

Introduction to Computer Systems

2014 Spring Midterm Examination

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Problem 1: (16 points)

[1]	[2]	[3]
[4]	[5]	[6]
[7]	[8]	

Problem 2: (10 points)

[1]	[2]
[3]	[4]
[5]	[6]
[7]	[8]
[9]	[10]

Problem 3: (15 points)

1. [1]	[2]
[3]	[4]
[5]	[6]
[7]	[8]
[9]	[10]

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Problem 4: (10 points)

1 [1]	[2]
[3]	[4]

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3.

Problem 5: (25 points)

1	[1]	[2]
	[3]	[4]
	[5]	[6]
	[7]	[8]
	[9]	[10]
	[11]	[12]
	[13]	[14]

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Problem 6: (24 points)

1	[1]	[2]
	[3]	[4]
	[5]	[6]
2	[1]	[2]
	[3]	[4]
	[5]	[6]

3	[1]	[2]
	[3]	[4]
	[5]	[6]
	[7]	[8]

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Problem 1: (16 points)

1. Consider the following C program

```
short s = -7;   unsigned short us = s;
int i = -26;
unsigned int ui = i;
unsigned int k = ~0xf7;
unsigned int a = !ui ^ k;
unsigned int result = ((unsigned int)-1 >= a);
```

Assume we are running code on an **8-bit** machine using two's complement arithmetic for signed integers. Also assume that right shifts of signed values are performed **arithmetically**. A "short" integer is encoded using **4 bits**. Please fill in the blanks of table below. ($2^8=256$)

Expression	Binary Representation
i	1110 0110
us	[1]
k	[2]
a	[3]
(us>>2) + (s>>2)	[4]
-7 us	[5]
TMIN	[6]
result	[7]
i = (unsigned int)-1 + ui	OF = [8]

Problem 2: (10points)

Suppose a **32-bit little endian** machine has the following memory and register status. (NOTE: **Instructions are independent**). ($1^*10=10^1$)

Memory status

Address	Value
0x100	0xabcdef12
0x104	0x12345678
0x108	0x10011001
0x10c	0x00000007

Register status

Register	Value
%eax	0x00000102
%ebx	0x00000002
%ecx	0x00000104
%edx	0xa1b2c3d4

Fill in the blanks using **4 byte size** and **hex**. ($1^*10=10^1$)

Operation	Destination	Value
movzwl %dx,%eax	[1]	[2]
imull %ebx,%eax	[3]	[4]
leal 0xfffffffffc(%ecx),%edx	[5]	[6]
mull %ebx	[7]	[8]
dec 0xa(%eax)	[9]	[10]

Problem 3: (15points)

Please answer the following questions according to the definition of the union. (NOTE that the size of different types in x86 and x86-64 is shown in the Figure 3.34 in ICS book.)

```
union u_t{
    char z;
    struct s_t {
        int a;
        char b;
        short *(*d)(char, long, double, float);
        short c;
        char *e[2];
    } str[2];
    char f[2];
} u;
```

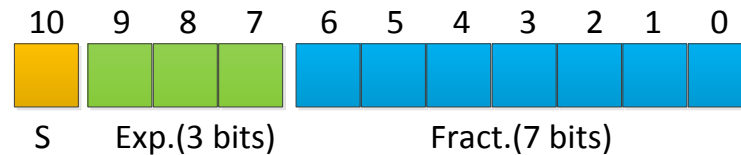
1. Fill in the following blocks. (10')

Representation	x86	x86-64
<code>sizeof(u)</code>	[1]	[2]
<code>sizeof(u.str[1])</code>	[3]	[4]
<code>&(u)</code>	0x8049780	0x6009e0
<code>&(u.f[1])</code>	[5]	[6]
<code>&(u.str[0].d)</code>	[7]	[8]
<code>&(u.str[1].e[1])</code>	[9]	[10]

2. How many bytes are WASTED in `struct s_t` in x86 and x86-64? (2')
3. If you can re-arrange the declarations of `struct s_t`, how many bytes of memory can you SAVE compared to the original one in x86 and x86-64? (3')

Problem 4: FP (10points)

The following figure shows the floating-point format we designed for the exam, called float11. Except for the length, it's the same as the IEEE 754 single-precision format you have learned in the class.



1. Fill the blanks with proper values. (4')

- 1) **Normalized:** $(-1)^S \times (1.\text{Fract}) \times 2^{\text{Exp.-bias}}$, where **bias**= [1];
- 2) **NaN** (any correct **binary** form): [2] ;
- 3) **Smallest Normalized Value** ($s = 0$ and in **binary** form): [3];
- 4) **Largest Denormalized Value** ($s = 0$ and in **binary** form): [4];

2. Convert the number $(-4.9375)_{10}$ into the float11 representation (in **binary**). (3')

3. What is the equivalent value to $(1\ 000\ 1010101)_2$ as a **decimal** number? (3')

Problem 5: (25points)

