X86 Assembly, and C-to-assembly

- Move instructions, registers, and operands
- Complete addressing mode, address computation (leal)
- Arithmetic operations (including some x86-64 instructions)
- Condition codes
- **■** Control, unconditional and conditional branches
- While loops

Three Kinds of Instructions

- Perform arithmetic function on register or memory data
 - c = a + b;

Transfer data between memory and register

- Load data from memory into register
 - %reg = Mem[address]
- Store register data into memory
 - Mem[address] = %reg

Transfer control (control flow)

- Unconditional jumps to/from procedures
- Conditional branches

Example

```
int t = x+y;
```

```
addl 8(%ebp),%eax
```

Similar to expression:

$$x += y$$

More precisely:

0x401046: 03 45 08

C Code

Add two signed integers

Assembly

- Add 2 4-byte integers
 - "Long" words in GCC speak
 - Same instruction whether signed or unsigned
- Operands:

x: Register %eax

y: Memory **M[%ebp+8]**

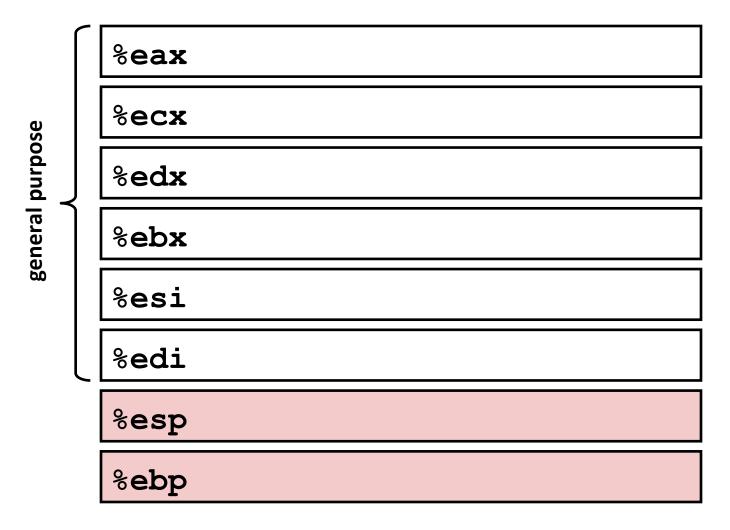
t: Register %eax

- Return function value in %eax

Object Code

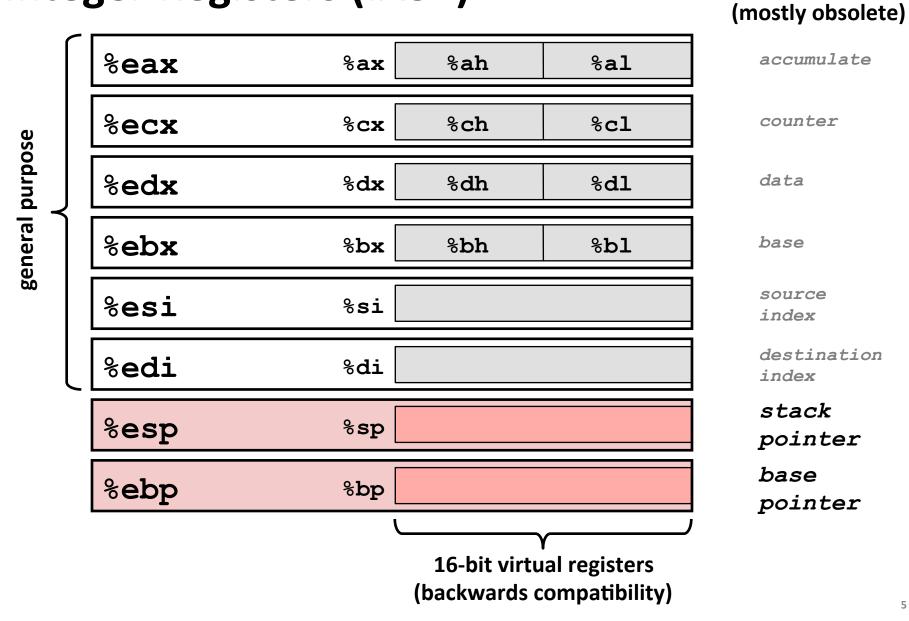
- 3-byte instruction
- Stored at address 0x401046

Integer Registers (IA32)



Origin

Integer Registers (IA32)



x86-64 Integer Registers

%rax	%eax	%r8	% r8d
%rbx	%ebx	%r9	% r9d
%rcx	%ecx	%r10	%r10d
%rdx	%edx	%r11	%r11d
%rsi	%esi	%r12	%r12d
%rdi	%edi	%r13	%r13d
%rsp	%esp	%r14	%r14d
%rbp	%ebp	%r15	%r15d

- Twice the number of registers
- Accessible as 8, 16, 32, 64 bits

x86-64 Integer Registers: Usage Conventions

%rax	Return value
%rbx	Callee saved
%rcx	Argument #4
%rdx	Argument #3
%rsi	Argument #2
%rdi	Argument #1
%rsp	Stack pointer
%rbp	Callee saved

%r8	Argument #5
%r9	Argument #6
%r10	Caller saved
%r11	Caller Saved
%r12	Callee saved
%r13	Callee saved
%r14	Callee saved
%r15	Callee saved

Moving Data: IA32

- Moving Data
 - movx Source, Dest
 - **x** is one of {**b**, **w**, **1**}
 - mov1 Source, Dest:
 Move 4-byte "long word"
 - movw Source, Dest: Move 2-byte "word"
 - movb Source, Dest: Move 1-byte "byte"
- Lots of these in typical code

