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like a computer scientist?

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# CS 340

Debugging + Terminal



← From craft night  
last night ☺

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for  
extra  
credit

# Updates

1. MP 0 is out

a. MP 1 is out

Feb 3<sup>rd</sup>

2. HW 0 is out today

next  
wed

3. Collaboration time today!

2-4 pm

# Agenda

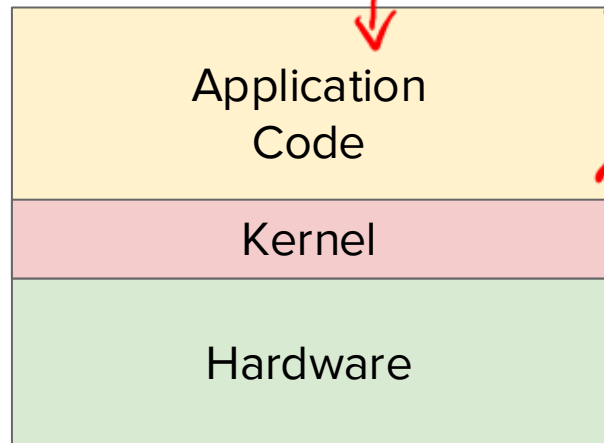
1. Review
2. Terminal/Shell Overview
  - a. Basic commands
3. VScode Debugger
4. SSH and your VM

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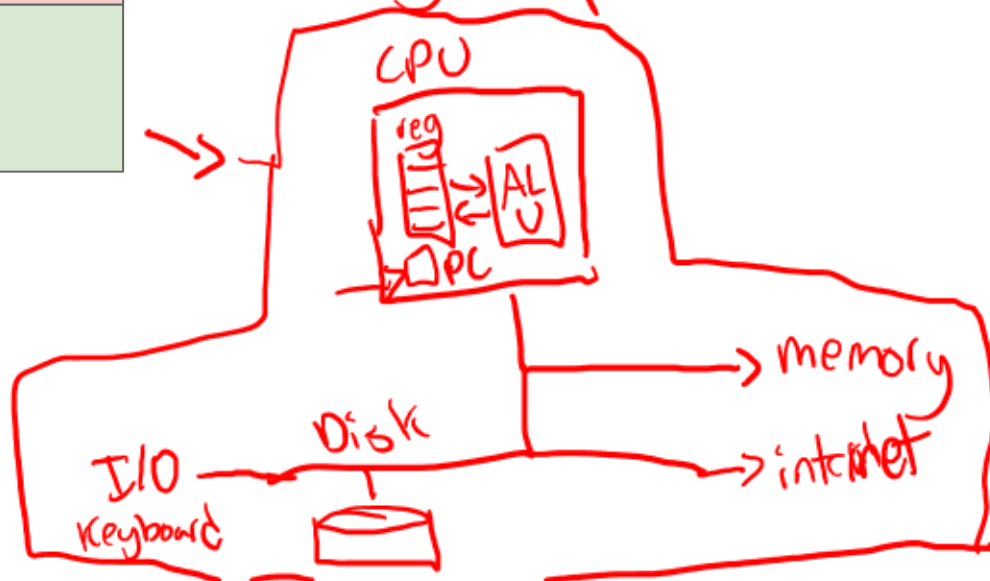
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# Big Ideas



