Y86 Function Call and Return

- Topic:
  - CALL and RET instructions
- Learning Outcomes
  - Draw a stack illustrating function calls and return.
  - Use CALL/RET appropriately.

Function Call and Return

CALL <ADDRESS>

CALL 0x1000
CALL SUM

RET
Encoding: 0x90

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#Initialize Stack
irmovq  0x2000, %rsp
# Initialize registers
irmovq   0xA0C0, %rdi
irmovq   0x0B0D, %rsi
call      sum
rrmovq   %rax, %rbx
halt
# Compute rsi+rdi and
# return in rax
.pos 0x1000
sum:
xorq      %rax, %rax
addq      %rdi, %rax
addq      %rsi, %rax
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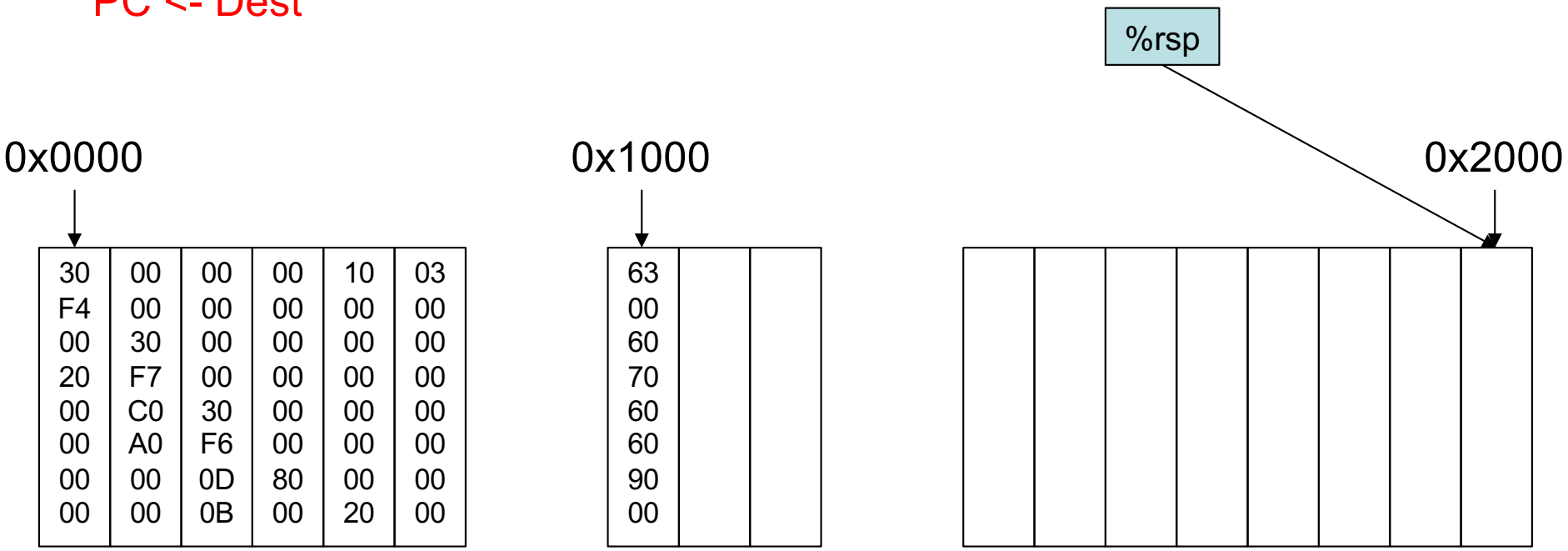