%eax	
%ecx	
%edx	
%ebx	
%esi	
%edi	
%esp	
%ebp	

Moving Data: IA32

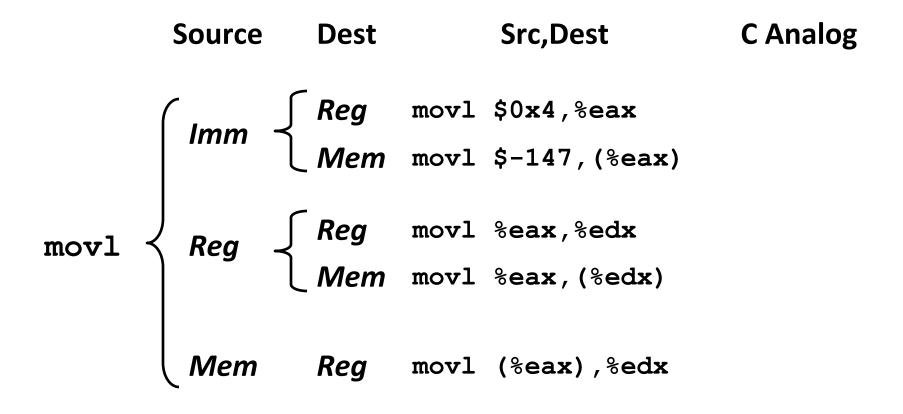
Moving Data mov1 Source, Dest:

Operand Types

- Immediate: Constant integer data
 - Example: \$0x400, \$-533
 - Like C constant, but prefixed with `\$'
 - Encoded with 1, 2, or 4 bytes
- Register: One of 8 integer registers
 - Example: %eax, %edx
 - But %esp and %ebp reserved for special use
 - Others have special uses for particular instructions
- Memory: 4 consecutive bytes of memory at address given by register
 - Simplest example: (%eax)
 - Various other "address modes"

%eax
%ecx
%edx
%ebx
%esi
%edi
%esp
%ebp

mov1 Operand Combinations



Cannot do memory-memory transfer with a single instruction.

How do you copy from a memory location to another then?

mov1 Operand Combinations



Simple Memory Addressing Modes

- Normal (R) Mem[Reg[R]]
 - Register R specifies memory address

```
movl (%ecx),%eax
```

- Displacement D(R) Mem[Reg[R]+D]
 - Register R specifies start of memory region
 - Constant displacement D specifies offset

Using Simple Addressing Modes

```
void swap(int *xp, int *yp)
{
  int t0 = *xp;
  int t1 = *yp;
  *xp = t1;
  *yp = t0;
}
```

swap:

```
pushl %ebp
                       Set
movl %esp,%ebp
pushl %ebx
movl 12(%ebp),%ecx
mov1 8 (%ebp), %edx
movl (%ecx),%eax
                       Body
movl (%edx),%ebx
movl %eax, (%edx)
movl %ebx, (%ecx)
movl -4(%ebp),%ebx
movl %ebp,%esp
                       Finish
popl %ebp
ret
```

```
void swap(int *xp, int *yp)
{
  int t0 = *xp;
  int t1 = *yp;
  *xp = t1;
  *yp = t0;
}
```

Offset	•	Stack (in memory)
12	УР	
8	хр	
4	Rtn adr	
0	Old %ebp	← %ebp
-4	Old %ebx	
		-

```
Register Value
%ecx yp
%edx xp
%eax t1
%ebx t0
```

```
movl 12(%ebp),%ecx # ecx = yp
movl 8(%ebp),%edx # edx = xp
movl (%ecx),%eax # eax = *yp (t1)
movl (%edx),%ebx # ebx = *xp (t0)
movl %eax,(%edx) # *xp = eax
movl %ebx,(%ecx) # *yp = ebx
```

Addrass

Understanding Swap



0x104

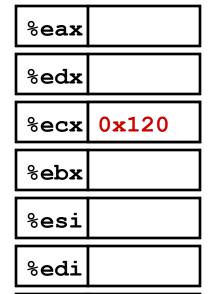
%edi

%esp

%ebp



			Address
		123	0x124
		456	0x120
			0x11c
			0x118
	Offset		0x114
ур	12	0x120	0x110
хp	8	0x124	0x10c
	4	Rtn adr	0x108
%ebp	→ 0		0x104
	-4		0x100



0x104

%esp

%ebp

```
Address
             123
                       0x124
             456
                       0x120
                       0x11c
                       0x118
     Offset
                       0x114
         12
             0x120
yp
                       0x110
             0x124
хр
                       0x10c
             Rtn adr
          4
                       0x108
%ebp
                       0x104
         -4
                       0x100
```

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movl (%edx),%ebx  # ebx = *xp (t0)
movl %eax,(%edx)  # *xp = eax
movl %ebx,(%ecx)  # *yp = ebx
```

%edx 0x124
%ecx 0x120
%ebx
%esi
%edi

0x104

%ebp

```
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```

Complete Memory Addressing Modes

Most General Form

D(Rb,Ri,S) Mem[Reg[Rb]+S*Reg[Ri]+D]

D: Constant "displacement" 1, 2, or 4 bytes

■ Rb: Base register: Any of 8 integer registers

■ Ri: Index register: Any, except for %esp

■ Unlikely you'd use %ebp, either

• S: Scale: 1, 2, 4, or 8 (*why these numbers?*)

Special Cases

(Rb,Ri) Mem[Reg[Rb]+Reg[Ri]]

D(Rb,Ri) Mem[Reg[Rb]+Reg[Ri]+D]

(Rb,Ri,S) Mem[Reg[Rb]+S*Reg[Ri]]

Address Computation Examples

%edx	0xf000
%ecx	0x100

(Rb,Ri)	Mem[Reg[Rb]+Reg[Ri]]
D(Rb,Ri)	Mem[Reg[Rb]+Reg[Ri]+D]
(Rb,Ri,S)	Mem[Reg[Rb]+S*Reg[Ri]]

Expression	Address Computation	Address
0x8 (%edx)		
(%edx,%ecx)		
(%edx,%ecx,4)		
0x80 (%edx,2)		

Address Computation Examples

%edx	0xf000
%ecx	0x100

Expression	Address Computation	Address
0x8 (%edx)	0xf000 + 0x8	0xf008
(%edx,%ecx)	0xf000 + 0x100	0xf100
(%edx,%ecx,4)	0xf000 + 4*0x100	0xf400
0x80 (%edx,2)	2*0xf000 + 0x80	0x1e080

