Compiler Design June 13, 2017

FINAL EXAM (TOTAL: 100 POINTS)

- 1. [6] What are the six phases in the structure of a compiler?
 (Hint: There are four phases in the front-end and two phases in the back-end.)
- 2. [8] Eliminate left recursion of the following translation scheme:

$$A \rightarrow A_1 Y$$
 $\{A.a = g(A_1.a, Y.y)\}$
 $A \rightarrow X$ $\{A.a = f(X.x)\}$

3. Below is a grammar for expressions involving operator + and integer or floating-point operands. Floating-point numbers are distinguished by having a decimal point.

$$\begin{split} E &\to E + T \mid T \\ T &\to \mathbf{num.num} \mid \mathbf{num} \end{split}$$

- (1) [8] Give a SDD with an attribute type to determine the type of each term T and expression E.
- (2) [8] Give a SDD with attributes *lexval* (supplied by the lexical analyzer) and *val* to translate expressions into postfix notation. Use the unary operator **intToFloat** to turn an integer into an equivalent float and the symbol '||' for concatenation.
- 4. [10] Multidimensional arrays can be stored in row-major order (last subscript varies fastest), as in C++, or in column-major order (first subscript varies fastest), as in Fortran. Develop the access function for three-dimensional row-major arrays.

HINT: Let the subscript ranges of the three dimensions be named min(1), min(2), min(3), max(1), max(2), and max(3), where min(1), min(2), and min(3) are lower bounds for dimension one, dimension two, and dimension three, respectively, and max(1), max(2), and max(3) are upper bounds for dimension one, dimension two, and dimension three, respectively. Assume the element size is size.)

- 5. For each of the following types of variables, state the place in memory where a compiler allocates the space for such a variable.
 - (1) [3] A non-static variable local to a procedure
 - (2) [3] A global variable
 - (3) [3] A dynamically allocated global variable
 - (4) [3] A formal parameter
 - (5) [3] A compiler-generated temporary variable
- 6. [15] Name five components of a typical activation record (or frame) and explain their functions.
- 7. Considering the following code fragment:

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1: a = read();

2: b = a*a;

3: c = read();

4: d = b+c;

5: if (d > a) {

6: e = d+1;

7: } else {

8: e = a+1;

9: print(a);

10: }

11: print(e);
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- (1) [10] Draw the control-flow graph for the code.
- (2) [10] What is the fewest number of registers that is needed for this program, without spilling? Justify your answer by showing the interference graph and a coloring of the inference graph.
- (3) [10] Compute the reaching definitions at the entry and exist of each basic block. Use the label which precedes a statement to indicate a definition.