In C, all symbols are statically / lexically scoped². C supports the following scopes³:
 - **Global Scope:** Scope of a symbol that is *declared outside of all functions*.
 - ▷ It spans *across all files* of a program.
 - ▷ A program has *only one global scope* and *all scopes are nested within it*.
 - **File Scope:** Any *source file in entirety* where a symbol is marked by **static** to belong to this scope.
 - **Block Scope:** Region within a pair of curly braces (`{ ... }`)
 - ▷ Symbols within block scope are *local to their block*.
 - ▷ A *block scope may be nested* within a function scope or some other block scope as a child.
 - ▷ All symbols from parent scopes are visible in the block and may be hidden by *re-declaration*.
 - **Function Scope:** The block scope associated with a *function definition*.
 - ▷ Every function scope is *contained within global or file scope* and may not be nested.
 - ▷ Function scope is *applicable to labels only*. A label declared is used as a target to **goto** statement and both **goto** and label statement must be in same function.
 - ▷ Symbols declared in function prototype are visible within the *Function Prototype Scope*
- Every scope is associated with a Symbol Table that contains its symbols
- A scope of a variable is often closely related to its lifetime, though they may be different⁴.

²Some languages use dynamic scopes too

³Languages like C++ support more scopes like class scope, namespace scope

⁴For example, for dynamic allocation

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```

/***** file1.c *****/
#include <stdio.h>
int i = 5, k;
extern int j;
int add(int, int);
int mul(int, int);

int main()
{
    printf("i = %d, j = %d, k = %d\n", i, j, k); // 1
    {
        int i = 7;
        j = 4;
        printf("i = %d, j = %d, k = %d\n", i, j, k); // 2
    }
    printf("i = %d, j = %d, k = %d\n", i, j, k); // 3
    int x = 3, y = 2;
    printf("Add = %d\nMul = %d\n", add(x, y), mul(x, y)); // 4
    return 0;
}

int add(int a, int b)
{ return a + trans(b); }

int trans(int a)
{ return a + 1; }
    
```

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```

/***** file2.c *****/
int j = 6;
static int k = 1;

int mul(int a, int b)

{
    int t = a * trans(b);

    return t;
}

static int trans(int a)

{ return a - k; }

-----
What is the output?
    
```

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```

/***** file1.c *****/
#include <stdio.h>
int i = 5, k; // Global Scope defn for i & k. k init to 0
extern int j; // Global Scope decl for j
int add(int, int); // Global Scope prototype for add
int mul(int, int); // Global Scope prototype for mul

int main() // Global Scope defn for main
{ // Function Scope for main starts
    printf("i = %d, j = %d, k = %d\n", i, j, k); // 1
    { // Block Scope starts
        int i = 7; // Local i defined. Hides global i
        j = 4; // Global j set
        printf("i = %d, j = %d, k = %d\n", i, j, k); // 2
    } // Block Scope ends
    printf("i = %d, j = %d, k = %d\n", i, j, k); // 3
    int x = 3, y = 2; // Local x & y defined
    printf("Add = %d\nMul = %d\n", add(x, y), mul(x, y)); // 4
    return 0;
} // Function Scope for main ends

int add(int a, int b) // Global Scope defn for add
{ return a + trans(b); } // Function Scope for add
                        // Uses trans in file1.c

int trans(int a) // Global Scope defn for trans
{ return a + 1; } // Function Scope for trans

```

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```

/***** file2.c *****/
int j = 6; // Global Scope defn for j
static int k = 1; // File Scope defn
                // for k - not visible in file1.c

int mul(int a, int b) // Global Scope
                    // defn for mul
{ // Function Scope for mul starts
    int t = a * trans(b); // Local t defn
                        // Uses trans in file2.c
    return t;
} // Function Scope for mul ends

static int trans(int a) // File Scope
                    // defn for trans
{ return a - k; } // Function Scope
                // for trans. Uses k in file2.c

-----
i = 5, j = 6, k = 0 // 1
i = 7, j = 4, k = 0 // 2
i = 5, j = 4, k = 0 // 3
Sum = 6 // 4
Product = 3 // 4

```

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- **Binding / Name Binding:** It is the association of entities (data and/or code) with symbols. A symbol bound to an entity / object is said to reference that object.
- Machine languages have no built-in notion of identifiers, but name-object bindings as a service and notation for the programmer is implemented by programming languages.
- Binding is *intimately connected with scoping*, as scope determines which names bind to which objects:
 - at which locations in the program code (lexically) and
 - in which one of the possible execution paths (temporally).
- Binding may be one of two kinds:
 - *Static binding* (or *Early binding*) is name binding performed before the program is run. C & C++ use static binding.
 - *Dynamic binding* (or *Late binding* or *Virtual binding*) is name binding performed as the program is running. C++ support dynamic binding with virtual functions.
- The name binding is created during Intermediate Code Generation phase by resolving the symbol definition for every symbol occurrence. The tree of Symbol Tables is used for this purpose.
- The result of name binding is an appropriate address expressions (like `[ebp] + offset`) that can automatically create the Activation Record at run-time, thereby achieving the binding in an elegant way

