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A DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF CODE GENERATION (C-F07)
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Initial program fed to compiler:

```
int g;
                        // a global array
int dog(int x, y)
                       // two arguments
                        // local variable
       int z;
                        // expression using local vars
       z = x + y;
                       // expression using local and global vars
       return q*z;
}
int h[10];
                        // global array
void cat(int x[], y) // two arguments one of which is an array
       int z[10];
                        // a local array
       z[8] = z[9];
                        // regular local array stuff
       h[8] = h[9];
                        // regular global array stuff
                     // parm array on right hand side
                       // parm array on right hand side
       z[7] = x[y];
       x[7] = z[y];
}
void main()
       int a[10];
                     // local array
       int b;
                       // local var
       dog(b, 999); // call dog
       cat(a, 6);
                        // call cat
       b = dog(777,888); // get return value from call to dog
}
```

Semantic Analysis

Besides doing the type checking of the tree during traversal this will annotate the nodes in the tree with the data necessary for code generation phase. FOFFSET is used to hold the local offset GOFFSET is used to hold the global offset.

```
// enter scope of dog in symbol table
                         // foffset=-2
int dog(int x, y)
                         // decl node for x is annotated with
                              location: -2, size: 1, referenceType: parameter
                         // update local offset
                         // decl node for y is annotated with
                              location: -3, size: 1, referenceType: parameter
                         // update local offset
{
        int z;
                         // decl node for z is annotated with
                              location: -4, size: 1, referenceType: local
                         // update local offset
                         // annotate the id nodes with location/size/referenceType
        z = x + y;
via
                              lookup in symbol table
                         // annotate the id nodes with location/size/referenceType
        return g*z;
via
                              lookup in symbol table
}
                         // save size of frame (5) for dog in global symbol dog.
                                This is in foffset.
                         //
                         // exit scope of dog in symbol table
int h[10];
                         // decl node is for global variable annotated with
                              location: -2, size: 10+1 for array size,
referenceType: global
                              allocate 1 for size, then 10 for the array it self.
                         //
Location
                              is arrav itself
                         // update goffset=-12
                         // enter scope of cat in symbol table
                         // foffset=-2
void cat(int x[], y)
                         // decl node for x is annotated with
                              location: -2, size: 1, referenceType: parameter
                         //
                              (arrays are passed by reference and so size is 1.
                         //
                                 see code generation section.)
                         // update local offset foffset=-3
                         // decl node for y is annotated with
                              location: -3, size: 1, referenceType: parameter
                         // update local offset foffset=-4
{
        int z[10];
                         // decl node for z is annotated with
                         // location: -5, size: 10+1 for size, referenceType:
local
                         // update local offset foffset=-15
        z[8] = z[9];
                         // annotate the id nodes with location/size/referenceType
via
                              lookup in symbol table
        h[8] = h[9];
                         // annotate the id nodes with location/size/referenceType
via
                              lookup in symbol table
                         // annotate the id nodes with location/size/referenceType
        z[7] = x[y];
via
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lookup in symbol table
        x[7] = z[y];
                         // annotate the id nodes with location/size/referenceType
via
                              lookup in symbol table
}
                         // save size of frame (15) for cat in global symbol cat.
                               This is the value of the foffset.
                         // exit scope of cat in symbol table
                         // enter scope of main in symbol table
                         // foffset=-2
void main()
        int a[10];
                         // decl node for a is annotated with
                              location: -3, size: 10+1, referenceType: local
                         // update local offset foffset=-13
                         // decl node for b is annotated with
        int b;
                              location: -13, size: 1, referenceType: local
                         // update local offset
        dog(b, 999);
                         // annotate the id node with location/size/referenceType
via
                              lookup in symbol table
                         // annotate the func node with size via symbol table
                         // annotate the id node with location/size/referenceType
        cat(a, 6);
via
                              lookup in symbol table
                         // annotate the func node with size via symbol table
        b = dog(777,888); // annotate id nodes with location/size/referenceType via
                              lookup in symbol table
                         // annotate the func node with size via symbol table
}
                         // save size of frame (14) for main in global
                         // symbol dog. This is foffset. exit scope
                         // of cat in symbol table
```

Code Generation

Now we traverse the tree again using the information at each node to tell us what instructions to generate. The information we need will be:

- 1. the size of the global space so you know where to put the frame for main. Get this from goffset.
- 2. the symbol table, which at the end of the semantic phase contains all the global symbols. This is used to look up a function location at call time.
- 3. the annotated tree from the semantic phase. This has all of the sizes and locations of the data elements attached to each ID

You will need to keep track of a compile-time variable called toffset

which is the temporary offset during compilation.