Address Computation Instruction

leal Src,Dest

- Src is address mode expression
- Set Dest to address denoted by expression

Uses

- Computing addresses without a memory reference
 - E.g., translation of p = &x[i];
- Computing arithmetic expressions of the form x + k*i
 - k = 1, 2, 4, or 8

Some Arithmetic Operations

■ Two Operand Instructions:

Forma	ıt	Computation	
addl	Src,Dest	Dest = Dest + Src	
subl	Src,Dest	Dest = Dest - Src	
imull	. Src,Dest	Dest = Dest * Src	
sall	Src,Dest	Dest = Dest << Src	Also called shll
sarl	Src,Dest	Dest = Dest >> Src	Arithmetic
shrl	Src,Dest	Dest = Dest >> Src	Logical
xorl	Src,Dest	Dest = Dest ^ Src	
andl	Src,Dest	Dest = Dest & Src	
orl	Src,Dest	Dest = Dest Src	

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■ No distinction between signed and unsigned int (why?)

Some Arithmetic Operations

One Operand Instructions

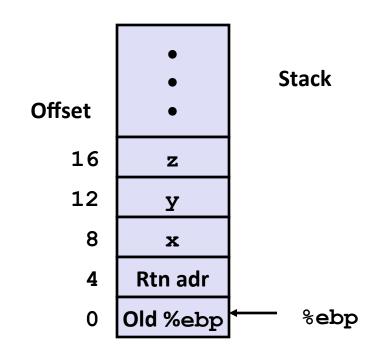
■ See book for more instructions

Using leal for Arithmetic Expressions

```
int arith
  (int x, int y, int z)
{
  int t1 = x+y;
  int t2 = z+t1;
  int t3 = x+4;
  int t4 = y * 48;
  int t5 = t3 + t4;
  int rval = t2 * t5;
  return rval;
}
```

```
arith:
   pushl %ebp
                                 Set
   movl %esp,%ebp
                                 Up
   movl 8(%ebp), %eax
   movl 12 (%ebp), %edx
   leal (%edx,%eax),%ecx
   leal (%edx,%edx,2),%edx
                                 Body
   sall $4,%edx
   addl 16(%ebp),%ecx
   leal 4(%edx,%eax),%eax
   imull %ecx,%eax
   movl %ebp,%esp
                                 Finish
   popl %ebp
   ret
```

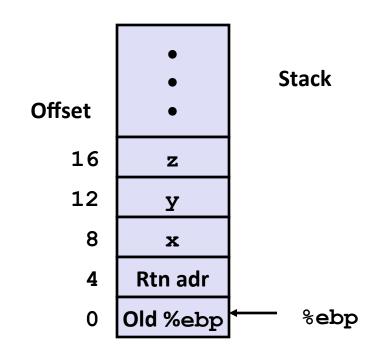
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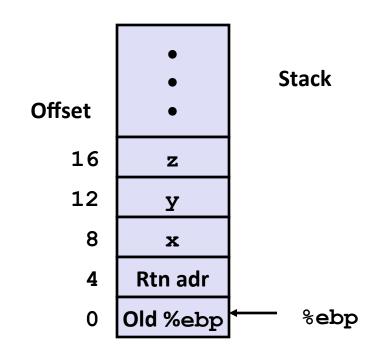
What does each of these instructions mean?

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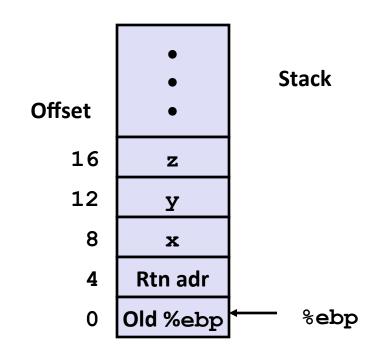


```
movl 8(%ebp),%eax # eax = x
movl 12(%ebp),%edx # edx = y
leal (%edx,%eax),%ecx # ecx = x+y (t1)
leal (%edx,%edx,2),%edx # edx = 3*y
sall $4,%edx # edx = 48*y (t4)
addl 16(%ebp),%ecx # ecx = z+t1 (t2)
leal 4(%edx,%eax),%eax # eax = 4+t4+x (t5)
imull %ecx,%eax # eax = t5*t2 (rval)
```

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}
```

```
Offset

16

2

12

y

8

x

4

Rtn adr

0

Old %ebp

%ebp
```

Another Example

```
int logical(int x, int y)
{
  int t1 = x^y;
  int t2 = t1 >> 17;
  int mask = (1<<13) - 7;
  int rval = t2 & mask;
  return rval;
}</pre>
```

```
logical:
   pushl %ebp
   movl %esp,%ebp

movl 8(%ebp),%eax
   xorl 12(%ebp),%eax
   sarl $17,%eax
   andl $8185,%eax

Body

movl %ebp,%esp
   popl %ebp
   ret
Finish
```

```
movl 8(%ebp),%eax # eax = x
xorl 12(%ebp),%eax # eax = x^y
sarl $17,%eax # eax = t1>>17
andl $8185,%eax # eax = t2 & 8185

**Rtn adr
0 Old %ebp *ebp
```

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movl %ebp,%esp
   popl %ebp
   ret
Finish
```

```
movl 8(%ebp),%eax eax = x

xorl 12(%ebp),%eax eax = x^y (t1)

sarl $17,%eax eax = t1>>17 (t2)

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Body

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   popl %ebp
   ret
Finish
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```

```
2^{13} = 8192, 2^{13} - 7 = 8185
```

```
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   xorl 12(%ebp),%eax
   sarl $17,%eax
   andl $8185,%eax

   movl %ebp,%esp
   popl %ebp
   ret

Finish
```

```
eax = x
eax = x^y (t1)
eax = t1>>17 (t2)
eax = t2 & 8185
```

Control-Flow/Conditionals

Unconditional