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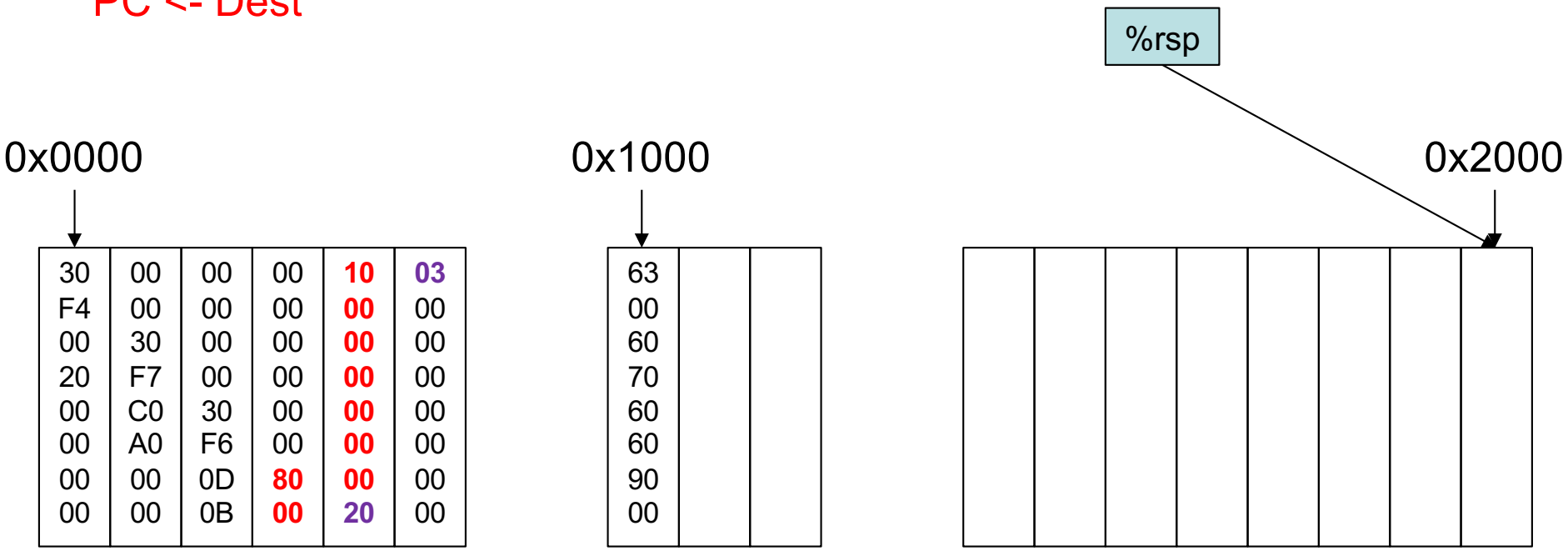

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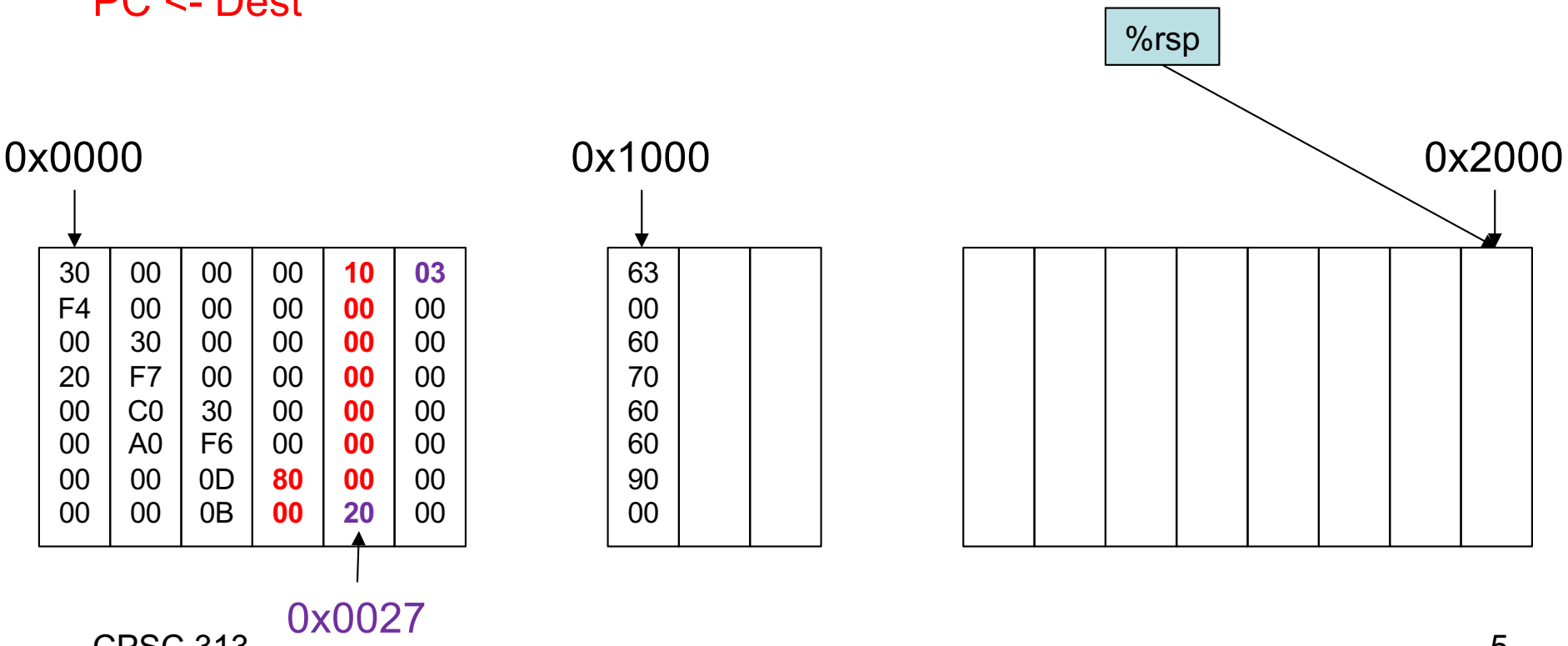

