

1. Hello2: use GDB (along with any tools covered in class) to reverse "hello2.exe".

a. How did you disassemble the executable? Provide the **steps** and **tools** used during the disassembly process.

1.Gdb hello2.exe

2.Info target // I notice it's it was packed up by UPX

```
(gdb) info target
Local exec file:
  `E:\umd_class\reverse_engineer\class_assignments\assignment3\hello2.exe', file type pei-i386.
Entry point: 0x413620
0x00401000 - 0x0040e000 is UPX0
0x0040e000 - 0x00413a00 is UPX1
0x00414000 - 0x00414200 is UPX2
(gdb)
```

3. upx -d hello2.exe//unpack the value

```
E:\umd_class\reverse_engineer\class_assignments\assignment3>upx -d hello2.exe
Ultimate Packer for eXecutables
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  File size      Ratio      Format      Name
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60399 <- 37871 62.70% win32/pe  hello2.exe

Unpacked 1 file.
```

4.Gdb hello2.exe

5.Info target

```
(gdb) info target
Symbols from "E:\umd_class\reverse_engineer\class_assignments\assignment3\hello2.exe".
Local exec file:
  `E:\umd_class\reverse_engineer\class_assignments\assignment3\hello2.exe', file type pei-i386.
Entry point: 0x4012c0
0x00401000 - 0x00409014 is .text
0x0040a000 - 0x0040a02c is .data
0x0040b000 - 0x0040b820 is .rdata
0x0040c000 - 0x0040d73c is .eh_frame
0x0040e000 - 0x0040ea34 is .bss
0x0040f000 - 0x0040f6fc is .idata
0x00410000 - 0x00410018 is .CRT
0x00411000 - 0x00411020 is .tls
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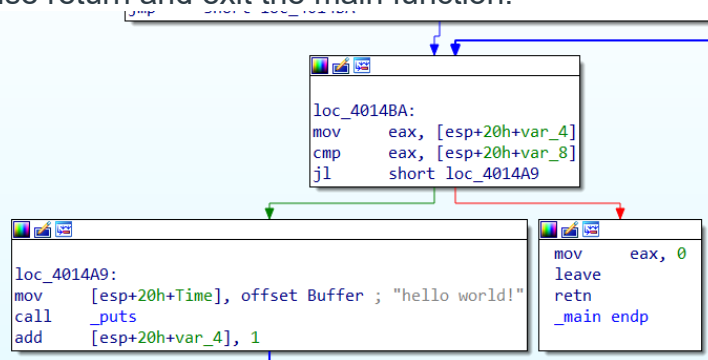
- b. What is the behavior of the executable? Provide evidence in the **assembly code** to support your findings.

1. Call the rand function to generate random number.

```
push    ebp
mov     ebp, esp
and     esp, 0FFFFFF0h
sub     esp, 20h
call    __main
mov     [esp+20h+Time], 0 ; Time
call    _time
mov     [esp+20h+Time], eax ; Seed
call    _srand
call    rand
```

<p>function</p> <p><b>srand</b></p> <p>void srand (unsigned int seed);</p> <p><b>Initialize random number generator</b></p> <p>The pseudo-random number generator is initialized using the argument passed as <i>seed</i>.</p>	<p><b>std::rand</b></p> <p>Defined in header &lt;stdlib.h&gt;</p> <p>int rand();</p> <p>Returns a pseudo-random integral value between 0 and RAND_MAX (0 and RAND_MAX included).</p> <p>std::srand() seeds the pseudo-random number generator used by rand(). If rand() is used before any calls to std::srand(), rand() behaves as if it was seeded with std::srand(1).</p> <p>Each time rand() is seeded with std::srand(), it must produce the same sequence of values on successive calls. Other functions in the standard library may call rand. It is implementation-defined which functions do so. It is implementation-defined whether rand() is thread-safe.</p>
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2. There's a while loop, if satisfy the condition of comparing with the local variables, then output "hello world!" and continue, else return and exit the main function.



3. I find out it is printing "Hello World" in random times.

2. Warmup: use GDB (along with any tools covered in class) to reverse "warmup.exe".

a. What did you learn about how this program operates? Provide **program inputs** and evidence in the **assembly code** to support your findings.

1.

```
call    __main
cmp     [ebp+argc], 4
jnz     short loc_401423
```

b.

c.

d.

e.