```
while(true) {
  do_something;
}
...
```

Conditional

```
int absdiff(int x, int y)
{
    int result;
    if (x > y) {
        result = x-y;
    } else {
        result = y-x;
    }
    return result;
}
```

Conditionals and Control Flow

- A test / conditional branch is sufficient to implement most control flow constructs offered in higher level languages
 - if (condition) then {...} else {...}
 - while(condition) {...}
 - do {...} while (condition)
 - for (initialization; condition;) {...}
- (Unconditional branches implemented some related control flow constructs
 - break, continue)

Jumping

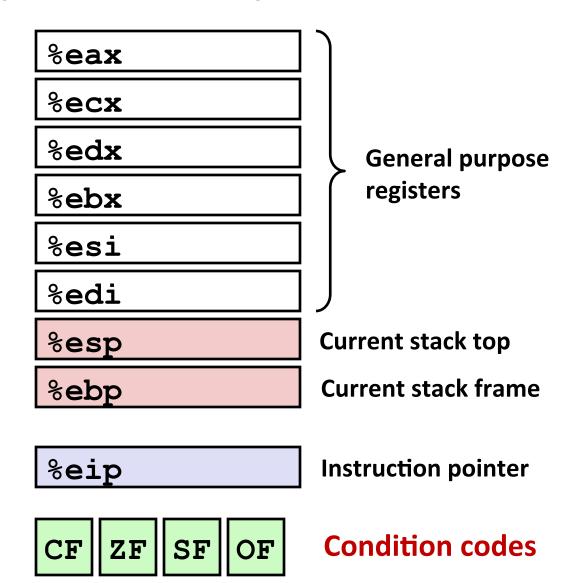
jX Instructions

Jump to different part of code depending on condition codes

jХ	Condition	Description
jmp	1	Unconditional
je	ZF	Equal / Zero
jne	~ZF	Not Equal / Not Zero
js	SF	Negative
jns	~SF	Nonnegative
jg	~(SF^OF) &~ZF	Greater (Signed)
jge	~(SF^OF)	Greater or Equal (Signed)
jl	(SF^OF)	Less (Signed)
jle	(SF^OF) ZF	Less or Equal (Signed)
ja	~CF&~ZF	Above (unsigned)
jb	CF	Below (unsigned)

Processor State (IA32, Partial)

- Information about currently executing program
 - Temporary data (%eax, ...)
 - Location of runtime stack (%ebp,%esp)
 - Location of current code control point (%eip, ...)
 - Status of recent tests(CF,ZF,SF,OF)



Condition Codes (Implicit Setting)

Single bit registers

```
CF Carry Flag (for unsigned)SF Sign Flag (for signed)ZF Zero FlagOF Overflow Flag (for signed)
```

■ Implicitly set (think of it as side effect) by arithmetic operations

```
Example: add1/addq Src, Dest \leftrightarrow t = a+b
```

- CF set if carry out from most significant bit (unsigned overflow)
- ZF set if t == 0
- SF set if t < 0 (as signed)</p>
- OF set if two's complement (signed) overflow (a>0 && b>0 && t<0) || (a<0 && b<0 && t>=0)
- Not set by lea instruction (beware!)
- **Full documentation** (IA32)

Condition Codes (Explicit Setting: Compare)

Explicit Setting by Compare Instruction

```
cmpl/cmpq Src2,Src1
cmpl b,a like computing a-b without setting destination
```

- CF set if carry out from most significant bit (used for unsigned comparisons)
- ZF set if a == b
- SF set if (a-b) < 0 (as signed)</p>
- OF set if two's complement (signed) overflow
 (a>0 && b<0 && (a-b)<0) || (a<0 && b>0 && (a-b)>0)

Condition Codes (Explicit Setting: Test)

Explicit Setting by Test instruction

```
test1/testq Src2,Src1
test1 b,a like computing a&b without setting destination
```

- Sets condition codes based on value of Src1 & Src2
- Useful to have one of the operands be a mask
- ZF set when a&b == 0
- SF set when a&b < 0</p>
- testl %eax, %eax
 - Sets SF and ZF, check if eax is +,0,-

Reading Condition Codes

SetX Instructions

Set a single byte based on combinations of condition codes

SetX	Condition	Description
sete	ZF	Equal / Zero
setne	~ZF	Not Equal / Not Zero
sets	SF	Negative
setns	~SF	Nonnegative
setg	~(SF^OF) &~ZF	Greater (Signed)
setge	~(SF^OF)	Greater or Equal (Signed)
setl	(SF^OF)	Less (Signed)
setle	(SF^OF) ZF	Less or Equal (Signed)
seta	~CF&~ZF	Above (unsigned)
setb	CF	Below (unsigned)

Reading Condition Codes (Cont.)

SetX Instructions:

Set single byte based on combination of condition codes

One of 8 addressable byte registers

- Does not alter remaining 3 bytes
- Typically use movzbl to finish job

```
int gt (int x, int y)
{
  return x > y;
}
```

%eax	% ah	% a l
%ecx	%ch	%cl
%edx	%dh	%dl
%ebx	%bh	%bl
%esi		
%edi		
%esp		
%ebp		

Body

movl 12(%ebp), %eax
cmpl %eax, 8(%ebp)
setg %al
movzbl %al, %eax

What does each of these instructions do?

Reading Condition Codes (Cont.)

SetX Instructions:

Set single byte based on combination of condition codes

One of 8 addressable byte registers

- Does not alter remaining 3 bytes
- Typically use movzbl to finish job

```
int gt (int x, int y)
{
  return x > y;
}
```

%eax	% a h	%al
%ecx	%ch	%cl
%edx	%dh	%dl
%ebx	%bh	%bl
%esi		
%edi		
%esp		
%ebp		

Body

```
movl 12(%ebp), %eax # eax = y
cmpl %eax,8(%ebp) # Compare x and y
setg %al # al = x > y
movzbl %al,%eax # Zero rest of %eax ordering!
```

Jumping

jX Instructions

Jump to different part of code depending on condition codes

jХ	Condition	Description
jmp	1	Unconditional
je	ZF	Equal / Zero
jne	~ZF	Not Equal / Not Zero
js	SF	Negative
jns	~SF	Nonnegative
jg	~(SF^OF) &~ZF	Greater (Signed)
jge	~(SF^OF)	Greater or Equal (Signed)
jl	(SF^OF)	Less (Signed)
jle	(SF^OF) ZF	Less or Equal (Signed)
ja	~CF&~ZF	Above (unsigned)
jb	CF	Below (unsigned)

Conditional Branch Example

