CSE3030 (Introduction to Computer System)

Lab #1. Bit Lab

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About the Labs

- Labs will count for 25% of the total score in semester
- We will have three lab assignments
 - **Lab #1:** Bit Lab (5%)
 - **Lab #2:** Reversing Lab (10%)
 - **Lab #3:** Cache Lab (10%)
- Today: Lab #1 (Bit Lab)
 - Three small C programming exercises
 - Puzzles using bit-level operations (a.k.a. Data Lab in CSAPP)
- Another goal of this lab is getting familiar with Linux and learning how to work with the skeleton code

Remind: LLM (ChatGPT) Policy

- Remember that it is NOT allowed to use ChatGPT or other LLMs in the lab assignment
- Still, you may feel tempted to do that
 - Indeed, Lab #1 problems are relatively easy and you can quickly get the solution from ChatGPT (or by Googling)
- But remember: if you start relying on ChatGPT from now on, it will eventually limit your capability
 - You lose chance to practice and improve your skills, insights, etc.
- If you keep working on challenging problems on your own, you will surpass ChatGPT quite soon

General Information

- Check the Assignment tab of Cyber Campus
 - Skeleton code (Lab1.tgz) is attached together with this slide
 - Submission will be accepted in the same post, too
- Deadline: 4/3 Thursday 23:59
 - Late submission deadline: 4/5 Saturday 23:59 (-20% penalty)
 - Delay penalty is applied uniformly (not problem by problem)
- Please read the instructions in this slide carefully
 - This slide is a step-by-step tutorial for the lab
 - It also contains important submission guidelines
 - If you do not follow the guidelines, you will get penalty

Skeleton Code Structure

- **■** Copy Lab1.tgz into CSPRO server and decompress it
 - Recommend to use <u>cspro2.sogang.ac.kr</u> (**Ubuntu 20.04**)
 - Don't decompress-and-copy; copy-and-decompress
- 1-1~1-3: Each directory contains a problem
- **validate**: Verifies if your code satisfies the constraints
- check.py: Script for self-grading (explained later)
- config: Used by grading script (you may ignore)

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jason@ubuntu:~$ tar -xzf Lab1.tgz
jason@ubuntu:~$ ls Lab1/
1-1 1-2 1-3 check.py config validate
```

Problem Directory (Example: 1-1)

- bitMask.c: This is the only file that you have to fill in
 - Do not make any modification other files
- main.c: This program will test your bitMask.c code
- **Makefile: You can build the program by typing make**
 - If you have not heard of make or Makefile, take a brief look at makefiletutorial.com/
- **testcase:** Contains test cases and expected outputs

```
jason@ubuntu:~/Lab1/1-1$ ls
bitMask.c main.c Makefile testcase
jason@ubuntu:~/Lab1/1-1$ ls testcase/
ans-1 ans-2 tc-1 tc-2
```

Tasks to do

- For each problem, you have to implement a function
 - Read the comment in each file carefully: it tells you what to do, provides examples and specifies assumptions on inputs
- Problem 1-1 (bitMask.c)
 - bitMask(x): return a mask that has 32-x 0's followed by x 1's
- Problem 1-2 (absVal.c)
 - absVal(x): return the absolute value of x
- Problem 1-3 (conditional.c)
 - conditional(x, y, z): return z if x is 0, return y otherwise

Constraints

- There are some constraints that your code must satisfy
 - If your code does not satisfy them, you will get 0 point
 - Allowed operators: ! ~ & ^ | + << >>
 - Do NOT use other operators such as && | == < > ?
 - Use int type only
 - Do NOT use other primitive types or structure, array, etc.
 - Write straight-line code
 - Do NOT use any control constructs such as if, do, while, for, switch, etc.
 - Do NOT define or call any additional function
 - Also, do NOT include any header like #include <stdio.h>

Using the Validator

- You can use validate to confirm whether your code satisfies the previous constraints
 - It will print illegal points in the code you wrote
 - If it does not print anything, your code passed the validation

```
jason@ubuntu:~/Lab1$ cat 1-2/absVal.c
int absVal(int x) {
   if (x > 0)
     return x;
   else
     return -x;
}
jason@ubuntu:~/Lab1$ ./validate 1-2/absVal.c
dlc:1-2/absVal.c:2:absVal: Illegal operator (>)
dlc:1-2/absVal.c:5:absVal: Illegal if
```

Running Test Cases

- Once you compile the program by typing make, you can run it by providing the path of test case file
- Some test cases and their expected outputs are already provided in the testcase/ directory
 - Output of running tc-N must match with ans-N

```
jason@ubuntu:~/Lab1/1-1$ make
gcc bitMask.c main.c -o main.bin
jason@ubuntu:~/Lab1/1-1$ cat testcase/tc-2
31
jason@ubuntu:~/Lab1/1-1$ cat testcase/ans-2
0x7fffffff
jason@ubuntu:~/Lab1/1-1$ ./main.bin testcase/tc-2
0x7fffffff
```

Self-Grading

- Once you think everything is done, run check.py to confirm that you pass all the provided test cases
 - Each character in the result has following meaning:

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'O': correct, 'X': wrong,'C': compile error, 'T': timeout'I': failed to pass the validator, 'E': runtime error
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So you must ensure that ./check.py prints '0' for all the cases

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jason@ubuntu:~/Lab1$ ./check.py
[*] 1-1: 00
[*] 1-2: II
[*] 1-3: XX
```

Test Cases for Grading

- I will use different test case set to grade your code
 - This means even if you pass all the provided test cases, it does not guarantee that you will get 100 pt.
- So you are encouraged to run your code with your own test cases (try to think of various inputs)
- Some students ask me to provide more test cases, but it is important to practice this on your own

Problem Information

- Three problems in total
 - Problem 1-1: 30 pt.
 - Problem 1-2: 35 pt.
 - Problem 1-3: 35 pt.
- You will get the point for each problem based on the number of test cases that your code passes
 - Ex) If you pass half of the test cases during the grading, you will get 50% of the point

Submission Guideline

- You should submit three C source files
 - Problem 1-1: bitMask.c
 - Problem 1-2: absVal.c
 - Problem 1-3: conditional.c
- If the submitted file does not compile by typing "make" command, cannot give you any point for that problem
- Submission format
 - Upload these files directly to Cyber Campus (do not zip them)
 - Do not change the file name (e.g., adding any prefix or suffix)
 - If your submission format is wrong, you will get -20% penalty