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```
#include <stdio.h> /***** file1.c *****/
int i = 5, k;
extern int j; // j
int add(int, int);
int mul(int, int);
int main() {
    printf("i = %d, j = %d, k = %d\n", i, j, k); // i, j, k
    {
        int i = 7;
        j = 4; // j
        printf("i = %d, j = %d, k = %d\n", i, j, k); // i, j, k
    }
    printf("i = %d, j = %d, k = %d\n", i, j, k); // i, j, k
    int x = 3, y = 2;
    %d\n", add(x, y), mul(x, y)); // x, y, add, mul
    printf("Add = %d\nMul =
    return 0;
}
int add(int a, int b) { return a + trans(b); } // trans
int trans(int a) { return a + 1; }
/***** file2.c *****/
int j = 6;
static int k = 1;
int mul(int a, int b) { int t = a * trans(b); return t; } // trans
static int trans(int a) { return a - k; } // k
```



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```
#include <stdio.h> /***** file1.c *****/
int i = 5, k;
extern int j; // j: global (file2.c)
int add(int, int);
int mul(int, int);
int main() {
    printf("i = %d, j = %d, k = %d\n", i, j, k); // i: global, j: global, k: global
    {
        int i = 7;
        j = 4; // j: global
        printf("i = %d, j = %d, k = %d\n", i, j, k); // i: local, j: global, k: global
    }
    printf("i = %d, j = %d, k = %d\n", i, j, k); // i: global, j: global, k: global
    int x = 3, y = 2;
    // x: local, y: local, add: global (file1.c), mul: global (file2.c)
    printf("Add = %d\nMul = %d\n", add(x, y), mul(x, y));
    return 0;
}
int add(int a, int b) { return a + trans(b); } // trans: global (file1.c)
int trans(int a) { return a + 1; }
/***** file2.c *****/
int j = 6;
static int k = 1;
int mul(int a, int b) { int t = a * trans(b); return t; } // trans: file (file2.c)
static int trans(int a) { return a - k; } // k: file (file2.c)
```

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- **Storage Class:** Every variable has a storage class that specifies the storage duration
- A storage duration, may be
 - static (default for global)
 - automatic (default for local)
 - dynamic (allocated), and
 - others like linkage and register hint
- Storage class tells us the following factors:
 - Where the variable is stored (in memory or cpu register)?
 - What will be the initial value of variable, if nothing is initialized?
 - What is the scope of variable (where it can be accessed)?
 - What is the life of a variable?
- Summary:

Specifiers	Lifetime	Scope	Default initializer
<code>auto</code> / <i>(none)</i>	Block (stack)	Block	Uninitialized
<code>register</code>	Block (stack or CPU register)	Block	Uninitialized
<code>static</code>	Program	Block or compilation unit	0
<code>extern</code>	Program	Global (entire program)	0
<i>(none)</i> ⁵	Dynamic (heap)	Uninitialized	Initialized to 0 if using <code>calloc()</code>

⁵ Allocated and deallocated using the `malloc()` and `free()` library functions

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- **Address:** The physical memory address of the symbol at run-time

```
// Symbol Name = "sum", Symbol Type = "int"
// Symbol Address = &sum // Address of sum
int sum;
// Symbol Name = "add", Symbol Type = "int x int -> int"
// Symbol Address = &add // Address of add function
int add(int, int);
```

- For example, consider the output of the following program:

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main() {
    int a = 10;
    printf("a = %d\n&a = %p\n", a, &a);
    printf("&printf = %p\n", &printf);
    return 0;
}
a = 10 // Value of variable 'a'
&a = 0x7ffe77e67274 // Address or binding of variable 'a'
&printf = 0x7f0894da2c90 // Address or binding of function 'printf'
```

- During Target Code Generation phase, the symbol offsets in the Symbol Table are converted into address expressions (like [ebp] + offset) that can automatically create the Activation Record at run-time, thereby achieving the binding in an elegant way

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- **Value:** The value of the symbol during execution. All symbols may not have a value
 - Variable: Access to the symbol gives its value (*Read*). Any assignment and / or direct / indirect *Write* to the symbol sets its value

```
// Symbol Name = "sum", Symbol Update = By direct assignment
```

```
sum = sum + 1;
```

```
// Symbol Name = "*p", Symbol Update = By indirect assignment
```

```
*p = *p + 1;
```

- Function: A function invocation gives its value (for the parameters)

```
int fibo(int n) { if (0 == n) return 1; else return n*fibo(n-1); }
```

```
fibo(5); // Has value 120
```

- Assignments typically result in TAC during intermediate code generation that use various symbol information from the Symbol Table
- This process may involve compiler-defined (un-named) temporary variables that also go into the Symbol Table. For example `sum = sum + 1;` may be translated to:

```
t1 = sum + 1 // t1 is un-named temporary
```

```
sum = t1
```

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- **Lifetime / Life Cycle:** The time between the *definition* and *de-allocation* of a variable⁶
- **Execution Stages**
 - **Memory Allocation and Binding**
 - **Lifetime**
 - ▷ Control passes the definition (and optional initialization) of the variable or dynamic allocation⁷
 - ▷ Object Use
 - ▷ Control exists the scope or dynamic de-allocation⁸
 - **Memory De-Allocation and De-Binding**
- Lifetime depends on scope and nature of variable
 - Automatic
 - Static
 - ▷ Global
 - ▷ Local
 - Dynamic

Sources: Module M13: Constructors, Destructors & Object Lifetime in Programming in Modern C++, NPTEL

⁶In an OOPL like C++, it is the time when control enters constructor body to its exit from destructor body

⁷**Constructor Call and Execution** in an OOPL like C++

⁸**Destructor Call and Execution** in an OOPL like C++



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Summary

