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# Cache problem last week

- Method 1 (blocking, not strided) is faster, on my machine
- Tried to do some profiling...
- Result maybe different on different machine
- **Note:** The difference of memory accessing pattern is important!

# RIP relative addressing

- Relative to "**NEXT INSTRUCTION**"
- However, linker only knows the address of relocation entry
  - Use "addend"
- Example: P480-P481, relocating function "sum"
  - Relocation entry's "addend" field is 4

# RIP relative addressing

Sym. Name + Addend  
global\_func - 4

- Relative to "**NEXT INSTRUCTION**"
- Example: P480-P481, relocating function "sum"
  - Relocation entry's "addend" field is -4
- Another example
  - Function "global\_func"
  - Addend is also -4

```
int t = global_func(argc);
24: 8b 45 ec      mov     -0x14(%rbp),%eax
27: 89 c7         mov     %eax,%edi
29: e8 00 00 00 00 callq   2e <main+0x19>
2e: 89 45 fc      mov     %eax,-0x4(%rbp)
```

Relocation section '.rela.text' at offset 0x624c8 contains 5 entries:

Offset	Info	Type	Sym. Value	Sym. Name + Addend
000000000002a	001100000004	R_X86_64_PLT32	0000000000000000	global_func - 4

- "call" takes 4 byte offset value as input

# Problem

- The offset from RIP in these instructions is limited to 32 bits.
- Which means it only works for binaries less than **2GB**
  - Use "`-mmodel=small`" to tell *gcc* about this
- What will happen when the binary's size is larger than 2GB?

# Code

```
1 int global_arr[100] = {2, 3};
2 static int static_arr[100] = {9, 7};
3 int global_arr_big[50000] = {5, 6};
4 static int static_arr_big[50000] = {10, 20};
5
6 int global_func(int param)
7 {
8     return param * 10;
9 }
10
11 int main(int argc, const char* argv[])
12 {
13     int t = global_func(argc);
14     t += global_arr[7];
15     t += static_arr[7];
16     t += global_arr_big[7];
17     t += static_arr_big[7];
18     return t;
19 }
```

# Without -fPIC, with -mcmodel=large

- Use "movabs"
- Generate a relocation entry

```
    int t = global_func(argc);
24: 8b 45 ec          mov     -0x14(%rbp),%eax
27: 89 c7            mov     %eax,%edi
29: b8 00 00 00 00    mov     $0x0,%eax
2e: 48 ba 00 00 00 00 00 movabs  $0x0,%rdx
35: 00 00 00          callq  *%rdx
38: ff d2            mov     %eax,-0x4(%rbp)
3a: 89 45 fc
    t += global_arr[7];
```



# PIC code

- Use PLT and GOT when relocating instead of real address
- Still the same code, compiled with "`-mmodel=small -fPIC`"

```
Relocation section '.rela.text' at offset 0x624c8 contains 5 entries:
```

Offset	Info	Type	Sym. Value	Sym. Name + Addend
0000000000002a	0011000000004	R_X86_64_PLT32	0000000000000000	global_func - 4
00000000000034	000f00000002a	R_X86_64_REX_GOTP	0000000000000000	global_arr - 4
00000000000040	0003000000002	R_X86_64_PC32	0000000000000000	.data + 1b8
0000000000004a	001000000002a	R_X86_64_REX_GOTP	00000000000000340	global_arr_big - 4
00000000000056	0003000000002	R_X86_64_PC32	0000000000000000	.data + 31098

- **Note:** static data is relocated without GOT and PIC
- \*\* relative addressing still can be used here (small model)

# PIC code with large model

- A little bit complicated here, because of no relative addressing
  - In the medium and large code models a register has to be allocated to hold the address of the GOT in position-independent objects, because the AMD64 ISA does not support an immediate displacement larger than 32 bits.
- Static data
  - Relocate with "symbol + addend – GOT", as cannot access GOT immediately
- Global data
  - Relocate with "symbol's offset in GOT"
- Global functions
  - Relocate with "symbol's offset in PLT – GOT", as cannot access PLT immediately

# How does PLT and GOT works

- GOT is supposed to store "effective" address
- However, due to "lazy binding", the addresses are not "effective".
- Therefore, we need a "watchdog" or "reception" to deal with the situation
  - First time: register at "watchdog", "watchdog" turns to dynamic-linker to get the correct address.
  - Then, "watchdog" modify the GOT
  - After: "watchdog" tells you the correct address from GOT.
  - "watchdog" is PLT

# Processes and signals

- ECF
  - Interrupt, fault, trap, abort. ==> differences?
- Process model
  - Process v.s. program.
- fork() & execve()
  - Characteristics of fork()
  - How to run a new program
- Signals
  - How many signals? Why signals?
- System calls
  - Remember the usage --> For lab and exam

Quiz – what's the output?

- List all possible outputs.

```
1 #include <unistd.h>
2 #include <sys/types.h>
3 #include <stdio.h>
4
5 int main(int argc, char *argv[])
6 {
7     printf("hello");
8     pid_t pid = fork();
9     if(pid == 0)
10     {
11         printf(" from child!\n");
12         _exit(0);
13     }
14     else
15     {
16         printf(" from parent!\n");
17         _exit(0);
18     }
19 }
```

How about  
this?

- List all possible  
outputs.

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# Exercise

8. 下列关于静态库链接的描述中，错误的是( )
- A. 链接时，链接器只拷贝静态库中被程序引用的目标模块
  - B. 使用库的一般准则是将它们放在命令行的结尾
  - C. 如果库不是相互独立的，那么它们必须排序
  - D. 每个库在命令行只须出现一次即可

# Exercise

9. 在 `foo.c` 文件中的函数外, 如果添加如下一条语句:

```
static int count = 0xdeadbeef;
```

那么它在编译为 `foo.o` 后, 会影响到 ELF 可重定位目标文件中的除 `.text` 以外的哪些字段? ( )

- A. `.rodata`
- B. `.data`, `.symtab`,
- C. `.data`, `.symtab`, `.rel.data`
- D. `.rodata`, `.symtab`, `.rel.data`



# Exercise

10. 在系统调用成功的情况下，下列代码会输出几个 hello? (        )

```
void doit()
{
    if ( fork() == 0 ) {
        printf("hello\n");
        fork();
    }
    return ;
}

int main()
{
    doit();
    printf("hello\n");
    exit(0) ;
}
```

A. 3

B. 4

C. 5

D. 6

# Exercise

11. 下列说法中哪一个是错误的？ (        )
- A. 中断一定是异步发生的
  - B. 异常处理程序一定运行在内核模式下
  - C. 故障处理一定返回到当前指令
  - D. 陷阱一定是同步发生的