First let's look at the memory layout by looking at the example code below and the configuration of memory using tm. We will stop the code at four spots and look at memory. This can be done using the breakpoint command in tm.

```
Consider this code:
int g;
int dog(int x, y)
        int z;
        z = 300;
                          <- stop point D at SECOND call to dog inside expression
                          <- stop point B in first call to dog
        z = x + y;
        return q*z;
}
int h[10];
void cat(int x[], y)
{
        int z[10];
        z[0] = 500;
        z[9] = 509;
                          <- stop point C
        z[8] = z[9];
        h[8] = h[9];
        z[7] = x[y];
        x[7] = z[y];
}
void main()
        int a[10];
        int b;
        a[0] = 100;
        a[9] = 109;
        b = 200;
        g = 300;
        h[0] = 400;
        h[9] = 409;
                        <- stop point A
        dog(b, 999);
        cat(a, 6);
        b = 555 * (666 + dog(777,888));
}
At stop point A:
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```
Enter command: r
r[0]: 9999
              r[1]: 9987
                            r[2]: 0
                                          r[3]: 409
r[4]: 9
              r[5]: 9988
                            r[6]: 0
                                          r[7]: 148
Enter command: d 9999 -40
 addr: value
                 instr that last assigned this loc
 9999:
         300
                 133
                              <- g
                                           <- reg 0 (globals)
                              <- *h
                 190
 9998:
          10
 9997:
         400
                 140
                              <- h[0]
 9996:
            0
                 unused
 9995:
            0
                 unused
 9994:
            0
                 unused
                                                              globals
 9993:
            0
                 unused
 9992:
            0
                 unused
 9991:
            0
                 unused
 9990:
            0
                 unused
 9989:
            0
                 unused
         409
 9988:
                 147
                              <- h[9]
        9987
                 192
                              <- old frame pointer
 9987:
                                                      <- rea 1
 9986:
         195
                 113
                              <- return address
 9985:
          10
                 115
                              <- *a
 9984:
         100
                 122
                              <- a[0]
 9983:
            0
                 unused
 9982:
            0
                 unused
 9981:
            0
                 unused
 9980:
            0
                                                              frame for
                 unused
 9979:
            0
                                                               main
                 unused
 9978:
            0
                 unused
 9977:
            0
                 unused
            0
 9976:
                 unused
 9975:
         109
                 129
                              <-a[9]
                              <- b
 9974:
         200
                 131
 9973:
            9
                 142
                              <- was temp used in computing subscript 9 in previous
expression
 9972:
            0
                 unused
 9971:
            0
                 unused
 9970:
            0
                 unused
 9969:
            0
                 unused
            0
 9968:
                 unused
 9967:
            0
                 unused
                 unused
 9966:
            0
 9965:
            0
                 unused
 9964:
                 unused
At stop point B:
Enter command: d 9999 -30
addr: value
                instr that last assigned this loc
 9999:
          300
                 133
                                       <- reg 0 (globals)
                          <- g
                 190
 9998:
          10
                          <- *h
 9997:
         400
                 140
                          <- h[0]
 9996:
            0
                 unused
 9995:
            0
                 unused
 9994:
            0
                 unused
 9993:
            0
                 unused
                                                          globals
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9992:
           0
                 unused
 9991:
           0
                 unused
 9990:
           0
                 unused
 9989:
           0
                 unused
         409
                 147
                          <- h[9]
 9988:
 9987:
        9987
                 192
                          <- old frame pointer
         195
                 113
                          <- return address
 9986:
                          <- *a
 9985:
          10
                 115
 9984:
         100
                 122
                          <-a[0]
 9983:
           0
                 unused
 9982:
            0
                 unused
           0
 9981:
                 unused
 9980:
           0
                 unused
                                                         frame for
                                                          main
 9979:
           0
                 unused
 9978:
           0
                 unused
 9977:
           0
                 unused
 9976:
           0
                 unused
         109
                          <-a[9]
 9975:
                 129
                 131
                          <- b
 9974:
         200
 9973:
        9987
                 148
                          <- old frame pointer
                                                 <- reg 1