```

/* 01 */ #include <stdio.h>
/* 02 */ #include <stdlib.h> // E00: sum & accu allocated
/* 03 */ int sum; // E01: Static global
/* 04 */ int add(int n) { // E06, E15, E20: Automatic
/* 05 */     static int accu = 0; // E07: Static local
/* 06 */     int t = accu + n; // E08, E16, E21: Automatic
/* 07 */     accu = t;
/* 08 */     return t; // E09, E17, E22
/* 09 */ }
/* 10 */ int main() { // E02
/* 11 */     char fmt[] =
/* 12 */         "Sum = %d\n"; // E03: Automatic
/* 13 */     int a = 2; // E04: Automatic
/* 14 */     add(a); // E05
/* 15 */     int *p; // E10: Automatic
/* 16 */     p = (int *)
/* 17 */         malloc(sizeof(int)); // E11: Dynamic
/* 18 */     *p = 3; // E12
/* 19 */     int b = 5; // E13: Automatic
/* 20 */     add(*p); // E14
/* 21 */     free(p); // E18: Dynamic
/* 22 */     sum = add(b); // E19, E23
/* 23 */     printf(fmt, sum);
/* 24 */     return 0; // E24
/* 25 */ } // E25: main returns. sum & accu de-allocated

```

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```

/* 01 */ #include <stdio.h>
/* 02 */ #include <stdlib.h> // E00: sum & accu allocated
/* 03 */ int sum; // E01: Static global
/* 04 */ int add(int n) { // E06, E15, E20: Automatic
/* 05 */     static int accu = 0; // E07: Static local
/* 06 */     int t = accu + n; // E08, E16, E21: Automatic
/* 07 */     accu = t;
/* 08 */     return t; // E09, E17, E22
/* 09 */ }
/* 10 */ int main() { // E02
/* 11 */     char fmt[] =
/* 12 */         "Sum = %d\n"; // E03: Automatic
/* 13 */     int a = 2; // E04: Automatic
/* 14 */     add(a); // E05
/* 15 */     int *p; // E10: Automatic
/* 16 */     p = (int *)
/* 17 */         malloc(sizeof(int)); // E11: Dynamic
/* 18 */     *p = 3; // E12
/* 19 */     int b = 5; // E13: Automatic
/* 20 */     add(*p); // E14
/* 21 */     free(p); // E18: Dynamic
/* 22 */     sum = add(b); // E19, E23
/* 23 */     printf(fmt, sum);
/* 24 */     return 0; // E24
/* 25 */ } // E25: main returns. sum & accu de-allocated

```

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E01	sum def.: <i>Life starts</i>
E02	main called. <i>fmt</i> , <i>a</i> , <i>p</i> & <i>b</i> alloc.
E03	<i>fmt</i> def. (w/ init): <i>Life starts</i>
E04	<i>a</i> def. (w/ init): <i>Life starts</i>
E05	add called
E06	<i>n</i> & <i>t</i> alloc. <i>n</i> def. (w/ init): <i>Life starts</i>
E07	<i>accu</i> def. (w/ init): <i>Life starts</i>
E08	<i>t</i> def. (w/ init): <i>Life starts</i>
E09	<i>n</i> & <i>t</i> : <i>Life ends</i> . De-alloc @ line 09
E10	add returns. <i>p</i> def.: <i>Life starts</i>
E11	* <i>p</i> alloc.: <i>Life starts</i>
E12	* <i>p</i> assigned
E13	<i>b</i> def. (w/ init): <i>Life starts</i>
E14	add called
E15	<i>n</i> & <i>t</i> alloc. <i>n</i> def. (w/ init): <i>Life starts</i>
E16	<i>t</i> def. (w/ init): <i>Life starts</i>
E17	<i>n</i> & <i>t</i> : <i>Life ends</i> . De-alloc @ line 09
E18	add returns. * <i>p</i> de-alloc. <i>Life ends</i>
E19	add called
E20	<i>n</i> & <i>t</i> alloc. <i>n</i> def. (w/ init): <i>Life starts</i>
E21	<i>t</i> def. (w/ init): <i>Life starts</i>
E22	<i>n</i> & <i>t</i> : <i>Life ends</i> . De-alloc @ line 09
E23	add returns. <i>sum</i> assigned
E24	<i>fmt</i> , <i>a</i> , <i>p</i> & <i>b</i> : <i>Life ends</i> . De-alloc @ line 25

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- **Call-by-Value (CBV)**
 - **C, C++, ALGOL, Scheme**: the argument expression is evaluated, and the resulting value is bound to the corresponding variable in the function (by copying the value into a new memory region)
 - *Eager Evaluation*
 - **Return-by-Value** supported in **C, C++**
- **Call-by-Reference (CBR)**
 - **C++, C#**: a function receives an implicit reference to a variable used as argument, rather than a copy of its value. **Call-by-Reference-to-const (CBRc)** available in **C#** as well (array parameter)
 - **C, C++**: CBR may be simulated in languages that use CBV by making use of references, such as pointers (**Call-by-Address or CBA**)
 - **Return-by-Reference** supported in **C++**
- **Call-by-Copy-Restore (CBCR) / Value-Result**
 - **Fortran IV, Ada**: a special case of call by reference where the provided reference is unique to the caller (**Copy-in-Copy-out**)
- **Call-by-Name (CBN)**
 - **C / C++ Macro, ALGOL 60, Simula**: the arguments to a function are not evaluated before the function is called – rather, they are substituted directly into the function body
 - *Lazy Evaluation*
 - **Call-by-Need (Haskell, R)**: a memorized variant of CBN where, if the function argument is evaluated, that value is stored for subsequent uses
 - **Call-by-Push-Value (CBPV)**: inspired by monads, allows writing semantics for λ -calculus without writing two variants to deal with the difference between **CBN** and **CBV**

