Template Week 4 – Software

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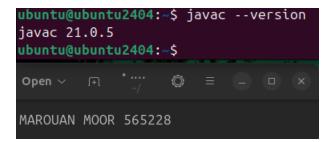
Assignment 4.1: ARM assembly

Screenshot of working assembly code of factorial calculation:

Assignment 4.2: Programming languages

Take screenshots that the following commands work:

javac -version

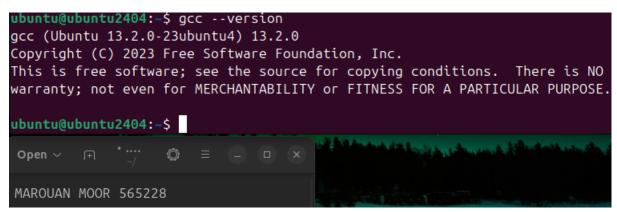


java –version

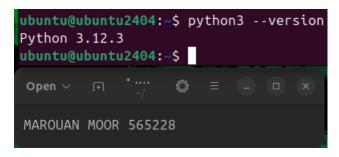
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ubuntu@ubuntu2404:-$ java --version
openjdk 21.0.5 2024-10-15
OpenJDK Runtime Environment (build 21.0.5+11-Ubuntu-1ubuntu124.04)
OpenJDK 64-Bit Server VM (build 21.0.5+11-Ubuntu-1ubuntu124.04, mixed mode, sharing)
ubuntu@ubuntu2404:-$

Open ✓ 
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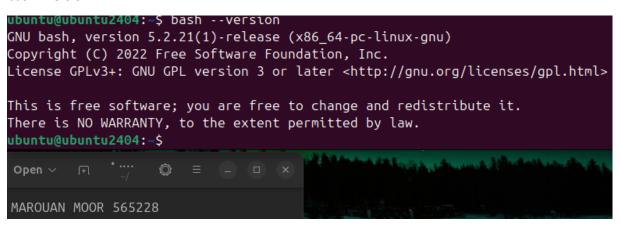
gcc -version



python3 –version



bash -version



Assignment 4.3: Compile

Which of the above files need to be compiled before you can run them?

Which source code files are compiled into machine code and then directly executable by a processor?

Which source code files are compiled to byte code?

Which source code files are interpreted by an interpreter?

These source code files will perform the same calculation after compilation/interpretation. Which one is expected to do the calculation the fastest?

How do I run a Java program?

How do I run a Python program?

How do I run a C program?

How do I run a Bash script?

If I compile the above source code, will a new file be created? If so, which file?

Take relevant screenshots of the following commands:

- · Compile the source files where necessary
- Make them executable
- Run them
- Which (compiled) source code file performs the calculation the fastest?

Assignment 4.4: Optimize

Take relevant screenshots of the following commands:

- a) Figure out which parameters you need to pass to the gcc compiler so that the compiler performs a number of optimizations that will ensure that the compiled source code will run faster. Tip! The parameters are usually a letter followed by a number. Also read page 191 of your book, but find a better optimization in the man pages. Please note that Linux is case sensitive.
- b) Compile fib.c again with the optimization parameters
- c) Run the newly compiled program. Is it true that it now performs the calculation faster?
- d) Edit the file **runall.sh**, so you can perform all four calculations in a row using this Bash script. So the (compiled/interpreted) C, Java, Python and Bash versions of Fibonacci one after the other.

Bonus point assignment - week 4

Like the factorial example, you can also implement the calculation of a power of 2 in assembly. For example you want to calculate $2^4 = 16$. Use iteration to calculate the result. Store the result in r0.

Main:
mov r1, #2
mov r2, #4

Loop:

Complete the code. See the PowerPoint slides of week 4.

Screenshot of the completed code here.

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1 Main:
2  mov r1, #2
3  mov r0, #1
4  mov r2, #4
5
6 Loop:
7  cmp r2, #0
8  beq End
9  mul r0, r0, r1
10  sub r2, r2, #1
11  b Loop
12
13 End:
14
```

Returns 10 in r0 10 in hex is 16 in decimal

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