

Computer Science C.Sc. 342

Quiz No.3 To be performed

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Question 1.

A student, while debugging his program, unintentionally displayed partially corrupted DISSASSEMBLY windows in MS Visual Studio Debug environment.

He was able to display correctly Register window, and two Memory windows.

His task was to determine addresses of variables in the expression **result = LocalInt + StatInt** in Memory at the instance of the snapshot.

He is not allowed to restart the debug session.

Can you help him to answer the following questions:

The screenshot displays the Visual Studio Debug environment with the following components:

- Assembly Window:** Shows the disassembly of the program. The code includes static variables `result` and `StatInt`, and a `main` function. The instruction at address `00DF178C` is highlighted in blue, showing `mov` with the value `A3 38 A1 DF 00`. Other instructions are also visible, such as `push ebp`, `mov ebp, esp`, `sub esp, 0D8h`, `push ebx`, `push esi`, `push edi`, `lea edi, [ebp-0D8h]`, `mov ecx, 36h`, `mov eax, 0CCCCCCCCh`, `rep stosd`, `mov ecx, offset _E1EF1AA4`, `call @__CheckForDebuggerJunk`, `mov dword ptr [StatInt], -7`, `mov dword ptr [LocalInt], 2`, `mov result = LocalInt + StatInt`, `mov eax, dword ptr [LocalInt]`, `add eax, dword ptr [StatInt]`, `xor eax, eax`, `pop edi`, `pop esi`, `pop ebx`, `add esp, 0D8h`, `cmp ebp, esp`, and `call RTC_CheckEsp`.
- Memory 2 Window:** Shows memory addresses from `0x00CFF81B` to `0x00CFF836`. The values are mostly `cc` (corrupted), except for `0x00CFF81C` which is `02`, `0x00CFF81D` which is `00`, `0x00CFF81E` which is `00`, `0x00CFF81F` which is `00`, `0x00CFF820` which is `cc`, `0x00CFF821` which is `cc`, `0x00CFF822` which is `cc`, `0x00CFF823` which is `cc`, `0x00CFF824` which is `cc`, `0x00CFF825` which is `cc`, `0x00CFF826` which is `cc`, `0x00CFF827` which is `cc`, `0x00CFF828` which is `f9`, `0x00CFF829` which is `ff`, `0x00CFF82A` which is `ff`, `0x00CFF82B` which is `ff`, `0x00CFF82C` which is `cc`, `0x00CFF82D` which is `cc`, `0x00CFF82E` which is `cc`, `0x00CFF82F` which is `cc`, `0x00CFF830` which is `50`, `0x00CFF831` which is `f8`, `0x00CFF832` which is `cf`, `0x00CFF833` which is `00`, `0x00CFF834` which is `c3`, `0x00CFF835` which is `1e`, and `0x00CFF836` which is `df`.
- Memory 1 Window:** Shows memory addresses from `0x00DFA170` to `0x00DFA17F`. The values are mostly `00 00 00 00` (corrupted), except for `0x00DFA17C` which is `fb ff ff ff`, `0x00DFA17D` which is `01 00 00 00`, `0x00DFA17E` which is `24 00 00 00`, `0x00DFA17F` which is `00 00 00 00`.
- Registers Window:** Shows the current state of the registers. The values are: `EAX = 00000000`, `EBX = 00B6C000`, `ECX = 00DFC000`, `EDX = 00000001`, `ESI = 00DF1023`, `EDI = 00CFF830`, `EIP = 00DF1793`, `ESP = 00CFF74C`, and `EBP = 00CFF830`.

Handwritten annotations in blue include:

- `1.3` pointing to the `Memory 2` window.
- `1.2` pointing to the `Memory 1` window.
- `1.4` pointing to the `mov` instruction at `00DF178C`.
- `1.1` pointing to the `EIP` register value.

1.1 [5 points] What is the address of the instruction that will be executed next instance?

The address of the instruction that will be executed in the next instance is the address of the register EIP. This is **0x00DF1793**. The yellow arrow marker (as shown above) also tells us the address of the next executed instruction. **5 points**

1.2 [10 points] Can you determine the address of variable **StatInt** in the expression? **YES** or **NO**.

