



WEBASSEMBLY

# WebAssembly Security

## "From Reversing to Vulnerability Research"

Version 1.7

Day #1

# WebAssembly Reverse Engineering

# Summary

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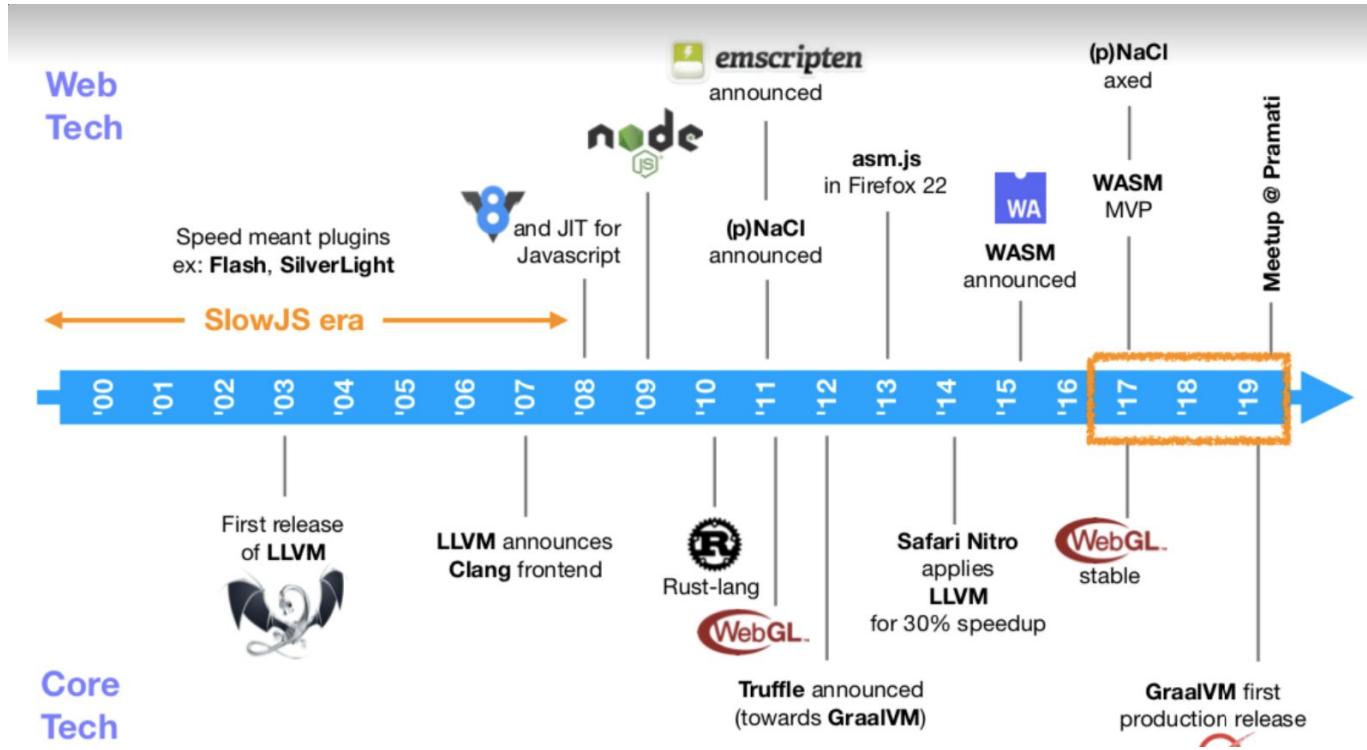
- Introduction to WebAssembly
  - WebAssembly toolchains & ABIs
- WebAssembly VM
  - Architecture
  - Web-Browsers / Standalone VM / Interpreter
- WebAssembly Text Format (wat/wast)
- Debugging WebAssembly module
- WASM binary format
- EXERCISE: Real-life Browser addons analysis
- Instructions set architecture (ISA)
- Control Flow Graph (CFG)
- Reversing and Disassembler tools (IDA, Radare2, JEB)
- Call Flow Graph & Data Flow Graph (DFG)
- EXERCISE: CTF challenges



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# Introduction to WebAssembly

# Before WebAssembly ([source](#))



# What is WebAssembly?

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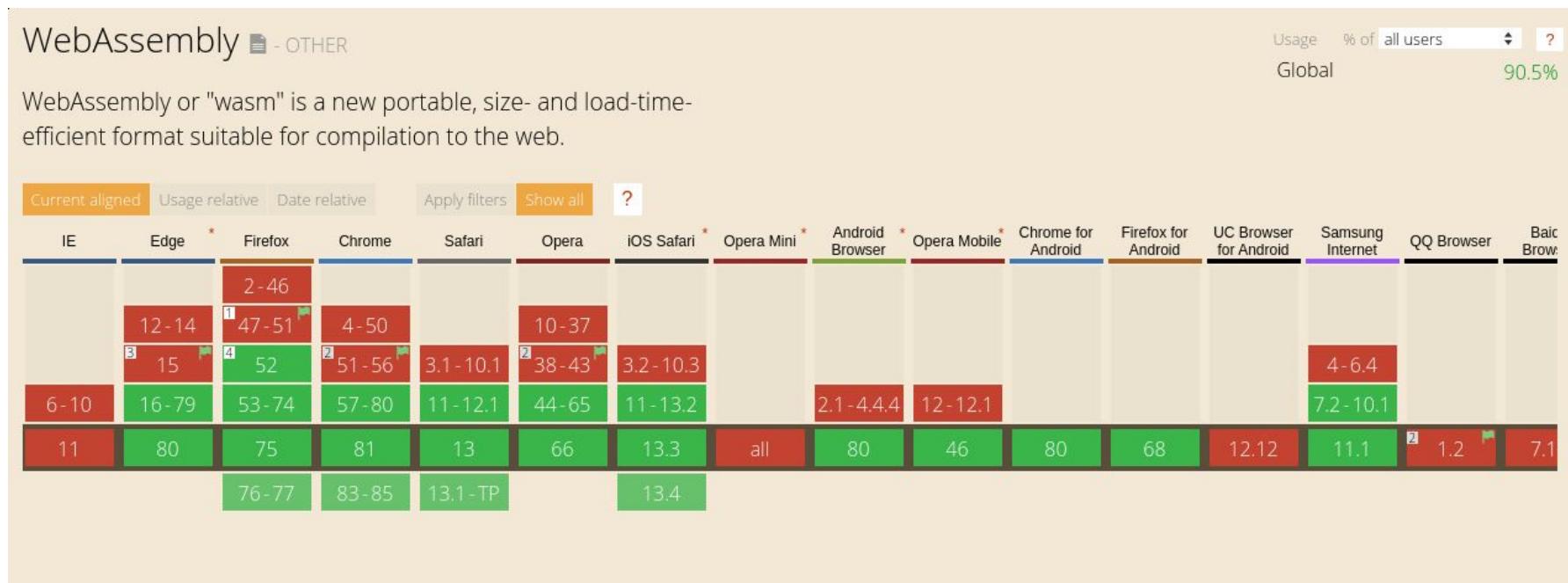
- **Binary instruction format for a stack-based virtual machine**
  - Low-level bytecode
  - Compilation target for C/C++/Rust/Go/...
- Generic evolution of [NaCl](#) & [Asm.js](#)
- [W3C](#) standard
- MVP 1.0 (March 2017)
- Natively supported in all major browsers
- WebAssembly goals:
  - Be fast, efficient, and portable (near-native speed)
  - Easily readable and debuggable (wat/wast)
  - Keep secure (safe, sandboxed execution environment)
  - **Don't break the web** (not a JS killer)
- History of WebAssembly - [video](#)



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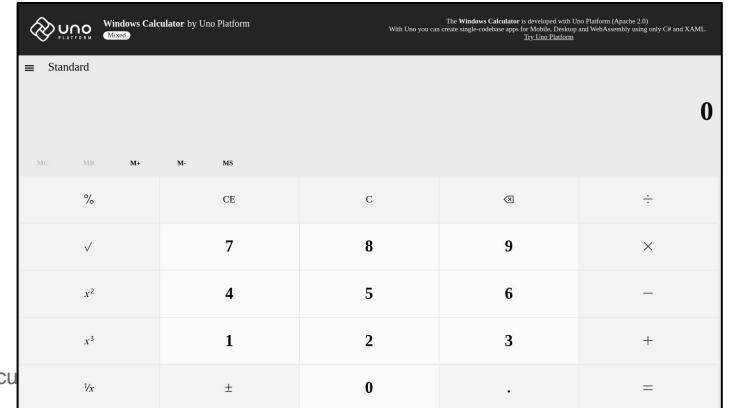
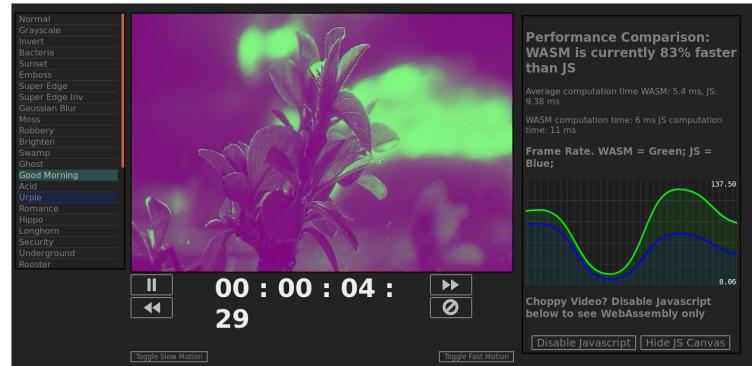
# “A game changer for the web”



<https://caniuse.com/#feat=wasm>

# WebAssembly for Websites

- Video/Audio/Image
  - Online Video Editor - [link](#), [github](#)
  - AV1 video decoder - [blogpost](#), [github](#)
  - Build FFmpeg WebAssembly version - [blogposts](#)
  - Squoosh.app - [link](#), [github](#), [video](#)
    - image compression web app
- Portage of VIM in wasm - [link](#)
- Clang compiler in browser - [link](#)
- Porting a Face Detector Written in C to WebAssembly - [link](#)
- fastq.bio - [link](#), [blogpost](#), [github](#)
  - Interactive web tool for DNA sequencing data
- Uno calculator
  - Windows 10 Calculator ported to WebAssembly - [link](#)
- Ruffle
  - A Flash Player emulator written in Rust - [github](#), [demo](#)



# WebAssembly for Web UI (React, Qt, ...)

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- [React](#) (JavaScript library for building user interfaces)
  - Declarative WebAssembly instantiation for React - [link](#)
  - Using WebAssembly with React - [link](#)
  - Rust, React and WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - WebAssembly, C, Emscripten and React - [link](#)
  - WebAssembly Modules in Rust: An Introduction - [link](#)
  - React, Powered by WebAssembly - *Jay Phelps* - [video](#)
  - Beyond Web Apps React, JavaScript and WebAssembly - *Florian Rival* - [video](#)
  - Native Web Apps: React and WebAssembly to Rewrite Native Apps - *Florian Rival* - [video](#)
- [Qt](#) (widget toolkit for creating graphical user interfaces)
  - Qt for WebAssembly - [link](#), [examples](#)
  - Create web user interfaces with Qt WebAssembly instead of JavaScript - [link](#)
  - Getting Started With Qt for WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - Qt Examples for WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - Examples and test cases for Qt on WebAssembly - [github](#), [demo](#)
  - Qt for WebAssembly: Multithreading - [link](#)
  - exec on Qt WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - Qt Quick (QtWasm) on the Browser - [link](#)



# WebAssembly for Browsers Addons

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- Firefox addons
  - More details later today (day 1)
- Chrome extensions
  - Loading WebAssembly modules efficiently - [link](#)
  - Using WebAssembly in chrome extension - [link](#)
- 1Password X – Password Manager
  - WebAssembly module added in May 2019 update - [link](#)
  - [Firefox addon](#), [Chrome extension](#)

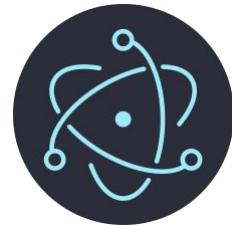
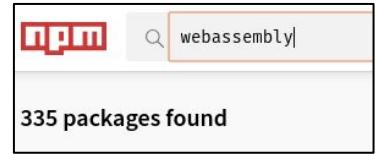


With our move to WebAssembly, page filling and analysis now runs at least twice as fast as before, and those websites with a large number of fields are up to 13x faster in Chrome and up to 39x faster in Firefox! It's blazing fast. 🔥

