

# CS 354 - Machine Organization & Programming

## Tuesday January 24 and Thursday January 26, 2023

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**Office Hours:** See **Lectures** link on Canvas course

### Lectures

♦ **Lecture 001 TR 9:30-10:45 AM 2650 Humanities**

Livestream link: [http://128.104.155.144/ClassroomStreams/humanities2650\\_stream.html](http://128.104.155.144/ClassroomStreams/humanities2650_stream.html)

♦ **Lecture 002 TR 2:30-3:45 PM 2340 Humanities Building**

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### Description

An introduction to fundamental structures of computer systems and the C programming language with a focus on the low-level interrelationships and impacts on performance. Topics include the virtual address space and virtual memory, the heap and dynamic memory management, the memory hierarchy and caching, assembly language and the stack, communication and interrupts/signals, assemblers/linkers and compiling.

### Today

Getting Started	C Program Structure
Welcome Course Info Getting Started in Linux EDIT COMPILE, RUN, DEBUG, SUBMIT	C Program Structure (L2-6) C Logical Control Flow, seq,sel,rep Recall Variables Meet Pointers

### Next Week

**Topics:** Pointers - 1D Arrays & Address Arithmetic, Passing Addresses

**Scan for review and try examples:**

K&R Ch. 2: Types, Operators, and Expressions

K&R Ch. 3: Control Flow

K&R Ch. 4: Functions & Program Structure

**Read and take notes before next week:**

K&R Ch. 5.1: Pointers and Addresses

K&R Ch. 5.2: Pointers and Function Arguments

K&R Ch. 5.3: Pointers and Arrays

K&R Ch. 5.4: Address Arithmetic

**Do:** Trace bingbangboom example on L2-6 to determine output, code up to verify  
Start on project p1 (available soon)

# Course Information

## Textbooks

- ♦ The C Programming Language, Kernighan & Ritchie, 2nd Ed., 1988
- ♦ Computer Systems: A Programmer's Perspective, Bryant & O'Hallaron, 2nd Ed, 2010  
Note: 3rd edition or finding an online pdf is fine. (I cannot post a link)

## Piazza

- ♦ is used for online course discussions and questions with classmates and the TAs about homeworks, projects, and course concepts as well as course logistics

## CS Account

- ♦ provides access to CS Linux Computers with dev tools (rooms 1366, 1355, 1358, **1368**)
- ♦ is needed to access your CS 354 student folder used for some course projects
- ♦ same user name/password as your prior CS 200/300 CS accounts
- ♦ IF YOU ARE NEW TO CS, go to "My CS Account" on the csl.cs.wisc.edu web page  
URL: <https://apps.cs.wisc.edu/accountapp/> (or see TA or Deb)

## TAs: Teaching Assistants

- ♦ are graduate students with backgrounds in computer architecture and systems
- ♦ help with course concepts, Linux, C tools and language, homeworks and projects
- ♦ do consulting in 1366 or 1368 CS Linux Computer Lab during scheduled hours, which are posted on course website's "TA Consulting" page

## PMs: Peer Mentors (available for in-person support for students)

- ♦ are undergraduate students that have recently completed CS 354
- ♦ hold drop-in hours and do a variety of activities to help students succeed, which are posted on course website's "PM Activities" page
- ♦ limited availability this semester as fewer students were available to hire

## Coursework

*Canvas will have all coursework hand in deadlines.*

### Exams (55%)

- ♦ Midterm (15%): ~~Thursday Oct 6th, 7:30 - 9:30 PM~~ Feb 23
- ♦ Midterm (18%): ~~Thursday Nov 10th, 7:30 - 9:30 PM~~ April 6
- ♦ Final (22%): ~~Dec 21st, 7:25 PM - 9:25 PM~~ May 10 2:45-4:45

*Conflict with these times? Complete the form at: <http://tiny.cc/cs354-conflicts>*

**Projects (30%):** 6 projects, posted on course website

**Homeworks (15%):** ~10 homework quizzes, posted on course website

# Getting Started in Linux

✳ *Use the CSL Linux computers for all CS 354 programming.* [IA-32](#)

## 1. Log in or connect remotely to any CSL Linux Workstation (computers)

a. open your computer's **terminal** application

b. enter **ssh cslogin@machine.network**

**cslogin**: your username for CSL workstations. <https://apps.cs.wisc.edu/accountapp/>

**machine**: a physical or virtual machine on the CSL network

emperor-01 ... emperor-07

rockhopper-01 ... rockhopper-09

royal-01 ... royal-30

snares-01 ... snares-10

vm-instunix-01 ... vm-instunix-99

**network**: the CSL's network is **cs.wisc.edu**

c. ssh **cslogin@best-linux.cs.wisc.edu** (runs script to find least busy workstation)

## Try some Linux Commands at the shell prompt

command shell [bash](#) [tcsh](#)