```
mov     eax, [ebp+argv]
add     eax, 4
mov     eax, [eax]
mov     [esp+30h+String], eax ; String
call    _atoi
mov     [esp+30h+var_4], eax
mov     eax, [ebp+argv]
add     eax, 8
mov     eax, [eax]
mov     [esp+30h+String], eax ; String
call    _atol
mov     [esp+30h+var_8], eax
mov     eax, [ebp+argv]
add     eax, 0Ch
mov     eax, [eax]
mov     [esp+30h+String], eax ; String
call    _atof
mov     [esp+30h+var_14], eax
fild    [esp+30h+var_14]
fstp    [esp+30h+var_C]
mov     [esp+30h+String], offset Buffer ; "Good! But what are the argument types?"
call    _puts
mov     eax, 0
jmp     short locret_401428
```

jnz short loc\_401423

```
loc_401423:
mov     eax, 1
```

```
locret_401428:
leave
retn
__main endp
```

1. Compare if the input meet number of 3  
(including "this" pointer")
2. If equal
  - a. Do some adding
  - b. Convert string to int
  - c. Convert string to long

- d. Convert string to float
- e. Puts "Good! But what are the argument types?"
- f. Return 0

3. Else

Return 1

Input :

```
; Attributes: bp-based frame fuzzy-sp

; int __cdecl main(int argc, const char **argv, const char **envp)
public _main
_main proc near

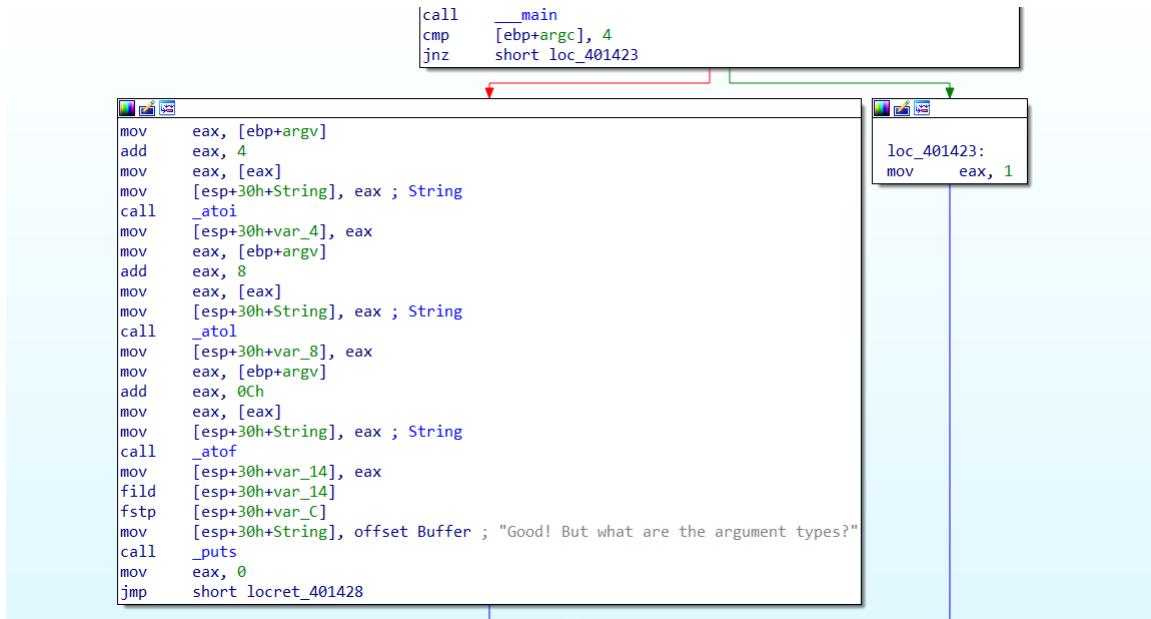
String= dword ptr -30h
var_14= dword ptr -14h
var_C= dword ptr -0Ch
var_8= dword ptr -8
var_4= dword ptr -4
argc= dword ptr 8
argv= dword ptr 0Ch
envp= dword ptr 10h