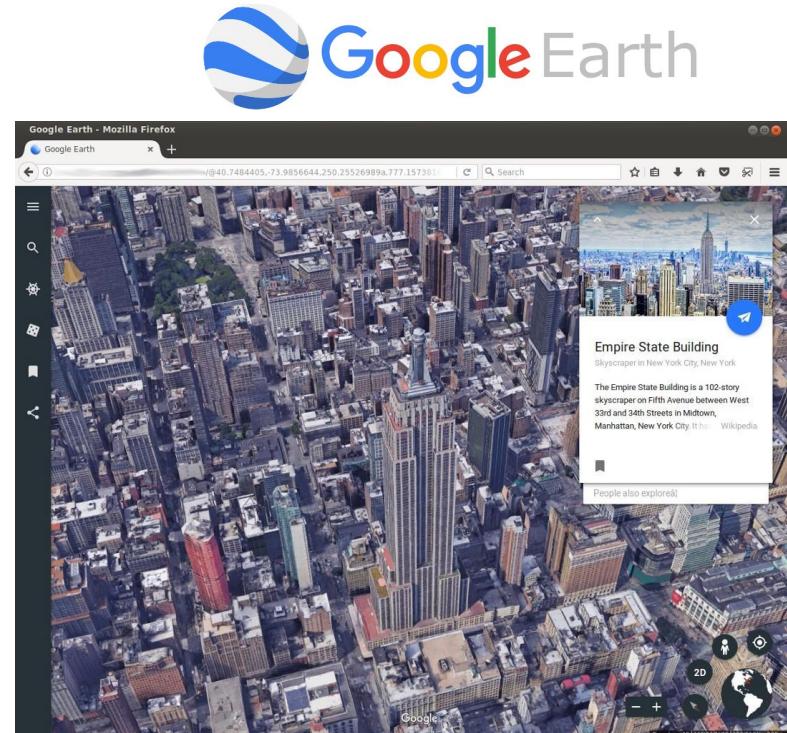
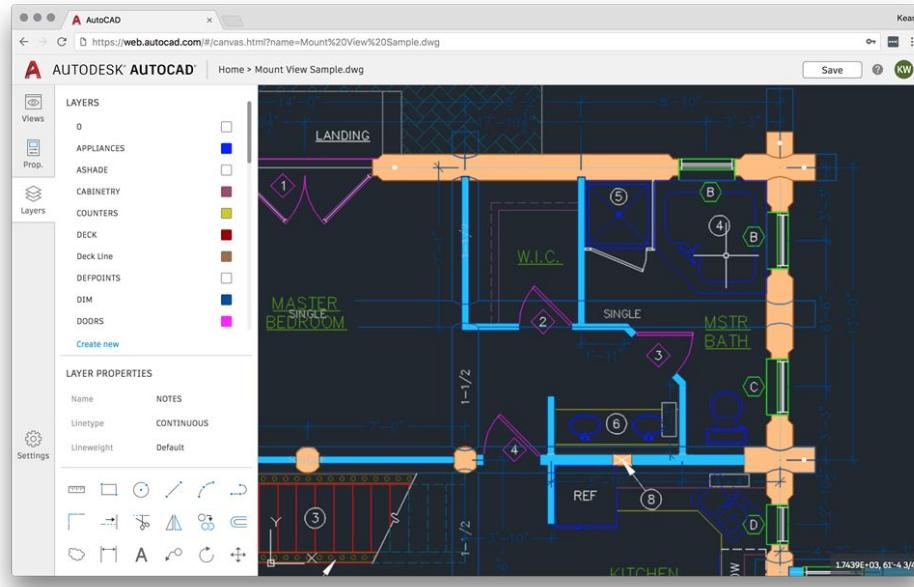
# WebAssembly for Node.js, Electron & Angular

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- [Node.js](#) (JavaScript runtime built on Chrome's V8 JavaScript engine.)
  - BLAKE2b and BLAKE2s hash functions compiled to WebAssembly - [blake2.wasm](#)
  - AEZ cipher compiled to WebAssembly - [aez.wasm](#)
  - npm and WASM: how can we help? by Laurie Voss of npm - [video](#)
  - Serverless Functions With WebAssembly Modules - [link](#)
  - Wasmer-JS - interacting with WASI Modules in Node.js - [blogpost](#), [github](#)
- [Electron](#) (Build cross platform desktop apps with JavaScript, HTML, and CSS)
  - Running Native Code in Electron and the Case for WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - A minimal Electron + WebAssembly (WASM) + Rust example - [github](#)
  - Basic Electron Framework Exploitation (backdooring app) - [link](#)
  - RustConf 2019 - From Electron, to Wasm, to Rust (Aaand Back to Electron) - [video](#)
  - Compile JavaScript? Really? - [link](#)
- [Angular](#) (TypeScript-based open-source web application framework)
  - Using Web Assembly to speed up your Angular Application - [link](#)
  - Curve Fitting in the Browser using Rust+wasm in Angular - [blogpost](#), [demo](#)
  - WebAssembly et Angular le combo parfait ? (French) - [link](#)
  - Angular & WebAssembly examples - [github](#), [demo](#)
  - Back to the Future! From C++ to Angular - [link](#)



# WebAssembly for company Web App #1



# WebAssembly for company Web App #2

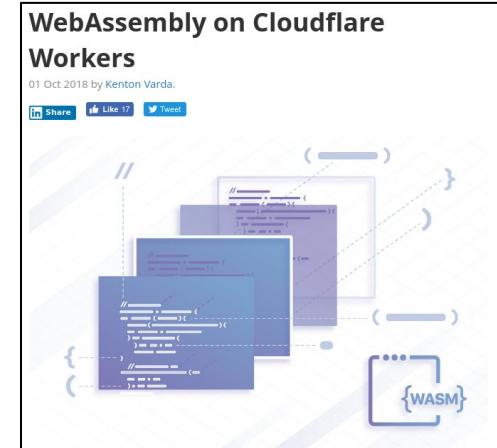
- [AutoCAD \(link\)](#)
  - Roundup: The AutoCAD Web App at Google I/O 2018 - [link](#), [video](#)
- Ebay
  - WebAssembly at eBay: A Real-World Use Case - [link](#)
- Google ([Earth](#), Keep, Hangout, Bigquery, ...)
  - WebAssembly brings Google Earth to more browsers - [link](#)
  - BigQuery beyond SQL and JS: Running C and Rust code at scale with wasm - [link](#)
- Adobe Photoshop - [Tweet](#)
  - Adobe Photoshop Express [online](#)
- Figma (A collaborative interface design tool)
  - WebAssembly cut Figma's load time by 3x - [link](#)
- PSPDFKit (Framework for working with PDF files.)
  - A Real-World WebAssembly Benchmark - [link](#), [demo](#)
- Fluence
  - Porting Redis to WebAssembly with Clang/WASI by Fluence - [link](#)

The screenshot shows a tweet from the account @WebAssemblyJobs (@WebAssemblyJobs). The tweet reads: "NEW @adobe is hiring WebAssembly talent! Software Development Engineer in Test". Below the tweet, there is a call-to-action button with the text "Help them to re-imagine Photoshop on the web!". The tweet includes location information ("San Francisco, CA, USA"), employment type ("Full-time"), and a link ("mtr.cool/hcfqjmkmak"). Hashtags used include #WebAssembly, #WASM, #Jobs, and #Photoshop. At the bottom of the tweet card, there is a small image of a laptop displaying the Adobe Photoshop logo and the text "Software Development Engineer in Test San Francisco, CA, USA". The footer of the tweet card also contains the text "Software Development Engineer in Test" and a brief description: "Adobe Photoshop is used by over 90% of the world's creative professionals to bring what they imagine to life. But what about the rest of us? Join our team at Adobe SF ... webassemblyjobs.com". The timestamp at the bottom right of the tweet card is "14:30 - 10 juil. 2019".

# WebAssembly on Cloudflare Workers

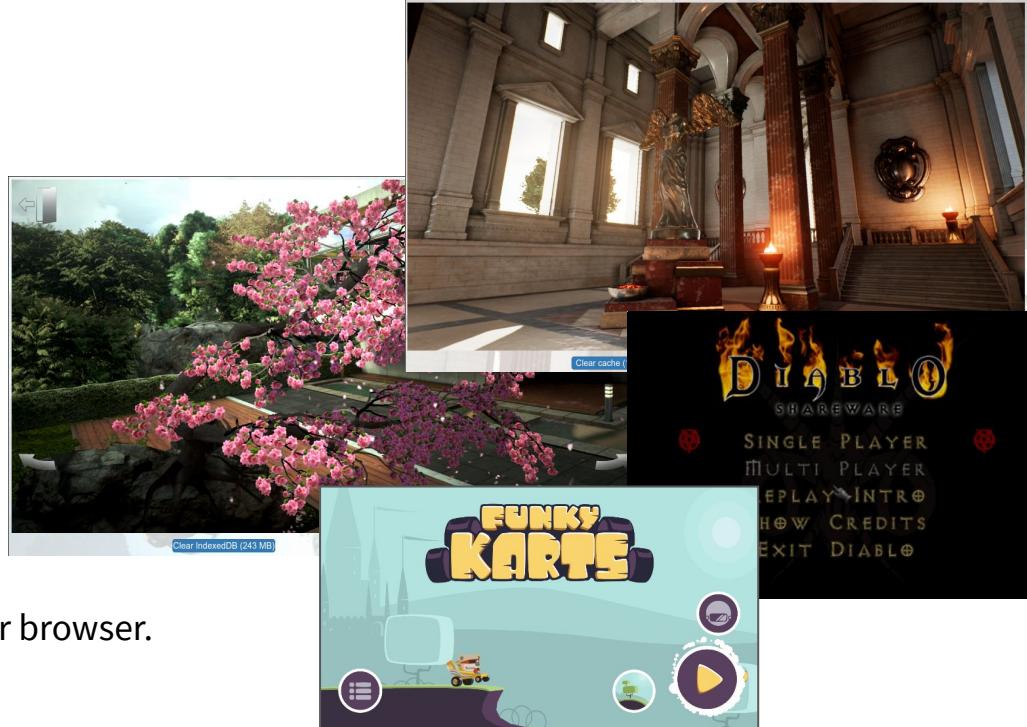
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- “Today, we’re **extending Cloudflare Workers** with support for WebAssembly. All Workers customers can now **augment their applications** with WASM at **no additional cost.**”
- Cloudflare Workers
  - [Announced](#) on October 2018
  - Serverless Rust with Cloudflare Workers - [link](#)
  - Announcing workers.dev - [link](#)
  - Cloudflare documentation - [link](#)
  - Cloudflare wasm demo - [link](#)
  - Getting Started With Serverless WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - kick starting a Cloudflare worker project with emscripten - [link](#)
- Wrangler
  - The Wrangler CLI: Deploying Rust with WASM on Cloudflare Workers - [link](#)
  - Wrangler v1.6.0 release - [link](#)



# WebAssembly for Videos Games

- Supported by multiple game engines:
  - Unity3D WebGL ([WebAssembly is here!](#))
  - Unreal Engine 4 (since [4.18](#))
  - Magnum engine - [link](#)
- Demos:
  - Tanks! - [link](#)
  - EpicZenGarden - [link](#)
  - SunTemple - [link](#)
  - Funky Karts - [link](#)
  - OpenTTD - [link](#)
  - Diep.io - [link](#)
  - Diablo 1 - [github](#), [demo](#)
  - Dungeon Crusher: Soul Hunters - [link](#)
- [DigiPlay](#) - Play video games instantly in your browser.
  - Doom 3 - [blogpost](#), [demo](#)



# WebAssembly for (il)legitimate Crypto-mining

- CryptoJacking
  - Unauthorized use of computing resources to mine cryptocurrencies.
- [CoinHive](#)
  - Created in 2017
  - Simple API
  - “Our miner uses WebAssembly and runs with about 65% of the performance of a native Miner.”
  - (legit) [Proof of Work Captcha](#)
- Attackers just need to insert this snippet of code on victims website:

The screenshot shows the CoinHive website interface. It features a yellow hexagonal logo and the text "A Crypto Miner for your Website". To the right, there are mining statistics: HASHES/S 19.1, TOTAL 276, THREADS 4 + / -, and SPEED 100% + / -. Below the stats is a bar chart representing mining performance. At the bottom, a red-bordered box contains the text "Monetize Your Business With Your Users' CPU Power".

```
<script src="https://coinhive.com/lib/coinhive.min.js"></script>
<script>
    var miner = new CoinHive.User('SITE_KEY', 'john-doe');
    miner.start();
</script>
```

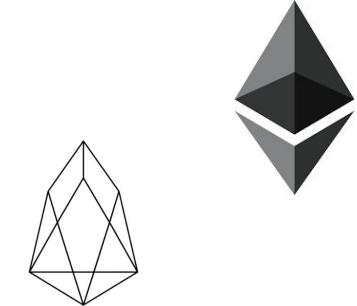
# WebAssembly for (il)legitimate Crypto-mining



# WebAssembly for Blockchain

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- Ethereum (eWasm)
  - The Next Generation Ethereum Virtual Machine / Ewasm VM - [link](#)
- Ethereum (Parity)
  - Sub0.1: Wasm and Substrate - [video](#)
- EOS
  - Smart contract compiled from C++ to WebAssembly
  - EOS-VM: A High-Performance Blockchain WebAssembly Interpreter - [link](#)
- DFINITY
  - Dfinity is a blockchain-based cloud computing project - [source](#)
- Spacemesh
  - Spacemesh Virtual Machine based on wasmer - [blogpost](#), [github](#)
- Golem
  - gWASM task in Golem - [link](#)
  - [sp-wasm](#) - SpiderMonkey-based WebAssembly Sandbox
- Further reading:
  - Wasm on the blockchain workshop Berlin 2019 - [blogpost](#), [videos](#)
  - How to run an EWASM smart contract in 2020? - [video](#)



✖ spacemesh

golem

# WebAssembly for OS Emulation

- [JSLinux](#)
  - Qemu in your browser
  - [Windows 2000](#)
- Game Boy / Game Boy Color Emulator
  - wasm-gb (WebAssembly and WebGL 2.0) - [demo](#), [github](#)
  - wasmboy (WebAssembly using AssemblyScript) - [github](#)
  - I ported my Gameboy Color emulator to WebAssembly - [link](#)
- NES emulator
  - rustynes - An NES emulator by Rust and WebAssembly - [demo](#), [github](#)
  - Pinky - an NES emulator written in Rust - [demo](#), [github](#)
  - SaltyNES - A NES emulator in WebAssembly - [demo](#), [github](#)
- [tomaka/os](#)
  - operating-system-like environment where executables are all in WASM and are loaded from some IPFS-like decentralized network.
- CHIP-8 emulator
  - Writing a CHIP-8 emulator with Rust and WebAssembly - [link](#)
- [CheerpX](#)
  - WebAssembly-based x86 virtual machine in the browser - [video](#), [blog](#)



## EXERCISE

Check some previous websites and  
Made with WebAssembly

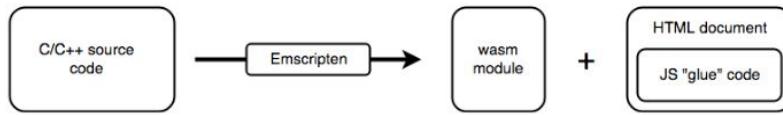
# WebAssembly toolchains





# Emscripten

- Emscripten: An LLVM-to-Web Compiler
  - compiles C and C++ to WebAssembly using **LLVM** and Binaryen.
  - support for popular portable APIs such as OpenGL and SDL2
  - possible to remove emscripten glue code
    - STANDALONE\_WASM=1 flag



- Compile with:
  - `emcc hello.c -o hello.html`
- Further readings:
  - Emscripten: Building to WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - Emscripten and the LLVM WebAssembly backend - [link](#)
  - WebAssembly in Production - [link](#)

V8 @v8js Abonné

Emscripten is switching to the LLVM WebAssembly backend, resulting in...

