

A tour of CPython's bytecode compiler

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...and how **you can speed up every Python process on the planet!**

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- 2017: Started using Python.
- 2018: Contributed code to CPython.
- 2019: Joined Python's Triage Team.
- 2020: Joined Python's Core Development Team.
- 2021: Joined Microsoft's CPython Performance Engineering Team.
- 2022: Made CPython 3.11 25% faster!

Microsoft's CPython Performance Engineering Team

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    def __del__(self):
        global resurrected
        resurrected = self
```

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- Reference implementation of Python
- Used by ~100% of Python programmers
- Reference-counted (augmented with cyclic stop-the-world GC)
- Has an incredibly rich ecosystem of third-party C extensions
- Maintained by a few dozen active "core developers"
- Free and open-source
- `python/cpython`

CPython

CPython's Bytecode

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```
class Point:
    def __init__(self, x, y):
        self.x = x
        self.y = y

    def shifted(self, dx, dy):
        x = dx + self.x
        y = dy + self.y
        cls = type(self)
        return cls(x, y)
```

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0x02
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0x00
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0x04
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"\n"
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CPython's Tokenizer

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    | a=compound_stmt { (asdl_stmt_seq*)_PyPegen_singleton_seq(p, a) }  
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simple_stmt[stmt_ty] (memo):
    | assignment
    | e=star_expressions { _PyAST_Expr(e, EXTRA) }
    | &'return' return_stmt
    | &('import' | 'from') import_stmt
    | &'raise' raise_stmt
    | 'pass' { _PyAST_Pass(EXTRA) }
    | &'del' del_stmt
    | &'yield' yield_stmt
    | &'assert' assert_stmt
    | 'break' { _PyAST_Break(EXTRA) }
    | 'continue' { _PyAST_Continue(EXTRA) }
    | &'global' global_stmt
    | &'nonlocal' nonlocal_stmt
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    | a=NAME ':' b=expression c=['=' d=annotated_rhs { d }] {
        CHECK_VERSION(
            stmt_ty,
            6,
            "Variable annotation syntax is",
            _PyAST_AnnAssign(CHECK(expr_ty, _PyPegen_set_expr_context(p, a, Store)), b, c, 1, EXTRA)
        ) }
    | a=('(' b=single_target ')') { b }
        | single_subscript_attribute_target) ':' b=expression c=['=' d=annotated_rhs { d }] {
            CHECK_VERSION(stmt_ty, 6, "Variable annotations syntax is", _PyAST_AnnAssign(a, b, c, 0, EXTRA)) }
    | a[asdl_expr_seq*]=(z=star_targets '=' { z })+ b=(yield_expr | star_expressions) !=' tc=[TYPE_COMMENT] {
        _PyAST_Assign(a, b, NEW_TYPE_COMMENT(p, tc), EXTRA) }
    | a=single_target b=augassign ~ c=(yield_expr | star_expressions) {
        _PyAST_AugAssign(a, b->kind, c, EXTRA) }
    | invalid_assignment
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    | a=simple_stmt !';' NEWLINE { (asdl_stmt_seq*)_PyPegen_singleton_seq(p, a) }
simple_stmt[stmt_ty] (memo):
    | assignment
assignment[stmt_ty]:
    | a[asdl_expr_seq*]=(z=star_targets '=' { z })+ b=(yield_expr | star_expressions) !=' tc=[TYPE_COMMENT] {
        _PyAST_Assign(a, b, NEW_TYPE_COMMENT(p, tc), EXTRA) }
star_targets[expr_ty]:
    | a=star_target !',' { a }
    | a=star_target b=(',', c=star_target { c })* [','] {
        _PyAST_Tuple(CHECK(asdl_expr_seq*, _PyPegen_seq_insert_in_front(p, a, b)), Store, EXTRA) }
```

CPython's Parser

```
statements[asdl_stmt_seq*]:
    | a=statement+ { (asdl_stmt_seq*)_PyPegen_seq_flatten(p, a) }
statement[asdl_stmt_seq*]:
    | a[asdl_stmt_seq*]=simple_stmts { a }
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        _PyAST_Assign(a, b, NEW_TYPE_COMMENT(p, tc), EXTRA) }
star_targets[expr_ty]:
    | a=star_target !',' { a }
star_target[expr_ty] (memo):
    | '*' a=(! '*' star_target) {
        _PyAST_Starred(CHECK(expr_ty, _PyPegen_set_expr_context(p, a, Store)), Store, EXTRA) }
    | target_with_star_atom
```


CPython's Parser

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    | target_with_star_atom
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star_targets[expr_ty]:
    | a=star_target !',' { a }
star_target[expr_ty] (memo):
    | target_with_star_atom
target_with_star_atom[expr_ty] (memo):
    | a=t_primary '.' b=NAME !t_lookahead { _PyAST_Attribute(a, b->v.Name.id, Store, EXTRA) }
    | a=t_primary '[' b=slices ']' !t_lookahead { _PyAST_Subscript(a, b, Store, EXTRA) }
    | star_atom
```

CPython's Parser

```
statements[asdl_stmt_seq*]:
    | a=statement+ { (asdl_stmt_seq*)_PyPegen_seq_flatten(p, a) }
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star_targets[expr_ty]:
    | a=star_target !',' { a }
star_target[expr_ty] (memo):
    | target_with_star_atom
target_with_star_atom[expr_ty] (memo):
    | star_atom
```

CPython's Parser

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star_targets[expr_ty]:
    | a=star_target !',' { a }
star_target[expr_ty] (memo):
    | target_with_star_atom
target_with_star_atom[expr_ty] (memo):
    | star_atom
star_atom[expr_ty]:
    | a=NAME { _PyPegen_set_expr_context(p, a, Store) }
    | '(' a=target_with_star_atom ')' { _PyPegen_set_expr_context(p, a, Store) }
    | '(' a=[star_targets_tuple_seq] ')' { _PyAST_Tuple(a, Store, EXTRA) }
    | '[' a=[star_targets_list_seq] ']' { _PyAST_List(a, Store, EXTRA) }
```

CPython's Parser

```
statements[asdl_stmt_seq*]:
    | a=statement+ { (asdl_stmt_seq*)_PyPegen_seq_flatten(p, a) }
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    | a[asdl_stmt_seq*]=simple_stmts { a }
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star_targets[expr_ty]:
    | a=star_target !',' { a }
star_target[expr_ty] (memo):
    | target_with_star_atom
target_with_star_atom[expr_ty] (memo):
    | star_atom
star_atom[expr_ty]:
    | a=NAME { _PyPegen_set_expr_context(p, a, Store) }
```

CPython's Parser

```
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    | a=statement+ { (asdl_stmt_seq*)_PyPegen_seq_flatten(p, a) }
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    | a[asdl_stmt_seq*]=simple_stmts { a }
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    | a=star_target !',' { a }
star_target[expr_ty] (memo):
    | target_with_star_atom
target_with_star_atom[expr_ty] (memo):
    | star_atom
star_atom[expr_ty]:
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```

