Compiling Programs into our Bytecode



- Our goal is to compile Cuppa3 programs into Exp2Bytecode
- The big difference between the two languages is that Cuppa3 is a statically scoped language (supports nested scopes and statically scoped functions) and Exp2Bytecode has no notion of scope (all variables are global variables)
- We saw that in order to make recursion work in Exp2Bytecode we resorted to allocating function local variables in a frame on the runtime stack.





- In terms of global code, nothing has changed from our strategy we developed when we compiled Cuppa2 programs into bytecode:
 - Every program variable that appears in the Cuppa3 program is compiled into a unique global variable in the bytecode

```
declare x = 1;
{
    declare x = 2;
    put x;
}
{
    declare x = 3;
    put x;
}
put x;
}
put x;

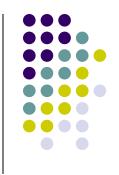
store t$0 1 ;
store t$1 2 ;
print t$1 ;
store t$2 3 ;
print t$2 ;
print t$0 ;
stop ;
```

Compiling Functions

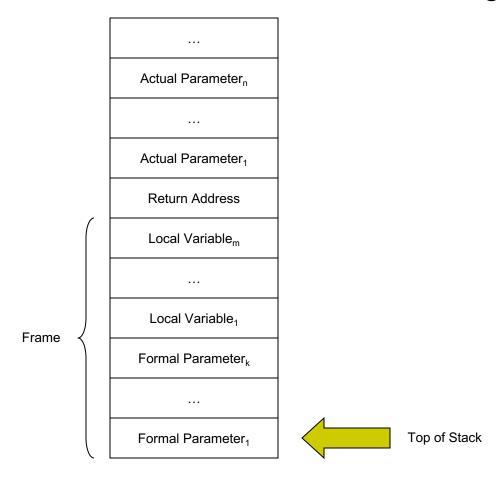


- For functions all local variables are stored on the stack
- The actual parameters are pushed on the stack in reverse order, and this is done before the function frame is created.
- Also, during a function call, the return address is pushed onto the stack before the stack frame is created





Here is what the stack looks like during a function call:







Consider the call add(3,2) to the function defined as

```
declare add(a,b) {
                   declare temp = a+b;
                   return temp;
                                                                    add:
                                                                          pushf 3;
                                                                          store %tsx[0] %tsx[-4];
                                                                                                               # init a
                                                                          store %tsx[-1] %tsx[-5];
                                                                                                               # init b
                                                                          store %tsx[-2] (+ %tsx[0] %tsx[-1]); # store temp
                         2
                                                                          store %rvx %tsx[-2];
                                                                          popf 3;
                         3
                                                                          return;
                  Return Address
                       temp
Frame
                         b
                                                         Top of Stack
                        а
```

Compiling Functions

Now consider the following function:

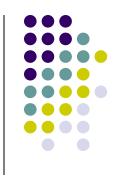
```
// a program with nested functions that makes
// use of static scoping and generates a sequence
// of numbers according to the step variable.
declare seq(n) {
   declare step = 2;
   declare inc(k) return k+step;
   declare i = 1;
   // generate the sequence
   while(i<=n) {
     put(i);
     i = inc(i)
// main program
seq(10);
```



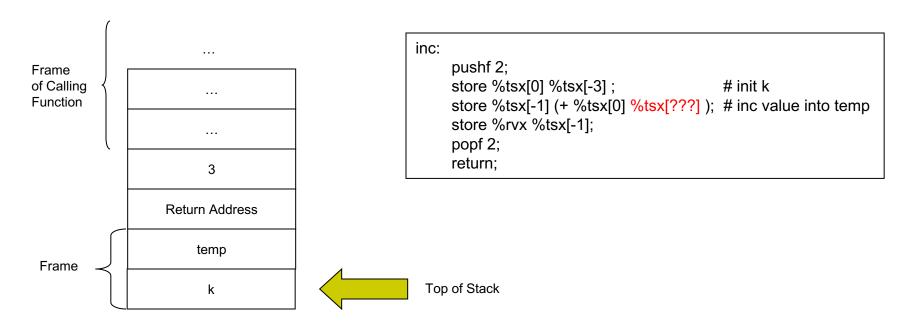
Nested function Declarations!

Our interpreter handles this correctly! Try it.





 To see the problem with nested function declarations for compilation, let's take a look at the compiled declare inc(k) return k+step; function



Note: 'step' is inaccessible from the nested function, 'step' is in the frame of the calling function.





