

CS738: Advanced Compiler Optimizations

Interprocedural Data Flow Analysis

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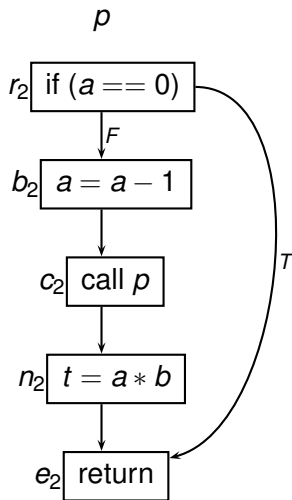
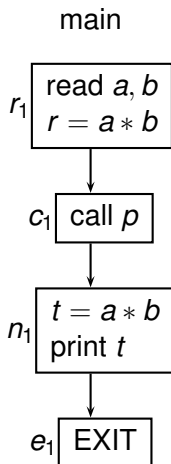
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Interprocedural Analysis: WHY?

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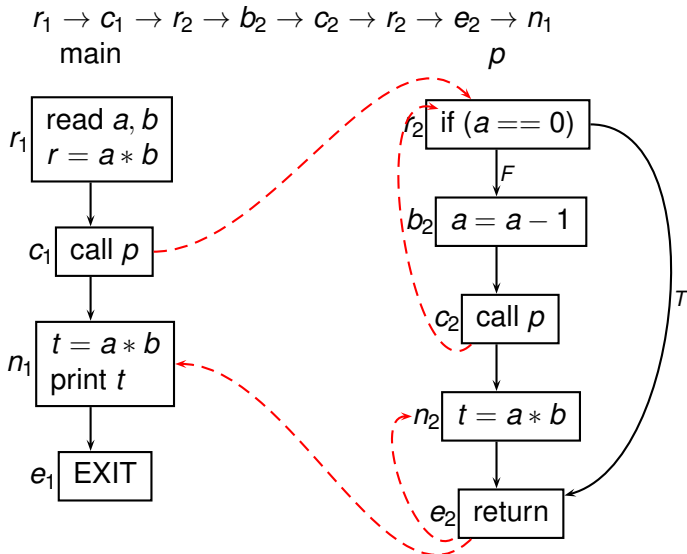
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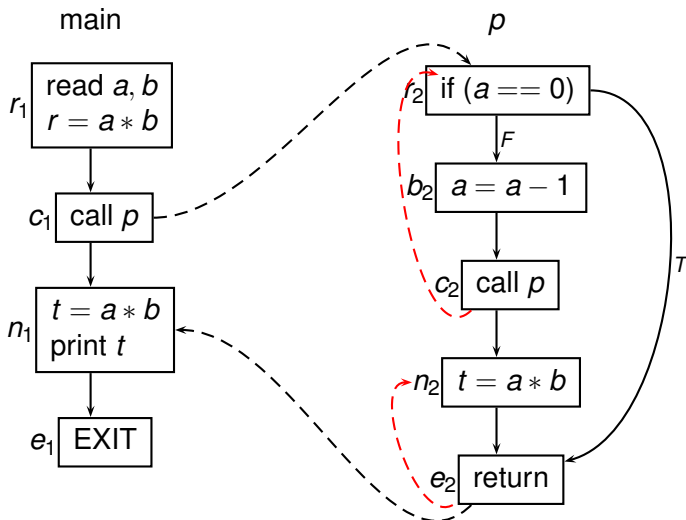
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$\dots \rightarrow r_2 \rightarrow c_2 \rightarrow r_2 \rightarrow c_2 \rightarrow r_2 \dots$



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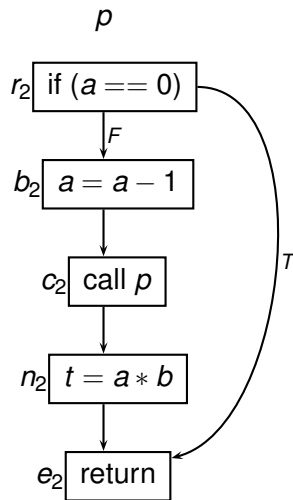
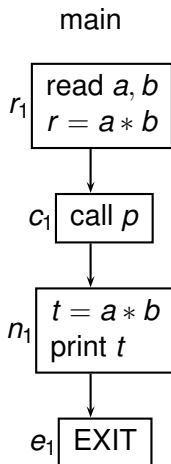
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Notations and Terminology