push    ebp
mov     ebp, esp
and     esp, 0FFFFFF0h
sub     esp, 30h
call    __main
cmp     [ebp+argc], 4
jnz     short loc_401423
```

There are 3 inputs.

And in the program, there are local variables, a string, var\_4,var\_8,var\_14,var\_c.

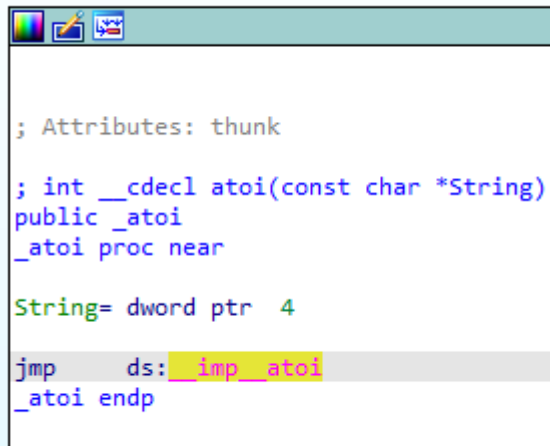
b. Does main() call any functions in this program? If so, what are their names, number and types parameters? Provide evidence in the **assembly code** to support your findings.



The main function calls `__atoi`, `__atol`, `__atof`, `__puts`.

Parameters for the function:

Name	Number of parameters	Parameters type
<code>__atoi</code>	1	String
<code>__atol</code>	1	String
<code>__atof</code>	1	String
<code>__puts</code>	1	char

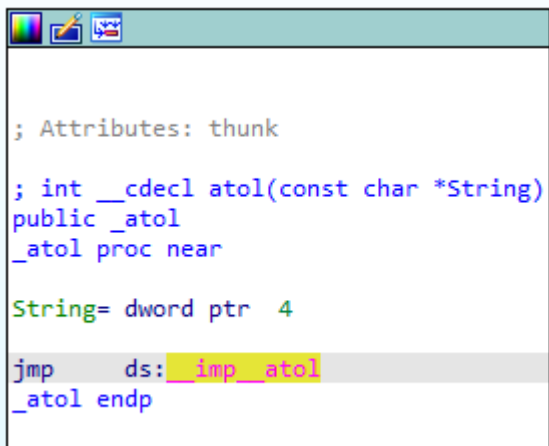
A screenshot of a Windows-style assembly code editor window. The title bar contains three icons: a color palette, a pencil, and a document. The code is as follows:

```
; Attributes: thunk

; int __cdecl atoi(const char *String)
public _atoi
_atoi proc near

String= dword ptr 4

jmp     ds: _imp_atoi
_atoi endp
```

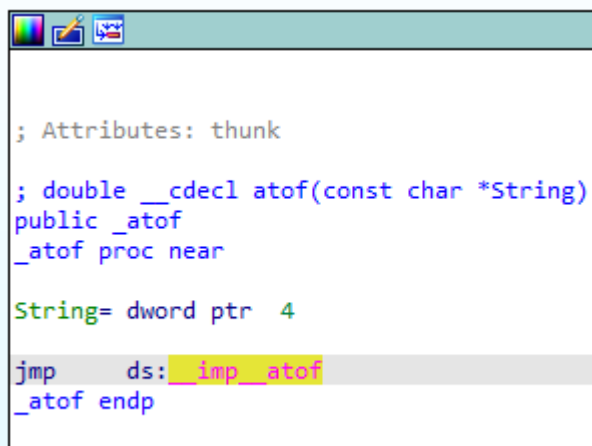
A screenshot of a Windows-style assembly code editor window. The title bar contains three icons: a color palette, a pencil, and a document. The code is as follows:

```
; Attributes: thunk

; int __cdecl atol(const char *String)
public _atol
_atol proc near

String= dword ptr 4

jmp     ds: _imp__atol
_atol endp
```

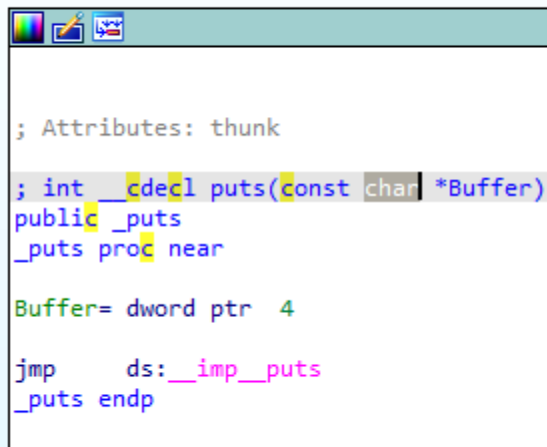
A screenshot of a Windows-style assembly code editor window. The title bar contains three icons: a color palette, a pencil, and a document. The code is as follows:

```
; Attributes: thunk

; double __cdecl atof(const char *String)
public _atof
_atof proc near

String= dword ptr 4

jmp     ds: _imp_atof
_atof endp
```



```
; Attributes: thunk  
; int __cdecl puts(const char *Buffer)  
public _puts  
_puts proc near  
  
Buffer= dword ptr 4  
  
jmp     ds:__imp__puts  
_puts endp
```