Vscode, compiler, chrome, shell

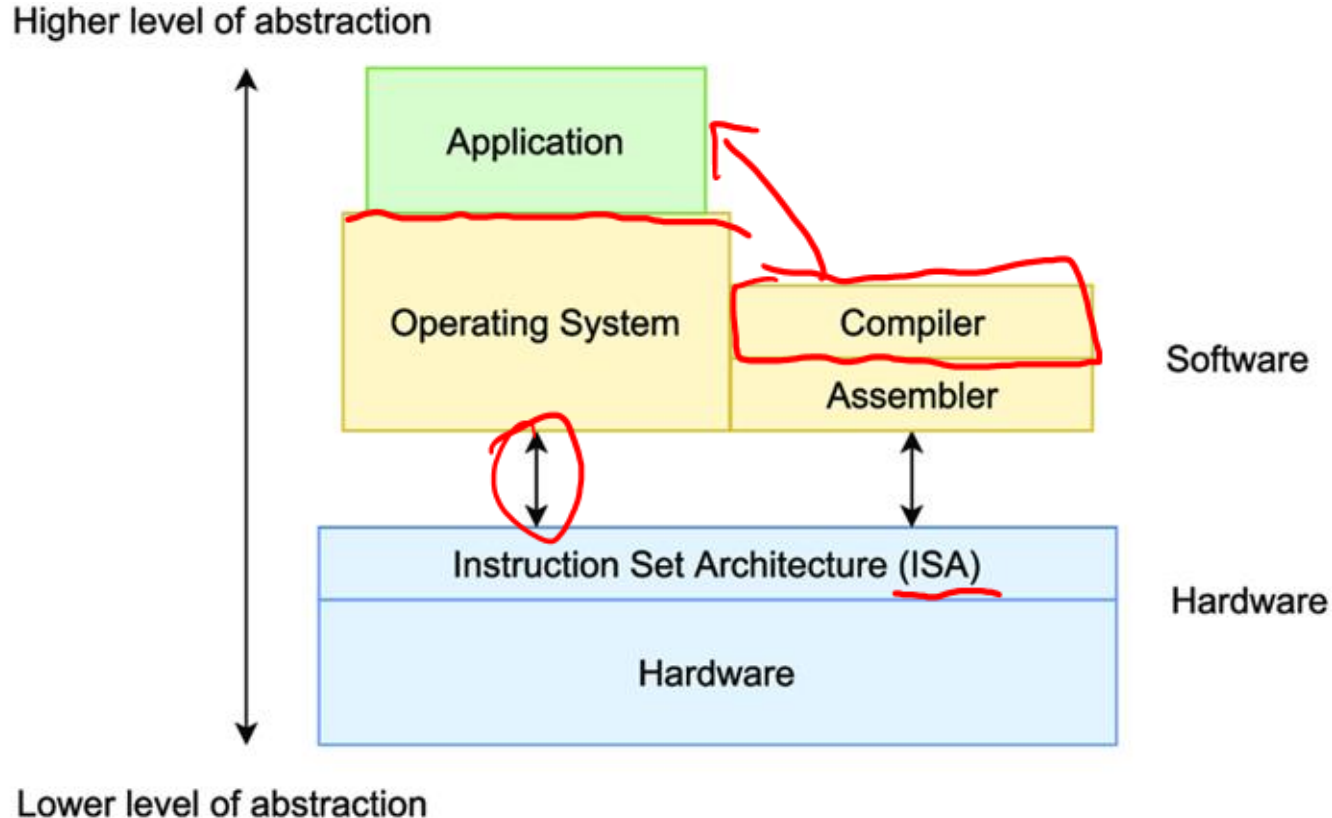
code running  
moving bytes,  
permission



# What should you remember?

- There is a lot you don't YET know and a lot of details you may never care to know. Abstraction allows us to often ignore aspects we don't need to dive into.
- All code is run on hardware.
- The following terms exist - Compiler, application, CPU, PC, ALU, OS, memory, disk, I/O.
- The OS has a major role
  - Switches between running programs
  - Interfaces with many parts of the hardware like memory and other devices

# What is misleading about this image?



# Terminal/Shell + Debugging

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## Mental Models Developed

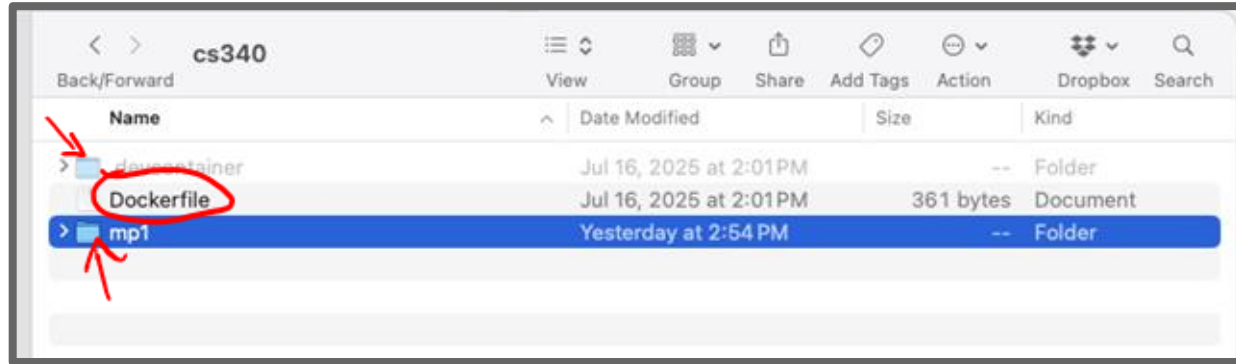
How a file system works on a computer

Compile/Execute flow for compiled languages

What a debugger workflow looks like

# Interacting with a computer

Option 1 - click things



Option 2

terminal - UI that lets you type  
shell - program that runs the  
commands you type