CPython's Parser

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simple_stmt[stmt_ty] (memo):
    | assignment
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    | a[asdl_expr_seq*]=(z=star_targets '=' { z })+ b=(yield_expr | star_expressions) !=' tc=[TYPE_COMMENT] {
        _PyAST_Assign(a, b, NEW_TYPE_COMMENT(p, tc), EXTRA) }
```

CPython's Parser

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        _PyAST_Assign(a, b, NEW_TYPE_COMMENT(p, tc), EXTRA) }
star_expressions[expr_ty]:
    | a=star_expression b=(',', c=star_expression { c })+ [','] {
        _PyAST_Tuple(CHECK(asdl_expr_seq*, _PyPegen_seq_insert_in_front(p, a, b)), Load, EXTRA) }
    | a=star_expression ',' { _PyAST_Tuple(CHECK(asdl_expr_seq*, _PyPegen_singleton_seq(p, a)), Load, EXTRA) }
    | star_expression
```


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simple_stmt[stmt_ty] (memo):
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star_expressions[expr_ty]:
    | star_expression
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        _PyAST_Assign(a, b, NEW_TYPE_COMMENT(p, tc), EXTRA) }
star_expressions[expr_ty]:
    | star_expression
star_expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | '*' a=bitwise_or { _PyAST_Starred(a, Load, EXTRA) }
    | expression
```

CPython's Parser

```
statements[asdl_stmt_seq*]:
    | a=statement+ { (asdl_stmt_seq*)_PyPegen_seq_flatten(p, a) }
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    | a[asdl_stmt_seq*]=simple_stmts { a }
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star_expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | expression
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        _PyAST_Assign(a, b, NEW_TYPE_COMMENT(p, tc), EXTRA) }
star_expressions[expr_ty]:
    | star_expression
star_expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | expression
expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | invalid_expression
    | invalid_legacy_expression
    | a=disjunction 'if' b=disjunction 'else' c=expression { _PyAST_IfExp(b, a, c, EXTRA) }
    | disjunction
    | lambda_def
```

CPython's Parser

```
statements[asdl_stmt_seq*]:
    | a=statement+ { (asdl_stmt_seq*)_PyPegen_seq_flatten(p, a) }
statement[asdl_stmt_seq*]:
    | a[asdl_stmt_seq*]=simple_stmts { a }
simple_stmts[asdl_stmt_seq*]:
    | a=simple_stmt !';' NEWLINE { (asdl_stmt_seq*)_PyPegen_singleton_seq(p, a) }
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    | star_expression
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    | disjunction
```

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expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | disjunction
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        _PyAST_Assign(a, b, NEW_TYPE_COMMENT(p, tc), EXTRA) }
star_expressions[expr_ty]:
    | star_expression
star_expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | expression
expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | disjunction
...
sum[expr_ty]:
    | a=sum '+' b=term { _PyAST_BinOp(a, Add, b, EXTRA) }
    | a=sum '-' b=term { _PyAST_BinOp(a, Sub, b, EXTRA) }
    | term
```

CPython's Parser

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statements[asdl_stmt_seq*]:
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    | a[asdl_stmt_seq*]=simple_stmts { a }
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star_expressions[expr_ty]:
    | star_expression
star_expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | expression
expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | disjunction
...
sum[expr_ty]:
    | a=sum '+' b=term { _PyAST_BinOp(a, Add, b, EXTRA) }
```


CPython's Parser

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star_expressions[expr_ty]:
    | star_expression
star_expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | expression
expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | disjunction
...
sum[expr_ty]:
    | a=sum '+' b=term { _PyAST_BinOp(a, Add, b, EXTRA) }
...
```

CPython's Parser

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    | star_expression
star_expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | expression
expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | disjunction
...
sum[expr_ty]:
    | a=sum '+' b=term { _PyAST_BinOp(a, Add, b, EXTRA) }
...
primary[expr_ty]:
    | a=primary '.' b=NAME { _PyAST_Attribute(a, b->v.Name.id, Load, EXTRA) }
    | atom
```

CPython's Parser

```
statements[asdl_stmt_seq*]:
    | a=statement+ { (asdl_stmt_seq*)_PyPegen_seq_flatten(p, a) }
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simple_stmt[stmt_ty] (memo):
    | assignment
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        _PyAST_Assign(a, b, NEW_TYPE_COMMENT(p, tc), EXTRA) }
star_expressions[expr_ty]:
    | star_expression
star_expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | expression
expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | disjunction
...
sum[expr_ty]:
    | a=sum '+' b=term { _PyAST_BinOp(a, Add, b, EXTRA) }
...
primary[expr_ty]:
    | a=primary '.' b=NAME { _PyAST_Attribute(a, b->v.Name.id, Load, EXTRA) }
    | atom
atom[expr_ty]:
    | NAME
```

CPython's Parser

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statements[asdl_stmt_seq*]:
    | a=statement+ { (asdl_stmt_seq*)_PyPegen_seq_flatten(p, a) }
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        _PyAST_Assign(a, b, NEW_TYPE_COMMENT(p, tc), EXTRA) }
star_expressions[expr_ty]:
    | star_expression
star_expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | expression
expression[expr_ty] (memo):
    | disjunction
...
sum[expr_ty]:
    | a=sum '+' b=term { _PyAST_BinOp(a, Add, b, EXTRA) }
...
primary[expr_ty]:
    | a=primary '.' b=NAME { _PyAST_Attribute(a, b->v.Name.id, Load, EXTRA) }
    | atom
atom[expr_ty]:
    | NAME
```

CPython's Parser

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
    value=BinOp(  
        left=Name("dy", Load()),  
        op=Add(),  
        right=Attribute(  
            value=Name("self", Load()),  
            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
```

CPython's Parser

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
    value=BinOp(  
        left=Name("dy", Load()),  
        op=Add(),  
        right=Attribute(  
            value=Name("self", Load()),  
            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
```

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("cls", Store())],  
    value=Call(  
        func=Name("type", Load()),  
        args=[Name("self", Load())],  
        keywords=[],  
    ),  
)
```

CPython's Symbol Table

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Assign(  
    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
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            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
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    ),  
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```

Optimization

Optimization

- Static single assignment form
- Common subexpression elimination
- Sparse conditional constant propagation
- Copy propagation
- Strength reduction
- Bounds-check elimination
- Loop-invariant code motion
- Loop fission/fusion/splitting/unrolling/unswitching

Optimization

- Build IR
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- Build IR
- Profiling
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- Compilation

Optimization

- Constant Folding
- Dead Code Elimination
- Jump Threading
- Liveness Analysis
- Peephole Optimizations

Constant Folding

AST Optimizer

AST Optimizer

`-(1 << (128 - 1))`

AST Optimizer

```
# -(1 << (128 - 1))
```

```
UnaryOp(  
    op=USub(),  
    operand=BinOp(  
        left=Constant(value=1),  
        op=LShift(),  
        right=BinOp(  
            left=Constant(value=128),  
            op=Sub(),  
            right=Constant(value=1),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
```

AST Optimizer

```
# -(1 << (128 - 1))
```

```
UnaryOp(  
  op=USub(),  
  operand=BinOp(  
    left=Constant(value=1),  
    op=LShift(),  
    right=BinOp(  
      left=Constant(value=128),  
      op=Sub(),  
      right=Constant(value=1),  
    ),  
  ),  
)
```

AST Optimizer