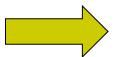
 Compiling inc as a global function presents no problems as long as the function is statically scoped.

```
declare step = 2;
declare inc(k) return k+step;

declare seq(n) {
    declare i = 1;

    // generate the sequence
    while(i<=n) {
        put(i);
        i = inc(i)
        }
}

// main program
    seq(10);</pre>
```



```
inc:
    pushf 2;
    store %tsx[0] %tsx[-3];
    store %tsx[-1] (+ %tsx[0] step$0);
    store %rvx %tsx[-1];
    popf 2;
    return;
```

Conclusion: we will disallow nested function declarations in our compiler.

Compiling Expressions with Functions



- Compiling expressions that contain function calls presents a problem
 - Expressions are represented as terms
 - BUT function calls are statements in our bytecode
 - That means function calls cannot appear in expressions of the bytecode
- Solution: convert the evaluation of expressions into three-address code statements.

Three-Address Code



- Three-address code is an intermediate representation
- The name refers to the fact that in a single statement we access at most three variables, constants, or functions.
- Each statement in three-address code has the general form of:

$$x = y op z$$

where x, y and z are variables, constants or temporary variables generated by the compiler and op represents any operator, e.g. an arithmetic operator.

Source: Wikipedia

Three-Address Code



Expressions containing more than one fundamental operation, such as:

$$w = x + y * z$$

are not representable in three-address code.

 Instead, they are decomposed into an equivalent series of three-address code statements, such as:

$$t1 = y * z$$

 $w = x + t1$

Compiling Expressions with Functions



Consider the expression term:

 We turn this into three-address code statements by doing only one operation at a time and store the result in a temporary variable:

$$T$1 = 3*2$$

 T2 = T$1+6$

Compiling Expressions with Functions



That is exactly what the compiler will do:

```
put 3*2+4; store t$0 (* 3 2); store t$1 (+ t$0 4); print t$1; stop;
```

Compiling Expressions with Functions



- Now compiling expressions with functions is straightforward
 - Calling a function is just another operation whose result will be stored in a temp
- Consider: 3*2+inc(5)
- We can rewrite the expression term as the following three-address code statements:

```
T$1 = 3*2

T$2 = inc(5)

T$3 = T$1+T$2
```

Compiling Expressions with Functions



As compiled code:

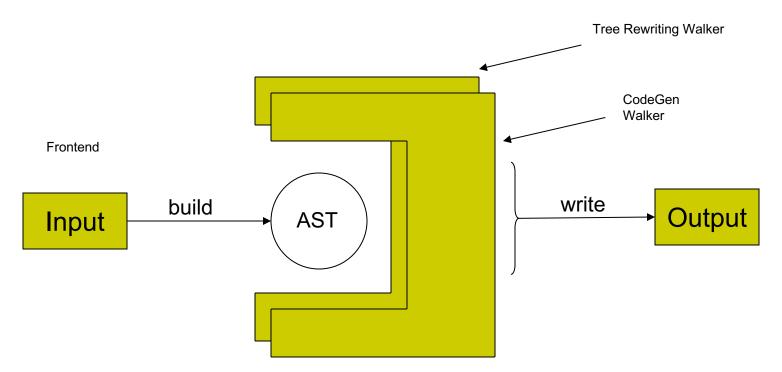
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declare inc(k) return k+1;
put 3*2+inc(5);
```



```
jump L32;
# Start of function inc
inc:
          pushf 2;
          store %tsx[0] %tsx[-3]:
          store %tsx[-1] (+ %tsx[0] 1):
          store %rvx %tsx[-1]:
          popf 2;
          return ;
# End of function inc
#
L32:
          noop;
          store t$0 (* 3 2);
          pushv 5;
          call inc ;
          popv ;
          store t$1 %rvx;
          store t$2 (+ t$0 t$1);
          print t$2;
          stop;
```

Compiler: Cuppa3 → exp2bytecode

- The compiler has three phases:
 - frontend,
 - semantic analysis/tree rewriting,
 - code generation.
- The symbol table has the same structure as in the interpreter to enforce the semantics of Cuppa3
 - But the symbol table also has structures that support the generation of target code.





- We use the symbol table to associate source variable names with target names
 - If source variable is a function local variable then the target name will be a stack frame location
- We use the tree rewriting phase to lower the abstraction level of the AST:
 - Insert target names
 - Generate three-address code
- The lowered AST is already in a format that the codegen phase can understand
 - Overall codegen structure similar to Cuppa2 compiler
 - However, lots of details with regards to tracking three address-code result locations and stack manipulation
 - That said, most of the changes from the Cuppa2 to the Cuppa3 compiler are in the function declaration/code generation part and the expression handling part.

- The relevant code:
 - Cuppa3_cc_symtab.py
 - cuppa3 cc tree rewrite.py
 - cuppa3_cc_codegen.py



 Let's use this program to follow the translation process through the compiler