- ▶ much faster link times
- ▶ smaller and faster code
- ▶ support for all LLVM IR
- ▶ new WebAssembly features
- ▶ faster general updates from upstream LLVM

@kripken explains: [v8.dev/blog/emscripten...](#)

Traduire le Tweet

16:45 - 1 juil. 2019



# WebAssembly toolchain for C/C++

- LLVM: Set of compiler and toolchain technologies
  - WebAssembly not experimental since [LLVM 8.0](#)
  - Available through **clang**
    - Online [clang wasm](#)
- Wasienv: WASI Development Toolchain for C/C++ - [link](#)
  - Compile C/C++ to Wasm WASI - [link](#)
  - Compilation:
    - `wasicc example.c -o example.wasm`
- Further readings:
  - Compiling C to WebAssembly and Running It - without Emscripten - [link](#)
  - Compiling C to WebAssembly without Emscripten - [link](#)
  - Going Straight to clang for WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - Hello World in WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - Compiling C to WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - WebAssembly without Emscripten - [link](#)
  - Compiling C to WebAssembly using clang/LLVM and WASI. - [link](#)

```
clang \
--target=wasm32 \ # Target WebAssembly
-emit-llvm \ # Emit LLVM IR (instead of host machine code)
-c \ # Only compile, no linking just yet
-S \ # Emit human-readable assembly rather than binary
add.c
```

- `wasicc / wasic++` : The Clang compiler
- `wasiconfigure` : A tool to wrap `./configure` commands with wasienv
- `wasimake` : A tool to wrap `cmake` and `make` commands
- `wasild` : the WebAssembly linker



# Development IDE - WebAssemblyStudio

The screenshot shows the WebAssembly Studio interface. On the left, the file structure is displayed with files like README.md, build.ts, package.json, main.c, main.html, main.js, main.wasm, and main.wasm.dot. The main area has two tabs: 'main.c' and 'main.wasm'. The 'main.c' tab contains the following C code:

```
#define WASM_EXPORT
__attribute__((visibility("default")))
WASM_EXPORT
int fib(int n)
{
    if (n == 0 || n == 1)
        return n;
    else
        return (fib(n-1) + fib(n-2));
}
```

The 'main.wasm' tab displays the generated WebAssembly (Wasm) code:

```
(module
  (type $t0 (func))
  (type $t1 (func (param i32) (result i32)))
  (func $__wasm_call_ctors (type $t0))
  (func $fib (export "fib") (type $t1) (param $p0 i32) (result i32)
    block $B0
      get_local $p0
      i32.const 2
      i32.ge_u
      br_if $B0
      get_local $p0
      return
    end
    get_local $p0
    i32.const -1
    i32.add
    call $fib
    get_local $p0
    i32.const -2
    i32.add
    call $fib
    i32.add)
```

At the bottom, there are tabs for 'Output (1)' and 'Problems (0)', and a status bar showing '1' and '21'.



# Development IDE - WasmFiddle

The screenshot shows the WasmFiddle development environment. At the top, there's a navigation bar with tabs for WA, https://wasdk.github.io/WasmFiddle/?15nrow, and several icons (gear, play, key, file, cloud). Below the navigation is a toolbar with Build, Run, JS, and other buttons.

The main area has two code editors. The left editor contains C++ code for a Fibonacci function:

```
1 int fib(int n)
2 {
3     if (n == 0 || n == 1)
4         return n;
5     else
6         return (fib(n-1) + fib(n-2));
7 }
```

The right editor contains the generated WebAssembly code and a JavaScript runtime script:

```
1 WebAssembly.instantiate(wasmCode, /* imports */).then(({instance}) => {
2     var memory = instance.exports.memory;
3     // call any exported function, e.g. instance.exports.main()
4     log(Object.keys(instance.exports));
5
6     i 6    log(instance.exports.fib(0))
7     i 7    log(instance.exports.fib(1))
8     i 8    log(instance.exports.fib(2))
9     i 9    log(instance.exports.fib(3))
10    i 10   log(instance.exports.fib(4))
11    i 11   log(instance.exports.fib(5))
12    i 12   log(instance.exports.fib(6))
13    i 13   log(instance.exports.fib(7))
14    i 14   log(instance.exports.fib(8))
15    i 15   log(instance.exports.fib(9))
16 });
17 }
```

Below the code editors are several buttons: Text Format, Wat, Wasm, Output, Canvas, Clear, and a dropdown menu. The Output panel shows the execution results:

```
memory,fib
0
1
1
2
3
5
5
8
13
```

The bottom part of the interface shows the raw WebAssembly code in a "Code Buffer" tab:

```
(module
  (table 0 anyfunc)
  (memory $0 1)
  (export "memory" (memory $0))
  (export "fib" (func $fib))
  (func $fib (param $0 i32) (result i32)
    (block $label$0
      (br_if $label$0
        (i32.ne
          (i32.or
            (get_local $0)
            (i32.const 1)
          )
        (i32.const 1)
```

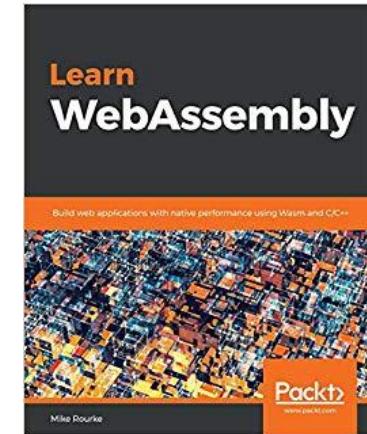
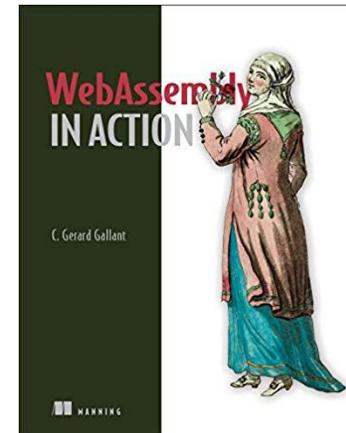
At the very bottom, there's a "Code Buffer" tab containing the raw WebAssembly code:

```
var wasmCode = new Uint8Array([0,97,115,109,1,0,0,0,1,133,128,128,128,0,1,96,0,1,127,3,130,128,128,128,0,1,0,4,132,128,128,128,0,1,112,0,0,5,131,128,128,0,1,0,1,6,129,128,128,0,0,7 ,145,128,128,128,0,2,6,109,101,109,111,114,121,2,0,4,109,97,105,110,0,0,10,138,128,128,128,0,1,132,128,128,128,0,0,65,42,11]);
```



# WebAssembly Books using C++/emscripten

- Learn WebAssembly
  - Build web applications with native performance using Wasm and C/C++
  - By *Mike Rourke*
  - Buy it: [paper](#)
  - Examples github repository - [link](#)
- **WebAssembly in Action**
  - By *Gerard Gallant*
  - Buy it: [paper](#)
  - Not release yet



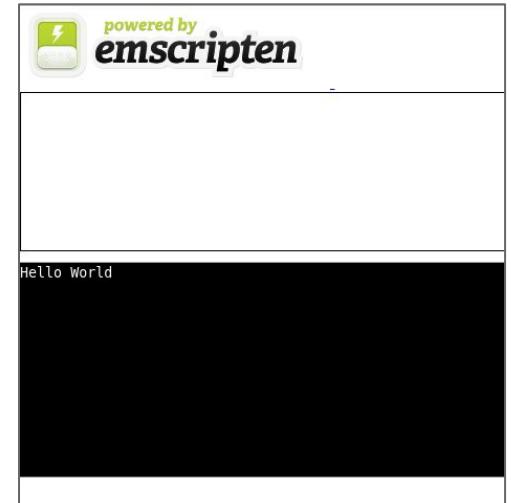
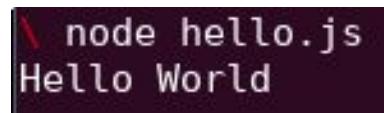
# EXERCISE

## Quick example

# Hello world with emscripten (day\_1/hello\_emscripten)

- Compilation:  
◦ Look at:
  - hello.html, hello.js & hello.wasm
- Start a server:
  - python3 -m http.server
  - firefox localhost:8000
  - emrun --no\_browser hello.html
- or inside nodejs
  - node hello.js
- Further reading:
  - Compiling a New C/C++ Module to WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - Webassembly Tutorial (call\_javascript\_from\_C/C++) - [link](#)
  - Compiling an Existing C Module to WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - Pragmatic compiling of C++ to WebAssembly. A Guide. - [link](#)
  - Small WebAssembly Binaries with Rust + Emscripten - [link](#)
  - Learn Web Assembly the hard way - [link](#)

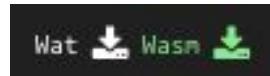
```
1 #include <stdio.h>
2
3 int main(int argc, char ** argv) {
4     printf("Hello World\n");
5 }
```



# Hello world without emscripten (**day\_1/hello**)

- Compilation with WasmFiddle:

- build
  - Download .wasm



- HTML/JS for fib:

- hello.html
  - you can **inline** wasm module in a buffer
    - buffer = new Uint8Array
  - using fetch
    - like in fib.html

- Start a server:

- python3 -m http.server
  - firefox hello.html
  - F12 (dev console)

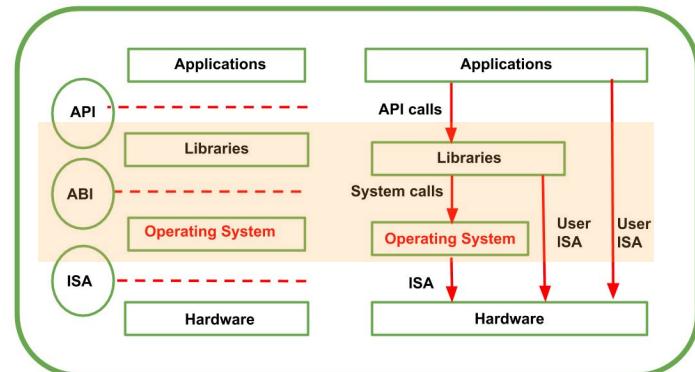
```
1 char * hello() {
2     return "Hello World";
3 }
```

```
1 var buffer = new Uint8Array([0,97,115,109,1,0,0,0,1,133,128,128,
2 ,128,0,1,96,0,1,127,3,130,128,128,0,1,0,4,132,128,128,128,0
3 ,1,112,0,0,5,131,128,128,128,0,1,0,1,6,129,128,128,128,0,0,7,
4 146,128,128,128,0,2,6,109,101,109,111,114,121,2,0,5,104,101,
5 108,108,111,0,0,10,138,128,128,128,0,1,132,128,128,128,0,0,65,
6 16,11,11,146,128,128,128,0,1,0,65,16,11,12,72,101,108,108,111,
7 32,87,111,114,108,100,0]);
8 var m = new WebAssembly.Instance(new WebAssembly.Module(buffer));
9 var h = new Uint8Array(m.exports.memory.buffer);
10 var p = m.exports.hello();
11 function utf8ToString(h, p) {
12     let s = "";
13     for (i = p; h[i]; i++) {
14         s += String.fromCharCode(h[i]);
15     }
16     return s;
17 }
18 console.log(utf8ToString(h, p));
```

# WebAssembly ABIs

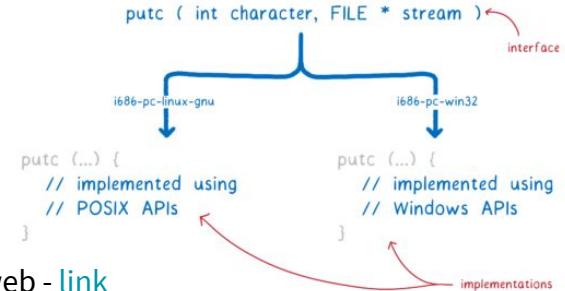
# Application binary interface (ABI)