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Data Flow Equations

$$x_r = \textit{BoundaryInfo}$$

$$x_n = \bigwedge_{(m,n) \in E} f_{(m,n)}(x_m) \quad n \in N - r$$

- MFP solution, approximation of MOP

$$y_n = \bigwedge \{f_p(\textit{BoundaryInfo}) : p \in \textit{path}_G(r, n)\} \quad n \in N$$

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First Representation:

$$G = \bigcup \{G_p : p \text{ is a procedure in program}\}$$

$$G_p = (N_p, E_p, r_p)$$

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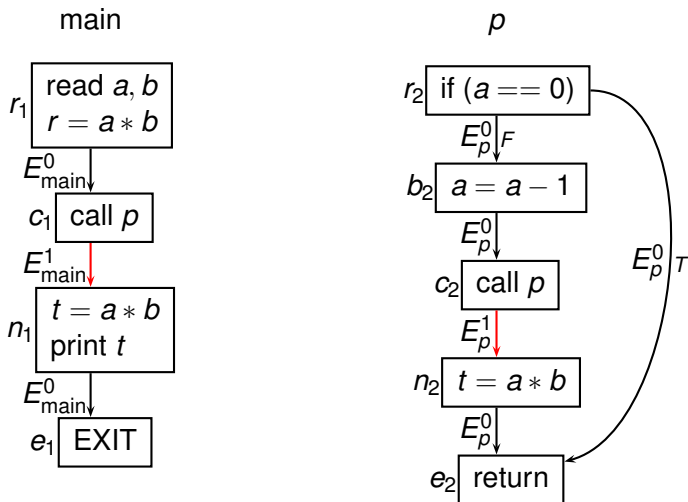
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$$= E_p^0 \cup E_p^1$$

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Interprocedural Flow Graph: 1st Representation



