1 Exercises

Exercise 1. The LIR instructions for the compute() method from the spimsum program above are listed below.

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B1
0: LDC [0] [V32|I]
5: MOVE [V32|I] [V33|I]
10: MOVE $a0 [V34|I]

B2
15: LDC [0] [V35|I]
20: BRANCH [LE] [V34|I] [V35|I] B4

B3
25: LDC [-1] [V36|I]
30: ADD [V34|I] [V36|I] [V37|I]
35: ADD [V33|I] [V34|I] [V38|I]
40: MOVE [V37|I] [V34|I]
45: MOVE [V37|I] [V34|I]
50: BRANCH B2

B4
55: MOVE [V33|I] $v0
60: RETURN $v0
```

- a. Compute the liveUse and liveDef sets (local liveness information) for each basic block in the method.
- b. Compute the liveIn and liveOut sets (global liveness information) for each basic block in the method.
- c. Compute the liveness interval for each virtual register in the method's LIR, with ranges and use positions.

Exercise 2. Using the liveness intervals for the virtual registers in the LIR for the spimsum.compute() method

- a. Build an interference graph G for the method.
- b. Represent G as an adjacency matrix.
- c. Represent G as an adjacency list.
- d. Is G 2-colorable? If so, give a register allocation using two physical registers r_1 and r_2 .
- e. Is G 3-colorable? If so, give a register allocation using three physical registers r_1 , r_2 , and r_3 .

2 Solutions to Exercises

Solution 1.

a.

```
B0
    liveUse:
    liveDef:

B1
    liveUse: $a0
    liveDef: V32, V33, V34

B2
    liveUse: $a0, V34
    liveDef: V35

B3
    liveUse: V33, V34
    liveDef: V33, V34, V36, V37, V38

B4
    liveUse: V33
    liveUse: V33
    liveUse: V33
    liveUse: V33
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b.

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B4
    liveIn: V33
    liveOut:

B3
    liveIn: V33, V34
    liveOut: V33

B2
    liveIn: $a0, V34
    liveOut: V33, V34

B1
    liveIn: $a0
    liveOut: $a0, V34

B0
    liveIn:
    liveOut: $a0
```

c.

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v0: [55, 60]
a0: [0, 10]
V32: [0, 5]
V33: [5, 35] [45, 55]
V34: [10, 50]
V35: [15, 20]
V36: [25, 30]
V37: [30, 40]
V38: [35, 45]
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