```
from cuppa3_lex import lexer
from cuppa3_cc_frontend import parser
from cuppa3_cc_tree_rewrite import walk as rewrite
from cuppa3_cc_codegen import walk as codegen
from cuppa3_cc_output import output
from cuppa3_cc_state import state
from grammar_stuff import dump_AST

from cuppa3_cc import cc
from exp2bytecode_interp import interp as run
```



```
In [51]: state.initialize()
   parser.parse(program,lexer=lexer)

In [52]: dump_AST(state.AST)
```

• The AST right after the front end.



```
In [53]: state.AST = rewrite(state.AST)
dump_AST(state.AST)
```

- The AST right after tree rewriting.
- Notice the additional variable name in the expression AST – third address!



- The code generated from the lowered AST
- Notice the statements (arrows) due to three-address code generation

```
In [54]: output_stream = output(codegen(state.AST))
    print(output_stream)

    store t$0 (+ 3 2);
    store t$1 (* t$0 4);
    store t$2 t$1;
    print t$2;
```

```
In [55]: run(output_stream)
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```



 Let's look at this function and trace the translation process with respect to function local variables

```
In [56]: program = \
    declare double_sum(a,b)
    {
        return (a+b)*2;
    }
    '''
```

```
state.initialize()
In [57]:
          parser.parse(program,lexer=lexer)
In [58]:
         dump AST(state.AST)
          (seq
             (fundecl double sum
                (seq
                   (id a)
                   (seq
                      (id b)
                      (nil)))
                (block
                   (seq
                      (return
                             (paren
                                   (id a)
                                   (id b)))
                             (integer 2)))
                      (nil))))
```

(nil))

The AST right after the front end



```
In [59]: state.AST = rewrite(state.AST)
dump_AST(state.AST)
```

- The AST after rewriting
- Both function local variables and three address code generation are represented!

```
(seq
  (fundef double sum
      (seq %tsx[0]
                                      Formal arguments
         (seq %tsx[-1] ←
            (nil)))
      (block
         (seq
             (return
                (* %tsx[-3]
                                           3-addr code temps
                   (+ %tsx[-2]
                      (id %tsx[0])
                                                    Formal arguments
                      (id %tsx[-1]))
                   (integer 2)))
            (nil))) 4)
   (nil))
```



Generated code

```
output stream = output(codegen(state.AST))
In [60]:
         print(output stream)
                 jump L7;
         #
         # Start of function double sum
         double sum:
                 pushf 4;
                 store %tsx[0] %tsx[-5]
                                                            Formal arguments
                 store %tsx[-1] %tsx[-6];
                 store %tsx[-2] (+ %tsx[0] %tsx[-1])
                                                                     3-addr code temps
                 store %tsx[-3] (* %tsx[-2] 2);
                 store %rvx %tsx[-3];
                 popf 4;
                 return ;
                 popf 4;
                 return ;
         # End of function double sum
         #
         L7:
                 noop;
```



The program

```
In [61]: program = \
    declare double_sum(a,b)
    {
        return (a+b)*2;
    }
    declare x = double_sum(3,2);
    put x;
    ''''
```

```
(seq
  (fundecl double sum
      (seq
        (id a)
         (seq
           (id b)
           (nil)))
      (block
         (seq
            (return
                  (paren
                        (id a)
                        (id b)))
                  (integer 2)))
           (nil))))
   (seq
      (declare x
         (callexp double sum
            (seq
               (integer 3)
               (seq
                  (integer 2)
                  (nil)))))
      (seq
        (put
           |(id x)|
        (nil))))
```

The front end AST

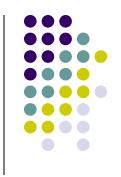
```
(seq
  (fundef double sum
     (seq %tsx[0]
        |(seq %tsx[-1]
            (nil)))
      (block
         (seq
            (return
               (* %tsx[-3]
                  (+ %tsx[-2]
                     (id %tsx[0])
                     |(id %tsx[-1]))
                  (integer 2)))
            (nil))) 4)
   (seq
     (assign t$1
         (callexp t$0 double sum
            (seq
               (integer 3)
               (seq
                  (integer 2)
                  (nil)))))
      (seq
         (put
            (id t$1))
         (nil))))
```