Source: *Evaluation strategy*, Wikipedia

Parameter Passing and Return Value: Example

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```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

void f(int a, int b) { a++; b--; return; }           // CBV
void g(int& a, int& b) { a++; b--; return; }         // CBR
void h(int* pa, int* pb) { (*pa)++; (*pb)--; return; } // CBA
#define m_f(a, b) ( a * b )                        // CBN

int main() {
    int x = 3, y = 4, z = 5;
    f(x, y);
    cout << x << " " << y << endl;                // CBV = 3 4
    g(x, y);
    cout << x << " " << y << endl;                // CBR = 4 3
    h(&x, &y); // x = 4, y = 3
    cout << x << " " << y << endl;                // CBA = 5 2
    g(z, z);
    cout << z << endl;                            // CBR = 5
                                                // CBCR = 6 (z <- a) or 4 (z <- b)
    cout << m_f(x + 1, y + 1) << endl;            // CBN = x + 1 * y + 1 = x + y + 1 = 8
}
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```

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Example: main() & Sum(): Using Array & Nested Block

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
int Sum(int a[], int n) {
    int i, s = 0;
    for(i = 0; i < n; ++i) {
        int t;
        t = a[i];
        s += t;
    }
    return s;
}
```

```
void main() {
    int a[3];
    int i, s, n = 3;
    for(i = 0; i < n; ++i)
        a[i] = i;
    s = Sum(a, n);
    printf("%d\n", s);
}
```

```
Sum:   s = 0
       i = 0
L0:    if i < n goto L2
       goto L3
L1:    i = i + 1
       goto L0
L2:    t1 = i * 4
       t_1 = a[t1]
       s = s + t_1
       goto L1
L3:    return s
```

Block local variable t is named as t_1 to qualify for the unnamed block within which it occurs.

```
main:  n = 3
       i = 0
L0:    if i < n goto L2
       goto L3
L1:    i = i + 1
       goto L0
L2:    t1 = i * 4
       a[t1] = i
       goto L1
L3:    param a
       param n
       s = call Sum, 2
       param "%d\n"
       param s
       call printf, 2
       return
```

Parameter s of printf is handled through varargs.

<i>ST.glb: ST.glb.parent = null</i>				
Sum	array(*, int) × int → int			
	function	0	ST.Sum	
main	void → void	function	0	ST.main
<i>ST.main(): ST.main.parent = ST.glb</i>				
a	array(3, int)	local	12	0
i	int	local	4	12
s	int	local	4	16
n	int	local	4	20
t1	int	temp	4	24

<i>ST.Sum(): ST.Sum.parent = ST.glb</i>				
a	int[]	param	4	0
n	int	param	4	4
i	int	local	4	8
s	int	local	4	12
t_1	int	local	4	16
t1	int	temp	4	20

Columns are: Name, Type, Category, Size, & Offset

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```
PUBLIC     _main
; Function compile flags: /Odtp /RTCsu
_TEXT     SEGMENT
_n$ = -32      ; size = 4
_s$ = -28      ; size = 4
_i$ = -24      ; size = 4
_a$ = -16      ; size = 12
_main     PROC
```

```
; 12 : void main() {
```

```
    push    ebp
    mov     ebp, esp
    sub     esp, 32 ; 00000020H
    push    esi
    mov     eax, -858993460 ; ccccccccH
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-32], eax
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-28], eax
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-24], eax
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-20], eax
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-16], eax
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-12], eax
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-8], eax
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-4], eax
```

```
; 13 :     int a[3];
```

```
; 14 :     int i, s, n = 3;
```

```
    mov     DWORD PTR _n$[ebp], 3
```

```
; 15 :         for(i = 0; i < n; ++i)
```

```
        mov     DWORD PTR _i$[ebp], 0
```

```
        jmp     SHORT $LN3@main
```

```
$LN2@main:
```

```
        mov     eax, DWORD PTR _i$[ebp]
```

```
        add     eax, 1
```

```
        mov     DWORD PTR _i$[ebp], eax
```

```
$LN3@main:
```

```
        mov     ecx, DWORD PTR _i$[ebp]
```

```
        cmp     ecx, DWORD PTR _n$[ebp]
```

```
        jge     SHORT $LN1@main
```

```
; 16 :             a[i] = i;
```

```
        // Index in edx
```

```
        mov     edx, DWORD PTR _i$[ebp]
```

```
        // Right-hand Expression in eax
```

```
        mov     eax, DWORD PTR _i$[ebp]
```

```
        // Index expression directly used
```

```
        mov     DWORD PTR _a$[ebp+edx*4], eax
```

```
        jmp     SHORT $LN2@main
```

```
$LN1@main:
```

- Array reference in a uses index expression in code – no temporary used
- for loop condition implemented as cmp and conditional jump jge

