

CS 354 - Machine Organization & Programming

Tuesday April 11, Thursday April 13, 2023

Exam Results expected by Friday April 14

Homework hw5 DUE Monday 4/10 **Homework hw6:** DUE on or before Monday Apr 17

Homework hw7: DUE on or before Monday Apr 24

Project p5: DUE on or before Friday April 21

Last Week

Instructions - SET Instructions - Jumps Encoding Targets Converting Loops	The Stack from a Programmer's Perspective The Stack and Stack Frames Instructions - Transferring Control Register Usage Conventions Function Call-Return Example
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This Week

Function Call-Return Example (L20 p7) Recursion Stack Allocated Arrays in C Stack Allocated Arrays in Assembly Stack Allocated Multidimensional Arrays	Stack Allocated Structs ... rest was next week f22 Alignment Alignment Practice Unions
Next Week: Pointers in Assembly, Stack Smashing, and Exceptions B&O 3.10 Putting it Together: Understanding Pointers 3.12 Out-of-Bounds Memory References and Buffer Overflow 8.1 Exceptions 8.2 Processes 8.3 System Call Error Handling 8.4 Process Control through p719	

Recursion

Use a stack trace to determine the result of the call `fact(3)`:

```
int fact(int n) {
    int result;
    if (n <= 1) result = 1;
    else      result = n * fact(n - 1);
    return result;
}
```

direct recursion

recursive case

base case

"infinite" recursion

Assembly Trace

```
fact:
    pushl %ebp
    movl %esp, %ebp
    pushl %ebx
    subl $4, %esp

    movl 8(%ebp), %ebx
    movl $1, %eax

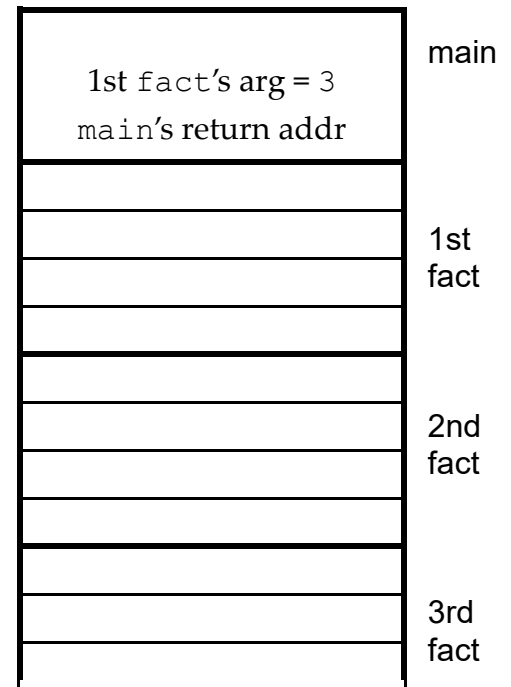
    cmpl $1, %ebx
    jle .L1

    leal -1(%ebx), %eax
    movl %eax, (%esp)
    call fact

    imull %ebx, %eax

.L1:
    addl $4, %esp
    popl %ebx
    popl %ebp
    ret
```

Stack bottom



✱ *"Infinite" recursion causes*

✱ *When tracing functions in assembly code*

Stack Allocated Arrays in C

Recall Array Basics

$T \ A[N];$ where T is the element datatype of size L bytes
and N is the number of elements



1.

2.

✱ *The elements of A*

Recall Array Indexing and Address Arithmetic

$\&A[i]$

→ For each array declarations below, what is L (element size), the address arithmetic for the i th element, and the total size of the array?

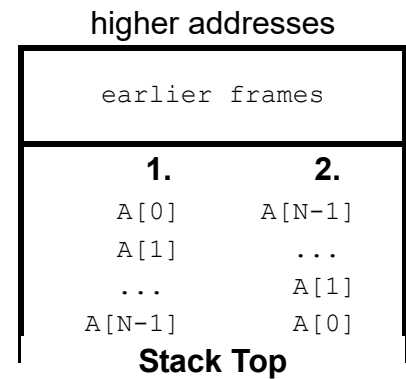
C code	L	address of i th element	total array size
1. <code>int I[11]</code>			
2. <code>char C[7]</code>			
3. <code>double D[11]</code>			
4. <code>short S[42]</code>			
5. <code>char *C[13]</code>			
6. <code>int **I[11]</code>			
7. <code>double *D[7]</code>			

Stack Allocated Arrays in Assembly

Arrays on the Stack

→ How is an array laid out on the stack? Option 1 or 2:

* *The first element (index 0) of an array*



Accessing 1D Arrays in Assembly

Assume array's start address in %edx and index is in %ecx

```
movl (%edx, %ecx, 4), %eax
```

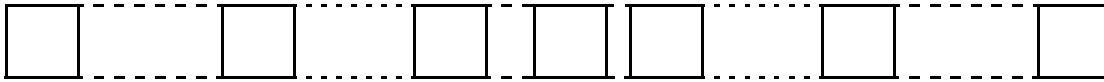
→ Assume I is an `int` array, S is a `short int` array, for both the array's start address is in %edx, and the index i is in %ecx. Determine the element type and instruction for each:

C code	type	assembly instruction to move C code's value into %eax
1. I		
2. I[0]		
3. *I		
4. I[i]		
5. &I[2]		
6. I+i-1		
7. *(I+i-3)		
8. S[3]		
9. S+1		
10. &S[i]		
11. S[4*i+1]		
12. S+i-5		

Stack Allocated Multidimensional Arrays

Recall 2D Array Basics

T A[R][C]; where T is the element datatype of size L bytes,
 R is the number of rows and C is the number of columns



✱ *Recall that 2D arrays are stored on the stack*

```
int A[5][3];          typedef int row_t[3];
                      row_t A[5];
```

Accessing 2D Arrays in Assembly

`&A[i][j]`

Given array A as declared above, if x_A in `%eax`, i in `%ecx`, j in `%edx`
then `A[i][j]` in assembly is:

```
leal (%ecx, %ecx, 2), %ecx
sall $2, %edx
addl %eax, %edx
movl (%edx, %ecx, 4), %eax
```

Compiler Optimizations

- ♦ If only accessing part of array
- ♦ If taking a fixed stride through the array

Stack Allocated Structures

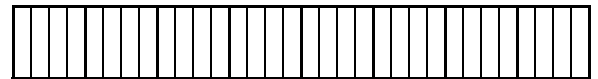
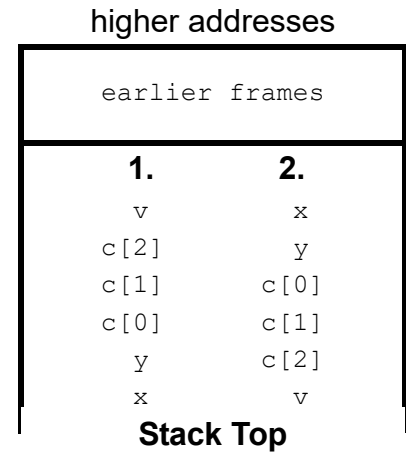
Structures on the Stack

```
struct iCell {  
    int x;  
    int y;  
    int c[3];  
    int *v;  
};
```

→ How is a structure laid out on the stack? Option 1 or 2:

The compiler

◆



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✱ *The first data member of a structure*

Accessing Structures in Assembly

Given:

```
struct iCell ic = //assume ic is initialized  
  
void function(iCell *ip) {
```

→ Assume `ic` is at the top of the stack, `%edx` stores `ip` and `%esi` stores `i`.
Determine for each the assembly instruction to move the C code's value into `%eax`:

C code assembly

1. `ic.v`
2. `ic.c[i]`
3. `ip->x`
4. `ip->y`
5. `&ip->c[i]`

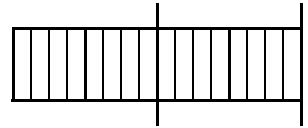
✱ *Assembly code to access a structure*

Alignment

What?

Why?

Example: Assume cpu reads 8 byte words
f is a misaligned float



Restrictions

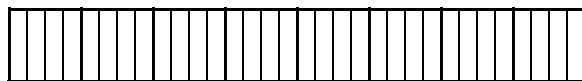
Linux: short
 int, float, pointer, double

Windows: same as Linux except
 double

Implications

Structure Example

```
struct s1 {  
    int i;  
    char c;  
    int j;  
};
```

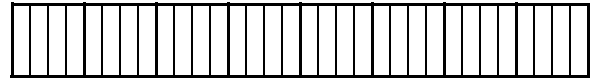


✱ *The total size of a structure*

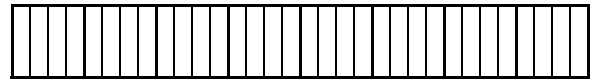
Alignment Practice

→ For each structure below, complete the memory layout and determine the total bytes allocated.

```
1) struct sA {  
    int i;  
    int j;  
    char c;  
};
```



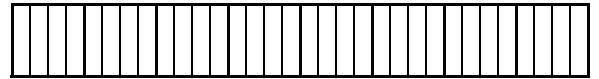
```
2) struct sB {  
    char a;  
    char b;  
    char c;  
};
```



```
3) struct sC {  
    char c;  
    short s;  
    int i;  
    char d;  
};
```



```
4) struct sD {  
    short s;  
    int i;  
    char c;  
};
```



```
5) struct sE {  
    int i;  
    short s;  
    char c;  
};
```



✱ *The order that a structure's data members are listed*

Unions

What? A union is

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Why?

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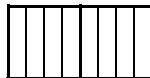
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How?

```
struct s {  
    char c;  
    int i[2];  
    double d;  
};
```



```
union u {  
    char c;  
    int i[2];  
    double d;  
};
```



Example

```
typedef union {  
    unsigned char cntlrByte;  
    struct {  
        unsigned char playbutn : 1;  
        unsigned char pausebutn : 1;  
        unsigned char ctrlbutn : 1;  
        unsigned char fire1butn : 1;  
        unsigned char fire2butn : 1;  
        unsigned char direction : 3;  
    } bits;  
} CntlrReg;
```