 9972:
         156
                 30
                          <- return address
                         <- parm 1
                                                         dog frame
 9971:
         200
                 150
 9970:
         999
                 152
                         <- parm 2
         300
 9969:
                 32
                          <- Z
                                                            <
 9968:
           0
                 unused
 9967:
           0
                 unused
           0
 9966:
                 unused
           0
 9965:
                 unused
 9964:
           0
                 unused
 9963:
           0
                 unused
At stop point C:
Enter command: r
r[0]: 9999
              r[1]: 9973
                            r[2]: 359700
                                          r[3]: 509
              r[5]: 9959
r[4]: 9
                            r[6]: 0
                                        r[7]: 69
Enter command: d 9999 -50
 addr: value
                 instr that last assigned this loc
 9999:
         300
                 133
                            <- g
                                         <- reg 0 (globals)
                            <- *h
 9998:
                 190
          10
 9997:
         400
                 140
                            <- h[0]
 9996:
           0
                 unused
 9995:
            0
                 unused
 9994:
           0
                 unused
                                                           globals
 9993:
           0
                 unused
 9992:
           0
                 unused
 9991:
           0
                 unused
 9990:
           0
                 unused
 9989:
            0
                 unused
                            <- h[9]
 9988:
         409
                 147
 9987:
        9987
                 192
                            <- old frame pointer
 9986:
         195
                 113
                            <- return address
                            <- *a
 9985:
          10
                 115
 9984:
         100
                 122
                            <- a[0]
 9983:
            0
                 unused
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9982:
            0
                 unused
 9981:
            0
                 unused
 9980:
            0
                 unused
                                                            frame for
 9979:
            0
                 unused
                                                             main
 9978:
           0
                 unused
 9977:
            0
                 unused
 9976:
            0
                 unused
                            <-a[9]
 9975:
         109
                 129
 9974:
         200
                 131
                            <- b
 9973:
        9987
                 157
                            <- old frame pointer <- reg 1
 9972:
         165
                 52
                            <- return address
 9971:
        9984
                 159
                            <- parm 1 ptr to array x
                            <- parm 2 y
 9970:
           6
                 161
                            <- *z
                 54
 9969:
           10
 9968:
         500
                 61
                            <-z[0]
 9967:
           0
                 unused
                                                           frame for
 9966:
            0
                 unused
 9965:
            0
                                                              cat
                 unused
 9964:
            0
                 unused
            0
 9963:
                 unused
 9962:
            0
                 unused
 9961:
            0
                 unused
 9960:
            0
                 unused
 9959:
         509
                 68
                            <-z[9]
 9958:
           9
                 63
                            <- temp
 9957:
            0
                 unused
At stop point D
Enter command: r
r[0]: 9999
              r[1]: 9971
                            r[2]: 0
                                          r[3]: 300
r[4]: 7
              r[5]: 9977
                            r[6]: 0
                                          r[7]: 33
Enter command: d 9999 -60
addr: value
                instr that last assigned this loc
 9999:
         300
                 133
                            <- q
                                         <- reg 0 (globals)
 9998:
          10
                 190
                            <- *h
                            <- h[0]
 9997:
         400
                 140
 9996:
            0
                 unused
 9995:
            0
                 unused
 9994:
            0
                 unused
 9993:
            0
                 unused
                                                            globals
 9992:
            0
                 unused
 9991:
            0
                 unused
 9990:
            0
                 unused
 9989:
         409
                 88
 9988:
         409
                 147
 9987:
        9987
                 192
                            <- old frame pointer
 9986:
         195
                 113
                            <- return address
 9985:
                 115
                            <- *a
          10
 9984:
         100
                 122
                            <- a[0]
 9983:
            0
                 unused
 9982:
            0
                 unused
 9981:
            0
                 unused
 9980:
            0
                                                            frame for
                 unused
```