```
# -(1 << 127)
```

```
UnaryOp(  
    op=USub(),  
    operand=BinOp(  
        left=Constant(value=1),  
        op=LShift(),  
        right=Constant(value=127),  
    ),  
)
```


AST Optimizer

$-(1 \ll 127)$

```
UnaryOp(  
    op=USub( ),  
    operand=BinOp(  
        left=Constant(value=1),  
        op=LShift(),  
        right=Constant(value=127),  
    ),  
)
```

AST Optimizer

```
# -170141183460469231731687303715884105728
```

```
UnaryOp(  
    op=USub( ),  
    operand=Constant(value=170141183460469231731687303715884105728),  
)
```

AST Optimizer

```
# -170141183460469231731687303715884105728
```

```
UnaryOp(  
    op=USub( ),  
    operand=Constant(value=170141183460469231731687303715884105728),  
)
```

AST Optimizer

```
# -170141183460469231731687303715884105728
```

```
Constant(value=-170141183460469231731687303715884105728)
```

AST Optimizer

```
( "Spam" , "eggs" )
```

AST Optimizer

```
# ( "Spam", "eggs" )
```

```
Tuple(  
    elts=[  
        Constant(value="Spam"),  
        Constant(value="eggs"),  
    ],  
    ctx=Load(),  
)
```

AST Optimizer

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```

```
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        Constant(value="eggs"),  
    ],  
    ctx=Load(),  
)
```

AST Optimizer

```
# ( "Spam", "eggs" )
```

```
Constant(  
    value=( "Spam", "eggs" )  
)
```


CPython's Compiler

CPython's Compiler

- Instruction
 - Integer opcode
 - Integer oparg
 - Location information
- Compiler
 - Symbol table
 - Instruction sequence
 - Memory arena
 - Stack of exception handling blocks
- Control-flow graph
 - Singly-linked list of basic blocks
- Basic block
 - Instruction sequence
 - Metadata
- Assembler
 - Final instruction sequence
 - Exception table
 - Location table

CPython's Compiler

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
    value=BinOp(  
        left=Name("dy", Load()),  
        op=Add(),  
        right=Attribute(  
            value=Name("self", Load()),  
            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
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Assign(  
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)
```

```
case Assign_kind:  
    VISIT(c, expr, s->v.Assign.value);  
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CPython's Compiler

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Assign(  
    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
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        op=Add(),  
        right=Attribute(  
            value=Name("self", Load()),  
            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
```

```
case BinOp_kind:  
    VISIT(c, expr, e->v.BinOp.left);  
    VISIT(c, expr, e->v.BinOp.right);  
    ADDOP_BINARY(c, loc, e->v.BinOp.op);
```

CPython's Compiler

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
    value=BinOp(  
        left=Name("dy", Load()),  
        op=Add(),  
        right=Attribute(  
            value=Name("self", Load()),  
            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
```

```
case Name_kind:  
    compiler_nameop(c, loc, e->v.Name.id, e->v.Name.ctx);
```

CPython's Compiler

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
    value=BinOp(  
        left=Name("dy", Load()),  
        op=Add(),  
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            value=Name("self", Load()),  
            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
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```

LOAD_FAST (dy)

CPython's Compiler

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        left=Name("dy", Load()),  
        op=Add(),  
        right=Attribute(  
            value=Name("self", Load()),  
            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
```

```
case Attribute_kind:  
    VISIT(c, expr, e->v.Attribute.value);  
    ADDOP_NAME(c, loc, LOAD_ATTR, e->v.Attribute.attr);
```

LOAD_FAST (dy)

CPython's Compiler

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
    value=BinOp(  
        left=Name("dy", Load()),  
        op=Add(),  
        right=Attribute(  
            value=Name("self", Load()),  
            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
```

```
case Name_kind:  
    compiler_nameop(c, loc, e->v.Name.id, e->v.Name.ctx);
```

LOAD_FAST (dy)

CPython's Compiler

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
    value=BinOp(  
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        right=Attribute(  
            value=Name("self", Load()),  
            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
```

```
case Name_kind:  
    compiler_nameop(c, loc, e->v.Name.id, e->v.Name.ctx);
```

```
LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)
```

CPython's Compiler

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
    value=BinOp(  
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        op=Add(),  
        right=Attribute(  
            value=Name("self", Load()),  
            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
```

```
case Attribute_kind:  
    VISIT(c, expr, e->v.Attribute.value);  
    ADDOP_NAME(c, loc, LOAD_ATTR, e->v.Attribute.attr);
```

```
LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)
```

CPython's Compiler

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
    value=BinOp(  
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            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
```

```
case Attribute_kind:  
    VISIT(c, expr, e->v.Attribute.value);  
    ADDOP_NAME(c, loc, LOAD_ATTR, e->v.Attribute.attr);
```

```
LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)  
LOAD_ATTR    (y)
```

CPython's Compiler

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
    value=BinOp(  
        left=Name("dy", Load()),  
        op=Add(),  
        right=Attribute(  
            value=Name("self", Load()),  
            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
```

```
case BinOp_kind:  
    VISIT(c, expr, e->v.BinOp.left);  
    VISIT(c, expr, e->v.BinOp.right);  
    ADDOP_BINARY(c, loc, e->v.BinOp.op);
```

```
LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)  
LOAD_ATTR    (y)
```

CPython's Compiler

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
    value=BinOp(  
        left=Name("dy", Load()),  
        op=Add(),  
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            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
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)
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    VISIT(c, expr, e->v.BinOp.left);  
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```

```
LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)  
LOAD_ATTR    (y)  
BINARY_OP    (+)
```

CPython's Compiler

```
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    targets=[Name("y", Store())],  
    value=BinOp(  
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        op=Add(),  
        right=Attribute(  
            value=Name("self", Load()),  
            attr="y",  
            ctx=Load(),  
        ),  
    ),  
)
```

```
case Name_kind:  
    compiler_nameop(c, loc, e->v.Name.id, e->v.Name.ctx);
```

```
LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)  
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BINARY_OP    (+)
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    ),  
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```

```
LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)  
LOAD_ATTR    (y)  
BINARY_OP    (+)  
STORE_FAST   (y)
```


CPython's Compiler

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("cls", Store())],  
    value=Call(  
        func=Name("type", Load()),  
        args=[Name("self", Load())],  
        keywords=[],  
    ),  
)
```

LOAD_FAST	(dy)
LOAD_FAST	(self)
LOAD_ATTR	(y)
BINARY_OP	(+)
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    targets=[Name("cls", Store())],  
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```
case Call_kind:  
    VISIT(c, expr, e->v.Call.func);  
    VISIT_SEQ(c, expr, e->v.Call.args);  
    ADDOP_I(c, loc, CALL, asdl_seq_LEN(e->v.Call.args));
```

```
LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)  
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BINARY_OP    (+)  
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```
case Name_kind:  
    compiler_nameop(c, loc, e->v.Name.id, e->v.Name.ctx);
```

```
LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
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LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)  
LOAD_ATTR    (y)  
BINARY_OP    (+)  
STORE_FAST   (y)  
LOAD_GLOBAL  (type)
```