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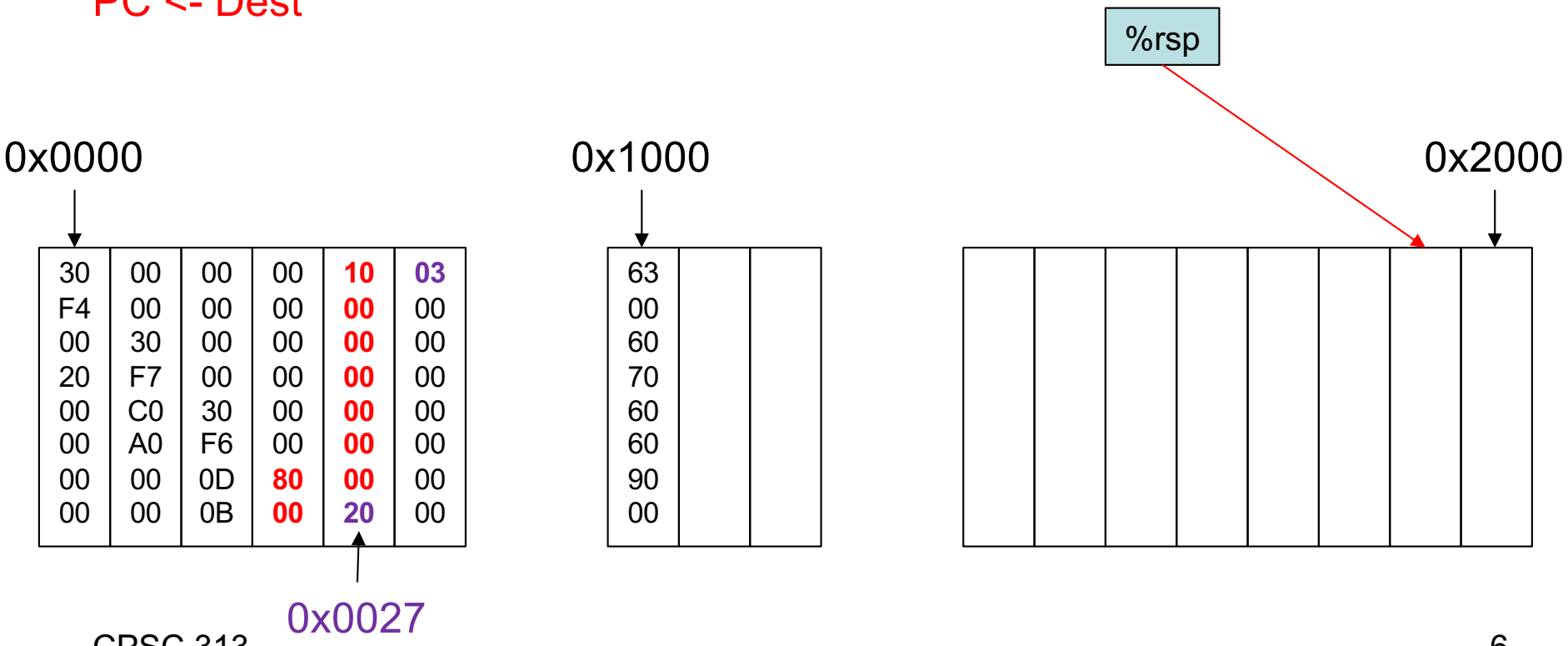