```
int absdiff(int x, int y)
{
    int result;
    if (x > y) {
        result = x-y;
    } else {
        result = y-x;
    }
    return result;
}
```

```
absdiff:
  pushl %ebp
                            Setup
  movl %esp, %ebp
  movl 8(%ebp), %edx
  movl 12(%ebp), %eax
   cmpl %eax, %edx
                            Bodv1
   jle .L7
   subl %eax, %edx
  movl %edx, %eax
.L8:
   leave
   ret
.L7:
   subl %edx, %eax
   jmp
          .L8
```

```
int goto_ad(int x, int y)
{
   int result;
   if (x <= y) goto Else;
   result = x-y;
Exit:
   return result;
Else:
   result = y-x;
   goto Exit;
}</pre>
```

- C allows "goto" as means of transferring control
 - Closer to machine-level programming style
- Generally considered bad coding style

```
absdiff:
   pushl
          %ebp
   movl
          %esp, %ebp
   movl
         8(%ebp), %edx
          12(%ebp), %eax
   movl
   cmpl %eax, %edx
   jle
         . L7
   subl
          %eax, %edx
   movl
          %edx, %eax
.L8:
   leave
   ret
.L7:
   subl
          %edx, %eax
          .L8
   qmŗ
```

```
int goto_ad(int x, int y)
{
   int result;
   if (x <= y) goto Else;
   result = x-y;
Exit:
   return result;
Else:
   result = y-x;
   goto Exit;
}</pre>
```

```
absdiff:
         %ebp
   pushl
   movl
          %esp, %ebp
   movl 8 (%ebp), %edx
   movl 12(%ebp), %eax
  cmpl %eax, %edx
   jle .L7
   subl %eax, %edx
   movl
          %edx, %eax
.L8:
   leave
   ret
.L7:
   subl
          %edx, %eax
          .L8
   qmţ
```

```
int goto_ad(int x, int y)
{
   int result;
   if (x <= y) goto Else;
   result = x-y;
Exit:
   return result;
Else:
   result = y-x;
   goto Exit;
}</pre>
```

```
absdiff:
         %ebp
   pushl
   movl
         %esp, %ebp
   movl 8 (%ebp), %edx
   movl 12(%ebp), %eax
  cmpl %eax, %edx
   jle .L7
   subl %eax, %edx
   movl %edx, %eax
.L8:
   leave
   ret
.L7:
   subl
         %edx, %eax
          .L8
   qmŗ
```

```
int goto_ad(int x, int y)
{
   int result;
   if (x <= y) goto Else;
   result = x-y;
Exit:
   return result;
Else:
   result = y-x;
   goto Exit;
}</pre>
```

```
absdiff:
         %ebp
   pushl
   movl
         %esp, %ebp
   movl 8 (%ebp), %edx
   movl 12(%ebp), %eax
  cmpl %eax, %edx
   jle .L7
   subl %eax, %edx
   movl %edx, %eax
.L8:
   leave
   ret
.L7:
   subl
          %edx, %eax
          .L8
   qmţ
```

```
int goto_ad(int x, int y)
{
  int result;
  if (x <= y) goto Else;
  result = x-y;

Exit:
  return result;

Else:
  result = y-x;
  goto Exit;
}</pre>
```

```
absdiff:
         %ebp
   pushl
   movl
         %esp, %ebp
   movl 8 (%ebp), %edx
   movl 12(%ebp), %eax
  cmpl %eax, %edx
   jle .L7
   subl %eax, %edx
   movl %edx, %eax
.L8:
   leave
   ret
.L7:
   subl
         %edx, %eax
          .L8
   qmj
```

General Conditional Expression Translation

C Code

```
val = Test ? Then-Expr : Else-Expr;
```

```
val = x>y ? x-y : y-x;
```

Goto Version

```
nt = !Test;
if (nt) goto Else;
val = Then-Expr;
Done:
    . . .
Else:
val = Else-Expr;
goto Done;
```

- Test is expression returning integer
 = 0 interpreted as false
 ≠0 interpreted as true
- Create separate code regions for then & else expressions
- Execute appropriate one
- How would you make this efficient?

Conditionals: x86-64

```
int absdiff(
   int x, int y)
{
   int result;
   if (x > y) {
      result = x-y;
   } else {
      result = y-x;
   }
   return result;
}
```

Conditional move instruction

- cmovC src, dest
- Move value from src to dest if condition C holds
- More efficient than conditional branching (simple control flow)
- But overhead: both branches are evaluated

PC Relative Addressing

0x100	cmp	r2, r3	0x1000
0×102	jе	0 x 70	0x1002
0x104	•••		0x1004
•••	•••		•••
0x172	add	r3, r4	0x1072

- PC relative branches are relocatable
- Absolute branches are not

Compiling Loops

C/Java code while (sum != 0) { <loop body> }

```
Machine code

loopTop: cmp r3, $0
    be loopDone
        <loop body code>
        jmp loopTop

loopDone:
```

- How to compile other loops should be clear to you
 - The only slightly tricky part is to be sure where the conditional branch occurs: top or bottom of the loop
- Q: How is for (i=0; i<100; i++) implemented?
- Q: How are break and continue implemented?

Machine Programming II: Instructions (cont'd)

- Move instructions, registers, and operands
- Complete addressing mode, address computation (leal)
- Arithmetic operations (including some x86-64 instructions)
- Condition codes
- Control, unconditional and conditional branches
- While loops
- For loops
- Switch statements

"Do-While" Loop Example

C Code

```
int fact_do(int x)
{
  int result = 1;
  do {
    result *= x;
    x = x-1;
  } while (x > 1);
  return result;
}
```

Goto Version

```
int fact_goto(int x)
{
  int result = 1;
loop:
  result *= x;
  x = x-1;
  if (x > 1) goto loop;
  return result;
}
```

- Use backward branch to continue looping
- Only take branch when "while" condition holds

"Do-While" Loop Compilation

Goto Version