- “Application binary interface (ABI) is an **interface between two binary program modules**; often, one of these modules is a **library or operating system** facility, and the other is a **program that is being run by a user**.” - [wikipedia](#)
- WebAssembly VM need to have an ABI to:
  - Match module imported functions with JS/OS/API functions.
  - Verify imported function signatures.
- Most common ABI for WebAssembly
  - Emscripten - [link](#)
  - WASI - [link](#)
  - Rust: wasm\_bindgen - [link](#)
  - CloudABI - [link](#) / [video](#)
    - common ABI that Go, Rust, C, C++
- Further readings:
  - Dynamic linking - [link](#)
  - Dynamic Linking: a crash course - [link](#)
  - Introducing WebAssembly Interfaces - [link](#)



# WASI - The WebAssembly System Interface

- WASI stands for WebAssembly System Interface.
  - API designed by the **Wasmtime project** that provides **access to several operating-system-like features**, including **files** and **filesystems**, Berkeley **sockets**, **clocks**, and **random numbers**, that we'll be proposing for standardization.
  - [website](#), [intro](#), [documentation](#), [github](#)
- Tutorials:
  - WASI tutorial - [link](#)
  - Wasienv: WASI Development Toolchain for C/C++ - [blogpost](#), [github](#)
  - uvwasi: WASI syscall API built atop libuv - [link](#)
- Further reading:
  - Standardizing WASI: A system interface to run WebAssembly outside the web - [link](#)
  - WASI - WebAssembly System Interface with Wasmtime - [link](#)
  - Rust and Tell April 2019: Lin Clark - WASI - [video](#)
  - Announcing WASI: WebAssembly's standard system interface - [video](#)
  - Compiling C to WebAssembly using clang/LLVM and WASI. - [link](#)
  - Porting projects to WASI: the flite program - [link](#)
  - Building Graphical Applications with Wasmer and WASI - [link](#)



# Dynamic Linking between WebAssembly and JS

- Interoperability through `importObject`
  - Provided during module [instantiation](#)
  - import all symbols (functions, memory, etc.)

```
1 | var importObject = { imports: [ imported_func: arg => console.log(arg) ] };
2 |
3 | WebAssembly.instantiateStreaming(fetch('simple.wasm'), importObject)
4 | .then(obj => obj.instance.exports.exported_func());
```

- wasmer-js - [github](#)

- Multiple JavaScript packages enabling easy use of WebAssembly Modules in Node and the Browser.
- [@wasmer/wasi](#)
  - Isomorphic **Javascript library for interacting with WASI Modules** in Node.js and the Browser.
  - [Quick start](#) / [Reference API](#)

- Further readings:

- WebAssembly Interface Types: Interoperate with All the Things! - [link](#)
- Emscripten: Interacting with code - [link](#)
- Running WASI in Javascript with Wasmer-JS - [link](#)
- JavaScript Interop with WebAssembly - [link](#)
- Using the WebAssembly JavaScript API - [link](#)

```
let myWASIInstance = new WASI({
  // OPTIONAL: The pre-opened directories
  preopenDirectories: {},

  // OPTIONAL: The environment vars
  env: {},

  // OPTIONAL: The arguments provided
  args: [],

  // OPTIONAL: The environment bindings (fs, path),
  // useful for using WASI in different environments
  // such as Node.js, Browsers, ...
  bindings: {
    // hrtime: WASI.defaultBindings.hrtime,
    // exit: WASI.defaultBindings.exit,
    // kill: WASI.defaultBindings.kill,
    // randomFillSync: WASI.defaultBindings.randomFillSync,
    // isTTY: WASI.defaultBindings.isTTY,
    // fs: WASI.defaultBindings.fs,
    // path: WASI.defaultBindings.path,
    ...WASI.defaultBindings
  }
}
```

# Other WebAssembly toolchains





# WebAssembly toolchain for Rust

- [wasm-bindgen](#)
  - Check out [rustwasm](#) github repository
  - Dedicated [book](#) about Rust and WebAssembly
- [wasm-pack](#)
  - packages Rust code into an NPM package to then publish and use.
  - [wasm-pack book & documentation](#)
- Further reading:
  - Hello, Rust!: Lot of Demos - [link](#)
  - Getting Hands-On with Wasm in Rust - [link](#)
  - Rust WebAssembly playlist - [videos](#)
  - WebAssembly Modules in Rust: Syntax Deep Dive - [link](#)
  - Rust + WASM: Getting Started - [link](#)
  - Using WebAssembly with Rust - [videos](#)
  - My firsthand experience with RUST + WEBASSEMBLY - [link](#)
  - WebAssembly and Rust: A Web Love Story - [link](#)
  - Get Started with Rust, WebAssembly, and Webpack - [link](#)
  - Conway's Game of Life in Rust and WebAssembly - [link](#)

## Rust 🐾 and WebAssembly ⚙️

This small book describes how to use [Rust](#) and [WebAssembly](#) together.

### Who is this book for?

This book is for anyone interested in compiling Rust to WebAssembly for fast Web. You should know some Rust, and be familiar with JavaScript, HTML, and CSS. You don't need to be an expert in any of them.

Don't know Rust yet? [Start with The Rust Programming Language](#) first.

Don't know JavaScript, HTML, or CSS? [Learn about them on MDN](#).



# Development IDE - WebAssemblyStudio

BETA WebAssembly Studio

Fork Create Gist Download Share Build Run Build & Run

Preview README.md lib.rs

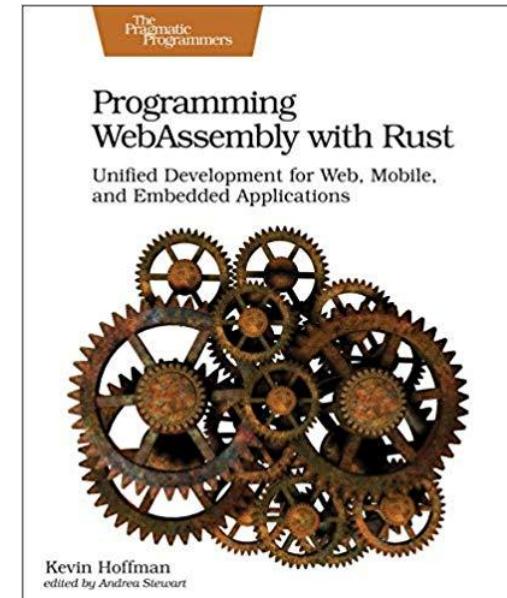
```
1 // Current prelude for using `wasm_bindgen`, and this'll get smaller over time!
2 #![feature(proc_macro, wasm_custom_section, wasm_import_module)]
3 extern crate wasm_bindgen;
4 use wasm_bindgen::prelude::*;

5
6 // Here we're importing the `alert` function from the browser, using
7 // `#[wasm_bindgen]` to generate correct wrappers.
8 #[wasm_bindgen]
9 extern {
10     fn alert(s: &str);
11 }
12
13 // Here we're exporting a function called `greet` which will display a greeting
14 // for `name` through a dialog.
15 #[wasm_bindgen]
16 pub fn greet(name: &str) {
17     alert(&format!("Hello, {}!", name));
18 }
19
```



# WebAssembly Books using Rust

- Programming WebAssembly with Rust
  - Unified Development for Web, Mobile, and Embedded Applications, in beta
  - By *Kevin Hoffman*
  - Buy it: [paper](#)
- **The Rust and WebAssembly Book**
  - [Online book, github](#)
  - FREE





# WebAssembly toolchain for Golang

- Support of WebAssembly since official Go compiler 1.11.
  - Official Go wiki about WebAssembly - [link](#)
- TinyGo - Go compiler for small places - [website](#), [github](#)
  - WIP: WASI support in TinyGo - [link](#)
- Further reading:
  - Compiling Go to WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - Go and wasm: generating and executing wasm with Go - [link](#)
  - Practice your Go WebAssembly with a Game - [link](#)
  - Learning Golang through WebAssembly Series (6 parts) - [link](#)
  - Go WebAssembly Tutorial - Building a Calculator Tutorial - [link](#), [video](#)
  - Go and WebAssembly: running Go programs in your browser - [link](#)
  - Go 1.11: WebAssembly for the gophers - [link](#)
  - WebAssembly: Bringing Go Beyond the Browser (and Beyond!), Gabbi Fisher - [video](#)
  - Launching Wagon, a WebAssembly Interpreter in Go - [link](#)

```
package main

import "fmt"

func main() {
    fmt.Println("Hello, WebAssembly!")
}
```

Set `GOOS=js` and `GOARCH=wasm` environment variables to compile for WebAssembly:

```
$ GOOS=js GOARCH=wasm go build -o main.wasm
```



# WebAssembly toolchain for C#/NET

- Blazor is a feature of ASP.NET for building interactive web UIs using C# instead of JavaScript. It's real .NET running in the browser on WebAssembly. - [site](#), [blog](#), [tutorial](#)
- Mono
  - open source implementation of Microsoft's .NET Framework
  - [Mono and WebAssembly](#)
- Further reading:
  - Exploring Blazor - [link](#)
  - Blazor demos - [website](#)/[github](#)
  - Get Started with Blazor and WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - Web Assembly and Blazor: Re-assembling the Web - [link](#)
  - Blazor, WebAssembly, and the Future of the Browser - [link](#)
  - WebAssembly and Blazor: A Decades Old Problem Solved - [link](#)
  - .NET Bindings for the Wasmer Runtime - [blogpost](#), [github](#)
  - Using WebAssembly from .NET with Wasmtime - [link](#)



# WebAssembly toolchain - Other Languages

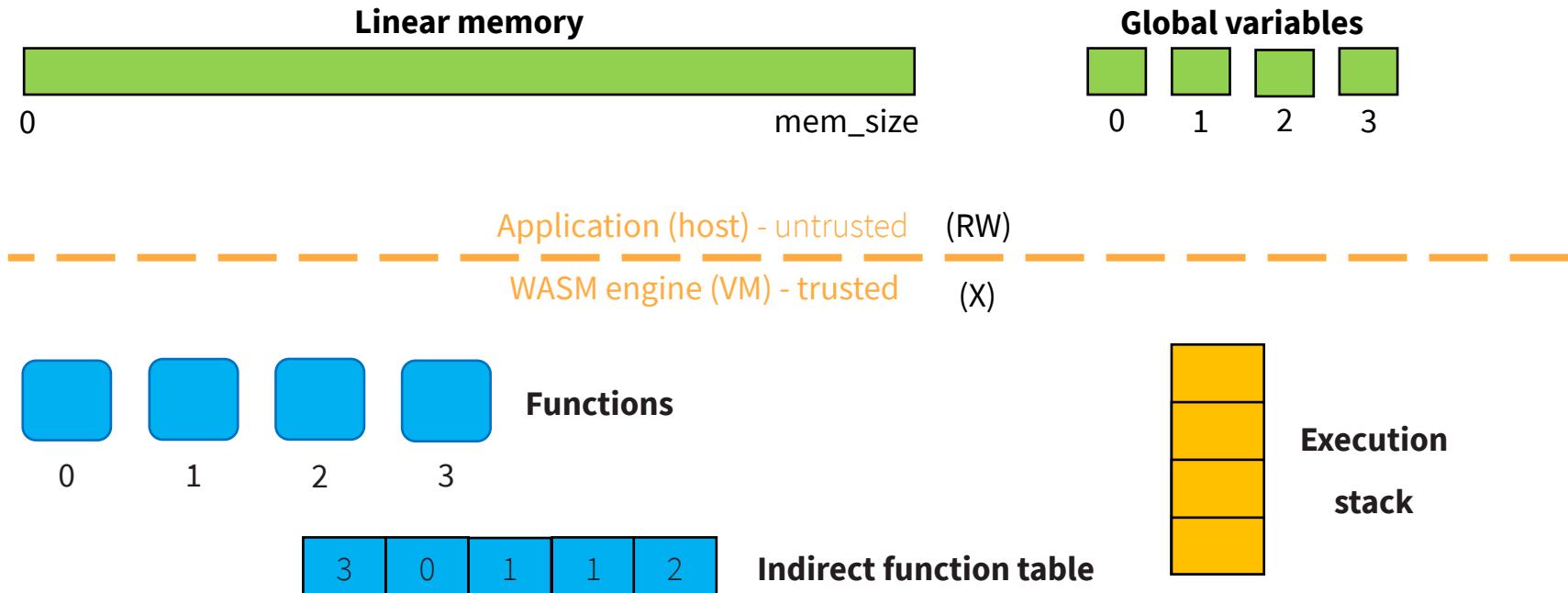
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- **Awesome lists**
  - <https://github.com/mbasso/awesome-wasm#languages>
  - <https://github.com/appcypher/awesome-wasm-langs>
- **Ruby:** Build frontend web apps with Ruby and WebAssembly - [link](#)
- **Dart:** How to load a WebAssembly file in Dart - [link](#)
- **Zig:** A simple tetris clone written in zig programming language. [github](#), [demo](#)
- **Nim:** WebAssembly with Nim - [link](#)
- **Swift:** SwiftWasm compiles your Swift code to WebAssembly. [website](#)
- **Forth:** A Dynamic Forth Compiler for WebAssembly - [blogpost](#)
- **Haskell:** Haskell to WebAssembly compiler - [asterius](#), [dhc](#)
- **Ocaml:** From WebAssembly to Native Code via the OCaml Backend - [link](#)
- **Erlang:** Lumen - A new compiler and runtime for BEAM languages - [github](#)
- **Java:** Export Rust functions to Java using JNI (WebAssembly comparison) - [link](#)

# WebAssembly VMs

## Architecture

# Virtual Machine (simplified) execution model



# Application (Host) - untrusted (Read Write only)

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- Linear memory
  - Contiguous, byte-addressable range of memory
  - Initialize with Data section contents
  - **Bounds-checked array** at runtime