→ How do you:

list the contents of a directory? [ls](#)      Show details? Hidden files? [ls -l](#)   [ls -a](#)

get more information about commands? [man ls](#)

display what directory you're currently in? [pwd](#)

copy a file? [cp](#)   [scp](#)      remove a file? [rm](#)

move to another directory? [cd](#)      move "up" a directory? [cd ..](#)

make a new directory? [mkdir](#)

remove a directory? [rmdir](#)

rename a file or directory? [mv](#)

# EDIT -- Create your C source code file

## 1. Create new or open existing file in a text-only editor

```
$vim prog1.c
$vimtutor
```

→ Why vim? [Deb's like it](#)  
and  
other editors?

```
/* title:  First C Program
 * file:   prog1.c
 * author: Jim Skrentny
 */

#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>

int main(int argc, char *argv[]){

    // Create space to save string of characters
    char * input_string = malloc(128);

    // INPUT: prompt user for input
    printf("Enter your CS login: ");

    // INPUT: read keyboard input into input_string variable
    if ( fgets(input_string, 50, stdin) == NULL )
        fprintf(stderr, "Error reading user input.\n");

    // Replace '\n' with '\0'
    int len = strlen(input_string);
    if ( input_string[len - 1] == '\n' ) {
        input_string[len - 1] = '\0';
    }

    // OUTPUT: print CS login to terminal
    printf("Your login: %s\n", str);

    return 0;
}
```

imports

prog1.c

newline char and null char at end of string. ex.) "abc" = a b c \n null

flush buffer

len = 4

a b c \0 \0  
len = 3

# COMPILE, RUN, DEBUG, SUBMIT

## 2. Compile -- build executable from C source

```
$gcc prog1.c
```



OR

```
$gcc prog1.c -Wall -m32 -std=gnu99 -o prog1
```

rename output

## 3. Run -- run executable (program) from command line

```
$a.out
```

./a.out  
assembler output

→ Why a.out?

OR

```
$prog1
```

./prog1

## 4. Debug

1. Add print stmts: - printf("hello%s\n", varname)

2. Use gdb >gdb prog1

3. write test harness

%s = string  
%p = pointer  
%c = char

gdb commands:

b main

b f1

next

step

print

## 5. Submit work to Canvas assignment (required for projects)

- ◆ Secure copy from lab computer to your local machine

```
scp csLogin@best-linux.cs.wisc.edu:/path/to/remote/directory/srcfile local/destination
```

```
scp csLogin@best-linux.cs.wisc.edu:/p/course/CS354-deppeler/.vimrc
```

- ◆ Refresh Canvas assignment page and upload files from your local machine



# C Program Structure

✱ *Variables and functions must be declared before they're used.*

➤ What is output by the following code?

```
#include <stdio.h>

int bing(int x) {
    x = x + 3;
    printf("bing %d\n", x);
    return x - 1;
}

int bang(int x) {
    x = x + 2;
    x = bing(x);
    printf("BanG %d\n", x);
    return x - 2;
}

int main(void) {
    int x = 1;
    bang(x);
    printf("BOOM %d\n", x);

    return 0;
}
```

unless using CLAs

output

bing 6  
BanG 5  
Boom 1

## Functions

function: like a method in java

caller function: starts a new function

callee function: the function being started

## Functions Sharing Data

argument: data passed to a function

parameter: variables that store the data being passed

pass-by-value (passing in): copy of the argument value is made

return-by-value (passing out): copy of the return value

# C Logical Control Flow

## Sequencing

execution starts in main  
flows top to bottom  
one statement then, the next  
; terminates statements  
{ } indicate blocks of code

## Selection

→ Which value(s) means true?    **true**    42    -17    0

boolean and string not types in c    ?    T    T    F  
no boolean true value in c

if - else   like java

→ What is output by this code when money is 11, -11, 0?

```
if (money ≠ 0)      printf("you're broke\n");  
else if (money < 0) printf("you're in debt\n");  
else               printf("you've got money\n");
```

→ What is output by this code when the date is 10/31?

```
if ( 10 == month) {  
    if ( 31 == day)  
        printf("Happy Halloween!\n");  
    else  
        printf("It's not October.\n");  
}
```

use { } to avoid this

dangling else

switch   switch statements same as java

## C Logical Control Flow

### Repetition

```
int i = 0;
while (i < 11) {
    printf("%i\n", i);
    i++;
}
```

same as java

```
for (int j = 0; j < 11; ++j j++) {
    printf("%i\n", j);
}
```

```
int k = 0;
do {
    printf("%i\n", k);
    k++;
} while (k < 11);
```

↑ don't forget ;