```
int
fact_goto(int x)
  int result = 1;
loop:
  result *= x;
  x = x-1;
  if (x > 1)
    goto loop;
  return result;
```

Assembly

```
fact goto:
  pushl %ebp
  movl %esp,%ebp
 movl $1,%eax
 mov1 8(%ebp), %edx
.L11:
  imull %edx,%eax
  decl %edx
  cmpl $1,%edx
  jg .L11
  movl %ebp,%esp
  popl %ebp
  ret
```

Registers:

%edx x %eax result

Translation?

"Do-While" Loop Compilation

Goto Version

```
int
fact goto(int x)
  int result = 1;
loop:
  result *= x;
  x = x-1;
  if (x > 1)
    goto loop;
  return result;
```

Assembly

```
fact goto:
 pushl %ebp
 movl %esp,%ebp
 movl $1,%eax # eax = 1
 movl 8(%ebp), %edx
.L11:
 imull %edx,%eax
 decl %edx
 cmpl $1,%edx
 jg .L11
 movl %ebp,%esp
 popl %ebp
 ret
```

```
Registers:
%edx
          X
%eax
         result
```

```
# Setup
# Setup
\# edx = x
# result *= x
# x--
# Compare x : 1
# if > goto loop
# Finish
# Finish
# Finish
```

General "Do-While" Translation

C Code

```
do

Body

while (Test);
```

Goto Version

```
loop:
Body
if (Test)
goto loop
```

```
■ Body: {

Statement₁;
Statement₂;
...
Statementn;
}
```

■ *Test* returns integer

```
= 0 interpreted as false≠0 interpreted as true
```

"While" Loop Example

C Code

```
int fact_while(int x)
{
  int result = 1;
  while (x > 1) {

    result *= x;
    x = x-1;
  };

  return result;
}
```

Goto Version #1

```
int fact_while_goto(int x)
{
  int result = 1;
loop:
  if (!(x > 1))
    goto done;
  result *= x;
  x = x-1;
  goto loop;
done:
  return result;
}
```

- Is this code equivalent to the do-while version?
- Must jump out of loop if test fails

Alternative "While" Loop Translation

C Code

```
int fact_while(int x)
{
   int result = 1;
   while (x > 1) {
      result *= x;
      x = x-1;
   };
   return result;
}
```

- Historically used by GCC
- Uses same inner loop as dowhile version
- Guards loop entry with extra test

Goto Version #2

```
int fact_while_goto2(int x)
{
   int result = 1;
   if (!(x > 1))
      goto done;

loop:
   result *= x;
   x = x-1;
   if (x > 1)
      goto loop;

done:
   return result;
}
```

General "While" Translation

While version

```
while (Test)
Body
```



Do-While Version

```
if (!Test)
    goto done;
    do
        Body
        while (Test);
done:
```

Goto Version

```
if (!Test)
    goto done;
loop:
    Body
    if (Test)
       goto loop;
done:
```

New Style "While" Loop Translation

C Code

```
int fact_while(int x)
{
  int result = 1;
  while (x > 1) {
    result *= x;
    x = x-1;
  };
  return result;
}
```

■ Recent technique for GCC

- Both IA32 & x86-64
- First iteration jumps over body computation within loop

Goto Version

```
int fact_while_goto3(int x)
{
   int result = 1;
   goto middle;

loop:
   result *= x;
   x = x-1;

middle:
   if (x > 1)
      goto loop;
   return result;
}
```

Jump-to-Middle While Translation

C Code

```
while (Test)
Body
```



Avoids duplicating test code

- Unconditional goto incurs no performance penalty
- for loops compiled in similar fashion

Goto Version

```
goto middle;
loop:
   Body
middle:
   if (Test)
   goto loop;
```

Goto (Previous) Version

```
if (!Test)
    goto done;
loop:
    Body
    if (Test)
       goto loop;
done:
```

Jump-to-Middle Example

```
int fact_while(int x)
{
  int result = 1;
  while (x > 1) {
    result *= x;
    x--;
  };
  return result;
}
```

Quick Review

- Complete memory addressing mode
 - (%eax), 17(%eax), 2(%ebx, %ecx, 8), ...
- Arithmetic operations that do set condition codes

```
subl %eax, %ecx  # ecx = ecx + eax
sall $4, %edx  # edx = edx << 4
addl 16(%ebp), %ecx  # ecx = ecx + Mem[16+ebp]
imull %ecx, %eax  # eax = eax * ecx</pre>
```

- Arithmetic operations that do NOT set condition codes
 - leal 4(%edx,%eax),%eax # eax = 4 + edx + eax

Quick Review

x86-64 vs. IA32

- Integer registers: 16 x 64-bit vs. 8 x 32-bit
- movq, addq, ... vs. movl, addl, ...
- Better support for passing function arguments in registers

%rax	%eax
%rbx	%edx
%rcx	%ecx
%rdx	%ebx
%rsi	%esi
%rdi	%edi
%rsp	%esp
%rbp	%ebp

%r8	%r8d
%r9	%r9d
%r10	%r10d
%r11	%r11d
%r12	%r12d
%r12 %r13	%r12d %r13d

Control

- Condition code registers
- Set as side effect or by cmp, test
- Used:
 - Read out by setx instructions (setg, setle, ...)
 - Or by conditional jumps (jle .L4, je .L10, ...)

Quick Review

Do-While loop

C Code

```
do
  Body
  while (Test);
```

Goto Version

```
loop:
Body
if (Test)
goto loop
```

While-Do loop

While version

while (Test)
Body

Do-While Version

```
if (!Test)
    goto done;
do
    Body
    while(Test);
done:
```

Goto Version

```
if (!Test)
    goto done;
loop:
    Body
    if (Test)
        goto loop;
done:
```

```
goto middle;
loop:
   Body
middle:
   if (Test)
```

goto loop;

"For" Loop Example: Square-and-Multiply