CPython's Compiler

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("cls", Store())],  
    value=Call(  
        func=Name("type", Load()),  
        args=[Name("self", Load())],  
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    ),  
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LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
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LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)  
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)
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    VISIT(c, expr, e->v.Call.func);  
    VISIT_SEQ(c, expr, e->v.Call.args);  
    ADDOP_I(c, loc, CALL, asdl_seq_LEN(e->v.Call.args));
```

```
LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)  
LOAD_ATTR    (y)  
BINARY_OP    (+)  
STORE_FAST   (y)  
LOAD_GLOBAL  (type)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)
```


CPython's Compiler

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("cls", Store())],  
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        func=Name("type", Load()),  
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    ),  
)
```

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```

```
LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)  
LOAD_ATTR    (y)  
BINARY_OP    (+)  
STORE_FAST   (y)  
LOAD_GLOBAL  (type)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)  
CALL         (1)
```

CPython's Compiler

```
Assign(  
    targets=[Name("cls", Store())],  
    value=Call(  
        func=Name("type", Load()),  
        args=[Name("self", Load())],  
        keywords=[],  
    ),  
)
```

```
case Name_kind:  
    compiler_nameop(c, loc, e->v.Name.id, e->v.Name.ctx);
```

```
LOAD_FAST    (dy)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)  
LOAD_ATTR    (y)  
BINARY_OP    (+)  
STORE_FAST    (y)  
LOAD_GLOBAL  (type)  
LOAD_FAST    (self)  
CALL         (1)
```

CPython's Compiler

```
if test:
    x = "Spam"
else:
    x = "eggs"
```

CPython's Compiler

```
# if test:
#     x = "Spam"
# else:
#     x = "eggs"

If(
    test=Name(id="test", ctx=Load()),
    body=[
        Assign(
            targets=[Name(id="x", ctx=Store())],
            value=Constant(value="Spam"),
        )
    ],
    orelse=[
        Assign(
            targets=[Name(id="x", ctx=Store())],
            value=Constant(value="eggs"),
        )
    ]
)
```

CPython's Compiler

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# if test:
#     x = "Spam"
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If(
    test=Name(id="test", ctx=Load()),
    body=[
        Assign(
            targets=[Name(id="x", ctx=Store())],
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        )
    ],
    orelse=[
        Assign(
            targets=[Name(id="x", ctx=Store())],
            value=Constant(value="eggs"),
        )
    ]
)
```

```
case If_kind:
    NEW_JUMP_TARGET_LABEL(c, orelse);
    NEW_JUMP_TARGET_LABEL(c, end);
    VISIT(c, expr, s->v.If.test);
    ADDOP_JUMP(c, LOC(e), POP_JUMP_IF_FALSE, orelse);
    VISIT_SEQ(c, stmt, s->v.If.body);
    ADDOP_JUMP(c, NO_LOCATION, JUMP, end);
    USE_LABEL(c, orelse);
    VISIT_SEQ(c, stmt, s->v.If.orelse);
    USE_LABEL(c, end);
```

CPython's Compiler

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# if test:
#     x = "Spam"
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If(
    test=Name(id="test", ctx=Load()),
    body=[
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            targets=[Name(id="x", ctx=Store())],
            value=Constant(value="Spam"),
        )
    ],
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#     x = "Spam"
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If(
    test=Name(id="test", ctx=Load()),
    body=[
        Assign(
            targets=[Name(id="x", ctx=Store())],
            value=Constant(value="Spam"),
        )
    ],
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        Assign(
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            value=Constant(value="eggs"),
        )
    ]
)
```

```
case If_kind:
    NEW_JUMP_TARGET_LABEL(c, orelse);
    NEW_JUMP_TARGET_LABEL(c, end);
    VISIT(c, expr, s->v.If.test);
    ADDOP_JUMP(c, LOC(e), POP_JUMP_IF_FALSE, orelse);
    VISIT_SEQ(c, stmt, s->v.If.body);
    ADDOP_JUMP(c, NO_LOCATION, JUMP, end);
    USE_LABEL(c, orelse);
    VISIT_SEQ(c, stmt, s->v.If.orelse);
    USE_LABEL(c, end);

    LOAD_FAST        ("test")
```

CPython's Compiler

```
# if test:
#     x = "Spam"
# else:
#     x = "eggs"

If(
    test=Name(id="test", ctx=Load()),
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            targets=[Name(id="x", ctx=Store())],
            value=Constant(value="Spam"),
        )
    ],
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            value=Constant(value="eggs"),
        )
    ]
)
```

```
case If_kind:
    NEW_JUMP_TARGET_LABEL(c, orelse);
    NEW_JUMP_TARGET_LABEL(c, end);
    VISIT(c, expr, s->v.If.test);
    ADDOP_JUMP(c, LOC(e), POP_JUMP_IF_FALSE, orelse);
    VISIT_SEQ(c, stmt, s->v.If.body);
    ADDOP_JUMP(c, NO_LOCATION, JUMP, end);
    USE_LABEL(c, orelse);
    VISIT_SEQ(c, stmt, s->v.If.orelse);
    USE_LABEL(c, end);

    LOAD_FAST          ("test")
    POP_JUMP_IF_FALSE (orelse)
```


CPython's Compiler

```
# if test:
#     x = "Spam"
# else:
#     x = "eggs"

If(
    test=Name(id="test", ctx=Load()),
    body=[
        Assign(
            targets=[Name(id="x", ctx=Store())],
            value=Constant(value="Spam"),
        )
    ],
    orelse=[
        Assign(
            targets=[Name(id="x", ctx=Store())],
            value=Constant(value="eggs"),
        )
    ]
)
```

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case If_kind:
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    ADDOP_JUMP(c, NO_LOCATION, JUMP, end);
    USE_LABEL(c, orelse);
    VISIT_SEQ(c, stmt, s->v.If.orelse);
    USE_LABEL(c, end);

    LOAD_FAST        ("test")
    POP_JUMP_IF_FALSE (orelse)
    LOAD_CONST        ("eggs")
    STORE_FAST        (x)
```

CPython's Compiler

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    ADDOP_JUMP(c, NO_LOCATION, JUMP, end);
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    USE_LABEL(c, end);

    LOAD_FAST        ("test")
    POP_JUMP_IF_FALSE (orelse)
    LOAD_CONST       ("eggs")
    STORE_FAST       (x)
    JUMP             (end)

orelse:
```

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    VISIT_SEQ(c, stmt, s->v.If.body);
    ADDOP_JUMP(c, NO_LOCATION, JUMP, end);
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    USE_LABEL(c, end);

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    LOAD_CONST     ("eggs")
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        )
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    VISIT_SEQ(c, stmt, s->v.If.body);
    ADDOP_JUMP(c, NO_LOCATION, JUMP, end);
    USE_LABEL(c, orelse);
    VISIT_SEQ(c, stmt, s->v.If.orelse);
    USE_LABEL(c, end);