Please circle around your answer. **IF** No is your answer, then go to the next question

ELSE Please compute the address of variable **StatInt** in memory ,
and determine the value of variable **StatInt** you can read from memory:

Address of **StatInt** is **0x00CFF828**

Value of **StatInt** in memory is **0x FF FF FF F9 = -7**

Please justify your answers.

After the first three hex values, **FF FF FF F9** is seen being stored in memory window 2.
This tells us that the address next to the F9 is the address where the variable **StatInt** is stored. That address is **0x00CFF828**. This is for local **statint**. Global **statint**: no.

$$(\text{EBP}) \text{0x00CFF830} + (\text{offset}) \text{F8} = \text{0x00CFF828}$$

$$\text{Value: FF FF FF F9} = 1111 \ 1111 \ 1111 \ 1111 \ 1111 \ 1111 \ 1111 \ 1001$$

$$\text{2's complement} \quad 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0110 + 1 = -7 \ (\text{dec}) \quad \mathbf{10 \ points}$$

1.3 [10points] Can you determine the address of variable **LocalInt** in the expression? **YES** or **NO**.

Please circle around your answer. **IF** No is your answer, then go to the next question

ELSE Please compute the address of variable **LocalInt** in memory ,
and determine the value of variable **LocalInt** you can read from memory:

Address of **LocalInt** is **0x00CFF81C**

Value of **LocalInt** in memory is **0x 00 00 00 02 = 2**

Please justify your answers.

The machine code for **LocalInt** variable is **C7 45 EC 00 00 00 02** (from picture). The hex values **00 00 00 02** are stored at address **0x00CFF81C** (seen in memory 2 window [second line]).

$$(\text{EBP}) \text{0x00CFF830} + (\text{offset}) \text{EC} = \text{0x00CFF81C}$$

$$\text{Value: 00 00 00 02} = 0010 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000 \ 0000$$

$$\text{2's complement} \quad 1101 \ 1111 \ 1111 \ 1111 \ 1111 \ 1111 \ 1111 \ 1111 + 1 = 2 \ (\text{dec}) \quad \mathbf{10 \ points}$$

1.4 [10 points] Can you determine the address of variable **result** in the expression? **YES** or **NO**.

Please circle around your answer. **IF** No is your answer, then go to the next question

ELSE Please compute the address of variable **result** in memory ,
and determine the value of variable **result** you can read from memory:

Address of **result** is

Value of **result** in memory is

Please justify your answers.

Adding -7 and 2, we get -5. -5 in hex is **FF FF FF FB**. We see this value in the code after the **mov** instruction (highlighted) being stored in little endian at the address **0x00DFA138**.

10 points

Question 2.

A student compiled his C code using compiler:

"GCC: (GNU) 4.8.5 20150623 (Red Hat 4.8.5-11)"

Target processor: x64, i7

Figure 1. Dump of assembly code in GDB:

(gdb) disassemble

Dump of assembler code for function main:

```
0x0000000004004ed <+0>:      push  %rbp
0x0000000004004ee <+1>:      mov   %rsp,%rbp
=> 0x0000000004004f1 <+4>:      movl  $0xffffffff,-0x4(%rbp)
0x0000000004004f8 <+11>:     movl  $0x7ffffff,-0x8(%rbp)
0x0000000004004ff <+18>:     movl  $0x8000000,-0xc(%rbp)
0x000000000400506 <+25>:     movl  $0x0,-0x10(%rbp)
0x00000000040050d <+32>:     mov   -0x8(%rbp),%eax
0x000000000400510 <+35>:     mov   -0x4(%rbp),%edx
0x000000000400513 <+38>:     add   %edx,%eax
0x000000000400515 <+40>:     mov   %eax,-0x10(%rbp)
0x000000000400518 <+43>:     mov   0x200b0e(%rip),%eax
0x00000000040051e <+49>:     mov   -0x8(%rbp),%edx
0x000000000400521 <+52>:     sub   %eax,%edx
0x000000000400523 <+54>:     mov   %edx,%eax
0x000000000400525 <+56>:     mov   %eax,-0x14(%rbp)
0x000000000400528 <+59>:     mov   $0x0,%eax
0x00000000040052d <+64>:     pop   %rbp
0x00000000040052e <+65>:     retq
```

End of assembler dump.

