

Lecture 33-34

Code Optimizations

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- Solve till the fix point is reached.



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Constant Propogation

if we found a variable has a constant value at a program point, we may replace variable with that value.

Data flow analysis can't be applied for constant propagation because transfer function is not distributive and it will not terminate the analysis.