        LOAD_FAST        ("test")
        POP_JUMP_IF_FALSE (orelse)
        LOAD_CONST        ("eggs")
        STORE_FAST        (x)
        JUMP              (end)
    orelse: LOAD_CONST        ("eggs")
            STORE_FAST        (x)

end:
```

Other Optimizations

Other Optimizations

- Peephole optimizations
 - More constant folding
 - `[LOAD_CONST("Spam"), LOAD_CONST("eggs"), BUILD_TUPLE(2)]`
 - `[NOP(), NOP(), LOAD_CONST(("Spam", "eggs"))]`
 - Basic dead code elimination
 - `[LOAD_CONST(False), POP_JUMP_IF_TRUE(...)]`
 - `[NOP(), NOP()]`
 - Limited jump threading
 - `JUMP_IF_TRUE_OR_POP(a) -> POP_JUMP_IF_TRUE(b)`
 - `POP_JUMP_IF_TRUE(b)`
 - Some instruction combining
 - `[LOAD_CONST(None), IS_OP(1), POP_JUMP_IF_TRUE(...)]`
 - `[NOP(), NOP(), POP_JUMP_IF_NOT_NONE(...)]`
 - `[LOAD_CONST(42), RETURN_VALUE()]`
 - `[NOP(), RETURN_CONST(42)]`
 - SWAP-timization
- Basic liveness analysis
- Move "statically cold" code out-of-line
- Small exit block inlining

CPython's *Assembler*

CPython's Assembler

- Fix up jumps
- Compute all jump offsets
- Emit all instructions

CPython's Bytecode

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```
dis.dis(Point.shifted)
```

y = dy + self.y	LOAD_FAST	(dy)
cls = type(self)	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	LOAD_ATTR	(y)
	BINARY_OP	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL	(1)
	STORE_FAST	(cls)

Superinstructions

dis.dis(Point.shifted)

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	LOAD_ATTR	(y)
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	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL	(1)
	STORE_FAST	(cls)

Superinstructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

<code>y = dy + self.y</code>	LOAD_FAST	(dy)
<code>cls = type(self)</code>	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	LOAD_ATTR	(y)
	BINARY_OP	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL	(1)
	STORE_FAST	(cls)

Superinstructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

<code>y = dy + self.y</code>	<code>LOAD_FAST</code>	<code>(dy)</code>
<code>cls = type(self)</code>	<code>LOAD_FAST</code>	<code>(self)</code>
	<code>LOAD_ATTR</code>	<code>(y)</code>
	<code>BINARY_OP</code>	<code>(+)</code>
	<code>STORE_FAST</code>	<code>(y)</code>
	<code>LOAD_GLOBAL</code>	<code>(type)</code>
	<code>LOAD_FAST</code>	<code>(self)</code>
	<code>CALL</code>	<code>(1)</code>
	<code>STORE_FAST</code>	<code>(cls)</code>

Superinstructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

y = dy + self.y	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy, self)
cls = type(self)	LOAD_ATTR	(y)
	BINARY_OP	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL	(1)
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Adaptive Instructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

<code>y = dy + self.y</code>	<code>LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST</code>	<code>(dy, self)</code>
<code>cls = type(self)</code>	<code>LOAD_ATTR</code>	<code>(y)</code>
	<code>BINARY_OP</code>	<code>(+)</code>
	<code>STORE_FAST</code>	<code>(y)</code>
	<code>LOAD_GLOBAL</code>	<code>(type)</code>
	<code>LOAD_FAST</code>	<code>(self)</code>
	<code>CALL</code>	<code>(1)</code>
	<code>STORE_FAST</code>	<code>(cls)</code>

Adaptive Instructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

y = dy + self.y	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy, self)
cls = type(self)	LOAD_ATTR	(y)
	BINARY_OP	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL	(1)
	STORE_FAST	(cls)

Specialized Instructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

<code>y = dy + self.y</code>	<code>LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST</code>	<code>(dy, self)</code>
<code>cls = type(self)</code>	<code>LOAD_ATTR</code>	<code>(y)</code>
	<code>BINARY_OP</code>	<code>(+)</code>
	<code>STORE_FAST</code>	<code>(y)</code>
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dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

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	BINARY_OP	(+)
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	LOAD_FAST	(self)
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Specialized Instructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

y = dy + self.y	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy, self)
cls = type(self)	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)
	BINARY_OP	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL	(1)
	STORE_FAST	(cls)

LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE

- Check if the class is the same as last time.
- Check if the object's `__dict__` keys are the same as last time.
- Reach directly into the `__dict__` values at the same offset as last time.
- Return the result.

LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE

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- Check if the object's `__dict__` keys are the same as last time.
- Reach directly into the `__dict__` values at the same offset as last time.
- Return the result.

LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE

```
inst(LOAD_ATTR, (owner -- res2 if (oparg & 1), res)) {
    PyObject *name = GETITEM(names, oparg >> 1);
    if (oparg & 1) {
        PyObject* meth = NULL;
        if (_PyObject_GetMethod(owner, name, &meth)) {
            res2 = meth;
            res = owner;
        }
        else {
            Py_DECREF(owner);
            ERROR_IF(meth == NULL, error);
            res2 = NULL;
            res = meth;
        }
    }
    else {
        res = PyObject_GetAttr(owner, name);
        Py_DECREF(owner);
        ERROR_IF(res == NULL, error);
    }
}
```

LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE

```
inst(LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE, (owner -- res2 if (oparg & 1), res)) {
    PyTypeObject *tp = Py_TYPE(owner);
    DEOPT_IF(tp->tp_version_tag != type_version, LOAD_ATTR);
    PyDictOrValues dorv = *_PyObject_DictOrValuesPointer(owner);
    DEOPT_IF(!_PyDictOrValues_IsValues(dorv), LOAD_ATTR);
    res = _PyDictOrValues_GetValues(dorv)->values[index];
    DEOPT_IF(res == NULL, LOAD_ATTR);
    Py_INCREF(res);
    res2 = NULL;
    Py_DECREF(owner);
}
```


LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE

Specialized Instructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

<code>y = dy + self.y</code>	<code>LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST</code>	<code>(dy, self)</code>
<code>cls = type(self)</code>	<code>LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE</code>	<code>(y)</code>
	<code>BINARY_OP</code>	<code>(+)</code>
	<code>STORE_FAST</code>	<code>(y)</code>
	<code>LOAD_GLOBAL</code>	<code>(type)</code>
	<code>LOAD_FAST</code>	<code>(self)</code>
	<code>CALL</code>	<code>(1)</code>
	<code>STORE_FAST</code>	<code>(cls)</code>

Specialized Instructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

y = dy + self.y	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy, self)
cls = type(self)	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)
	BINARY_OP	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL	(1)
	STORE_FAST	(cls)

Specialized Instructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

y = dy + self.y	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy, self)
cls = type(self)	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)
	BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL	(1)
	STORE_FAST	(cls)

BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT

- Check if the left object's class is `float`.
- Check if the right object's class is `float`.
- Add the values together.
- Return the result.

BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT

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- Check if the right object's class is `float`.
- Add the values together.
- Return the result.

`BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT`

```
inst(BINARY_OP, (lhs, rhs -- res)) {  
    res = binary_ops[oparg](lhs, rhs);  
    Py_DECREF(lhs);  
    Py_DECREF(rhs);  
    ERROR_IF(res == NULL, error);  
}
```

BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT

```
inst(BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT, (left, right -- sum)) {  
    DEOPT_IF(!PyFloat_CheckExact(left), BINARY_OP);  
    DEOPT_IF(Py_TYPE(right) != Py_TYPE(left), BINARY_OP);  
    double dsum = ((PyFloatObject *)left)->ob_fval + ((PyFloatObject *)right)->ob_fval;  
    sum = PyFloat_FromDouble(dsum);  
    _Py_DECREF_SPECIALIZED(right, _PyFloat_ExactDealloc);  
    _Py_DECREF_SPECIALIZED(left, _PyFloat_ExactDealloc);  
    ERROR_IF(sum == NULL, error);  
}
```


BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT

Specialized Instructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

y = dy + self.y	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy, self)
cls = type(self)	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)
	BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL	(1)
	STORE_FAST	(cls)

Specialized Instructions

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dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
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cls = type(self)	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)
	BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL	(1)
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Specialized Instructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

y = dy + self.y	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy, self)
cls = type(self)	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)
	BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL	(1)
	STORE_FAST	(cls)

LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN

- Check if the globals dictionary keys are the same as last time.
- Check if the built-in dictionary keys are the same as last time.
- Reach directly into the built-in values at the same offset as last time.
- Return the result.

LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN

- Check if the globals dictionary keys are the same as last time.
- Check if the built-in dictionary keys are the same as last time.
- Reach directly into the built-in values at the same offset as last time.
- Return the result.

LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN

```
inst(LOAD_GLOBAL, ( -- null if (oparg & 1), v)) {
    PyObject *name = GETITEM(names, oparg>>1);
    if (PyDict_CheckExact(GLOBALS()) && PyDict_CheckExact(BUILTINS())) {
        v = _PyDict_LoadGlobal((PyDictObject *)GLOBALS(), (PyDictObject *)BUILTINS(), name);
        if (v == NULL) {
            if (!_PyErr_Occurred(tstate)) {
                format_exc_check_arg(tstate, PyExc_NameError, NAME_ERROR_MSG, name);
            }
            ERROR_IF(true, error);
        }
        Py_INCREF(v);
    }
    else {
        v = PyObject_GetItem(GLOBALS(), name);
        if (v == NULL) {
            ERROR_IF(!_PyErr_ExceptionMatches(tstate, PyExc_KeyError), error);
            _PyErr_Clear(tstate);
            v = PyObject_GetItem(BUILTINS(), name);
            if (v == NULL) {
                if (_PyErr_ExceptionMatches(tstate, PyExc_KeyError)) {
                    format_exc_check_arg(tstate, PyExc_NameError, NAME_ERROR_MSG, name);
                }
                ERROR_IF(true, error);
            }
        }
    }
}
null = NULL;
}
```

LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN

```
inst(LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN, ( -- null if (oparg & 1), res)) {
    DEOPT_IF(!PyDict_CheckExact(GLOBALS()), LOAD_GLOBAL);
    DEOPT_IF(!PyDict_CheckExact(BUILTINS()), LOAD_GLOBAL);
    PyDictObject *mdict = (PyDictObject *)GLOBALS();
    PyDictObject *bdict = (PyDictObject *)BUILTINS();
    DEOPT_IF(mdict->ma_keys->dk_version != mod_version, LOAD_GLOBAL);
    DEOPT_IF(bdict->ma_keys->dk_version != bltn_version, LOAD_GLOBAL);
    PyDictUnicodeEntry *entries = DK_UNICODE_ENTRIES(bdict->ma_keys);
    res = entries[index].me_value;
    DEOPT_IF(res == NULL, LOAD_GLOBAL);
    Py_INCREF(res);
    null = NULL;
}
```


LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN

Specialized Instructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

y = dy + self.y	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy, self)
cls = type(self)	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)
	BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL	(1)
	STORE_FAST	(cls)

Specialized Instructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

y = dy + self.y	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy, self)
cls = type(self)	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)
	BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL	(1)
	STORE_FAST	(cls)

Specialized Instructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

y = dy + self.y	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy, self)
cls = type(self)	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)
	BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1	(1)
	STORE_FAST	(cls)

CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1

- Check if the object we're calling is still `type`.
- Get the argument's class.
- Return the result.

CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1

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- Get the argument's class.
- Return the result.

CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1

```
inst(CALL, (method, callable, args[oparg] -- res)) {
    int is_meth = method != NULL;
    int total_args = oparg;
    if (is_meth) {
        callable = method;
        args--;
        total_args++;
    }
    if (!is_meth && Py_TYPE(callable) == &PyMethod_Type) {
        is_meth = 1;
        args--;
        total_args++;
        PyObject *self = ((PyMethodObject *)callable)->im_self;
        args[0] = Py_NewRef(self);
        method = ((PyMethodObject *)callable)->im_func;
        args[-1] = Py_NewRef(method);
        Py_DECREF(callable);
        callable = method;
    }
    int positional_args = total_args - KWNAMES_LEN();
    if (Py_TYPE(callable) == &PyFunction_Type && tstate->interp->eval_frame == NULL && ((PyFunctionObject *)callable)->vectorcall == _PyFunction_Vectorcall) {
        int code_flags = ((PyCodeObject*)PyFunction_GET_CODE(callable))->co_flags;
        PyObject *locals = code_flags & CO_OPTIMIZED ? NULL : Py_NewRef(PyFunction_GET_GLOBALS(callable));
        _PyInterpreterFrame *new_frame = _PyEvalFramePushAndInit(tstate, (PyFunctionObject *)callable, locals, args, positional_args, kwnames);
        kwnames = NULL;
        STACK_SHRINK(oparg + 2);
        if (new_frame == NULL) {
            goto error;
        }
        JUMPBY(INLINE_CACHE_ENTRIES_CALL);
        DISPATCH_INLINED(new_frame);
    }
    if (cframe.use_tracing) {
        res = trace_call_function(tstate, callable, args, positional_args, kwnames);
    }
    else {
        res = PyObject_Vectorcall(callable, args, positional_args | PY_VECTORCALL_ARGUMENTS_OFFSET, kwnames);
    }
    kwnames = NULL;
    Py_DECREF(callable);
    for (int i = 0; i < total_args; i++) {
        Py_DECREF(args[i]);
    }
    ERROR_IF(res == NULL, error);
    CHECK_EVAL_BREAKER();
}
```

CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1

```
inst(CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1, (null, callable, args[oparg] -- res)) {  
    DEOPT_IF(null != NULL, CALL);  
    PyObject *obj = args[0];  
    DEOPT_IF(callable != (PyObject *)&PyType_Type, CALL);  
    res = Py_NewRef(Py_TYPE(obj));  
    Py_DECREF(obj);  
    Py_DECREF(&PyType_Type);  
}
```


CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1

Specialized Instructions

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

y = dy + self.y	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy, self)
cls = type(self)	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)
	BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
	LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN	(type)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
	CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1	(1)
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	<code>BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT</code>	<code>(+)</code>
	<code>STORE_FAST</code>	<code>(y)</code>
	<code>LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN</code>	<code>(type)</code>
	<code>LOAD_FAST</code>	<code>(self)</code>
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	<code>BINARY_OP_ADD_INT</code>	<code>(+)</code>
	<code>STORE_FAST</code>	<code>(y)</code>
	<code>LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN</code>	<code>(type)</code>
	<code>LOAD_FAST</code>	<code>(self)</code>
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LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dy, self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (y)
BINARY_OP_ADD_INT         (+)
STORE_FAST                 (y)
LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN       (type)
LOAD_FAST                  (self)
CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1         (1)
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```