```
/* Compute x raised to nonnegative power p */
int ipwr_for(int x, unsigned p)
{
  int result;
   for (result = 1; p != 0; p = p>>1) {
     if (p & 0x1)
       result *= x;
     x = x*x;
   }
  return result;
}
```

Algorithm

• Exploit bit representation: $p = p_0 + 2p_1 + 2^2p_2 + \dots + 2^{n-1}p_{n-1}$

Gives:
$$x^p = z_0 \cdot z_1^2 \cdot (z_2^2)^2 \cdot \dots \cdot (\dots ((z_{n-1}^2)^2) \dots)^2$$
 $z_i = 1 \text{ when } p_i = 0$
 $z_i = x \text{ when } p_i = 1$
 $n-1 \text{ times}$

Complexity O(log p)

Example $3^{10} = 3^2 * 3^8$ $= 3^2 * ((3^2)^2)^2$

ipwr Computation

```
/* Compute x raised to nonnegative power p */
int ipwr_for(int x, unsigned p)
{
  int result;
    for (result = 1; p != 0; p = p>>1) {
      if (p & 0x1)
         result *= x;
      x = x*x;
    }
  return result;
}
```

before iteration	result	x =3	p=10
1	1	3	10=10102
2	1	9	5= 101 ₂
3	9	81	2= 10 ₂
4	9	6561	1= 1 ₂
5	59049	43046721	02

"For" Loop Example

```
int result;
for (result = 1; p != 0; p = p >> 1)
  if (p \& 0x1)
  result *= x;
  x = x*x;
```

General Form

```
for (Init; Test; Update)
    Body
```

Test

p!=0

Init

$$result = 1$$

Update

```
result = 1 | p = p >> 1
```

Body

```
if (p & 0x1)
  result *= x;
x = x*x;
```

"For"→ "While"→ "Do-While"

For Version

```
for (Init; Test; Update)

Body
```



While Version

```
Init;
while (Test) {
    Body
    Update;
}
```

```
Init;
  if (!Test)
    goto done;
loop:
  Body
  Update;
  if (Test)
    goto loop;
done:
```



```
Init;
if (!Test)
  goto done;
do {
  Body
  Update;
} while (Test)
done:
```

For-Loop: Compilation #1

For Version

```
for (Init; Test; Update)

Body
```



for (result = 1; p != 0; p = p>>1) { if (p & 0x1) result *= x; x = x*x; }

```
Init;
if (!Test)
  goto done;
loop:
  Body
  Update;
if (Test)
  goto loop;
done:
```

```
result = 1;
if (p == 0)
    goto done;
loop:
    if (p & 0x1)
        result *= x;
    x = x*x;
    p = p >> 1;
    if (p != 0)
        goto loop;
done:
```

"For"→ "While" (Jump-to-Middle)

For Version

```
for (Init; Test; Update)

Body
```



While Version

```
Init;
while (Test) {
    Body
    Update;
}
```

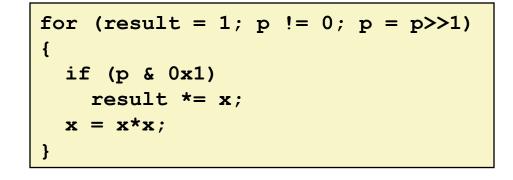
```
Init;
  goto middle;
loop:
  Body
  Update;
middle:
  if (Test)
   goto loop;
done:
```

For-Loop: Compilation #2

For Version

```
for (Init; Test; Update)

Body
```



```
Init;
  goto middle;
loop:
  Body
  Update;
middle:
  if (Test)
   goto loop;
done:
```

```
result = 1;
goto middle;
loop:
   if (p & 0x1)
      result *= x;
   x = x*x;
   p = p >> 1;
middle:
   if (p != 0)
      goto loop;
done:
```

```
long switch_eg
   (long x, long y, long z)
    long w = 1;
    switch(x) {
    case 1:
       w = y*z;
        break;
    case 2:
       w = y/z;
        /* Fall Through */
    case 3:
       w += z;
        break;
    case 5:
    case 6:
        w -= z;
       break;
    default:
        w = 2;
    return w;
```

Switch Statement Example

- **■** Multiple case labels
 - Here: 5, 6
- **■** Fall through cases
 - Here: 2
- Missing cases
 - Here: 4

Jump Table Structure

Switch Form

```
switch(x) {
  case val_0:
    Block 0
  case val_1:
    Block 1
    • • •
  case val_n-1:
    Block n-1
}
```

Jump Table

Jump Targets

Targ0: Code Block 0

Targ1: Code Block

Targ2: Code Block 2

•

Targn-1: Code Block n-1

Approximate Translation

target = JTab[x];
goto *target;

Switch Statement Example (IA32)

```
Setup: switch_eg:
    pushl %ebp  # Setup
    movl %esp, %ebp  # Setup
    pushl %ebx  # Setup

    movl $1, %ebx
    movl 8(%ebp), %edx
    movl 16(%ebp), %ecx
    cmpl $6, %edx
    ja .L61
    jmp *.L62(,%edx,4)
Translation?
```

Switch Statement Example (IA32)

```
long switch_eg(long x, long y, long z)
{
    long w = 1;
    switch(x) {
        . . .
    }
    return w;
}
```

Setup: switch_eg: pushl %ebp # Setup movl %esp, %ebp # Setup

pushl %ebx # Setup movl \$1, %ebx # w = 1

mov1 8(%ebp), %edx # edx = x

movl 16(%ebp), %ecx # ecx = z

cmpl \$6, %edx # x:6

ja .L61 # if > goto default
jmp *.L62(,%edx,4) # goto JTab[x]

Indirect jump

Jump table

```
.section .rodata
    .align 4
.L62:
    .long    .L61 # x = 0
    .long    .L56 # x = 1
    .long    .L57 # x = 2
    .long    .L58 # x = 3
    .long    .L61 # x = 4
    .long    .L60 # x = 5
    .long    .L60 # x = 6
```

Assembly Setup Explanation

Table Structure

- Each target requires 4 bytes
- Base address at .L62

Jumping

