

Stage 1: no functions or calls (other than main)
 no structs or pointers
 no globals

\$arith, \$cmp, \$copy, \$branch, \$jump, \$ret

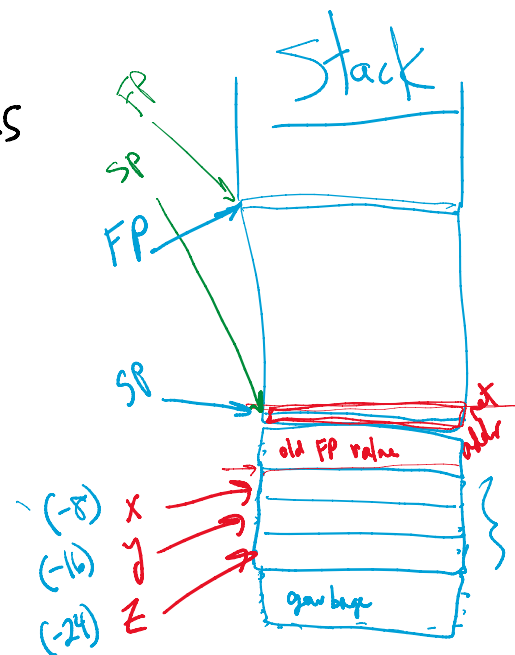
Summary:

1. create a template (everything but main)
2. prologue
3. output ISA for basic blocks
4. epilogue

2 important registers

FP (frame pointer) %rbp

SP (stack pointer) %rsp



prologue

- emit 'main' label
- push FP onto stack
- set FP = SP
- allocate space on stack for main's locals (incl. double-word alignment)
- zero-initialize all locals
- jump to main-entry

store mapping from
 local → offset

epilogue

epilogue

- emit epilogue label
- $SP = FP$
- restore old FP
by popping off stack
- pop return address &
jump to it

translating LIR instructions

- $X = \$copy\ op$
store value of op in $[X]$

either variable
or constant

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memory location of x

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- $X = \$arith\ <op>\ op_1\ op_2$
 apply $<op>$ to values of op_1, op_2
 & store result in $[X]$

} division is
weird
- $X = \$cmp\ <op>\ op_1\ op_2$
 compare op_1 & op_2 (sets condition code)
 store 0 or 1 to $[X]$ depending on
 $<op>$ & condition code
- $\$jump\ lbl$
 jump to main-lbl
- $\$branch\ op\ lbl_1\ lbl_2$
 compare op to 0 (sets code)
 if ne jump to lbl_1
 if op to 1 jump to lbl_2

if ne jump to lbl₁
else jump to lbl₂

- `$ret` op

return value goes into
a specific reg. (%rax)

jump to main-epilogue