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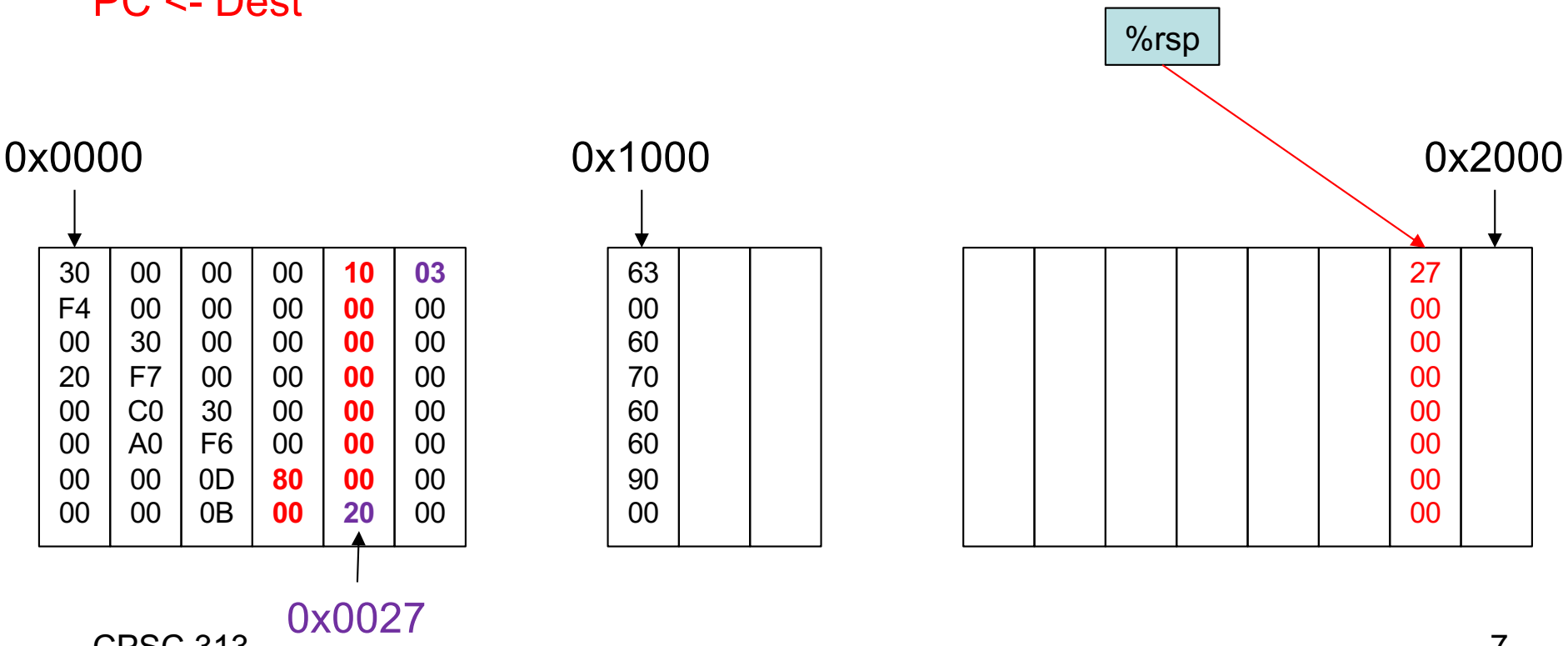