Question 2.1 [5 points] Do you have enough information to determine the content of register %eax after executing instruction at offset +40 in the dump of assembly code shown in Figure 1.?

Yes. Looking at the disassembly window, we see the first two values; 0xffffffff and 0x7fffffff, are stored into the stack with the offsets from the base pointer. Then the value is copied from the stack into registers; %eax and %edx. Adding these values together, we get 0x7ffffffe, stored into register %eax. **5 points**

Question 2.2 [5 points] Please compute the address of the static variable referenced in this dump of assembly code show in Figure 1.?

We must add the offset, which is 0x200b0e, to the base address to register %rip, which is 0x000000000040051e.

$0x000000000040051e + 0x200b0e = 0x000000000060102C$...address of the static variable.
5 points

Question 2.3 [10 points] In GDB environment you typed the following commands:

(gdb) x \$rbp - 4

0x7fffffffdcac: 0xffffffff

(gdb) x \$rbp - 8

0x7fffffffdba8: 0x07ffffff

Can you determine the content of register %rbp. **YES or NO?**

If No go to next question ELSE Please determine the content of register %rbp.

Yes, adding the offset of 4 to 0x7fffffffdcac is the contents of %rbp:

$0x7fffffffdcac + 4 = 0x7ffffffdcb0$ **10 points**

Question 2.4 [10 points] Shown below partial stack memory for dump of assembly code shown in Figure 1?

0x7fffffffdba4:	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x08	0xff	0xff	0xff	0x07
0x7fffffffdcac:	0xff	0xff	0xff	0xff	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00
0x7fffffffdbb4:	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x00	0x35	0xcb	0xa3	0xf7

Please determine the value of variable on stack at offset -12 decimal from base pointer %rbp. Use the value for Register %rbp you obtained in question 2.3.

We see that the value of the variable on the stack at offset -12 is 0x08000000 (little endian) since the value 0x07ffffff is offset by -8 from the base pointer (from question 2.3). When we add 4, we get an offset of -12 from the base pointer.

So, the first 4 values of the first line (highlighted in red) starting with address 0x7fffffffdba4 is an offset of -12 from the base pointer.

$0x7ffffffdcb0 - 12 = 0x7fffffffdba4$

Value: 0x08000000 = 2^27 (dec) **10 points**

Question 3.

A student wrote MIPS assembly program and executed it in MARS simulator.

3.2.2

```
.data
array1: .word -1,0x7fffffff,0x10000080,0x80000010
.text
main:
    la $t1,array1
# create Frame pointer
    add $fp,$zero,$sp
#Store the address of the first element on stack
using frame pointer
    sw $t1,0($fp)
#allocate memory on Stack for 6 integers
    addi $sp,$sp,-24
#load FIRST element from array1[0] to register $s0
    lw $s0,0($t1)
#push $s0 (NO PUSH!) i.e. store register $s0
on #top of the stack
    sw $s0,0($sp)
#load SECOND element from array1[1] to register $s0
    lw $s0,4($t1)
#create new top of the stack
    addi $sp,$sp,-4
    sw $s0,0($sp)
#
#load third element from array1[2] to register
$s0
    lw $s0,8($t1)
#create new top of the stack
    addi $sp,$sp,-4
    sw $s0,0($sp)
#load forth element from array1[3] to register
$s0
    lw $s0,12($t1)
#create new top of the stack
    addi $sp,$sp,-4
    sw $s0,0($sp)
```

3.2.2

After execution of the program in MARS simulator, he displayed the following memory windows and register file:

3.2.1

Data Segment								
Address	Value (+0)	Value (+4)	Value (+8)	Value (+c)	Value (+10)	Value (+14)	Value (+18)	Value (+1c)
0x7ffffefc0	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x80000010	0x10000000
0x7ffffefe0	0x7fffffff	0xffffffff	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x10010000
0x7ffffef00	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000
0x7ffffef20	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000
0x7ffffef40	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000
0x7ffffef60	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000
0x7ffffef80	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000
0x7ffffefa0	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000
0x7ffffec0	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000