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Second representation

$$G^* = (N^*, E^*, r_1)$$

$$r_1 = \text{root block of main}$$

$$N^* = \bigcup_p N_p$$

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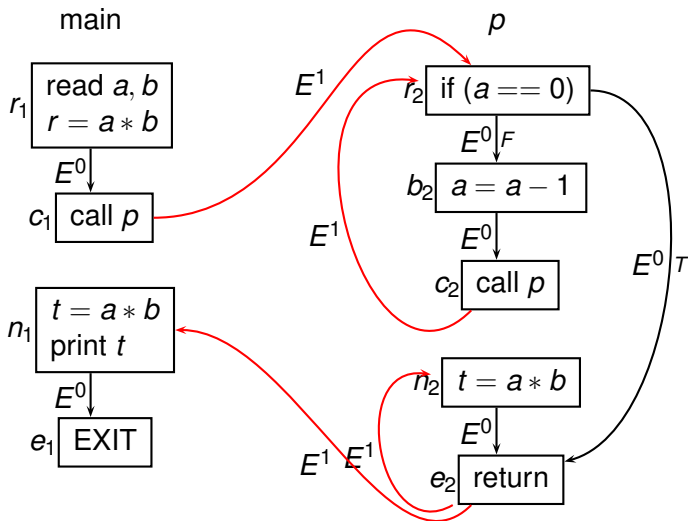
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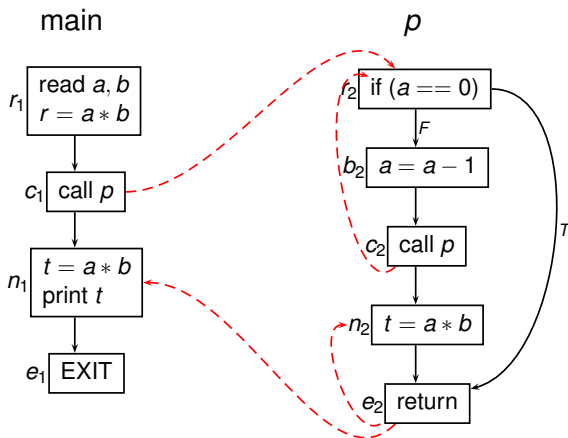
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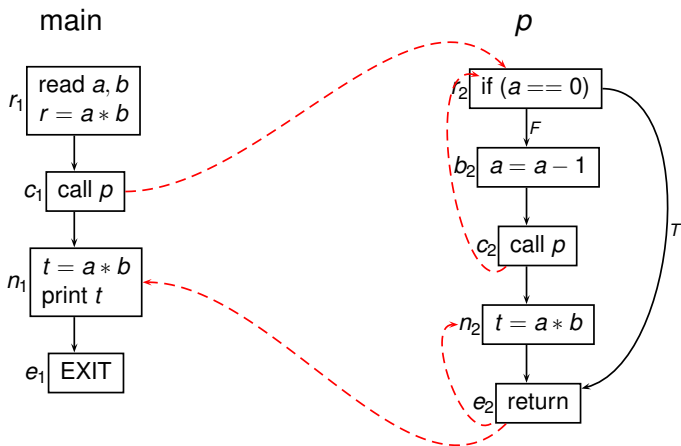
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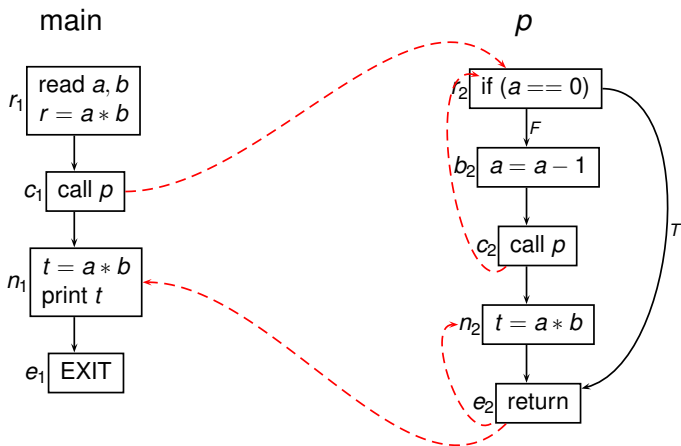