```
Direct: jmp .L61
```

Jump target is denoted by label .L61

```
Indirect: jmp *.L62(,%edx,4)
```

- Start of jump table: .L62
- Must scale by factor of 4 (labels have 32-bit = 4 Bytes on IA32)
- Fetch target from effective Address .L62 + edx*4
 - Only for $0 \le x \le 6$

Jump table

```
.section .rodata
  .align 4
.L62:
 .long
         .L61 \# x = 0
         .L56 \# x = 1
 .long
         .L57 \# x = 2
 .long
         .L58 \# x = 3
 .long
         .L61 \# x = 4
 .long
         .L60 \# x = 5
 .long
         .L60
               \# x = 6
 .long
```

Jump Table

Jump table

```
switch(x) {
.section .rodata
                               case 1: // .L56
  .align 4
                                   w = y*z;
.L62:
        .L61 \# x = 0
                                   break;
 .long
 .long .L56 \# x = 1^{\circ}
                               case 2:
                                         // .L57
 .long .L57 \# x = 2
                                  w = y/z;
 .long .L58 \# x = 3
                                   /* Fall Through */
 .long .L61 \# x = 4
                                           // .L58
                               case 3:
       .L60 \# x = 5
 .long
                                   w += z;
        .L60 \# x = 6
 .long
                                   break;
                               case 5:
                                           // .L60
                               case 6:
                                   w -= z;
                                   break;
                               default: // .L61
                                   w = 2;
```

Code Blocks (Partial)

```
.L61: // Default case
  mov1 $2, ebx # w = 2
  movl %ebx, %eax # Return w
  popl %ebx
 leave
  ret
.L57: // Case 2:
  movl 12(%ebp), %eax # y
                # Div prep
  cltd
  idivl %ecx # y/z
  movl eax, ebx # w = y/z
# Fall through
.L58: // Case 3:
  addl %ecx, %ebx # w+= z
  movl %ebx, %eax # Return w
  popl %ebx
  leave
  ret
```

Code Blocks (Rest)

```
.L60: // Cases 5&6:
    subl %ecx, %ebx # w -= z
    movl %ebx, %eax # Return w
    popl %ebx
    leave
    ret
.L56: // Case 1:
    movl 12(%ebp), %ebx # w = y
    imull %ecx, %ebx # w*= z
    movl %ebx, %eax # Return w
    popl %ebx
    leave
    ret
```

IA32 Object Code

Setup

- Label .L61 becomes address 0x08048630
- Label .L62 becomes address 0x080488dc

Assembly Code

Disassembled Object Code

IA32 Object Code (cont.)

Jump Table

- Doesn't show up in disassembled code
- Can inspect using GDB

```
gdb asm-cntl
(gdb) x/7xw 0x080488dc
```

- Examine 7 hexadecimal format "words" (4-bytes each)
- Use command "help x" to get format documentation

0x080488dc:

0x08048630

 0×08048650

0x0804863a

0x08048642

 0×08048630

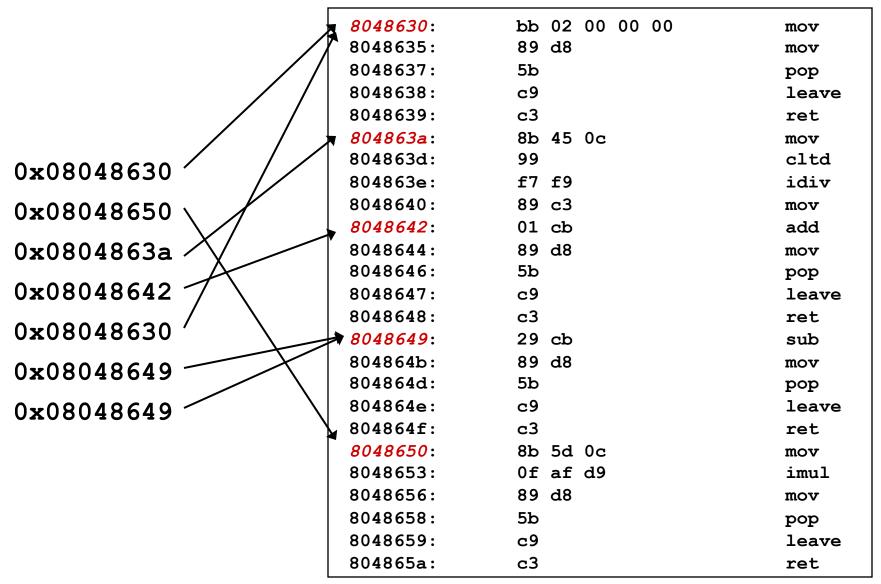
0x08048649

0x08048649

Disassembled Targets

8048630:	bb 02 00 00 00	mov \$0x2,%ebx
8048635:	89 d8	mov %ebx,%eax
8048637:	5b	pop %ebx
8048638:	c 9	leave
8048639:	c 3	ret
804863a:	8b 45 0c	mov 0xc(%ebp),%eax
804863d:	99	cltd
804863e:	f7 f9	idiv %ecx
8048640:	89 c3	mov %eax,%ebx
8048642:	01 cb	add %ecx,%ebx
8048644:	89 d8	mov %ebx,%eax
8048646:	5b	pop %ebx
8048647:	c 9	leave
8048648:	c 3	ret
8048649:	29 cb	sub %ecx,%ebx
804864b:	89 d8	mov %ebx,%eax
804864d:	5b	pop %ebx
804864e:	c 9	leave
804864f:	c 3	ret
8048650:	8b 5d 0c	mov 0xc(%ebp),%ebx
8048653:	Of af d9	imul %ecx,%ebx
8048656:	89 d8	mov %ebx,%eax
8048658:	5b	pop %ebx
8048659:	c 9	leave
804865a:	c 3	ret

Matching Disassembled Targets



Summarizing

C Control

- if-then-else
- do-while
- while, for
- switch

Assembler Control

- Conditional jump
- Conditional move
- Indirect jump
- Compiler
- Must generate assembly code to implement more complex control

Standard Techniques

- Loops converted to do-while form
- Large switch statements use jump tables
- Sparse switch statements may use decision trees (see text)

Conditions in CISC

 CISC machines generally have condition code registers