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```
; 17 :      s = Sum(a, n);

      mov     ecx, DWORD PTR _n$[ebp]
      push    ecx
      lea     edx, DWORD PTR _a$[ebp]
      push    edx
      call    _Sum
      add     esp, 8
      mov     DWORD PTR _s$[ebp], eax

; 18 :      printf("%d\n", s);

      mov     esi, esp
      mov     eax, DWORD PTR _s$[ebp]
      push    eax
      push    OFFSET $SG2765
      call    DWORD PTR __imp__printf
      add     esp, 8
      cmp     esi, esp
      call    __RTC_CheckEsp

; 19 : }
```

```
      xor     eax, eax
      push    edx
      mov     ecx, ebp
      push    eax
      lea     edx, DWORD PTR $LN8@main
      call    @_RTC_CheckStackVars@8
```

```
      pop     eax
      pop     edx
      pop     esi
      add     esp, 32 ; 00000020H
      cmp     ebp, esp
      call    __RTC_CheckEsp
      mov     esp, ebp
      pop     ebp
      ret     0
      npad    3

$LN8@main:
      DD      1
      DD      $LN7@main

$LN7@main:
      DD      -16 ; ffffffff0H
      DD      12 ; 0000000cH
      DD      $LN6@main

$LN6@main:
      DB      97 ; 00000061H
      DB      0
      _main    ENDP
      _TEXT    ENDS
      END
```

- lea used to pass parameter in a

Sum()

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```

PUBLIC      _Sum
EXTRN      __RTC_Shutdown:PROC
EXTRN      __RTC_InitBase:PROC
; Function compile flags: /Odtp /RTCsu
_TEXT      SEGMENT
_t$2755 = -12; size = 4
_s$ = -8   ; size = 4
_i$ = -4   ; size = 4
_a$ = 8    ; size = 4
_n$ = 12   ; size = 4
_Sum       PROC
; 3      : int Sum(int a[], int n) {
        push    ebp
        mov     ebp, esp
        sub     esp, 12 ; 0000000cH
        mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-12], 0ccccccccH
        mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-8], 0ccccccccH
        mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-4], 0ccccccccH
; 4      :     int i, s = 0;
        mov     DWORD PTR _s$[ebp], 0
; 5      :     for(i = 0; i < n; ++i) {
        mov     DWORD PTR _i$[ebp], 0
        jmp     SHORT $LN3@Sum
$LN2@Sum:
        mov     eax, DWORD PTR _i$[ebp]
        add     eax, 1
        mov     DWORD PTR _i$[ebp], eax
$LN3@Sum:
        mov     ecx, DWORD PTR _i$[ebp]
        cmp     ecx, DWORD PTR _n$[ebp]
        jge     SHORT $LN1@Sum

```

```

; 6      :         int t;
; 7      :         t = a[i];
        mov     edx, DWORD PTR _i$[ebp]
        mov     eax, DWORD PTR _a$[ebp]
        mov     ecx, DWORD PTR [eax+edx*4]
        mov     DWORD PTR _t$2755[ebp], ecx
; 8      :         s += t;
        mov     edx, DWORD PTR _s$[ebp]
        add     edx, DWORD PTR _t$2755[ebp]
        mov     DWORD PTR _s$[ebp], edx
; 9      :     }
        jmp     SHORT $LN2@Sum
$LN1@Sum:
; 10     :     return s;
        mov     eax, DWORD PTR _s$[ebp]
; 11     : }
        mov     esp, ebp
        pop     ebp
        ret     0
_Sum      ENDP
_TEXT     ENDS

```

- a is reference parameter – &a[0]
- Local variable declaration int t; in block is renamed to _t\$2755 instead of _t\$ to track unnamed block

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Offset	Addr.	Stack	Description
-12	960	t (.t\$2755)	Local data w/ buffer
-8	964	s	
-4	968	i	
ebp →	972	ebp (of main())	
	976	Return Address	
+8	980	a	Reference Param – &a[0]
+12	984	n	
	988	esi	Saved registers
-32	992	n	Local data w/ buffer
-28	996	s	
-24	1000	i	
	1004	0xffffffff	
-16	1008	a[0]	
	1012	a[1]	
	1016	a[2]	
	1020	0xffffffff	
ebp →	1024	ebp (of Caller of main())	Control link
	1028	Return Address	



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```
int a;
int f(int x) { // function scope f
    int t, u;
    t = x; // t in f, x in f
    { // un-named block scope f_1
        int p, q, t;
        p = a; // p in f_1, a in global
        t = 4; // t in f_1, hides t in f
        { // un-named block scope f_1_1
            int p;
            p = 5; // p in f_1_1, hides p in f_1
        }
        q = p; // q in f_1, p in f_1
    }
    return u = t; // u in f, t in f
}
```

```
f: // function scope f
    // t in f, x in f
    t = x
    // p in f_1, a in global
    p@f_1 = a@glb
    // t in f_1, hides t in f
    t@f_1 = 4
    // p in f_1_1, hides p in f_1
    p@f_1_1 = 5
    // q in f_1, p in f_1
    q@f_1 = p@f_1
    // u in f, t in f
    u = t
```

<i>ST.glb: ST.glb.parent = null</i>					
a	int	global	4	0	null
f	int → int				
		func	0	0	ST.f
<i>ST.f(): ST.f.parent = ST.glb</i>					
x	int	param	4	0	null
t	int	local	4	4	null
u	int	local	4	8	null
f_1	null	block	-		ST.f_1

<i>ST.f_1: ST.f_1.parent = ST.f</i>					
p	int	local	4	0	null
q	int	local	4	4	null
t	int	local	4	8	null
f_1_1	null	block	-		ST.f_1_1
<i>ST.f_1_1: ST.f_1_1.parent = ST.f_1</i>					
p	int	local	4	0	null

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Summary