Inline Caches

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

```
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dy, self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (y)
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STORE_FAST                 (y)
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CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1         (1)
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Inline Caches

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True, show_caches=True)
```

```
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dy, self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (y)
BINARY_OP_ADD_INT          (+)
STORE_FAST                 (y)
LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN        (type)
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dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True, show_caches=True)
```

```
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dy, self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (y)
BINARY_OP_ADD_INT          (+)
```

```
STORE_FAST                (y)
LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN        (type)
LOAD_FAST                  (self)
CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1          (1)
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```

Inline Caches

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True, show_caches=True)
```

LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy, self)
CACHE	(oparg)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)
CACHE	(counter)
CACHE	(version)
CACHE	(version)
CACHE	(version)
CACHE	(version)
CACHE	(pointer)
CACHE	(pointer)
CACHE	(pointer)
CACHE	(pointer)
BINARY_OP_ADD_INT	(+)
CACHE	(counter)

STORE_FAST	(y)
LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN	(type)
CACHE	(counter)
CACHE	(index)
CACHE	(version)
CACHE	(version)
LOAD_FAST	(self)
CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1	(1)
CACHE	(counter)
CACHE	(version)
CACHE	(version)
CACHE	(args)
STORE_FAST	(cls)

Inline Caches

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True, show_caches=True)
```

```
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dy, self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (y)
BINARY_OP_ADD_INT          (+)
```

```
STORE_FAST                (y)
LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN        (type)
LOAD_FAST                  (self)
CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1          (1)
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```

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LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dy, self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (y)
BINARY_OP_ADD_INT          (+)
STORE_FAST                 (y)
LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN        (type)
LOAD_FAST                  (self)
CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1          (1)
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```

Inline Caches

dis.dis(Point.shifted)

```
LOAD_FAST      (dy)
LOAD_FAST      (self)
LOAD_ATTR      (y)
BINARY_OP      (+)
STORE_FAST     (y)
LOAD_GLOBAL    (type)
LOAD_FAST      (self)
CALL           (1)
STORE_FAST     (cls)
```


Bytecode

`dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)`

RESUME		LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN	(type)
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dx)	LOAD_FAST	(self)
LOAD_FAST	(self)	CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1	(1)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(x)	STORE_FAST	(cls)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)	PUSH_NULL	
STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(x)	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(cls)
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy)	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(x)
LOAD_FAST	(self)	LOAD_FAST	(y)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)	CALL	(2)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)	RETURN_VALUE	
STORE_FAST	(y)		

Bytecode

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

RESUME		LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN	(type)
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dx)	LOAD_FAST	(self)
LOAD_FAST	(self)	CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1	(1)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(x)	STORE_FAST	(cls)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)	PUSH_NULL	
STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(x)	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(cls)
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy)	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(x)
LOAD_FAST	(self)	LOAD_FAST	(y)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)	CALL	(2)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)	RETURN_VALUE	
STORE_FAST	(y)		

Bytecode

```
dis.dis(Point.shifted, adaptive=True)
```

RESUME		LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN	(type)
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dx)	LOAD_FAST	(self)
LOAD_FAST	(self)	CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1	(1)
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BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)	PUSH_NULL	
STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(x)	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(cls)
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dy)	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(x)
LOAD_FAST	(self)	LOAD_FAST	(y)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)	CALL	(2)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)	RETURN_VALUE	
STORE_FAST	(y)		

Source Code

```
RESUME
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dx)
LOAD_FAST                  (self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (x)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT       (+)
STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST     (x)
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dy)
LOAD_FAST                  (self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (y)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT       (+)
STORE_FAST                (y)

LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN      (type)
LOAD_FAST                (self)
CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1        (1)
STORE_FAST               (cls)
PUSH_NULL
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST     (cls)
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST     (x)
LOAD_FAST                (y)
CALL                      (2)
RETURN_VALUE
```

Source Code

```
x = dx + self.x
```

```
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dy)
LOAD_FAST                  (self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (y)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT        (+)
STORE_FAST                 (y)
```

```
LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN      (type)
LOAD_FAST                 (self)
CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1        (1)
STORE_FAST                (cls)
PUSH_NULL
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (cls)
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (x)
LOAD_FAST                 (y)
CALL                      (2)
RETURN_VALUE
```

Source Code

```
x = dx + self.x
```

```
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CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1 (1)
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PUSH_NULL
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LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST (x)
LOAD_FAST (y)
CALL (2)
RETURN_VALUE
```

Source Code

```
x = dx + self.x
```

```
y = dy + self.y
```

```
cls = type(self)
```

```
PUSH_NULL  
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST (cls)  
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST (x)  
LOAD_FAST (y)  
CALL (2)  
RETURN_VALUE
```

Source Code

```
x = dx + self.x
```

```
y = dy + self.y
```

```
cls = type(self)
```

```
return cls(x, y)
```


Source Code

```
class Point:
    def __init__(self, x, y):
        self.x = x
        self.y = y

    def shifted(self, dx, dy):
        x = dx + self.x
        y = dy + self.y
        cls = type(self)
        return cls(x, y)
```

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        cls = type(self)
        return cls(x, y)
```

Specialist

```
class Point:
    def __init__(self, x, y):
        self.x = x
        self.y = y

    def shifted(self, dx, dy):
        x = dx + self.x
        y = dy + self.y
        cls = type(self)
        return cls(x, y)
```

Specialist

\$ specialist --blue point.py

```
class Point:
    def __init__(self, x, y):
        self.x = x
        self.y = y

    def shifted(self, dx, dy):
        x = dx + self.x
        y = dy + self.y
        cls = type(self)
        return cls(x, y)
```

Specialist

\$ specialist --blue point.py

```
import typing

class Point:
    def __init__(self, x, y):
        self.x = x
        self.y = y

    def shifted(self, dx, dy):
        x = dx + self.x
        y = dy + self.y
        cls = type(self)
        return cls(x, y)

def actually_run_something():
    p = Point(3.14, 2.72)
    for i in range(100):
        p = p.shifted(19.95, 12.06)

if __name__ == "__main__":
    actually_run_something()
```

Specialist

```
$ specialist --blue point.py
```

```
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    for i in range(100):  
        p = p.shifted(19.95, 12.06)  
  
if __name__ == "__main__":  
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```

Specialist

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Specialist

LATEST

V0.4.1

RELEASED

OCTOBER

BUILD

PASSING

ISSUES

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Specialist uses [fine-grained location](#) information to create visual representations of exactly *where* and *how* CPython 3.11's new [specializing, adaptive interpreter](#) optimizes your code.

```
def encode_decode(key: str, text: str) -> str:
    out = []
    for i, t in enumerate(text):
        k = key[i % len(key)]
        out.append(chr(ord(t) ^ ord(k)))
    return "".join(out)
```

Installation

Specialist supports CPython 3.11+ on all platforms.

To install, just run:

```
$ pip install specialist
```

Future Work

Register VM

Register VM

- Zhang, Qiang, Lei Xu, and Baowen Xu. "RegCPython: A Register-based Python Interpreter for Better Performance." *ACM Transactions on Architecture and Code Optimization* 20, no. 1 (2022): 1-25.