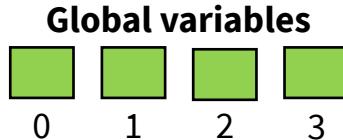
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- Initialize with Data section contents
- **Bounds-checked array** at runtime



- Global variables

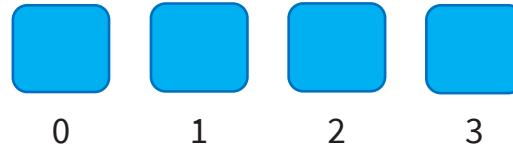


- mutable or immutable
- accessed via index into the module-defined global index space.
- **imported or defined inside the module**

# WASM engine (VM) - trusted (eXecute only)

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- Functions
  - **Code is immutable at runtime**
  - Indirect calls (equivalent of vtable c++)
    - specify the index using static index table
    - type signature check at runtime for indirect calls

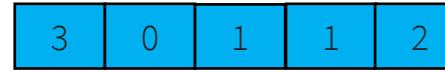
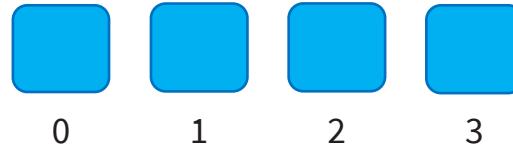


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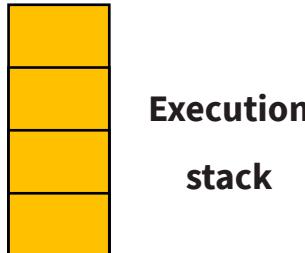
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**Indirect function table**



- Execution stack (call stack)
  - protected call stack
    - Call stack space is limited
    - Not executable
  - Instructions will push/pop values over

# Security model

- Designed with [security in mind](#)
- Abnormal behavior triggers [Traps](#)
  - Same exception will be trigger for
    - 32-bit Integer division by zero, signed division overflow, etc.
    - Out of Bounds memory access
    - Unreachable operator, etc..
  - [Exception handling](#) post-MVP feature in progress
- [Control-flow integrity \(CFI\)](#)
  - Direct/Indirect call targets are valid functions
  - Branches point to a valid destination / Prevent ROP
  - [CFI Hijacking](#) is still possible
    - use -fsanitize=cfi during compilation !!!
- Further readings:
  - WebAssembly Troubles blogpost miniseries - [link](#)

## Security

The security model of WebAssembly has two important goals: (1) protect *users* from buggy or malicious modules, and (2) provide *developers* with useful primitives and mitigations for developing safe applications, within the constraints of (1).

### Users

Each WebAssembly module executes within a sandboxed environment separated from the host runtime using fault isolation techniques. This implies:

- Applications execute independently, and can't escape the sandbox without going through appropriate APIs.
- Applications generally execute deterministically [with limited exceptions](#).

Additionally, each module is subject to the security policies of its embedding. Within a [web browser](#), this includes restrictions on information flow through [same-origin policy](#). On a [non-web](#) platform, this could include the POSIX security model.

### Developers

The design of WebAssembly promotes safe programs by eliminating dangerous features from its execution semantics, while maintaining compatibility with programs written for [C/C++](#).

Modules must declare all accessible functions and their associated types at load time, even when [dynamic linking](#) is used. This allows implicit enforcement of [control-flow integrity \(CFI\)](#) through structured control-flow. Since compiled code is immutable and not observable at runtime, WebAssembly programs are protected from control flow hijacking attacks.

- [Function calls](#) must specify the index of a target that corresponds to a valid entry in the [function index space](#) or [table index space](#).
- [Indirect function calls](#) are subject to a type signature check at runtime; the type signature of the selected indirect function must match the type signature specified at the call site.
- A protected call stack that is invulnerable to buffer overflows in the module heap ensures safe function returns.
- [Branches](#) must point to valid destinations within the enclosing function.

# Further WebAssembly readings & videos

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- WebAssembly Literacy - a completely free eBook - [link](#)
- An Introduction to WebAssembly - [link](#)
- Raw WebAssembly - [link](#)
- Build your own WebAssembly Compiler - [link](#)
- Wasm By Example - [link](#)
- WebAssembly dans la vraie vie (French) - [link](#)
- Play the Chaos Game to Understand WebAssembly Memory Management - [link](#)
- Understand WebAssembly: Why It Will Change the Web - [link](#)
- Benchmarking WebAssembly using libsodium - [link](#)
- **WebAssembly Summit 2020 - [videos](#)**
- Web Assembly: The Future of JS and a Multi-Language Web by *Kas Perch* - [video](#)
- WebAssembly: Into the WASM'verse by *Ed Charbeneau* - [video](#)
- WebAssembly: Disrupting JavaScript by *Dan Callahan* - [video](#)
- WebAssembly: Past and Future by *Ben Titzer* - [video](#)
- A Talk Near the Future of Python (a.k.a., Dave live-codes a WebAssembly Interpreter) - [video](#)

# WebAssembly VMs

## Web-browsers

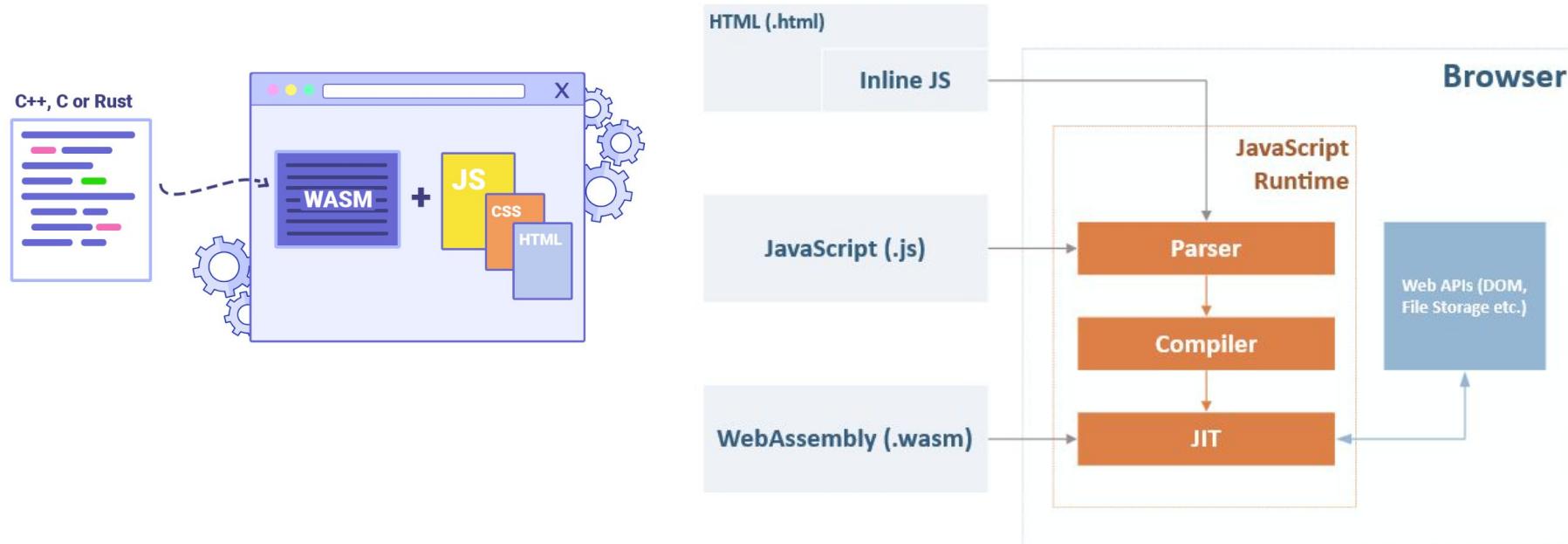
# Before WebAssembly (JIT in Action)



By @addyosmani

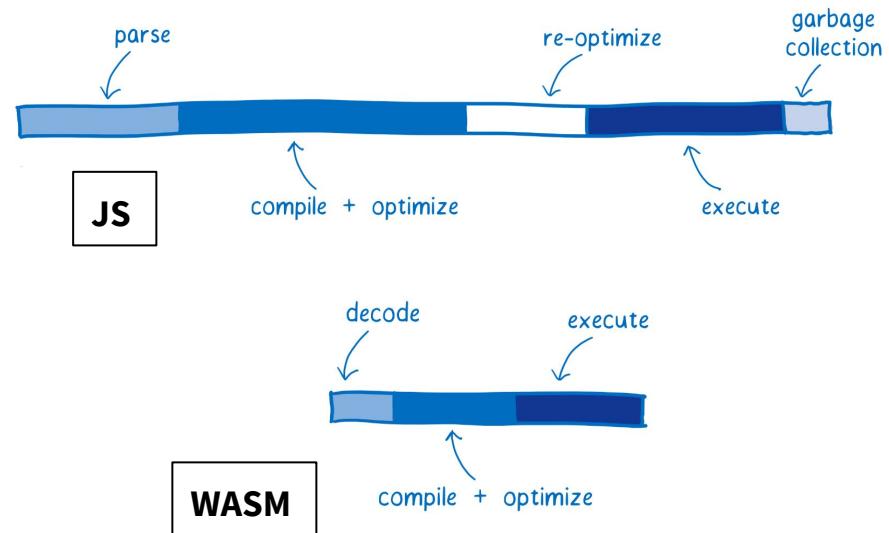
# WebBrowser Architecture

- WebAssembly VM are part of the JS engine of web-browser



# Why WebAssembly run faster than JS?

- **Fetching**
  - wasm binary is more compact (fetched faster)
  - wasm module can be split during network transfert
- **Parsing**
  - Direct binding between wasm bytecode & JIT
- **Compiling + optimizing faster**
  - No type checking in wasm
  - No need to compile multiple version of the code
  - LLVM already optimize a lot
- No need to **Reoptimize** generated JIT bytecode
- **Execution** is faster
  - instruction set more optimize
- No **Garbage collection**
- [What makes WebAssembly fast?](#)



# WebAssembly JavaScript APIs



- Complete documentation on Mozilla [MDN for WebAssembly](#)

- Methods/Constructors
- Examples
- [Browser compatibility table](#)

<code>WebAssembly.instantiate()</code>
The primary API for compiling and instantiating a <code>Module</code> and its first <code>Instance</code> .
<code>WebAssembly.instantiateStreaming()</code>
Compiles and instantiates a WebAssembly module source, returning both a <code>Module</code> and its first <code>Instance</code> .
<code>WebAssembly.compile()</code>
Compiles a <code>WebAssembly.Module</code> from WebAssembly instantiation as a separate step.
<code>WebAssembly.compileStreaming()</code>
compiles a <code>WebAssembly.Module</code> directly from instantiation as a separate step.
<code>WebAssembly.validate()</code>
Validates a given typed array of WebAssembly bytes are valid WebAssembly code (true) or not (false).

<code>WebAssembly.Global()</code>
Creates a new WebAssembly Global object.
<code>WebAssembly.Module()</code>
Creates a new WebAssembly Module object.
<code>WebAssembly.Instance()</code>
Creates a new WebAssembly Instance object.
<code>WebAssembly.Memory()</code>
Creates a new WebAssembly Memory object.
<code>WebAssembly.Table()</code>
Creates a new WebAssembly Table object.
<code>WebAssembly.CompileError()</code>
Creates a new WebAssembly CompileError object.
<code>WebAssembly.LinkError()</code>
Creates a new WebAssembly LinkError object.
<code>WebAssembly.RuntimeError()</code>
Creates a new WebAssembly RuntimeError object.

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validate	57	16	52 *	No	44	11	57	57	Yes	52 *	?	11	7.0	8.0.0	

# Web-browser VMs



- **Web-browser VMs**

- Chrome ([v8](#))
- Edge ([Chakra](#))
- Safari ([Webkit](#))
- Firefox ([SpiderMonkey](#))
- etc...

A screenshot of a browser developer console titled "Console". It shows three log entries:

```
fib(6) = 8      fib.html:17
fib(7) = 13     fib.html:18
fib(8) = 21     fib.html:19
```

```
fib.html x wasm-547aab6-0
1 <!doctype html>
2
3 <html>
4   <head>
5     <meta charset="utf-8">
6     <title>Fibonacci example</title>
7   </head>
8   <body>
9     <script>
10       fetch('fib.wasm').then(response =>
11         response.arrayBuffer()
12       ).then(bytes =>
13         WebAssembly.instantiate(bytes, {})
14       ).then(results => {
15
16         const fib = results.instance.exports.fib;
17         console.log('fib(6) = ', fib(6)); // "8"
18         console.log('fib(7) = ', fib(7)); // "13"
19         console.log('fib(8) = ', fib(8)); // "21"
20
21       });
22     </script>
23   </body>
24 </html>
```

# WebAssembly VMs

## Standalone VMs & Interpreters

# Standalone VMs & Interpreters available

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- **Standalone VMs**

- [wasmer](#) - Standalone JIT WebAssembly runtime
- [wasmtime](#) - Standalone JIT-style runtime for WebAssembly, using Cranelift
- [WAVM](#) - WebAssembly Virtual Machine
- [wasmjit](#) - Small Embeddable WebAssembly Runtime
- [life](#) - A secure WebAssembly VM catered for decentralized applications.
- [wasm-shell](#) - Shell that can load and interpret WebAssembly code
- [wasm3](#): A high performance WebAssembly interpreter written in C
- [wasm-interp](#) - Basic WebAssembly stack-based interpreter
- [wagon](#) - WebAssembly-based Go interpreter
- [pywasm](#) - WebAssembly interpreter written in pure Python
- [wac](#) - WebAssembly interpreter in C
- ... more [here](#) ...