# Recall Variables

char, int, double

**What?** A scalar variable is a primitive unit of storage

→ Draw a basic memory diagram for the variable in the following code:

```
void someFunction() {  
    int i = 44;  
}
```

name	value	type
i	3	int



## Aspects of a Variable

identifier: name

value: data stored

type: representation of data

\* IA32 architecture used for this class  
int = 4 bytes = 32 bits

address: starting location of variable's memory

size: number of bytes needed

\* A scalar variable used as a source operand

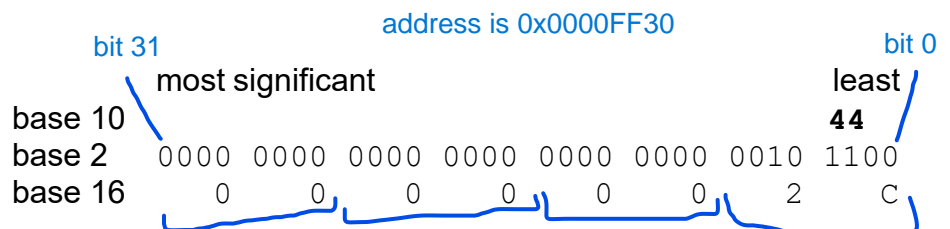
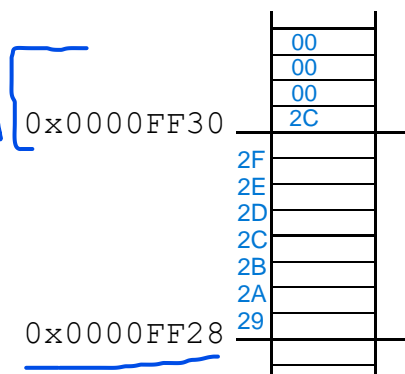
e.g., `printf("%i\n", i);`

\* A scalar variable used as a destination operand

e.g., `i = 11;`

## Linear Memory Diagram

A linear memory diagram is a view of memory as segments of bytes



32 bit address

byte addressability: each address identifies one byte

endianess: byte ordering for variables that require more than one byte

little endian: least significant byte at lowest address \* CS354/IA-32

big endian: most significant byte at lowest address

# Meet Pointers

**What?** A pointer variable is

- ◆ a scalar var whose value is a memory address
- ◆ similar to Java references

**Why?**

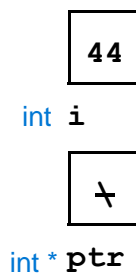
- ◆ for indirect access to memory
- ◆ for indirect access to functions
- ◆ they are common in C libraries
- ◆ for access to memory mapped hardware

**How?**

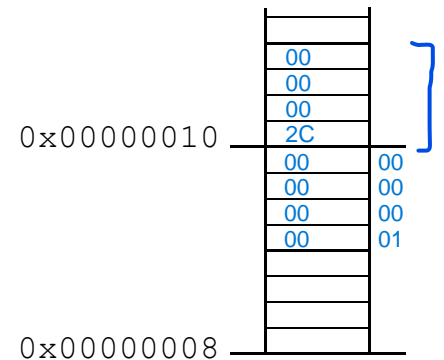
→ Consider the following code:

```
void someFunction() {  
    int i = 44;  
  
    int *ptr = NULL;  
  
    ptr = &i
```

Basic Diag.



Linear Diag.



→ What is ptr's initial value? 0x0 address? 0xC type? int \* size? 4  
0x0000000C

pointer: does the pointing, contains address of pointee

pointee: what is pointed at

& address of operator:

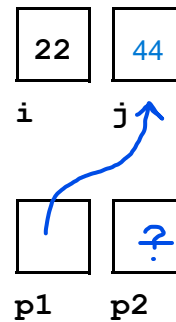
\* dereferencing operator:

## Practice Pointers

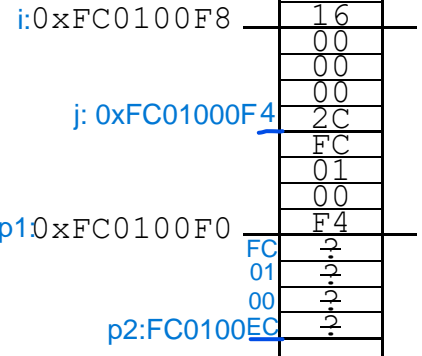
- Complete the following diagrams and code so that they all correspond to each other:

```
void someFunction() {
    int i = 22; 0x16
    int j = 44; 0x2C
    int *p1 = &j;
    int *p2; //at addr 0xFC0100EC
```

Basic Diag:



Linear Diag:



- What is p1's value? 0xFC0100F0

- Write the code to display p1's pointee's value.

```
printf("p1 pointee = %i \n", *p1);
```

- Write the code to display p1's value.

```
printf("p1 = %p \n", p1);
```

- Is it useful to know a pointer's exact value?

not usually .... (except maybe cs354)

- What is p2's value?

undefined / "uninitialized"

- Write the code to initialize p2 so that it points to nothing.

```
int *p2 = 0x0; or: int *p2 = NULL; (preferred method)
```

- What happens if the code below executes when p2 is NULL?

```
printf("%i\n", *p2);
```

SEG FAULT, no permission to read address 0x0

- What happens if the code below executes when p2 is uninitialized?

```
printf("%i\n", *p2); might be SEG FAULT, might be random value, might be 0
```

- Write the code to make p2 point to i.

```
p2 = &i;
```

- How many pointer variables are declared in the code below?

```
void someFunction() {
```

```
    int* p1, p2;
```

1 pointer, if you wanted to declare 2 pointers, do int \*p1, \*p2; (just use 2 lines though)

- What does the code below do?

```
int **q = &p1;
```

pointer to a pointer to an int

