Improving Your TABLEGEN Description

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WHAT IS 'TABLEGEN'?

- DSL invented for LLVM
- Used extensively
- Describe records of
 - Instructions, registers, intrinsics, attributes, scheduler model, warnings, ...



THIS TALK IS **NOT...**

- Introduction to TableGen
- Complete Guide to TableGen



BUT...

Look at interesting features that you may

- Not know exist
- Know, but haven't used
- Used, but not this way



'FOREACH' AND 'CONCAT'

Listing One-by-One

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Generating using 'foreach'

'FOLD'

Listing One-by-One

```
def {
    list<int> Ascending = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9];
    list<int> Descending = [9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1];
}
```



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Listing One-by-One

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- 2. **list<int>** Ascending = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9];
- 3. // **list<int>** Descending = [9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1];
- 4. **list<int>** Descending = reverse<Ascending>.val;
- 5. }

Generating using 'foldl'

- 1. class reverse<list<int> L> {
- 2. **list<int>** val = !**foldl**([]<**int>**, L, a, b, [b] # a);
- 3. }

Merge Sort Algorithm

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Using TableGen

```
    class mergeSort<list<int> L> {
    list<int> val = !if(!lt(!size(L),2), L,
    merge
    mergeSort< split<L>.lower >.val,
    mergeSort< split<L>.upper >.val
    >.val );
    }
```



Using TableGen

```
1. class split<list<int> L> {
2. int sizeW = !size(L);
    int sizeL = !srl(!add(sizeW,1),1);
    int sizeU = !add(sizeW,!mul(sizeL,-1));
    list<int> lower = !foldI([]<int>, L, a, b, !if(!It(!size(a),sizeL),
6.
                                                   a # [b],
                                                   a));
   list<int> upper = !foldI(L, L, a, b, !if(!gt(!size(a), sizeU),
9.
                                           !tail(a),
10.
                                           a));
11.}
```



Merge Function (Functional Programming)

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3. !if(!eq(!size(b),0), a,
4. !if(!lt(!head(a), !head(b)), [!head(a)] # merge<!tail(a), b>.val,
5. [!head(b)] # merge<a, !tail(b)>.val)));
```



STATIC POLYMORPHISM WITH TABLEGEN

Test Code

```
    class GeoObj { string draw = "Invalid"; }
    class Line<int N> : GeoObj { string draw = "Line:" # N; }
    class Rectangle<int N> : GeoObj { string draw = "Rectangle:" # N; }
    class myDraw<list<GeoObj> objs> {
    list<string> drawings = !foreach(obj, objs, obj.draw);
    }
    def main {
    GeoObj o1 = Line<1>; GeoObj o2 = Line<2>; GeoObj o3 = Rectangle<3>;
    list<string> D = myDraw<[o1, o2, o3]>.drawings;
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Generated Definition

```
$ ./bin/llvm-tblgen static_polymorphism.td
def main {
    ...
    list<string> D = ["Line:1", "Line:2", "Rectangle:3"];
}
```



'COND'

Using Nested-'IF's

```
class getSubRegs<int size> {
list<SubRegIndex> ret2 = [sub0, sub1];
 list<SubRegIndex> ret3 = [sub0, sub1, sub2];
 list<SubRegIndex> ret4 = [sub0, sub1, sub2, sub3];
 list<SubRegIndex> ret5 = [sub0, sub1, sub2, sub3, sub4];
list<SubRegIndex> ret8 = [sub0, sub1, sub2, sub3, sub4, sub5,
sub6, sub71;
list<SubRegIndex> ret16 = [sub0, sub1, sub2, sub3,
                sub4, sub5, sub6, sub7,
                sub8, sub9, sub10, sub11,
                sub12, sub13, sub14, sub15];
list<SubRegIndex> ret = !if(!eq(size, 2), ret2,
                            !if(!eq(size, 3), ret3,
                               !if(!eq(size, 4), ret4,
                                  !if(!eq(size, 5), ret5,
                                     !if(!eq(size, 8), ret8,
ret16))))); }
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Using 'COND'

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sub6, sub71;
list<SubRegIndex> ret_opt = !cond(!eq(size, 2): ret2,
                                    !eq(size, 3): ret3,
                                    !eq(size, 4): ret4,
                                    !eq(size, 5): ret5,
                                    !eq(size, 8): ret8,
                                    !eq(1, 1): ret16);
```

CONCLUSION

Take a look at the video and apply it to your context!