# Standalone VM - wasmtime / wasmer

- **wasmtime** - [github](#) / [website](#)
  - Standalone JIT-style runtime for WebAssembly, using Cranelift
    - Lightweight / fast/ WASI support
    - 2 backends: cranelift & lightbeam
  - Installation:
    - curl https://wasmtime.dev/install.sh -ssf | bash
- **Wasmer** - [github](#)
  - Standalone JIT WebAssembly runtime, aiming to be fully compatible with Emscripten, WASI, Rust and Go.
  - Installation
    - curl https://get.wasmer.io -ssfL | sh
  - Easy to run webassembly module
    - wasmer run nginx.wasm
- Further reading:
  - Running Nginx with WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - Embedding WebAssembly in your Rust application - [link](#)
  - Using Wasmer for Plugins series [part [#1](#), [#2](#), [#3](#), [#4](#)]
  - Running Wasmer on a #RaspberryPi 4 - [link](#)

```
~ » wasmtime run --help
wasmtime-run 0.15.0
Runs a WebAssembly module

USAGE:
  wasmtime run [FLAGS] [OPTIONS] <WASM_MODULE> [--] [ARGS]...
```





# Standalone VM - wasm3 / WAVM / SSVM

- **wasm3** - [Github](#) / [twitter](#) / [demos](#)
  - high performance WebAssembly interpreter written in C.
  - Rust [wrapper](#) / Golang [wrapper](#)
  - Runs on a wide range of architectures and platforms.
    - Animating an RGB lamp, using WebAssembly! - [link](#)
- **WAVM** - WebAssembly virtual machine, designed for use in non-web applications.
  - Can load both the standard binary format (.wasm), and the text format (.wat)
    - as defined by the [WebAssembly reference interpreter](#).
  - Used by the EOS blockchain platform
- **WebAssembly Micro Runtime (WAMR)** is a standalone WebAssembly runtime with a small footprint.
  - Developed by Intel for IOT and embedded platforms
    - Linux, Zephyr, MacOS, VxWorks, AliOS-Things, Intel Software Guard Extention (Linux), Android
- **SSVM** is a high performance, hardware optimal Wasm Virtual Machine for AI and Blockchain applications.
  - Support a lot of wasm post-mvp features
  - Interpreter or AOT compilation using LLVM backend.
    - How to build SSVM, a WebAssembly compatible runtime engine - [link](#)

- Linux, Windows, OS X
- Android, iOS
- OpenWRT-enabled routers
- Raspberry Pi, Orange Pi and other SBCs
- MCUs: Arduino, ESP8266, ESP32, Particle, ... [see full list](#)
- Browsers... yes, using WebAssembly itself!
- `wasm3` can execute `wasm3` (self-hosting)



# Standalone VM - wasmtime-py / pywasm

- **wasmtime-py - [github](#)**

- Python embedding of Wasmtime
- [Examples / documentation](#)
- Installation:
  - pip3 install wasmtime

- **pywasm - [github](#)**

- WebAssembly interpreter written in pure Python
- Installation:
  - pip3 install pywasm
- Good quality code
- Ideal to understand instruction behaviors

```
import pywasm

vm = pywasm.load('./examples/fib.wasm')
r = vm.exec('fib', [10])
print(r) # 55
```

```
from wasmtime import Store, Module, Instance, Func, FuncType

# Almost all operations in wasmtime require a contextual "store" argument to be
# shared amongst objects
store = Store()

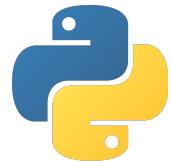
# Here we can compile a `Module` which is then ready for instantiation
# afterwards
module = Module.from_file(store, './examples/hello.wat')

# Our module needs one import, so we'll create that here.

def say_hello():
    print("Hello from Python!")

hello = Func(store, FuncType([], []), say_hello)

# And with all that we can instantiate our module and call the export!
instance = Instance(module, [hello])
instance.get_export("run")()
```



# Standalone VM - python-ext-wasm

- python-ext-wasm - [github](#) / [examples](#)
  - Wasmer python binding
- Multiple APIs
  - Instance class - [link](#)
  - Value class - [link](#)
  - Memory class - [link](#)
  - validate function - [link](#)
- Really useful for dynamic testing...
  - you will see later ;)

```
from wasmer import Instance

# Get the Wasm module as bytes.
wasm_bytes = open('my_program.wasm', 'rb').read()

# Instantiates the Wasm module.
instance = Instance(wasm_bytes)

# Call a function on it.
result = instance.exports.sum(1, 2)

print(result) # 3
```

 **wasmer** [join the community](#) [on spectrum](#) [format wheel](#) [license MIT](#)

Wasmer is a Python library for executing WebAssembly binaries:

- **Easy to use:** The `wasmer` API mimics the standard WebAssembly API,
- **Fast:** `wasmer` executes the WebAssembly modules at **native speed**,
- **Safe:** All calls to WebAssembly will be fast, but more importantly, completely safe and sandboxed.

## Install

To install the `wasmer` Python library, just run this command in your shell:

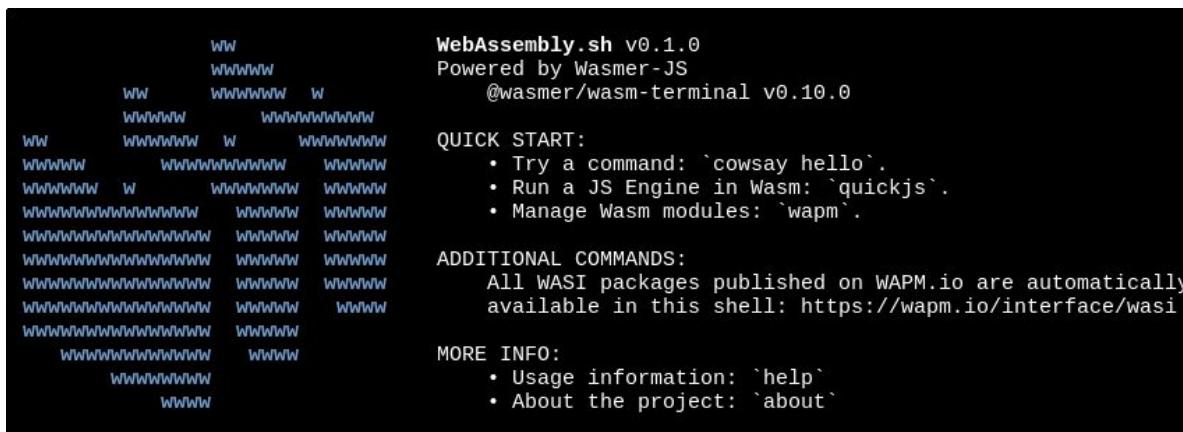
```
$ pip install wasmer
```

# Online WebAssembly Terminal

- `webassembly.sh` - [github](#) / [online](#)

- Open-source and installable PWA terminal powered by WebAssembly, WAPM, and Wasmer-JS
  - Run WAPM WASI module
    - Save module to IndexedDB using idb-keyval
  - Announcing WebAssembly.sh - [link](#)

Wapm. Another nice feature is that the commands installed by Wapm are saved to IndexedDB using [jdb-keyval](#) so that installed modules work between sessions, and even work offline! 🎁



# WebAssembly VMs

## Exercise - Quick examples

# Execute exported functions using Standalone VMs

- Run:
  - day 1/hello
  - day\_1/fibonacci
- **WAVM**
  - What is the result?
  - What that's mean?
- **pywasm**
  - you can access to the memory
  - vm.store.mems[0].data

```
In [1]: import pywasm
...
...: vm = pywasm.load('hello.wasm')
...: r = vm.exec('hello', [])
...: print(vm.store.mems[0].data[r:r + 12])
...
bytearray(b'Hello World\x00')
```

```
~/Documents/wasm_training/day_1/fibonacci(master*) » wasm3 --func fib fib.wasm 8
Result: 21
```

hello.wasm

fib.wasm

```
~/Documents/wasm_training/day_1/fibonacci(master*) » \
\ wavm run --function="fib" fib.wasm 6 ; echo $?
8
...
~/Documents/wasm_training/day_1/fibonacci(master*) » \
\ wavm run --function="fib" fib.wasm 7 ; echo $?
13
...
~/Documents/wasm_training/day_1/fibonacci(master*) » \
\ wavm run --function="fib" fib.wasm 8 ; echo $?
21
```

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In [4]: r
Out[4]: 8
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~/Documents/wasm_training/day_1/hello(master*) » wavm run --function="hello" hello.wasm ; echo $?
16
```

# python-ext-wasm (wasmer)

- Python binding for wasmer
  - Awesome because you don't need to deal with Rust compilation ;)
- Examples inside **day\_1/python-wasmer**
  - Official example scripts [here](#)
  - Rust-scales Python: Basic Experiment - [link](#)

```
1 from wasmer import Instance
2
3 # Get the Wasm module as bytes.
4 wasm_bytes = open('../fibonacci/fib.wasm', 'rb').read()
5
6 # Instantiates the Wasm module.
7 instance = Instance(wasm_bytes)
8
9 # Call a function on it.
10 result = instance.exports.fib(8)
11
12 print(result) # 21
13
```

```
1 from wasmer import Instance
2
3
4 # Read the string pointed by the pointer.
5 def get_memory_string(memory):
6
7     nth = 0
8     string = ''
9     while True:
10         char = memory[nth]
11         if char == 0:
12             break
13
14         string += chr(char)
15         nth += 1
16     return string
17
18
19 # Get the Wasm module as bytes.
20 wasm_bytes = open('../hello/hello.wasm', 'rb').read()
21
22 # Instantiates the Wasm module.
23 instance = Instance(wasm_bytes)
24
25 # Call a function that returns a pointer to a string for
26 # instance.
27 pointer = instance.exports.hello()
28
29 # Get the memory view, with the offset set to `pointer` (default
30 # is 0).
31 memory = instance.memory.uint8_view(pointer)
32
33 # Read the string pointed by the pointer.
34 string = get_memory_string(memory)
35
36 print(string) # Hello World
```

# WebAssembly Text Format (wat/wast)

# Source code to WebAssembly

```
C/C++  
int fib(int n)  
{  
    if (n == 0 || n == 1)  
        return n;  
    else  
        return (fib(n-1) + fib(n-2));  
}
```

Rust

```
fn fib(n: u32) -> u32 {  
    match n {  
        0 => 1,  
        1 => 1,  
        _ => fib(n - 1) + fib(n - 2),  
    }  
}
```



wasm text format

```
(module  
  (table $0 anyfunc)  
  (memory $0 1)  
  (export "memory" (memory $0))  
  (export "fib" (func $fib))  
  (func $fib (param $0 i32) (result i32)  
    (block $label$0  
      (br_if $label$0  
        (i32.ne  
          (i32.or  
            (get_local $0)  
            (i32.const 1)  
          )  
          (i32.const 1)  
        )  
        (return  
          (get_local $0)  
        )  
      )  
      (i32.add  
        (call $fib  
          (i32.add  
            (get_local $0)  
            (i32.const -1)  
          )  
        )  
        (call $fib  
          (i32.add  
            (get_local $0)  
            (i32.const -2)  
          )  
        )  
      )  
    )  
  )
```

binary file (.wasm)

0061	736d	0100	0000
0186	8080	8000	0160
017f	017f	0382	8080
8000	0100	0484	8080
8000	0170	0000	0583
8080	8000	0100	0106
8180	8080	0000	0790
8080	8000	0206	6d65
6d6f	7279	0200	0366
6962	0000	0aa7	8080
8000	01a1	8080	8000
0002	4020	0041	0172
4101	470d	0020	000f
0b20	0041	7f6a	1000
2000	417e	6a10	006a
0b			

# WebAssembly Text Format (wat VS wast)

## wat

```
(module
  (table ;0; 0 anyfunc)
  (memory ;0; 1)
  (export "memory" (memory 0))
  (export "fib" (func 0))
  (type ;0;) (func (param i32) (result i32))
  (func ;0;) (type 0) (param i32) (result i32)
    block ; label = @_1
      get_local 0
      i32.const 1
      i32.or
      i32.const 1
      i32.ne
      br_if 0 ;@1;
      get_local 0
      return
    end
    get_local 0
    i32.const -1
    i32.add
    call 0
    get_local 0
    i32.const -2
    i32.add
    call 0
    i32.add
  )
)
```

## wast

```
(module
  (table 0 anyfunc)
  (memory $0 1)
  (export "memory" (memory $0))
  (export "fib" (func $fib))
  (func $fib ; 0;) (param $0 i32) (result i32)
    (block $label$0
      (br_if $label$0
        (i32.ne
          (i32.or
            (get_local $0)
            (i32.const 1)
          )
          (i32.const 1)
        )
      )
      (return
        (get_local $0)
      )
    )
    (i32.add
      (call $fib
        (i32.add
          (get_local $0)
          (i32.const -1)
        )
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      (call $fib
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        )
      )
    )
  )
)
```

# WebAssembly Text Format

- Standardized text format
  - File extensions:
    - .wat or .wast
  - **S-expressions** (like LISP)
    - modules and section definitions
  - Functions body
    - **Linear representation**
    - Low-level instructions or S-expressions
- [wasm-dis](#)
  - wasm  $\Rightarrow$  wast
- [wasm2wat](#)
  - **wasm  $\Rightarrow$  wat**
- [wasm-as](#)
  - wast  $\Rightarrow$  wasm
- [wat2wasm](#)
  - **wat/wast  $\Rightarrow$  wasm**
  - Online [demo](#)

```
(module
  (table (;0;) 0 anyfunc)
  (memory (;0;) 1)
  (export "memory" (memory 0))
  (export "fib" (func 0))
  (type (;0;) (func (param i32) (result i32)))
  (func (;0;) (type 0) (param i32) (result i32)
    block ;; label = @1
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      i32.const 1
      i32.ne
      br_if 0 (;@1.)
      get_local 0
      return
    end
    get_local 0
    i32.const -1
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    call 0
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    i32.const -2
    i32.add
    call 0
    i32.add
  )
)
```

# wasm text format - Online tools

- [ast.run](#) - WebAssembly playground
  - WebAssembly code forms an abstract syntax tree (AST), represented here in textual S-expression format.
- [sexpr-wasm](#) demo
  - Convert wat file into a wasm file (with detailed description of each sections/fields)

## sexpr-wasm demo

Type a `.wat` file into the text area on the left. The right side will either show an error, or will show a log with a description of the generated `.wasm` file.