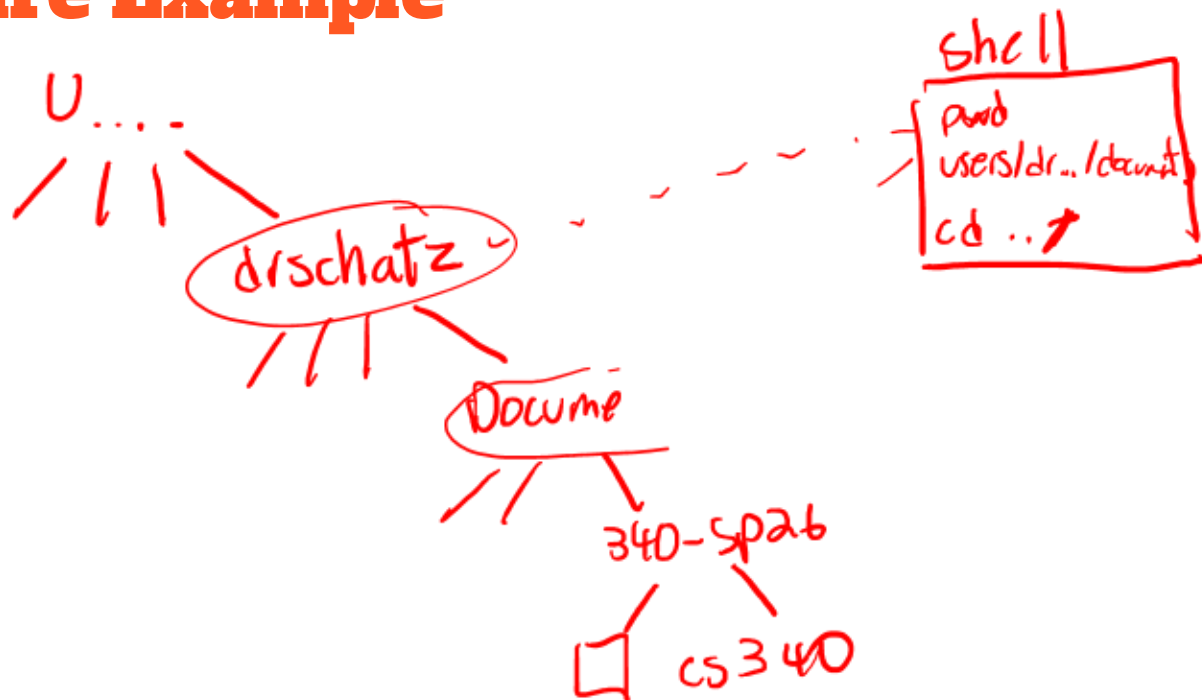
## Basic Commands

ls - lists all files and directories in your working directory

cd - moves to a dif. directory

pwd - what file path you are in

# File Structure Example



What would pwd print on the next line?

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```
drschatz@cs-drschatz-MBP 340-Sp26 % pwd  
/Users/drschatz/Documents/340-Sp26  
drschatz@cs-drschatz-MBP 340-Sp26 % cd cd
```

/Users/drschatz

pwd  
?

# What goes in the box to run the python code?

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```
drschatz@cs-drschatz-MBP term-demo % ls
Makefile          test_c.c          test_python.py
test_c            test_c.h          use_test_c.c
drschatz@cs-drschatz-MBP term-demo % pwd
/Users/drschatz/Documents/340-Sp26/cs340/term-demo
drschatz@cs-drschatz-MBP term-demo %
drschatz@cs-drschatz-MBP term-demo % cd ../
drschatz@cs-drschatz-MBP cs340 % ls
Dockerfile        mp1              term-demo
drschatz@cs-drschatz-MBP cs340 % cd mp1
drschatz@cs-drschatz-MBP mp1 % python3 [REDACTED] test_python.py
```

*../term-demo/*  
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# Big Idea