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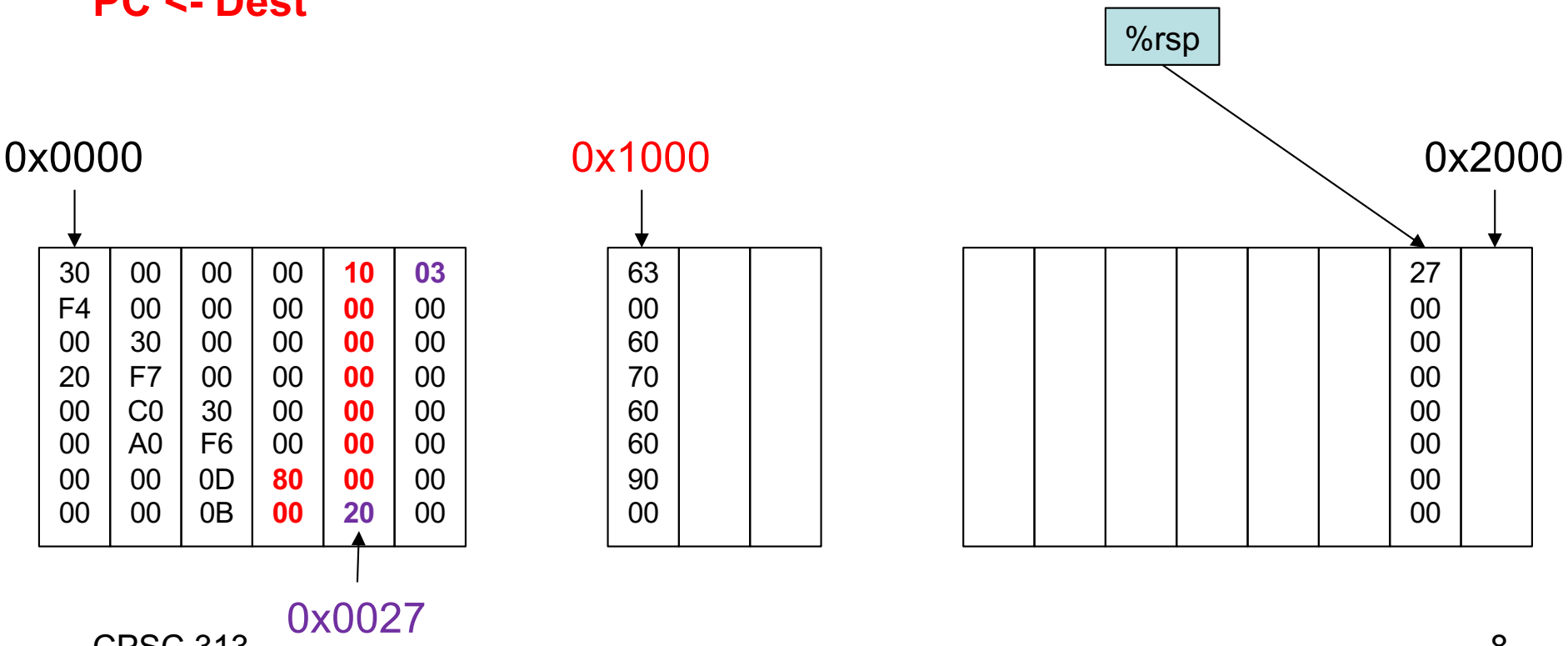

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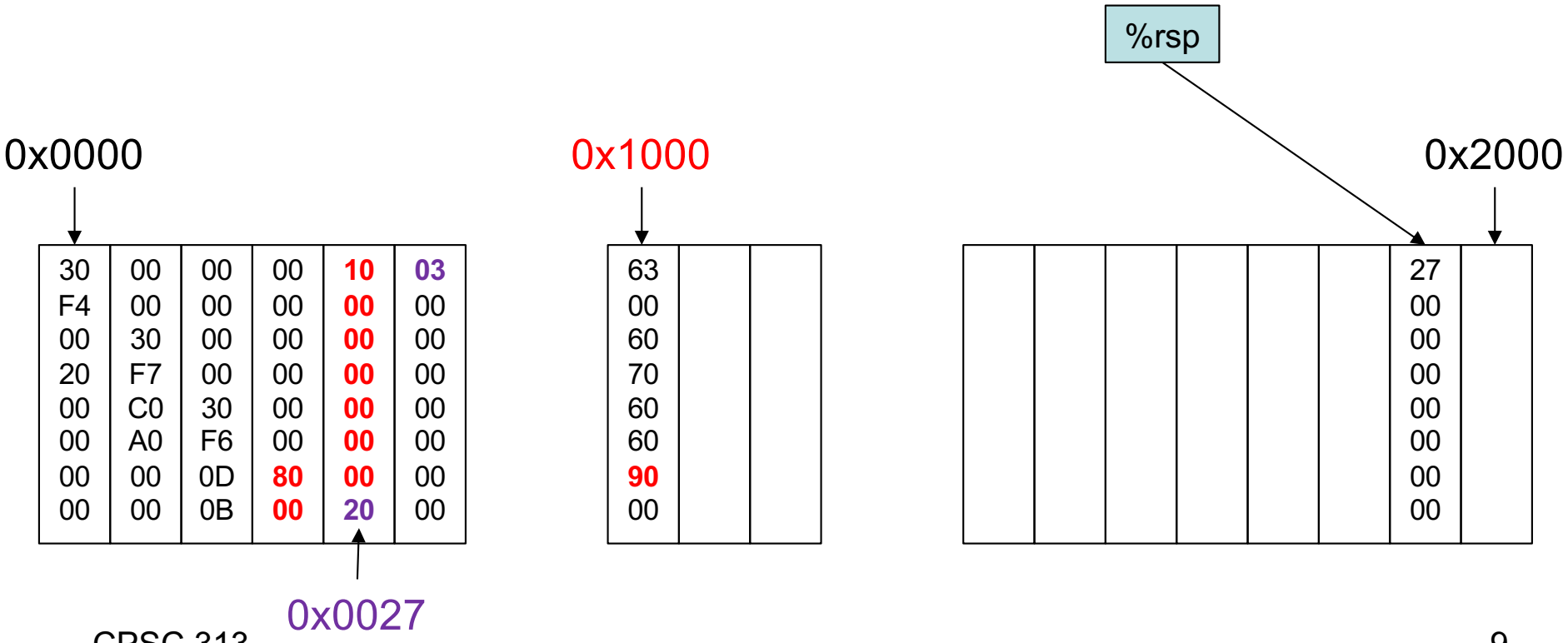

