Sanitizer & LLVM Pass

SWPP

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Assignment 3

- Two goals:
  1. Find bug in a C program using Clang Sanitizer & fix it
  2. Write a pass that detects unreachable basic blocks
- Deadline: Next Sunday, Apr 12th, 11:59 pm
- I'll announce the full document by tomorrow (Fri.)

Clang Sanitizer

- A tool that helps you detect undefined behaviors at runtime
- `clang -fsanitize=XXX a.c`
  - `undefined`: detects UBs from arithmetic operations
  - `memory`: detects reading uninitialized memory
  - `address`: detects use-after-free, etc
  - They are all undefined behaviors in C!

Running Example

```c
#include<stdio.h>

int main() {
  printf("Type two (small, large) integers to calculate average: ");
  int a, b;
  scanf("%d %d", &a, &b);

  int average = (a + b) / 2;
  printf("Average: %d\n", average);

  return 0;
}
```

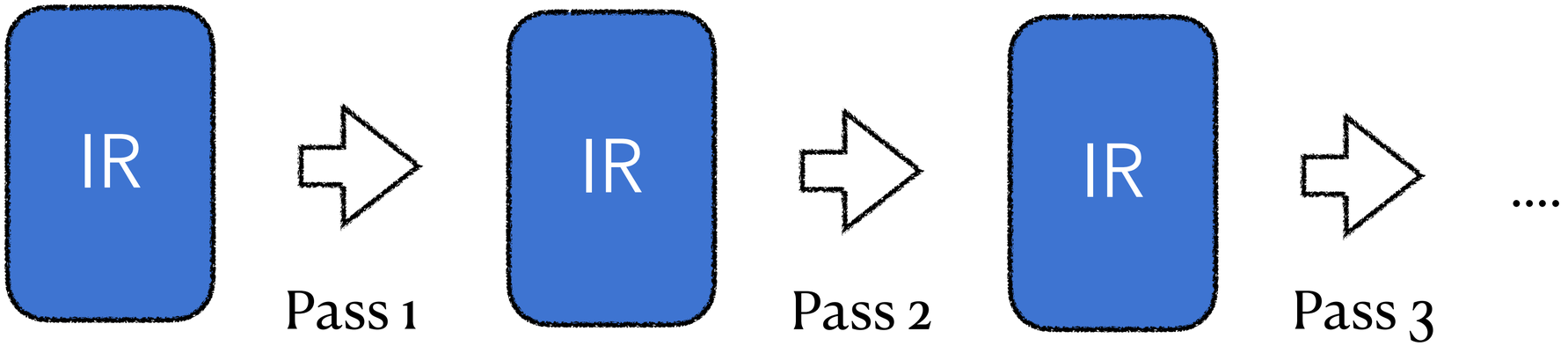
Solution

```c
#include<stdio.h>

int main() {
  printf("Type two (small, large) integers to calculate average: ");
  int a, b;
  scanf("%d %d", &a, &b);

  int average = a + (b - a) / 2;
  printf("Average: %d\n", average);

  return 0;
}
```

Running Sanitizer Example

- People who had a problem with compiler-rt wouldn't have sanitizer enabled.. :(
  - Please download prebuilt release 9.0.0 & use it.
- Go to swpp202001/practice/3.materials
- run-ubsan.sh my-llvm-release/bin

LLVM IR Pass



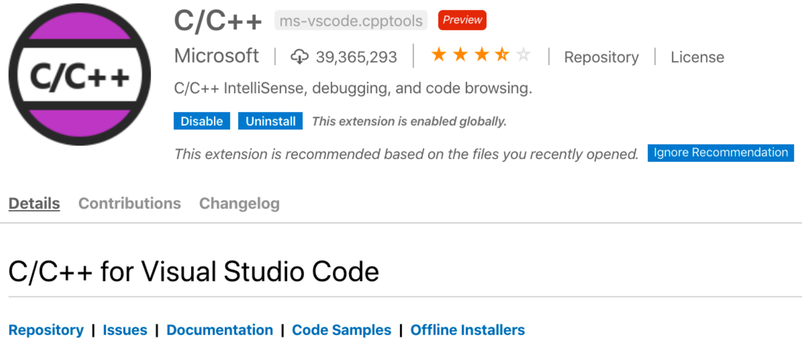
- Each transformation (or optimization) is called pass.
- -O1, -O2, -O3: a set of (more) passes.

Prerequisites

- Prebuilt release 9.0.0 is okay
- LLVM from master branch (the one built using llvmscript) is also okay

C++ IDE

- You will need C++ IDE, otherwise things will be pretty tough :/
- Recommended: Visual Studio Code! https://code.visualstudio.com
  - Interactive & fast (e.g. when you want to locate a class)
  - On Linux/Mac: Download it & execute
  - On Windows Subsystem for Linux: run "`code .`"
  - Install C/C++ extension
  - For faster browsing, you'll need to update include directory (#include will be underlined as red; please click it)



1. HelloPass

- Full code: hello.cpp

```
class HelloPass : public PassInfoMixin<HelloPass> {
public:
  PreservedAnalyses run(Function &F, FunctionAnalysisManager &FAM) {
    StringRef funcName = F.getName();
    outs() << "Hello, " << funcName << "!\n";
    return PreservedAnalyses::all();
  }
};

extern "C" ::llvm::PassPluginLibraryInfo
llvmGetPassPluginInfo() {
  // Registration of HelloPass: omitted for brevity
}
```

Hierarchy

- llvm::Module class
- llvm::Function class
- llvm::BasicBlock class
- llvm::Instruction class

To see class hierarchy & their methods..

Search Google / Read code / See Autocompletions

inherits (is-a)

llvm::LoadInst	llvm::ICmpInst	llvm::BinaryOperator
llvm::StoreInst	llvm::BranchInst	llvm::PHINode...

How To Run HelloPass?

- Compile: it is slightly complex.. Please use ./run-passes.sh
  - If you like to challenge, have a look at the script! It isn't very hard
- Run: ./run-passes.sh also works, but you can try:
  - opt -disable-output -load-pass-plugin=libHello.so -passes="hello" foo.ll

2. DumpPass

```
class DumpPass : public PassInfoMixin<DumpPass> {
public:
  PreservedAnalyses run(Function &F, FunctionAnalysisManager &FAM) {
   outs() << "<<" << F.getName() << “>>\n";

    for (BasicBlock &BB : F) {
      outs() << "BasicBlock: " << BB.getName() << “\n";

      for (Instruction &I : BB)
        outs() << "\t" << I << "\n";
    }
    return PreservedAnalyses::all();
  }
};
```

Print Successors

```
class DumpPass : public PassInfoMixin<DumpPass> {
public:
  PreservedAnalyses run(Function &F, FunctionAnalysisManager &FAM) {
    for (BasicBlock &BB : F) {
      outs() << "BasicBlock: " << BB.getName() << "\n";

      unsigned successorCnt = BB.getTerminator()->getNumSuccessors();

      for (unsigned i = 0; i < successorCnt; ++i) {
        BasicBlock *NextBB = BB.getTerminator()->getSuccessor(i);
        outs() << NextBB->getName() << "\n";
      }
    }
    return PreservedAnalyses::all();
  }
};
```