The rewritten AST

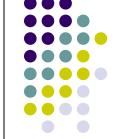
```
jump L8;
#
# Start of function double sum
double sum:
        pushf 4;
        store %tsx[0] %tsx[-5];
        store %tsx[-1] %tsx[-6];
        store %tsx[-2] (+ %tsx[0] %tsx[-1]);
        store %tsx[-3] (* %tsx[-2] 2);
        store %rvx %tsx[-3];
        popf 4;
        return ;
        popf 4;
        return ;
#
# End of function double sum
L8:
        noop;
       pushv 2;
        pushv 3;
        call double sum ;
        popv ;
        popv ;
        store t$0 %rvx;
        store t$1 t$0;
        print t$1;
```



The rewritten AST



- The symbol table has additional functionality to deal with
 - The stack frame
 - Scalars vs functions
 - Function local vs global variables



```
class SymTab:

def __init__(self):
    # global scope dictionary must always be present
    self.scoped_symtab = [{}]
    # keep track of wether we are in a function declaration of not
    self.in_function = False
    # counter used to generate unique global names
    self.temp_cnt = 0
    # counter to compute the frameoffset of function local variables
    self.offset_cnt = 0
```

```
# scope manipulation functions
def get config(self):
    # we make a shallow copy of the symbol table
    return list(self.scoped symtab)
def set config(self, c):
    self.scoped symtab = c
def push scope(self):
    # push a new dictionary onto the stack - stack grows to the left
    self.scoped symtab.insert(CURR SCOPE,{})
def pop scope(self):
    # pop the left most dictionary off the stack
    if len(self.scoped symtab) == 1:
        raise ValueError("cannot pop the global scope")
    else:
        self.scoped symtab.pop(CURR SCOPE)
def enter function(self):
    # if we are in a function declaration we are not allowed to start another one
    if self.in function:
        raise ValueError("Function declarations cannot be nested.")
    self.in function = True
    self.push scope()
    self.offset cnt = 0
def exit function(self):
    self.in function = False
    self.pop scope()
```



```
# symbol declaration functions
def declare scalar(self, sym):
    # declare the scalar in the current scope
    # first we need to check whether the symbol was already declared
    # at this scope
    if sym in self.scoped symtab[CURR SCOPE]:
        raise ValueError("symbol {} already declared".format(sym))
    # enter the symbol in the current scope
    self.scoped symtab[CURR SCOPE] \
        .update({sym : ('scalar', self._make_target_name())})
def declare fun(self, sym, init):
    # declare a function in the current scope
    # first we need to check whether the symbol was already declared
    # at this scope
    if sym in self.scoped symtab[CURR SCOPE]:
        raise ValueError("symbol {} already declared".format(sym))
    # enter the function in the current scope
    self.scoped symtab[CURR SCOPE] \
        .update({sym : ('function', init)})
```



```
# msic. functions
def lookup sym(self, sym):
    # find the first occurence of sym in the symtab stack
    # and return the associated value
    n scopes = len(self.scoped symtab)
    for scope in range(n scopes):
        if sym in self.scoped symtab[scope]:
            val = self.scoped symtab[scope].get(sym)
            return val
    # not found
    raise ValueError("{} was not declared".format(sym))
def get target name(self, sym):
    (type, name) = self.lookup_sym(sym)
    if type != 'scalar':
        raise ValueError("{} is not a scalar.".format(sym))
    return name
```





- Generate three address code
- Replace original variable names with target names

```
def binop_exp(node):
    # turn expressions into three-address codes

(OP, c1, c2) = node
    if OP not in ['+', '-', '*', '/', '==', '<=']:
        raise ValueError("pattern match failed on " + OP)

t1 = walk(c1)
    t2 = walk(c2)

target_name = declare_temp()

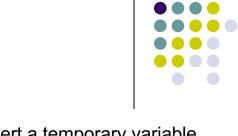
return (OP, target_name, t1, t2)</pre>
```

```
def uminus_exp(node):
    (UMINUS, exp) = node
    assert_match(UMINUS, 'uminus')
    t = walk(exp)
    target_name = declare_temp()
    return ('uminus', target_name, t)
```



 Insert a temporary variable into expression as the "third address"

```
def call_exp(node):
    (CALLEXP, name, actual_args) = node
    assert_match(CALLEXP, 'callexp')
    return handle_call('callexp', name, actual_args)
```