unused

9979:

0

main

```
9978:
          0
                unused
9977:
          0
                108
9976:
          0
                unused
9975:
        109
                129
                          <- a[9]
9974:
        200
                131
                          <- b
                                                             <
9973:
        555
                167
                          <- temp!
9972:
        666
                          <- temp!
                169
       9987
9971:
                170
                          <- old frame pointer <- reg 1
9970:
        178
                30
                          <- return address (see below)
9969:
        777
                172
                          <- parm 1
                                                          dog frame
9968:
        888
                174
                          <- parm 2
                                                             ١
        300
                32
9967:
                          <- Z
                                                             <
                unused
9966:
          0
                          <- temp!
9965:
          0
                unused
9964:
          0
                unused
9963:
          0
                unused
          0
9962:
                unused
9961:
          0
                98
                          <- junk left from previous call to cat
        509
                          <- junk left from previous call to cat
9960:
                78
9959:
        509
                68
                          <- junk left from previous call to cat
9958:
          7
                100
                          <- junk left from previous call to cat
9957:
          0
                unused
9956:
          0
                unused
```

IMPORTANT: notice that pending temporaries for the expression 555 * (666 + dog(777,888)) are stored at 9972 and 9973! This is what the toffset is for.

the temporary at 9966 was generated in the expression z = x + y in dog where x was 777 and y was 888.

As you go through the tree generating code you need to keep track of toffset.

- 1. It is set to the end of the current frame when you enter a function.
- 2. As expressions push and pop stuff off the temporary stack after the current frame the toffset gets incremented when you save a value there and decremented when that value is no longer needed. Remember the stack you are managing is a RUNTIME stack not a compile time stack. You are using toffset to predict where the temporaries go! First study how a simple expression is computed and then just use toffset in your emit commands as an offset from register 1. Here is the code for x = y + z from my compiler:

```
38:
            3, -2(1)
                        Load variable x
                                                             <- LHS code
        LD
39:
        ST
            3, -5(1)
                        Save left side in temporary
                                                             <- after LHS code
40:
        LD
            3, -3(1)
                        Load variable v
                                                             <- RHS code
           4,-5(1)
41:
        LD
                        Load left into ac1 from temporary
                                                             <- after RHS code
42:
       ADD
            3,4,3
                                                             <- do op
                        + a0
43:
                        Store variable z
        ST
            3, -4(1)
                                                             <- assignment
```

the size of the dog frame was 5. So -5(1) means the first spot after

the frame (because O(1) is the first spot in the frame).

- 3. When you enter a function, as in the case of entering dog for a second time, as above, note that the we leave some temps between the main frame and the dog frame. This means new frames are always added as if they are on the temp stack of the previous frame! That is, frames are added after the current temp on the stack. This position is toffset. So you should use toffset while creating the ghost frame.
- 4. By carefully incrementing and decrementing toffset you should find that you only need to set toffset to the position right after the frame you just created when you enter a function (as you are generating the code). Expressions should always end with toffset back at the space right after the current frame. But the important idea is that this will happen. So make sure you always pair increment with decrement.
- 5. toffset is a compile time variable and changes as you pass through the code lexically.
- 6. Remember as you generate code (compile time) you are traversing the tree which is essentially reading the program from the beginning to the end (lexical order). When you run the code at run time, then you move through the code in execution order.

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TM code for this example
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```
* C- compiler version C-F07
* Author: Robert B. Heckendorn
* Backend adapted from work by Jorge Williams (2001)
* File compiled: z.c-
* Nov 29, 2007
* BEGIN function input
         ST 3,-1(1)
                        Store return address
  1:
                        Grab int input
 2:
         ΙN
            2,2,2
 3:
         LD 3,-1(1)
                        Load return address
         LD
            1,0(1)
 4:
                        Adjust fp
  5:
        LDA
            7,0(3)
                        Return
* END of function input
* BEGIN function output
 6:
         ST
             3, -1(1)
                        Store return address
 7:
         LD
             3, -2(1)
                        Load parameter
 8:
        0UT
            3,3,3
                        Output integer
        LDC
 9:
            2,0(6)
                        Set return to 0
            3,-1(1)
10:
        LD
                        Load return address
11:
         LD
            1,0(1)
                        Adjust fp
12:
        LDA
            7,0(3)
                        Return
* END of function output
* BEGIN function inputb
13:
         ST
            3, -1(1)
                        Store return address
14:
        INB 2,2,2
                        Grab bool input
15:
         LD
            3,-1(1)
                        Load return address
16:
         LD
            1,0(1)
                        Adjust fp
17:
        LDA
            7.0(3)
                        Return
* END of function inputb
```