Register VM

```
y = dy + self.y  
cls = type(self)
```

```
LOAD_FAST      (dy)  
LOAD_FAST      (self)  
LOAD_ATTR      (y)  
BINARY_OP      (+)  
STORE_FAST     (y)  
LOAD_GLOBAL    (type)  
LOAD_FAST      (self)  
CALL           (1)  
STORE_FAST     (cls)
```

Register VM

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BINARY_OP      (+)  
STORE_FAST     (y)  
LOAD_GLOBAL    (type)  
LOAD_FAST      (self)  
CALL           (1)  
STORE_FAST     (cls)
```

Register VM

```
y = dy + self.y  
cls = type(self)
```

```
LOAD_ATTR    (%0, self, y)  
BINARY_OP    (y, +, dy, %0)
```

```
LOAD_GLOBAL  (%0, type)
```

```
CALL         (cls, %0, 1, self)
```

Register VM

```
y = dy + self.y  
cls = type(self)
```

```
LOAD_ATTR      (%0, self, y)  
BINARY_OP      (y, +, dy, %0)  
LOAD_GLOBAL    (%0, type)  
CALL           (cls, %0, 1, self)
```

Register VM

- Work was based on 3.10...
- Unsolved issues:
 - Keeping objects alive too long (perhaps indefinitely)
 - Clobber analysis

Lazy Basic Block Versioning

Lazy Basic Block Versioning

- Chevalier-Boisvert, Maxime, and Marc Feeley. "Simple and effective type check removal through lazy basic block versioning." *arXiv preprint arXiv:1411.0352* (2014).
- Chevalier-Boisvert, Maxime, Noah Gibbs, Jean Boussier, Si Xing Wu, Aaron Patterson, Kevin Newton, and John Hawthorn. "YJIT: a basic block versioning JIT compiler for CRuby." In *Proceedings of the 13th ACM SIGPLAN International Workshop on Virtual Machines and Intermediate Languages*, pp. 25-32. 2021.

Lazy Basic Block Versioning

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x = dx + self.x  
y = dy + self.y  
cls = type(self)  
return cls(x, y)
```

Lazy Basic Block Versioning

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y = dy + self.y
cls = type(self)
return cls(x, y)
```

```
RESUME
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dx, self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (x)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT       (+)
STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST     (x, dy)
LOAD_FAST                  (self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (y)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT       (+)
STORE_FAST                 (y)
LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN       (type)
LOAD_FAST                  (self)
CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1         (1)
STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST     (cls, cls)
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (x, y)
CALL_NO_KW_ALLOC_AND_INIT (1)
RETURN_VALUE
```

Lazy Basic Block Versioning

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RESUME
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dx, self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (x)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT       (+)
STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST     (x, dy)
LOAD_FAST                 (self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (y)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT       (+)
STORE_FAST                (y)
LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN       (type)
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STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST     (cls, cls)
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (x, y)
CALL_NO_KW_ALLOC_AND_INIT (1)
RETURN_VALUE
```

Lazy Basic Block Versioning

```
RESUME
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dx, self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (x)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT       (+)
STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST     (x, dy)
LOAD_FAST                  (self)
LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (y)
BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT       (+)
STORE_FAST                 (y)
LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN        (type)
LOAD_FAST                  (self)
CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1         (1)
STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST     (cls, cls)
LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (x, y)
CALL_NO_KW_ALLOC_AND_INIT (1)
RETURN_VALUE
```

Lazy Basic Block Versioning

```
BB-0A: RESUME
        LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dx, self)
BB-1A: LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (x)
BB-2A: BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT      (+)
        STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST     (x, dy)
        LOAD_FAST                 (self)
BB-3A: LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (y)
BB-4A: BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT      (+)
        STORE_FAST               (y)
BB-5A: LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN      (type)
        LOAD_FAST                (self)
BB-6A: CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1        (1)
        STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST     (cls, cls)
        LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (x, y)
BB-7A: CALL_NO_KW_ALLOC_AND_INIT (1)
        RETURN_VALUE
```

Lazy Basic Block Versioning

BB-0A:	RESUME		
	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dx, self)	
BB-1A:	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(x)	BB-1B: LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE (x)
BB-2A:	BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)	
	STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(x, dy)	
	LOAD_FAST	(self)	
BB-3A:	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)	BB-3B: LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE (y)
BB-4A:	BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)	
	STORE_FAST	(y)	
BB-5A:	LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN	(type)	
	LOAD_FAST	(self)	
BB-6A:	CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1	(1)	
	STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(cls, cls)	
	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(x, y)	
BB-7A:	CALL_NO_KW_ALLOC_AND_INIT	(1)	BB-7B: CALL_NO_KW_ALLOC_AND_INIT (1)
	RETURN_VALUE		RETURN_VALUE

Lazy Basic Block Versioning

```
BB-0A: RESUME
        LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (dx, self)
BB-1A: LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (x)
BB-2A: BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT      (+)
        STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST     (x, dy)
        LOAD_FAST                 (self)
BB-3A: LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE  (y)
BB-4A: BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT      (+)
        STORE_FAST                 (y)
BB-5A: LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN      (type)
        LOAD_FAST                 (self)
BB-6A: CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1        (1)
        STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST     (cls, cls)
        LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST      (x, y)
BB-7A: CALL_NO_KW_ALLOC_AND_INIT (1)
        RETURN_VALUE
```


Lazy Basic Block Versioning

BB-0A:	RESUME		
	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dx, self)	
BB-1A:	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(x)	
BB-2A:	BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)	BB-2B: BINARY_OP_ADD_INT (+)
	STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(x, dy)	STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST (x, dy)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)	LOAD_FAST (self)
BB-3A:	LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)	
BB-4A:	BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)	BB-4B: BINARY_OP_ADD_INT (+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)	STORE_FAST (y)
BB-5A:	LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN	(type)	
	LOAD_FAST	(self)	
BB-6A:	CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1	(1)	
	STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(cls, cls)	
	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(x, y)	
BB-7A:	CALL_NO_KW_ALLOC_AND_INIT	(1)	
	RETURN_VALUE		

Lazy Basic Block Versioning

BB-0A: RESUME		
	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(dx, self)
BB-1A: LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(x)	BB-1B: LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE (x)
BB-2A: BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)	BB-2B: BINARY_OP_ADD_INT (+)
	STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(x, dy)
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
BB-3A: LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE	(y)	BB-3B: LOAD_ATTR_INSTANCE_VALUE (y)
BB-4A: BINARY_OP_ADD_FLOAT	(+)	BB-4B: BINARY_OP_ADD_INT (+)
	STORE_FAST	(y)
BB-5A: LOAD_GLOBAL_BUILTIN	(type)	
	LOAD_FAST	(self)
BB-6A: CALL_NO_KW_TYPE_1	(1)	
	STORE_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(cls, cls)
	LOAD_FAST__LOAD_FAST	(x, y)
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Other Ideas

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- Deferred reference counting on the stack using tagged pointers.
- Better benchmarks, with more emphasis on modern idioms.
- ...?

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