```
f: // function scope f
  // t in f, x in f
  t = x
  // p in f_1, a in global
  p@f_1 = a@glb
  // t in f_1, hides t in f
  t@f_1 = 4
  // p in f_1_1, hides p in f_1
  p@f_1_1 = 5
  // q in f_1, p in f_1
  q@f_1 = p@f_1
  // u in f, t in f
  u = t
```

<i>ST.f(): ST.f.parent = ST.glb</i>					
x	int	param	4	0	null
t	int	local	4	4	null
u	int	local	4	8	null
f_1	null	block	-		ST.f_1
<i>ST.f_1: ST.f_1.parent = ST.f</i>					
p	int	local	4	0	null
q	int	local	4	4	null
t	int	local	4	8	null
f_1_1	null	block	-		ST.f_1_1
<i>ST.f_1_1: ST.f_1_1.parent = ST.f_1</i>					
p	int	local	4	0	null

Columns: Name, Type, Category, Size, Offset, & Syntab

```
f: // function scope f
  // t in f, x in f
  t = x
  // p in f_1, a in global
  p#1 = a@glb // p@f_1
  // t in f_1, hides t in f
  t#3 = 4      // t@f_1
  // p in f_1_1, hides p in f_1
  p#4 = 5      // p@f_1_1
  // q in f_1, p in f_1
  q#2 = p#1    // q@f_1, p@f_1
  // u in f, t in f
  u = t
```

<i>ST.f(): ST.f.parent = ST.glb</i>					
x	int	param	4	0	null
t	int	local	4	4	null
u	int	local	4	8	null
p#1	int	blk-local	4	0	null
q#2	int	blk-local	4	4	null
t#3	int	blk-local	4	8	null
p#4	int	blk-local	4	0	null

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Summary

```
_DATA    SEGMENT
COMM    _a:DWORD
_DATA    ENDS
PUBLIC   _f
; Function compile flags: /OdtP /RTCsu
_TEXT    SEGMENT
_p$1 = -24 ; size = 4 // p#4
_t$2 = -20 ; size = 4 // t#3
_q$3 = -16 ; size = 4 // q#2
_p$4 = -12 ; size = 4 // p#1
_u$ = -8 ; size = 4
_t$ = -4 ; size = 4
_x$ = 8 ; size = 4
_f      PROC
```

```
; 2 : int f(int x) { // function scope f
```

```
    push    ebp
    mov     ebp, esp
    sub     esp, 24 ; 00000018H
    mov     eax, -858993460 ; ccccccccH
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp+24], eax
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp+20], eax
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp+16], eax
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp+12], eax
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp+8], eax
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp+4], eax
```

```
; 3 : int t, u;
; 4 : t = x; // t in f, x in f
```

```
    mov     eax, DWORD PTR _x$[ebp]
    mov     DWORD PTR _t$[ebp], eax
```

```
; 5 : { // un-named block scope f_1
; 6 :     int p, q, t;
; 7 :     p = a; // p in f_1, a in global
```

```
    mov     ecx, DWORD PTR _a
    mov     DWORD PTR _p$4[ebp], ecx
```

```
; 8 :     t = 4; // t in f_1, hides t in f
```

```
    mov     DWORD PTR _t$2[ebp], 4
```

```
; 9 :     { // un - named block scope f_1_1
; 10 :         int p;
; 11 :         p = 5; // p in f_1_1, hides p in f_1
```

```
    mov     DWORD PTR _p$1[ebp], 5
```

```
; 12 :     }
; 13 :     q = p; // q in f_1, p in f_1
```

```
    mov     edx, DWORD PTR _p$4[ebp]
    mov     DWORD PTR _q$3[ebp], edx
```



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```
; 14 : }
; 15 : return u = t; // u in f, t in f

    mov     eax, DWORD PTR _t$[ebp]
    mov     DWORD PTR _u$[ebp], eax
    mov     eax, DWORD PTR _u$[ebp]

; 16 : }

    mov     esp, ebp
    pop     ebp
    ret     0
_f        ENDP
_TEXT     ENDS
```

Example : Global & Function Scope: main() & add(): Source & TAC

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Summary

```
int x, ar[2][3], y;
int add(int x, int y);
double a, b;
int add(int x, int y) {
    int t;
    t = x + y;
    return t;
}
void main() {
    int c;
    x = 1;
    y = ar[x][x];
    c = add(x, y);
    return;
}
```

```
add:    t#1 = x + y
        t = t#1
        return t

main:   t#1 = 1
        x = t#1
        t#2 = x * 12
        t#3 = x * 4
        t#4 = t#2 + t#3
        y = ar[t#4]
        param x
        param y
        c = call add, 2
        return
```

<i>ST.glb: ST.glb.parent = null</i>					
x	int	global	4	0	null
ar	array(2, array(3, int))				
		global	24	4	null
y	int	global	4	28	null
add	int × int → int				
		func	0	32	ST.add()
a	double	global	8	32	null
b	double	global	8	40	null
main	void → void				
		func	0	48	ST.main()