```
* BEGIN function outputb
                         Store return address
         ST
             3, -1(1)
         LD
             3, -2(1)
                         Load parameter
 19:
             3,3,3
20:
       OUTB
                         Output bool
21:
        LDC
             2,0(6)
                         Set return to 0
22:
         LD
             3, -1(1)
                         Load return address
              1,0(1)
23:
         LD
                         Adjust fp
 24:
        LDA
             7,0(3)
                         Return
* END of function outputb
* BEGIN function outnl
             3, -1(1)
                         Store return address
 25:
         ST
      OUTNL
                         Output a newline
 26:
             3,3,3
 27:
         LD
             3, -1(1)
                         Load return address
28:
             1,0(1)
         LD
                         Adiust fp
 29:
        LDA
             7,0(3)
                         Return
* END of function outnl
* BEGIN function dog
             3, -1(1)
                         Store return address.
30:
         ST
* BEGIN compound statement
* EXPRESSION STMT
 31:
         LD
             3, -2(1)
                         Load variable x
             3, -5(1)
         ST
 32:
                         Save left side
 33:
         LD
             3, -3(1)
                         Load variable y
             4,-5(1)
 34:
         LD
                         Load left into acl
 35:
        ADD
              3,4,3
                         + a0
                         Store variable z
 36:
         ST
             3, -4(1)
* RETURN
         LD
 37:
             3,0(0)
                         Load variable g
         ST
                         Save left side
 38:
             3, -5(1)
 39:
         LD
             3, -4(1)
                         Load variable z
             4, -5(1)
 40:
         LD
                         Load left into acl
                         0p *
41:
        MUL
              3,4,3
42:
        LDA
             2,0(3)
                         Copy result to rt register
43:
         LD
             3, -1(1)
                         Load return address
44:
         LD
             1,0(1)
                         Adjust fp
 45:
             7,0(3)
        LDA
                         Return
* END compound statement
st Add standard closing in case there is no return statement
46:
        LDC
             2,0(6)
                         Set return value to 0
 47:
         LD
             3, -1(1)
                         Load return address
48:
         LD
             1,0(1)
                         Adjust fp
        LDA
 49:
             7,0(3)
                         Return
* END of function dog
* BEGIN function cat
 50:
         ST
             3, -1(1)
                         Store return address.
* BEGIN compound statement
 51:
        LDC
              3,10(6)
                         load size of array z
         ST
 52:
              3, -4(1)
                         save size of array z
* EXPRESSION STMT
 53:
        LDC
              3,8(6)
                         Load constant
 54:
         ST
             3, -15(1)
                         Save index
             3,9(6)
 55:
        LDC
                         Load constant
 56:
        LDA
             4, -5(1)
                         Load address of base of array z
 57:
        SUB
             3,4,3
                         Compute offset of value
 58:
         LD
             3,0(3)
                         Load the value
 59:
         LD
             4, -15(1)
                         Restore index
             5, -5(1)
                         Load address of base of array z
60:
        LDA
61:
        SUB
             5,5,4
                         Compute offset of value
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62:
         ST 3,0(5)
                         Store variable z
* EXPRESSION STMT
        LDC
             3,8(6)
                         Load constant
 63:
             3,-15(1)
64:
         ST
                         Save index
        LDC
                         Load constant
 65:
             3,9(6)
             4,-2(0)
                         Load address of base of array h
66:
        LDA
67:
             3,4,3
                         Compute offset of value
        SUB
                         Load the value
68:
         LD
             3,0(3)
 69:
         LD
             4, -15(1)
                         Restore index
70:
        LDA
             5, -2(0)
                         Load address of base of array h
 71:
        SUB
             5,5,4
                         Compute offset of value
             3,0(5)
         ST
                         Store variable h
72:
* EXPRESSION STMT
73:
        LDC
                         Load constant
             3,7(6)
 74:
         ST
             3, -15(1)
                         Save index
             3, -3(1)
75:
                         Load variable y
         LD
             4,-2(1)
                         Load address of base of array x
76:
         LD
77:
             3,4,3
                         Compute offset of value
        SUB
             3,0(3)
                         Load the value
78:
         LD
79:
         LD
             4, -15(1)
                         Restore index
             5, -5(1)
80:
        LDA
                         Load address of base of array z
81:
        SUB