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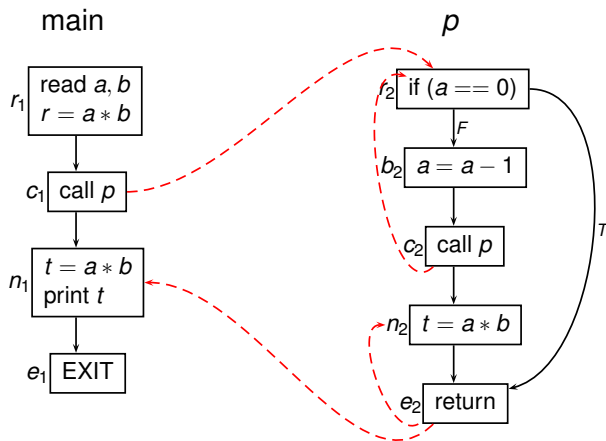
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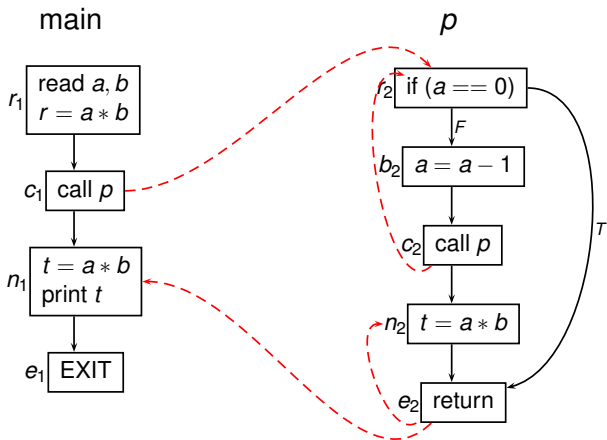
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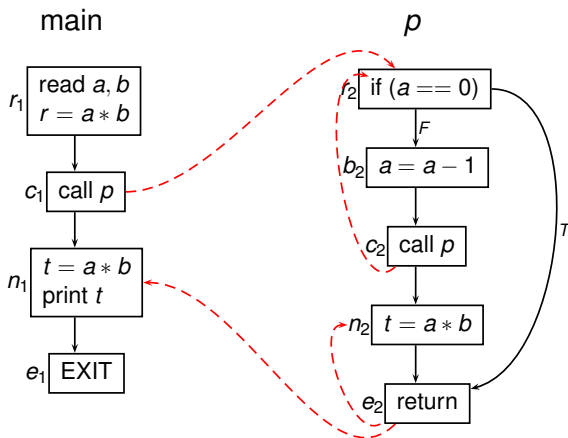
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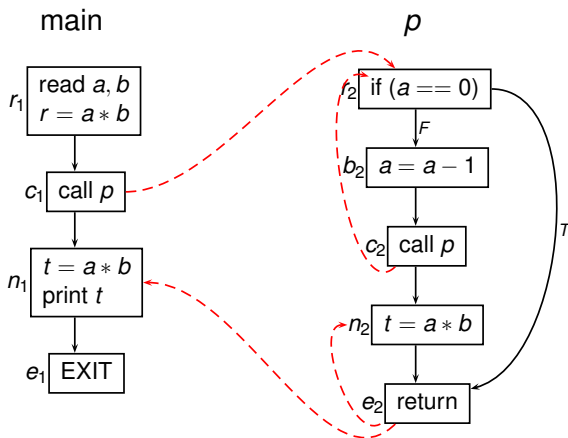
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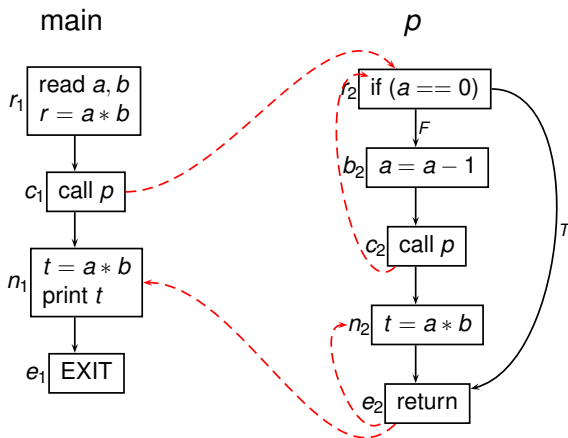
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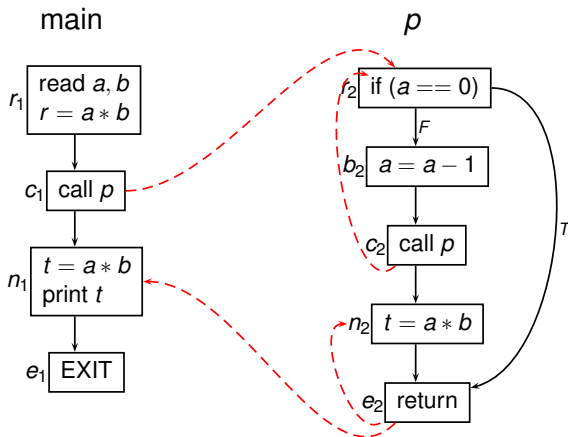
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Path Decomposition

$$q \in \text{IVP}(r_{\text{main}}, n)$$

\Leftrightarrow

$$q = q_1 \parallel (c_1, r_{p_2}) \parallel q_2 \parallel \cdots \parallel (c_{j-1}, r_{p_j}) \parallel q_j$$

where for each $i < j$, $q_i \in \text{IVP}_0(r_{p_i}, c_i)$ and $q_j \in \text{IVP}_0(r_{p_j}, n)$