<i>ST.add(): ST.add.parent = ST.glb</i>					
x	int	param	4	0	
y	int	param	4	4	
t	int	local	4	8	
t#1	int	temp	4	12	
<i>ST.main(): ST.main.parent = ST.glb</i>					
c	int	local	4	0	
t#1	int	temp	4	4	
t#2	int	temp	4	8	
t#3	int	temp	4	12	
t#4	int	temp	4	16	

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```

_DATA    SEGMENT
COMM    _x:DWORD
COMM    _ar:DWORD:06H // 4 * 6 = 24
COMM    _y:DWORD
COMM    _a:QWORD
COMM    _b:QWORD
_DATA    ENDS
PUBLIC  _add
PUBLIC  _main
; Function compile flags: /Odtp /RTCsu
_TEXT    SEGMENT
_c$ = -4      ; size = 4
_main    PROC

; 9      : void main() {

    push    ebp
    mov     ebp, esp
    push    ecx
    mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-4], -858993460
    ; cccccccH

; 10     :     int c;
; 11     :     x = 1;

    mov     DWORD PTR _x, 1

```

```

; 12     :     y = ar[x][x];

    imul    eax, DWORD PTR _x, 12
    mov     ecx, DWORD PTR _x
    mov     edx, DWORD PTR _ar[eax+ecx*4]
    mov     DWORD PTR _y, edx

; 13     :     c = add(x, y);

    mov     eax, DWORD PTR _y
    push    eax
    mov     ecx, DWORD PTR _x
    push    ecx
    call    _add
    add     esp, 8
    mov     DWORD PTR _c$[ebp], eax

; 14     :     return;
; 15     : }

    xor     eax, eax
    add     esp, 4
    cmp     ebp, esp
    call    __RTC_CheckEsp
    mov     esp, ebp
    pop     ebp
    ret     0
_main     ENDP
_TEXT     ENDS

```


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```
; Function compile flags: /Odt /RTCsu
```

```
_TEXT SEGMENT
```

```
_t$ = -4 ; size = 4
```

```
_x$ = 8 ; size = 4
```

```
_y$ = 12 ; size = 4
```

```
_add PROC
```

```
; 4 : int add(int x, int y) {
```

```
    push ebp
```

```
    mov ebp, esp
```

```
    push ecx
```

```
    mov DWORD PTR [ebp-4], -858993460
```

```
    ; ccccccccH
```

```
; 5 : int t;
```

```
; 6 : t = x + y;
```

```
    mov eax, DWORD PTR _x$[ebp]
```

```
    add eax, DWORD PTR _y$[ebp]
```

```
    mov DWORD PTR _t$[ebp], eax
```

```
; 7 : return t;
```

```
    mov eax, DWORD PTR _t$[ebp]
```

```
; 8 : }
```

```
    mov esp, ebp
```

```
    pop ebp
```

```
    ret 0
```

```
_add ENDP
```

```
_TEXT ENDS
```

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```
// File Main.c
extern int n;
int Sum(int x) {
    static int lclStcSum = 0;
```

```
    lclStcSum += x;
    return lclStcSum;
}
```

```
int sum = -1;
void main() {
    int a = n;
```

```
    Sum(a);
    a *= a;
    sum = Sum(a);
    return;
}
```

```
// File Global.c
int n = 5;
```

ST.glb (Main.c)				
n	int	extern	4	0
Sum	int → int	func	0	4
sum	int	global	4	0
main	void → void	func	0	8
ST.glb (Global.c)				
n	int	global	4	0

Columns are: Name, Type, Category, Size, & Offset

```
lclStcSum = 0
Sum: lclStcSum = lclStcSum + x
    return lclStcSum
```

```
main:
    sum = -1
    a = glb_n
    param a
    call Sum, 1
    a = a * a
    param a
    sum = call Sum, 1
    return
```

ST.Sum()				
x	int	param	4	0
lclStcSum	int	static	4	4
ST.main()				
a	int	local	4	0

main()

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Summary

```

PUBLIC      _sum // Global int sum;
_BSS        SEGMENT
?1c1StcSum@?1??Sum@@9@9 DD 01H DUP (?)
; 'Sum'::'2'::1c1StcSum // int 1c1StcSum = 0;
_BSS        ENDS
_DATA       SEGMENT
_sum        DD      0fffffffH // int sum = -1;
_DATA       ENDS
PUBLIC      _Sum
PUBLIC      _main
EXTRN      _n:DWORD // extern int n;
; Function compile flags: /Odtp /RTCsu
; File ..\main.c
_TEXT       SEGMENT
_a$ = -4    ; size = 4
_main       PROC

; 13 : void main() {
        push    ebp
        mov     ebp, esp
        push    ecx
        mov     DWORD PTR [ebp-4], -858993460
        ; ccccccccH

; 14 :      int a = n;
        mov     eax, DWORD PTR _n
        mov     DWORD PTR _a$[ebp], eax

; 15 :

```

```

; 16 :      Sum(a);
        mov     ecx, DWORD PTR _a$[ebp]
        push    ecx
        call    _Sum
        add     esp, 4

; 17 :      a *= a;
        mov     edx, DWORD PTR _a$[ebp]
        imul    edx, DWORD PTR _a$[ebp]
        mov     DWORD PTR _a$[ebp], edx