<pre> int cal(int *val, char type, int x) { int result = 0; for(int i=0; i < R; i++) { switch(type) { case __[1]__: val[i][x]++; break; case 'b': __[2]__; case __[3]__: case 'f': result += x; break; default: __[4]__; } } return result; } </pre>	<pre> #define R __[5]__ #define S __[6]__ /* sizeof(val) == 200 */ int val[R][S]; int x; .section .rodata .align 4 .L7: .long .L4 .long .L5 .long .L6 .long __[7]__ .long .L3 .long __[8]__ </pre>
<pre> <cal>: pushl %ebp movl %esp, %ebp pushl __[9]__ subl \$20, %esp movl 12(%ebp), %ebx <u>movb %bl, -12(%ebp)</u> movl \$0, %eax movl \$0, %ecx jmp .L2 .L9: <u>movsbl -12(%ebp), %ebx</u> subl \$97, %ebx cmpl __[10]__, %ebx ja .L3 jmp __[11]__ .L4: movl 16(%ebp), %edx movl %ecx, %ebx sall \$2, %ebx addl %ecx, %ebx addl __[12]__, %ebx </pre>	<pre> movl 8(%ebp,%ebx,4), %esi addl \$1, %esi movl %esi, 8(%ebp,%ebx,4) jmp .L8 .L5: movl 16(%ebp), %ebx cmpl %ecx, %ebx cmova %ecx, %ebx addl %ebx, %eax .L6: movl 16(%ebp), %ebx addl %ebx, %eax jmp .L8 .L3: movl \$-1, %eax jmp .L1 .L8: addl \$1, %ecx .L2: cmpl __[13]__, __[14]__ jle .L9 .L1: addl \$20, %esp popl %ebx popl %ebp ret </pre>

Suppose the C and assembly code are executed on a 32-bit little endian machine. Read the code and answer the following questions.

Reference:

Char	'0'	'9'	'A'	'Z'	'a'	'z'
ASCII	48(0x30)	57(0x39)	65(0x41)	90(0x5A)	97(0x61)	122(0x7A)

1. Please fill in the blanks within C and assembly code. (NOTE: no more than one instruction per blank) (1.5' * 14)
2. Here we have two instructions underlined:

```
movb    %b1, -12(%ebp)
movsbl  -12(%ebp), %ebx
```

What is the purpose of executing those two instructions? (2').

If we replace "movsbl" with "movzbl", will the function "cal" perform differently? Please explain your answer (2')

Problem 6: (24points)

Suppose the following C code and assembly code are executed on a 32-bit little endian machine. In the C code, the bar functions are **NOT explicitly** called. In order to do the invocation **implicitly** we modify the assembly code directly, as shown in the lines **labeled** by ① to ⑤ which are added to the original assembly code. In this case, only `bar1()` is called. Read the code and answer the following questions:

<pre>#include <stdio.h> int array[4]; void foo(); void bar1(); void bar2(); int main(){ foo(); }</pre>	<pre>void foo(void){ array[0] = (int)bar1; array[2] = (int)bar2; } void bar1(void){ printf("bar1\n"); } void bar2(void){ printf("bar2\n"); }</pre>
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080483c4 <main>:
80483c4:      55                    push    %ebp
80483c5:      89 e5                mov     %esp,%ebp
80483c7:      83 e4 f0             and     $0xffffffff,%esp
80483ca:      e8 04 00 00 00       call    80483d3 <foo>
80483cf:      89 ec                mov     %ebp,%esp
80483d1:      5d                    pop     %ebp
80483d2:      c3                    ret

080483d3 <foo>:
80483d3:      55                    push    %ebp
80483d4:      89 e5                mov     %esp,%ebp
80483d6:      b8 ____[1]____       mov     $0x80483fe,%eax
80483db:      a3 10 96 04 08       mov     %eax,0x8049610
__[2]__:      b8 15 84 04 08       mov     $0x8048415,%eax
80483e5:      a3 18 96 04 08       mov     %eax, ____[3]____
80483ea:      5d                    pop     ____[4]____
80483eb:      89 25 14 96 04 08     mov     %esp,0x8049614 ①
80483f1:      89 25 1c 96 04 08     mov     %esp,0x804961c ②
80483f7:      8d 25 10 96 04 08     lea     0x8049610,%esp ③
80483fd:      c3                    ret

080483fe <bar1>:
80483fe:      8b 24 24             mov     (%esp),%esp ④
8048401:      55                    push    %ebp
8048402:      89 e5                mov     %esp,%ebp
8048404:      83 ec 18             sub     $0x18,%esp
8048407:      c7 04 24 f0 84 04 08 movl     $____[5]____, (%esp)
804840e:      e8 e5 fe ff ff       call    80482f8 <puts@plt>
8048413:      c9                    ____[6]____
8048414:      c3                    ret

08048415 <bar2>:
8048415:      8b 24 24             mov     (%esp),%esp ⑤
8048418:      55                    push    %ebp
8048419:      89 e5                mov     %esp,%ebp
804841b:      83 ec 18             sub     $0x18,%esp
804841e:      c7 04 24 f5 84 04 08 movl     $0x80484f5, (%esp)
8048425:      e8 ce fe ff ff       call    80482f8 <puts@plt>
804842a:      c9                    leave
804842b:      c3                    ret

08049610 <array>:
...
```


1. Fill in the blanks in the Assembly Code. (1'*6=6').
2. BEFORE executing the instruction `"push %ebp"` (0x80483d3), the values of registers are `%esp = 0xffffdb9c`, `%ebp = 0xffffdba8`. Please fill the following blanks. (1'*6=6')

NOTE: "Before 0x80483eb" means "before executing the instruction in the address 0x80483eb".

Phase	%esp	%ebp
Before 0x80483eb	[1]	[2]
Before 0x80483fe	[3]	[4]
After 0x8048404	[5]	[6]

3. Indicate the values of elements stored in the array, as well as the meaning of the value respectively. If the value can't be determined, fill with '--' instead. (1'*8=8')

Element	Value (Hex)	Meaning
array[0]	[1]	[2]
array[1]	[3]	[4]
array[2]	[5]	[6]
array[3]	[7]	[8]

4. Modify the assembly code to call function `bar2()` instead of `bar1()` and explain it. (4') HINT: Actually you need to modify only one instruction.