```
(module
  (func $addTwo (param i32 i32) (result i32)
    (i32.add
      (get_local 0)
      (get_local 1)))
  (export "addTwo" $addTwo))
```

0000000: 0061 736d ; WASM\_BINARY\_MAGIC
0000004: 0b00 0000 ; WASM\_BINARY\_VERSION
; section "type"
0000008: 04 ; string length
0000009: 7479 7065 ; section id: "type"
000000d: 00 ; section size (guess)
000000e: 01 ; num types
; type 0
000000f: 40 ; function form
0000010: 02 ; num params
0000011: 01 ; param type
0000012: 01 ; param type
0000013: 01 ; num results
0000014: 01 ; result\_type
000000d: 07 ; FIXUP section size

ast.run WebAssembly playground

```
module
  func $add
    param $x i32
    param $y i32
    result i32
    i32.add
      get_local $x
      get_local $y
    export "add" $add
```

[Download as file](#)

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  (func (;1;) (type 0))
  (func (;2;) (type 2)
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  (data (i32.const 1036)
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    "\7f\00\02\1a\02\03env\03ret\00\01\03env\06"
    "memory\02\01\02\10\03\03\02\00\00\04\05\01"
    "p\01\01\01\05\01\00\06\01\00\07\08\01\04call"
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```

## EXTRA EXERCISE

Modify `wat_exercise/calc.wasm`  
to export all functions

# Exporting a local function

- calc.wasm (simple calculatrice)
  - add and sub local function not exported
  - only calc exported
  - **Easy way: adding some exports**
- If you want to extract one function from a module
  - extract the \$func1 i.e. add
  - set the env variable
    - BINARYEN EXTRACT=1
  - wasm-opt --extract-function calc.wasm

```
1 int calc(int choice, int a, int b) {  
2     if(choice == 1){  
3         return add(a,b);  
4     }  
5     else if(choice == 2){  
6         return sub(a,b);  
7     }  
8     else{  
9         return -1;  
10    }  
}
```

```
2 (table 0 anyfunc)  
3 (memory $0 1)  
4 (export "memory" (memory $0))  
5 (export "calc" (func $calc))  
6 (export "add" (func $func1))  
7 (export "sub" (func $func2))  
8 (func $calc (; 0 ;) (param $0 i32)
```

```
~/Documents/wasm_training/day_1/wast_exercise/calc » wasm3 --func add calc2.wasm 2 3  
Result: 5
```

```
~/Documents/wasm_training/day_1/wast_exercise/calc » wasm3 --func sub calc2.wasm 2 3  
Result: 4294967295
```

# Debugging WebAssembly module

# Fibonacci (day\_1/fibonacci)

- Compilation with [WasmFiddle](#):

- build and download .wasm



- HTML/JS for fib:

- fib.html & fib2.html

- Run a web server:

- Python3: python3 -m http.server
  - Python2: python2 -m SimpleHTTPServer

- Go to:

- firefox localhost:8000
  - F12 (dev console)

```
int fib(int n)
{
    if (n == 0 || n == 1)
        return n;
    else
        return (fib(n-1) + fib(n-2));
}
```

```
<script>
  fetch('fib.wasm').then(response =>
    response.arrayBuffer()
  ).then(bytes =>
    WebAssembly.instantiate(bytes, {})
  ).then(results => {

    const fib = results.instance.exports.fib;
    console.log('fib(6) = ', fib(6)); // "8"
    console.log('fib(7) = ', fib(7)); // "13"
    console.log('fib(8) = ', fib(8)); // "21"

  });
</script>
```

# Run inside browser (day\_1/fibonacci)

```
fib.html x wasm-547aab6d6-0
1 <!doctype html>
2
3 <html>
4   <head>
5     <meta charset="utf-8">
6     <title>Fibonacci example</title>
7   </head>
8   <body>
9     <script>
10       fetch('fib.wasm').then(response =>
11         response.arrayBuffer()
12       ).then(bytes =>
13         WebAssembly.instantiate(bytes, {})
14       ).then(results => {
15
16         const fib = results.instance.exports.fib;
17         console.log('fib(6) = ', fib(6)); // "8"
18         console.log('fib(7) = ', fib(7)); // "13"
19         console.log('fib(8) = ', fib(8)); // "21"
20
21       });
22     </script>
23   </body>
24 </html>
25
```



The screenshot shows the browser's developer tools Console tab. It displays three log entries from the script execution:

Output	File	Line
fib(6) = 8	fib.html	17
fib(7) = 13	fib.html	18
fib(8) = 21	fib.html	19



# Debugging on Chrome

- Open Developer Interface with F12
- Reload your page with F5
- All resources loaded in the page
- wasm binary
- WebPage
- JavaScript console

```
<!doctype html>
<html>
  <head>
    <meta charset="utf-8">
    <title>Fibonacci example 2</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <script>
      let fib;

      function loadWebAssembly(fileName) {
        return fetch(fileName)
          .then(response => response.arrayBuffer())
          .then(bits => WebAssembly.compile(bits))
          .then(module => { return new WebAssembly.Instance(module); });
      }

      loadWebAssembly('fib.wasm')
        .then(instance => {
          fib = instance.exports.fib;
          console.log('fib(6) = ', fib(6)); // "8"
          console.log('fib(7) = ', fib(7)); // "13"
          console.log('fib(8) = ', fib(8)); // "21";
        });
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```

{} Line 1, Column 1

Console What's New

top

3 messages

3 user messages

No errors

fib(6) = 8  
fib(7) = 13  
fib(8) = 21



# Debugging on Chrome

- Open Developer Interface with F12
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- All resources loaded in the page
- wasm binary
- WebPage
- JavaScript console
- chrome-wasm-debugger
  - chrome extension to provide a slightly easier debugging UI for WASM modules
  - **Not really efficient but give a try**

```
<!doctype html>
<html>
<head>
<meta charset="utf-8">
<title>Fibonacci example 2</title>
</head>
<body>
<script>
let fib;

function loadWebAssembly(fileName) {
    return fetch(fileName)
        .then(response => response.arrayBuffer())
        .then(bits => WebAssembly.compile(bits))
        .then(module => { return new WebAssembly.Instance(module); });
}

loadWebAssembly('fib.wasm')
    .then(instance => {
        fib = instance.exports.fib;
        console.log('fib(6) = ', fib(6)); // "8"
        console.log('fib(7) = ', fib(7)); // "13"
        console.log('fib(8) = ', fib(8)); // "21";
    });
</script>
</body>
</html>
```

{} Line 1, Column 1

Console What's New

Default levels ▾

3 messages	fib(6) = 8
3 user messages	fib(7) = 13
No errors	fib(8) = 21



# Debugging on Chrome

The screenshot shows the Google Chrome DevTools interface with the "Sources" tab selected. The left panel displays the file structure and the content of the `wasm-547aab6-0` file, which contains WebAssembly code. The right panel shows the developer tools sidebar with the following details:

- Paused on breakpoint**: The code execution is stopped at line 15, column 15, where a `call 0` instruction is being executed.
- Call Stack**:
  - wasm-function[0]
  - loadWebAssembly.then.instance
  - Promise.then (async)
  - (anonymous)
- Scope**:
  - Global (Object)
  - Local
    - locals: {arg#0: 6}
    - stack: {0: 5}
    - this: Window
- Breakpoints**:
  - wasm-547aab6-0:15 (checked)
  - wasm-547aab6-0:19 (checked)
  - XHR/fetch Breakpoints
  - DOM Breakpoints
  - Global Listeners
  - Event Listener Breakpoints



# Debugging on Chrome

The screenshot shows the Chrome DevTools interface with the Sources tab selected. On the left, the file tree shows `wasm-547aab6-0:15` selected. In the center, the code editor displays the following Wasm assembly:

```
func (param i32) (result i32)
block
    get_local 0
    i32.const 1
    i32.or
    i32.const 1
    i32.ne
    br_if 0
    get_local 0
    return
end
get_local 0
i32.const -1
i32.add
call 0
get_local 0
i32.const -2
i32.add
call 0
i32.add
end
```

A red bracket on the right side of the code editor highlights the bodies of the functions, with the text "Functions bodies" written in red next to it.

On the right, the Call Stack panel is open, showing the current state of the module:

- Paused on breakpoint
- Call Stack:
  - wasm-function[0]
  - loadWebAssembly.then.instance
  - Promise.then (async)
  - (anonymous)
- Scope
  - Global
  - Local
    - locals: {arg#0: 6}
    - stack: {0: 5}
    - this: Window
- Breakpoints
  - wasm-547aab6-0:15  
call 0
  - wasm-547aab6-0:19  
call 0
- XHR/fetch Breakpoints
- DOM Breakpoints
- Global Listeners
- Event Listener Breakpoints

Annotations in the image:

- "Click here to set breakpoints" (orange text) is positioned near the code editor.
- "Functions bodies" (red text) is positioned next to the highlighted function bodies in the code editor.
- "State of the module" (blue text) is positioned above the list of inspection points.
- A blue list bullet points the three inspection points:

  - Call stack
  - Scope
  - Breakpoints



# Debugging on Firefox

- Open Developer Interface with F12
- Reload your page with F5

- All resources loaded
- wasm binary
- WebPage

The screenshot shows the Firefox Developer Tools interface with the 'Debugger' tab selected. The left sidebar lists resources: 'localhost:8000' (containing 'fib2.html'), 'blob://', 'Extensions', 'resource://', 'wasm://', 'localhost:8000' (containing 'fib2.html:88cb7742f83f0471'), and 'Webpack'. The right pane displays the code for 'fib2.html'. The code uses WebAssembly to calculate Fibonacci numbers:

```
<!doctype html>
<html>
  <head>
    <meta charset="utf-8">
    <title>Fibonacci example 2</title>
  </head>
  <body>
    <script>
      let fib;

      function loadWebAssembly(fileName) {
        return fetch(fileName)
          .then(response => response.arrayBuffer())
          .then(bits => WebAssembly.compile(bits))
          .then(module => { return new WebAssembly.Instance(module); });
      };

      loadWebAssembly('fib.wasm')
        .then(instance => {
          fib = instance.exports.fib;
          console.log('fib(6) = ', fib(6)); // "8"
          console.log('fib(7) = ', fib(7)); // "13"
          console.log('fib(8) = ', fib(8)); // "21";
        });
    </script>
  </body>
</html>
```



# Debugging on Firefox

- Open Developer Interface with F12
- Reload your page with F5

- All resources loaded



- wasm binary



- WebPage



```
<!doctype html>
<html>
<head>
<meta charset="utf-8">
<title>Fibonacci example 2</title>
</head>
<body>
<script>
let fib;

function loadWebAssembly(fileName) {
    return fetch(fileName)
        .then(response => response.arrayBuffer())
        .then(bits => WebAssembly.compile(bits))
        .then(module => { return new WebAssembly.Instance(module); });
}

loadWebAssembly('fib.wasm')
    .then(instance => {
        fib = instance.exports.fib;
        console.log('fib(6) = ', fib(6)); // "8"
        console.log('fib(7) = ', fib(7)); // "13"
        console.log('fib(8) = ', fib(8)); // "21";
    });
</script>
</body>
</html>
```



# Debugging on Firefox

The screenshot shows the Firefox Developer Tools debugger interface. The top navigation bar includes Inspector, Console, Debugger (selected), Style Editor, Performance, Memory, Network, Storage, Adblock Plus, and Accessibility.

The Sources panel on the left lists various origins and files, with `fib.html` selected. The main pane displays the WebAssembly code for `fib.html`, starting with the module definition and several memory operations.

The right sidebar contains the Breakpoints panel, which includes sections for Watch expressions, Breakpoints, and XHR Breakpoints. In the Breakpoints section, there is a checked checkbox for `i32.const 1`.

```
module
  (type $type0 (func (param i32) (result i32)))
  (table $table0 0 anyfunc)
  (memory (;0;) 1)
  (export "memory" (memory 0))
  (export "fib" (func $func0))
  (func $func0 (param $var0 i32) (result i32)
    block $label0
      get_local $var0
      i32.const 1
      i32.or
      i32.const 1
      i32.ne
      br_if $label0
      get_local $var0
      return
    end $label0
    get_local $var0
    i32.const -1
    i32.add
    call $func0
    get_local $var0
    i32.const -2
    i32.add
    call $func0
    i32.add
  )
}
```



# Debugging on Firefox

The screenshot shows the Firefox Developer Tools debugger interface. The top navigation bar includes Inspector, Console, Debugger (selected), Style Editor, Performance, Memory, Network, Storage, Adblock Plus, and Accessibility.