 Insert a temporary variable into call expression as the "third address"

```
# Note: We are walking the body of a function declaration to figure out
# how many local variables there are. We need this information in order
# to compute the frame size of the function. Also, we need to replace
# original function local variables with their stack frame target names.
def fundecl stmt(node):
    try: # try the fundecl pattern without arglist
        (FUNDECL, name, (NIL,), body) = node
        assert match(FUNDECL, 'fundecl')
        assert match(NIL, 'nil')
    except ValueError: # trv fundecl with arglist
        (FUNDECL, name, arglist, body) = node
        assert match(FUNDECL, 'fundecl')
        # we don't need the function body - abbreviated function value
        funval = ('funval', arglist)
        state.symbol table.declare fun(name, funval)
        state.symbol table.enter function()
        new arglist = declare formal args(arglist)
        t = walk(body)
        state.symbol table.exit function()
        frame size = state.symbol table.get frame size()
        return ('fundef', name, new arglist, t, frame size)
    else: # fundecl pattern matched
        # no arglist is present
        # we don't need the function body - abbreviated function value
        funval = ('funval', ('nil',))
        state.symbol table.declare fun(name, funval)
        state.symbol table.enter function()
        t = walk(body)
        state.symbol table.exit function()
        frame size = state.symbol table.get frame size()
        return ('fundef', name, ('nil',), t, frame size)
```



 Function declarations get rewritten into function definitions which contain the frame size.

```
def declare stmt(node):
    try: # try the declare pattern without initializer
        (DECLARE, name, (NIL,)) = node
        assert match(DECLARE, 'declare')
        assert match(NIL, 'nil')
    except ValueError: # try declare with initializer
        (DECLARE, name, init val) = node
        assert match(DECLARE, 'declare')
        t = walk(init val)
        state.symbol table.declare scalar(name)
        target name = state.symbol table.get target name(name)
        return ('assign', target name, t)
    else: # declare pattern matched
        # when no initializer is present we init with the value 0
        state.symbol table.declare scalar(name)
        target name = state.symbol table.get target name(name)
        return ('assign', target_name, ('integer', 0))
```

```
def assign_stmt(node):
    (ASSIGN, name, exp) = node
    assert_match(ASSIGN, 'assign')

t = walk(exp)
    target_name = state.symbol_table.get_target_name(name)

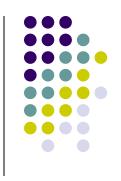
return ('assign', target_name, t)
```



 Original variable names are replaced with target names.

```
def id_exp(node):
    (ID, name) = node
    assert_match(ID, 'id')
    target_name = state.symbol_table.get_target_name(name)
    return ('id', target_name)
```

Code Generation



- Very similar to the Cuppa2 compiler
- All statement level patterns carry over almost unmodified
- Expressions need to keep track of the "third address" or "target address" of the three address code encoding.

Code Generation

```
def binop_exp(node):
    (OP, temp, c1, c2) = node
    if OP not in ['+', '-', '*', '/', '==', '<=']:
        raise ValueError("pattern match failed on " + OP)

    (lcode, lloc) = walk(c1)
    (rcode, rloc) = walk(c2)

    code = lcode + rcode
    code += [('store', temp, '(' + OP + ' ' + lloc + ' ' + rloc + ')')]
    loc = temp

return (code, loc)</pre>
```

- The code generator keeps track of the location where the value of an expression is stored
- Returns a pair for an expression:
 - (1) code
 - (2) location

```
def call exp(node):
    (CALLEXP, temp, name, actual args) = node
    assert match(CALLEXP, 'callexp')
    code = push args(actual args)
    code += [('call', name)]
    code += pop_args(actual_args)
                                          def uminus exp(node):
    code += [('store', temp, '%rvx')]
    loc = temp
                                               (UMINUS, temp, e) = node
                                              assert match(UMINUS, 'uminus')
    return (code, loc)
                                               (code, loc) = walk(e)
                                              code += [('store', temp, '-' + loc)]
                                               loc = temp
                                               return (code, loc)
```

Code Generation

```
def while_stmt(node):
    (WHILE, cond, body) = node
    assert_match(WHILE, 'while')

top_label = label()
    bottom_label = label()
    (cond_code, cond_loc) = walk(cond)
    body_code = walk(body)

code = [(top_label + ':',)]
    code += cond_code
    code += [('jumpF', cond_loc, bottom_label)]
    code += body_code
    code += [('jump', top_label)]
    code += [(bottom_label + ':',)]
    code += [('noop',)]

return code
```



- The while statement is probably the best example to see how the pair returned by generating code for an expression is used.
- Note that we first put the code for the expression into the output stream
- Then we use the location in the conditional jump instruction.