; 18 :      sum = Sum(a);
        mov     eax, DWORD PTR _a$[ebp]
        push    eax
        call    _Sum
        add     esp, 4
        mov     DWORD PTR _sum, eax

; 19 :      return;
; 20 : }
        xor     eax, eax
        add     esp, 4
        cmp     ebp, esp
        call    __RTC_CheckEsp
        mov     esp, ebp
        pop     ebp
        ret     0
_main       ENDP
_TEXT       ENDS

```

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```
; Function compile flags: /Odtp /RTCsu
; File ..\main.c
_TEXT    SEGMENT
_x$ = 8      ; size = 4
_Sum     PROC

; 4      : {

        push    ebp
        mov     ebp, esp

; 5      :      static int lclStcSum = 0;
; 6      :
; 7      :      lclStcSum += x;

        mov     eax, DWORD PTR ?lclStcSum@?1??Sum@@@9@9
        add     eax, DWORD PTR _x$[ebp]
        mov     DWORD PTR ?lclStcSum@?1??Sum@@@9@9, eax

; 8      :      return lclStcSum;

        mov     eax, DWORD PTR ?lclStcSum@?1??Sum@@@9@9

; 9      : }

        pop     ebp
        ret     0
_Sum     ENDP
_TEXT    ENDS
```

```
TITLE    $HOME\Global.c
PUBLIC   _n // int n;
_DATA    SEGMENT
_n       DD     05H // int n = 5;
_DATA    ENDS
END
```

Example: Binary Search

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```
int bs(int a[], int l,
      int r, int v) {
    while (l <= r) {
        int m = (l + r) / 2;
        if (a[m] == v)
            return m;
        else
            if (a[m] > v)
                r = m - 1;
            else
                l = m + 1;
    }
    return -1;
}
```

```
100: if l <= r goto 102
101: goto 121
102: t1 = l + r
103: t2 = t1 / 2
104: m = t2
105: t3 = m * 4
106: t4 = a[t3]
107: if t4 == v goto 109
108: goto 111
109: return m
110: goto 100
```

```
111: t5 = m * 4
112: t6 = a[t5]
113: if t6 > v goto 115
114: goto 118
115: t7 = m - 1
116: r = t7
117: goto 100
118: t8 = m + 1
119: l = t8
120: goto 100
121: t9 = -1
122: return t9
```

ST.glb

bs	array(*, int) × int × int × int → int
	func 0

Columns: Name, Type, Category, Size, & Offset

Temporary variables are numbered in the function scope – the effect of the respective block scope in the numbering is not considered. Hence, we show only a flattened symbol table

ST.bs()

a	array(*, int)	param	4	+16
l	int	param	4	+12
r	int	param	4	+8
r	int	param	4	+4
m	int	local	4	0
t1	int	temp	4	-4
t2	int	temp	4	-8
t3	int	temp	4	-12
t4	int	temp	4	-16
t5	int	temp	4	-20
t6	int	temp	4	-24
t7	int	temp	4	-28
t8	int	temp	4	-32
t9	int	temp	4	-36



Example: Transpose

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```

int main() {
    int a[3][3];
    int i, j;
    for (i = 0; i < 3; ++i) {
        for (j = 0; j < i; ++j) {
            int t;
            t = a[i][j];
            a[i][j] = a[j][i];
            a[j][i] = t;
        }
    }
    return;
}

```

<i>ST.glb</i>			
main	void	→ void	func

<i>ST.main()</i>				
a	array(3, array(3, int))			
		param	4	0
i	int	local	4	-4
j	int	local	4	-8
t01	int	temp	4	-12
t02	int	temp	4	-16
t03	int	temp	4	-20
t04	int	temp	4	-24
t05	int	temp	4	-28
t06	int	temp	4	-32
t07	int	temp	4	-36

```

100: t01 = 0
101: i = t01
102: t02 = 3
103: if i < t02 goto 108
104: goto 134
105: t03 = i + 1
106: i = t03
107: goto 103
108: t04 = 0
109: j = t04
110: if j < i goto 115
111: goto 105
112: t05 = j + 1
113: j = t05
114: goto 110
115: t06 = 12 * i
116: t07 = 4 * j
117: t08 = t06 + t07

```

<i>ST.main()</i>				
t08	int	temp	4	-40
t09	int	temp	4	-44
t10	int	temp	4	-48
t11	int	temp	4	-52
t12	int	temp	4	-56
t13	int	temp	4	-60
t14	int	temp	4	-64
t15	int	temp	4	-68
t16	int	temp	4	-72
t17	int	temp	4	-76
t18	int	temp	4	-80
t19	int	temp	4	-84

```

118: t09 = a[t08]
119: t = t09
120: t10 = 12 * i
121: t11 = 4 * j
122: t12 = t10 + t11
123: t13 = 12 * j
124: t14 = 4 * i
125: t15 = t13 + t14
126: t16 = a[t15]
127: a[t12] = t16
128: t17 = 12 * j
129: t18 = 4 * i
130: t19 = t17 + t18
131: a[t19] = t
132: goto 112
133: goto 105
134: return

```

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- Understood the Run-Time Environment for Program Execution comprising Storage Organization and Properties of Symbols
- Understood Symbol Tables, Activation Records (Stack Frames), their interrelationships in the context of Parameter passing and return value
- Understood Binding, Layout and Scopes
- Understood the translation of `int` data type, functions, arrays, and various types of scopes for run-time management