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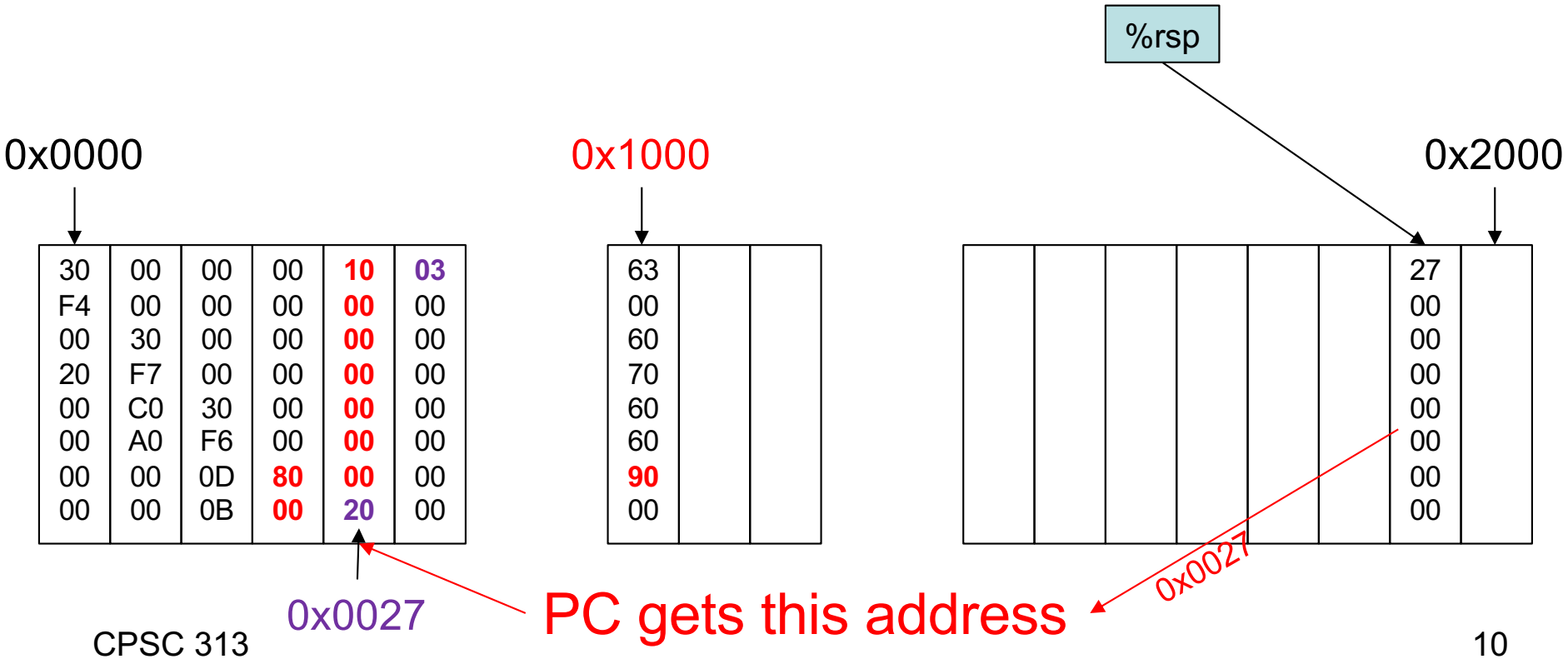

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