You can use a terminal running a shell to -

navigate your files

run applications

python

→ Compiler gcc

→ ssh, scp

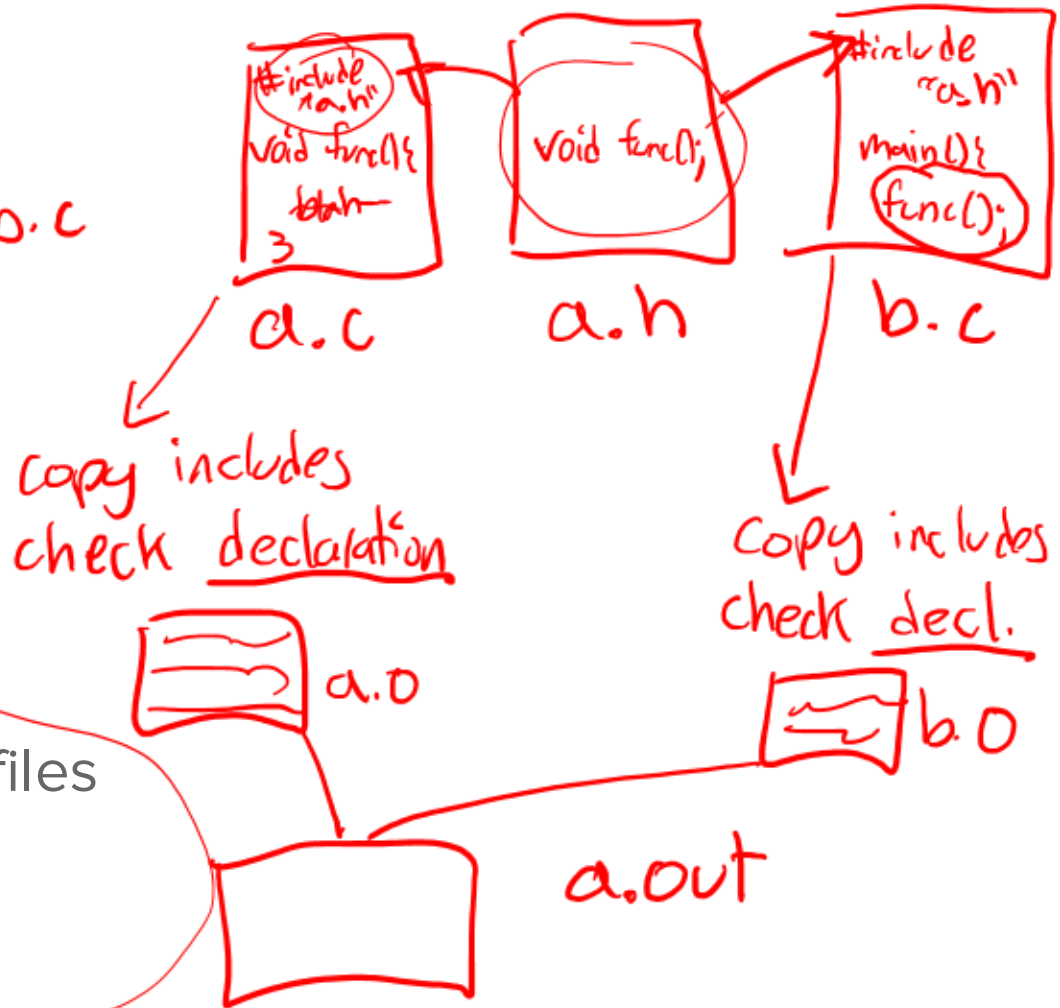
# Running a C/C++ file

1. Compile → executable

2. Run executable file — run on CPU please

# Compiling Details

1. Compile `gcc a.c b.c`
  - a. Each .c file listed



- b. Link together .o files**
  - `main()`
  - every func has def.

**After I update the code, I need to recompile the file into an executable to see the change.**

- A) True
- B) False
- C) Unsure

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→ `[char * ptr] = 0;`

→ `*ptr = 4;` X

`ptr = 4;`



# Docker Vs. VM

↳ creates an environment

- compiler
- applications

VM - virtual machine  
dif computer



- dif files
- dif kernel

**SSH and SCP** → more files

→ secure shell

locally

user

Documents

VM

home

drschultz



- ↓
1. I make a file `test.c` on my docker environment
  2. I SCP `test.c` to my VM
  3. I edit `test.c` on my docker environment

True or false, `test.c` is now updated in both the VM and docker environment?

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