             5,5,4
                         Compute offset of value
82:
         ST
             3,0(5)
                         Store variable z
* EXPRESSION STMT
        LDC
                         Load constant
 83:
             3,7(6)
         ST
                         Save index
84:
             3, -15(1)
             3,-3(1)
                         Load variable y
85:
         LD
             4, -5(1)
                         Load address of base of array z
86:
        LDA
             3,4,3
                         Compute offset of value
87:
        SUB
 88:
         LD
             3,0(3)
                         Load the value
 89:
         LD
             4,-15(1)
                         Restore index
90:
             5, -2(1)
                         Load address of base of array x
         LD
             5,5,4
91:
        SUB
                         Compute offset of value
 92:
         ST
             3,0(5)
                         Store variable x
* END compound statement
* Add standard closing in case there is no return statement
93:
                         Set return value to 0
        LDC
            2,0(6)
94:
         LD
             3, -1(1)
                         Load return address
95:
         LD
             1,0(1)
                         Adjust fp
96:
        LDA
             7,0(3)
                         Return
* END of function cat
* BEGIN function main
 97:
         ST
             3, -1(1)
                         Store return address.
* BEGIN compound statement
98:
        LDC
             3,10(6)
                         load size of array a
99:
         ST
             3, -2(1)
                         save size of array a
* EXPRESSION STMT
         ST
                         Store old fp in ghost frame
100:
             1, -14(1)
101:
         LD
             3, -13(1)
                         Load variable b
102:
         ST
             3, -16(1)
                         Store parameter
103:
        LDC
             3,999(6)
                         Load constant
104:
         ST
             3, -17(1)
                         Store parameter
105:
        LDA
             1, -14(1)
                         Load address of new frame
106:
        LDA
             3,1(7)
                         Return address in ac
        LDA
             7,-78(7)
                         call dog
107:
                         Save the result in ac
108:
        LDA
             3,0(2)
* EXPRESSION STMT
109:
         ST
             1, -14(1)
                         Store old fp in ghost frame
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110:
        LDA
              3, -3(1)
                         Load address of base of array a
111:
         ST
              3, -16(1)
                         Store parameter
        LDC
                         Load constant
112:
              3,6(6)
113:
         ST
              3, -17(1)
                         Store parameter
                         Load address of new frame
114:
        LDA
              1, -14(1)
        LDA
              3,1(7)
                         Return address in ac
115:
              7,-67(7)
                          call cat
116:
        LDA
              3,0(2)
                         Save the result in ac
117:
        LDA
* EXPRESSION STMT
118:
         ST
              1, -14(1)
                         Store old fp in ghost frame
119:
        LDC
              3,777(6)
                         Load constant
                         Store parameter
120:
         ST
              3, -16(1)
121:
        LDC
              3,888(6)
                         Load constant
122:
              3, -17(1)
         ST
                         Store parameter
123:
        LDA
              1, -14(1)
                         Load address of new frame
                         Return address in ac
124:
              3,1(7)
        LDA
125:
        LDA
             7, -96(7)
                         call dog
126:
                          Save the result in ac
        LDA
              3,0(2)
                         Store variable b
127:
         ST
              3, -13(1)
* END compound statement
* Add standard closing in case there is no return statement
128:
        LDC
             2,0(6)
                          Set return value to 0
129:
         LD
                         Load return address
              3, -1(1)
130:
         LD
              1,0(1)
                         Adjust fp
             7,0(3)
131:
        LDA
                         Return
* END of function main
             7,131(7)
        LDA
                         Jump to init
* BEGIN Init
132:
         LD
             0,0(0)
                         Set the global pointer
* BEGIN init of global array sizes
133:
        LDC
              3,10(6)
                         load size of array h
134:
         ST
              3, -1(0)
                          save size of array h
* END init of global array sizes
135:
        LDA
             1, -12(0)
                         set first frame at end of globals
136:
         ST
              1,0(1)
                          store old fp (point to self)
137:
              3,1(7)
                         Return address in ac
        LDA
                         Jump to main
138:
        LDA
             7,-42(7)
139:
       HALT
              0,0,0
                         DONE!
* END Init
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