Data Segment					
Address	Value (+0)	Value (+4)	Value (+8)	Value (+c)	Value (+10)
0x10010000	0xffffffff	0x7fffffff	0x10000080	0x80000010	
0x10010020	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	
0x10010040	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	
0x10010060	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	
0x10010080	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	
0x100100a0	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	
0x100100c0	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	
0x100100e0	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	
0x10010100	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	0x00000000	

Registers			Coproc 1	Coproc 0
Name	Number	Value		
\$zero	0	0x00000000		
\$at	1	0x10010000		
\$v0	2	0x0000000a		
\$v1	3	0x00000000		
\$a0	4	0x00000000		
\$a1	5	0x00000000		
\$a2	6	0x00000000		
\$a3	7	0x00000000		
\$t0	8	0x00000000		
\$t1	9	0x10010000		
\$t2	10	0x00000000		
\$t3	11	0x00000000		
\$t4	12	0x00000000		
\$t5	13	0x00000000		
\$t6	14	0x00000000		
\$t7	15	0x00000000		
\$s0	16	0x80000010		
\$s1	17	0x00000000		
\$s2	18	0x00000000		
\$s3	19	0x00000000		
\$s4	20	0x00000000		
\$s5	21	0x00000000		
\$s6	22	0x00000000		
\$s7	23	0x00000000		
\$t8	24	0x00000000		
\$t9	25	0x00000000		
\$k0	26	0x00000000		
\$k1	27	0x00000000		
\$gp	28	0x10008000		
\$sp	29	0x7fffffd8		
\$fp	30	0x7ffffffc		
\$ra	31	0x00000000		
pc		0x00400044		
hi		0x00000000		
lo		0x00000000		

Figure 2. Register file and memory windows in MARS simulator.

Based on the information displayed in **Figure 2.** memory windows and register file above, please answer the following questions

3.1.1 [5 points] What is the address of an integer that was **first** pushed on to stack?

Address of the first integer that is pushed on to stack is $0x7fffe0 + 0x4$ (offset) = **0x7fffe4**. When looking at the stack, the last value at the bottom is the first value pushed onto the stack. This is because stack's follow a LIFO (last-in-first-out) structure. **5 points**

3.1.2 [5 points] What is the value in Hex and signed decimal of an integer that was **first** pushed on to stack?

Hex value: 0xffffffff

Signed dec: -1

Last value seen on the current stack value. **5 points**

3.1.3 [5 points] What is the offset from FRAME POINTER to an integer that was **first** pushed on to stack?

(Frame pointer) $0x7ffeffc - (\text{address of the integer first pushed on to stack}) 0x7fffe4 = -24$ (offset). **5 points**

3.2.1 [5 points] What is the address of an integer that was **Last** pushed on to stack?

Address of the integer that last pushed as seen in the current \$sp in the window: 0x7ffefd8. Stack follows the LIFO structure, so the last value pushed onto the stack is on top. $0x7ffefc0 + 0x18$ (-24 offset in hex) = **0x7ffefd8**. **5 points**

3.2.2 [5 points] What is the value in Hex and signed decimal of an integer that was **Last** pushed on to stack?

Hex: 0x80000010

Signed dec: $-8 * 16^7 + 1 * 16^1 = -2147483632$ **5 points**

3.2.3 [5 points] What is the offset from FRAME POINTER to an integer that was **Last** pushed on to stack?

(Frame pointer) $0x7ffeffc - (\text{address of the integer last pushed on to stack}) 0x7ffefd8 = -36$. You can also do this by looking at the code and noticing $-24 - 4 - 4 - 4 = -36$. **5 points**

3.3 [5 points] Based on the data shown Figure 2. Can you determine if Frame pointer points to an **address** or a **value**? Please circle around your answer.

Please explain.

0x7ffeffc is an address. Looking at figure 2, \$fp stores the address 0x7ffeffc. So the frame pointer points to an address at the bottom of the stack. The value stored at this address is the address of array1; 0x10010000. **5 points**