The left sidebar lists local resources and a WebAssembly module:

- localhost:8000: fib.html
- blob://
- moz-extension://e843e47e-bdb8-4a7a-9749-ce
- resource://gre
- wasm://
  - http://localhost:8000: fib.html%20line%2013%20%3E%20WebAssembly
- Webpack

The main pane displays the Wasm code for the fib.html module:

```
(module
  (type $type0 (func (param i32) (result i32)))
  (table $table0 0 anyfunc)
  (memory (;0;) 1)
  (export "memory" (memory 0))
  (export "fib" (func $func0))
  (func $func0 (param $var0 i32) (result i32)
    block $label0
    get_local $var0
    i32.const 1
    i32.or
    i32.const 1
    i32.ne
    br_if $label0
    get_local $var0
    return
    end $label0
    get_local $var0
    i32.const -1
    i32.add
    call $func0
    get_local $var0
    i32.const -2
    i32.add
    call $func0
    i32.add
  )
  00000000
  0000000E
  00000022
  0000002C
  0000003C
  00000046
  00000052
  00000059
  0000005B
  0000005D
  0000005F
  00000060
  00000062
  00000063
  00000065
  00000067
  00000068
  00000069
  0000006B
  0000006D
  0000006E
  00000070
  00000072
  00000074
  00000075
  00000077
  00000078
  00000079 )
```

A red box highlights the assembly code area, and the text "Click here to set breakpoints" is overlaid in orange.

A red box highlights the "Breakpoints" section in the right sidebar, which contains the following settings:

- Watch expressions: Add watch expression
- Breakpoints:
  - Pause on exceptions
  - fib.html line...cb7742f83f0471
  - i32.const 1
- XHR Breakpoints:
  - Pause on any URL
  - Break when URL contains

The text "Functions bodies" is overlaid in red near the bottom of the highlighted code area.

# EXERCISE

## Step-by-step debugging of **day\_1/fibonacci**

# Debugging with LLDB & wasmtime

- Debugging WebAssembly Outside of the Browser
  - [blogpost](#), [video](#) - day\_1/debugging\_lldb/fizzbuzz
- Prerequisite
  - rustup target add wasm32-wasi --toolchain nightly
- Compile to WebAssembly
  - cargo +nightly build --target=wasm32-wasi
- Execute
  - wasmtime  
    ./target/wasm32-wasi/debug/fizzbuzz.wasm
- Launch wasmtime with llDb attached
  - llDb -- wasmtime -g  
    ./target/wasm32-wasi/debug/fizzbuzz.wasm
- Commands:
  - run / breakpoint set --name fizzbuzz / c
- llDb help
  - GDB to LLDB command map - [link](#)
  - llDb cheat sheet - [link](#)

```
(lldb) target create "wasmtime"
Current executable set to 'wasmtime' (x86_64).
(lldb) settings set -- target.run-args "-g" "./target/wasm32-wasi/debug/fizzbuzz"
(lldb) breakpoint set --name fizzbuzz
Breakpoint 1: no locations (pending).
WARNING: Unable to resolve breakpoint to any actual locations.
(lldb) run
Process 9733 launched: '/usr/bin/wasmtime' (x86_64)
1 location added to breakpoint 1
Process 9733 stopped
* thread #1, name = 'wasmtime', stop reason = breakpoint 1.1
  frame #0: 0x00007ffff5963d04 JIT(0x555556c86160)`fizzbuzz(i=1) at main.rs:11
  8
  9     #[no_mangle]
 10    pub fn fizzbuzz(i: u32) -> Cow<'static, str> {
-> 11        let by3 = _i % 3 ==0;
 12        let by5 = i % 5 ==0;
 13
 14        match (by3, by5) {
(lldb) c
Process 9733 resuming
1
Process 9733 stopped
* thread #1, name = 'wasmtime', stop reason = breakpoint 1.1
  frame #0: 0x00007ffff5963d04 JIT(0x555556c86160)`fizzbuzz(i=2) at main.rs:11
  8
  9     #[no_mangle]
 10    pub fn fizzbuzz(i: u32) -> Cow<'static, str> {
-> 11        let by3 = _i % 3 ==0;
 12        let by5 = i % 5 ==0;
 13
 14        match (by3, by5) {
(lldb) c
Process 9733 resuming
2
Process 9733 stopped
* thread #1, name = 'wasmtime', stop reason = breakpoint 1.1
  frame #0: 0x00007ffff5963d04 JIT(0x555556c86160)`fizzbuzz(i=3) at main.rs:11
  8
  9     #[no_mangle]
 10    pub fn fizzbuzz(i: u32) -> Cow<'static, str> {
-> 11        let by3 = _i % 3 ==0;
 12        let by5 = i % 5 ==0;
 13
 14        match (by3, by5) {
```

# Debug with pywasm

Set pywasm in debug mode

- `pywasm.on_debug()`

pywasm script [examples](#):

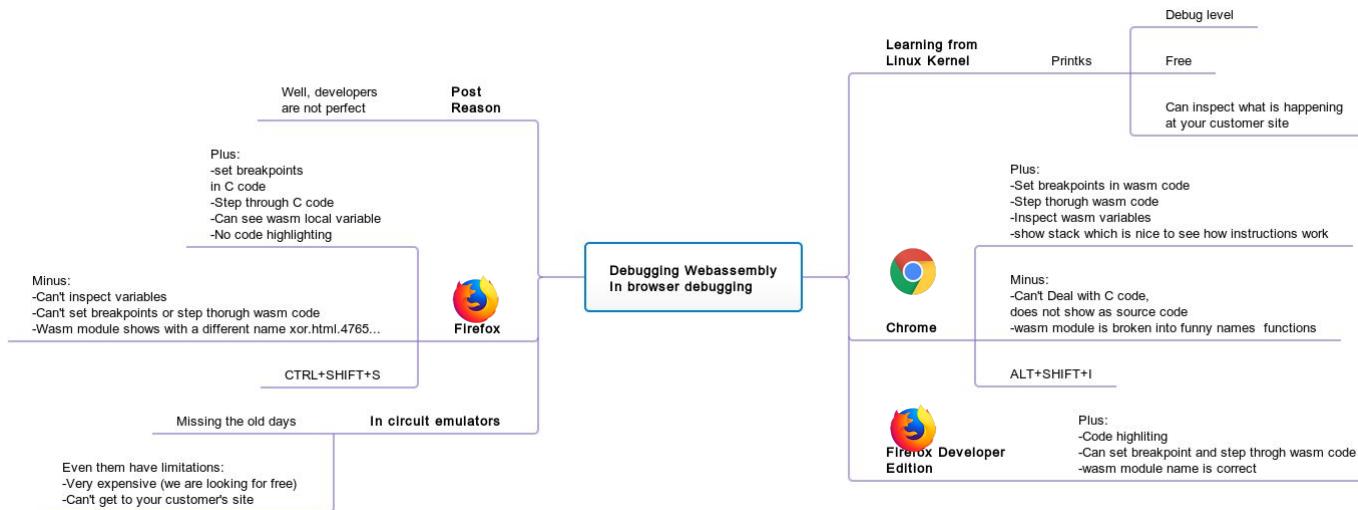
- add.py - [link](#)
- env.py - [link](#)
- fib.py - [link](#)
- str.py - [link](#)
- sum.py - [link](#)
- This example inside:
  - `day_1/hello/hello.py`

- Why using it?
  - Really useful to trace executed instructions
  - Execute specific functions

```
In [1]: import pywasm
...: pywasm.on_debug()
...
...: vm = pywasm.load('hello.wasm')
...: r = vm.exec('hello', [])
...: print(vm.store.mems[0].data[r:r + 12])
...
2019/06/13 11:10:27 Sections:
2019/06/13 11:10:27
2019/06/13 11:10:27      Type[0] () -> i32
2019/06/13 11:10:27      Function[0] sig=0
2019/06/13 11:10:27      Table[0] funcref minimum=0
2019/06/13 11:10:27      Memory[0] minimum=1
2019/06/13 11:10:27      Export[0] memory -> Memory[0]
2019/06/13 11:10:27      Export[1] hello -> Function[0]
2019/06/13 11:10:27      Code[0] locals=[]
2019/06/13 11:10:27          | i32.const 16
2019/06/13 11:10:27          | end
2019/06/13 11:10:27      Data[0] Hello World
2019/06/13 11:10:27
2019/06/13 11:10:27      i32.const 16      [*]
2019/06/13 11:10:27      end            [*], 16
2019/06/13 11:10:27      Running function hello():
2019/06/13 11:10:27      i32.const 16      [*], []
2019/06/13 11:10:27      end            [*], [, 16]
bytearray(b'Hello World\x00')
```

# Debugging - Further reading

- Using Browsers To Debug Webassembly (Mindmap) - [link](#)
- WebAssembly Debugging: The current state of interactive debugging - [link](#)
- Debug Emscripten with the Tracing API - [link](#)
- Initial DWARF support has landed in Chrome DevTools! - [link](#)



# WASM binary format

# Binary format - Header

- **Binary format**
- Compact
  - 121 bytes for fib.wasm
- Easy to verify
- Module structure
  - [Header](#) (magic number + version)
  - 11 Sections
    - may appear at most once
  - 1 custom section
    - unlimited
- MIME type: “**application/wasm**”
  - file command on wasm module
- Further reading:
  - Binary Encoding design - [link](#)
  - Anatomy of a WebAssembly program - [link](#)
  - Detailed design of the Module - [link](#)

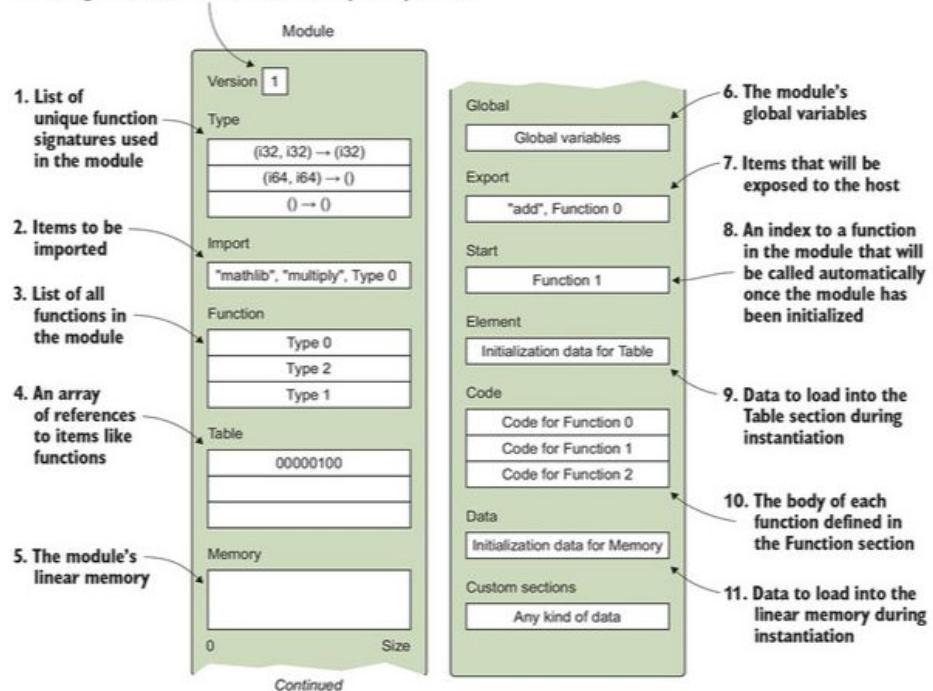
Field	Type	Description
magic number	uint32	Magic number 0x6d736100 (i.e., '\0asm')
version	uint32	Version number, 0x1

```
pve@pve011t:/tmp$ xxd fib.wasm
00000000: 0061 736d 0100 0000 0186 8080 8000 0160 .asm.....
00000010: 017f 017f 0382 8080 8000 0100 0484 8080 .....
00000020: 8000 0170 0000 0583 8080 8000 0100 0106 ...p.....
00000030: 8180 8080 0000 0790 8080 8000 0206 6d65 .....me
00000040: 6d6f 7279 0200 0366 6962 0000 0aa7 8080 mory...fib....
00000050: 8000 01a1 8080 8000 0002 4020 0041 0172 .....@.A.r
00000060: 4101 470d 0020 000f 0b20 0041 7f6a 1000 A.G.. .A.j..
00000070: 2000 417e 6a10 006a 0b .A~j...j.
```

# Binary format - Sections

Section Name	Code	Description
Type	1	Function signature declarations
Import	2	Import declarations
Function	3	Function declarations
Table	4	Indirect function table and other tables
Memory	5	Memory attributes
Global	6	Global declarations
Export	7	Exports
Start	8	Start function declaration
Element	9	Elements section
Code	10	Function bodies (code)
Data	11	Data segments

The preamble: this is a WebAssembly module and is built according to version 1 of the WebAssembly binary format.



# Binary format - Custom sections

- Custom section
  - `id == 0`
  - `name_len` mandatory
  - name mandatory

Field	Type	Description
<code>id</code>	<code>varuint7</code>	section code
<code>payload_len</code>	<code>varuint32</code>	size of this section in bytes
<code>name_len</code>	<code>varuint32 ?</code>	length of <code>name</code> in bytes, present if <code>id == 0</code>
<code>name</code>	<code>bytes ?</code>	section name: valid UTF-8 byte sequence, present if <code>id == 0</code>
<code>payload_data</code>	<code>bytes</code>	content of this section, of length <code>payload_len - sizeof(name) - sizeof(name_len)</code>

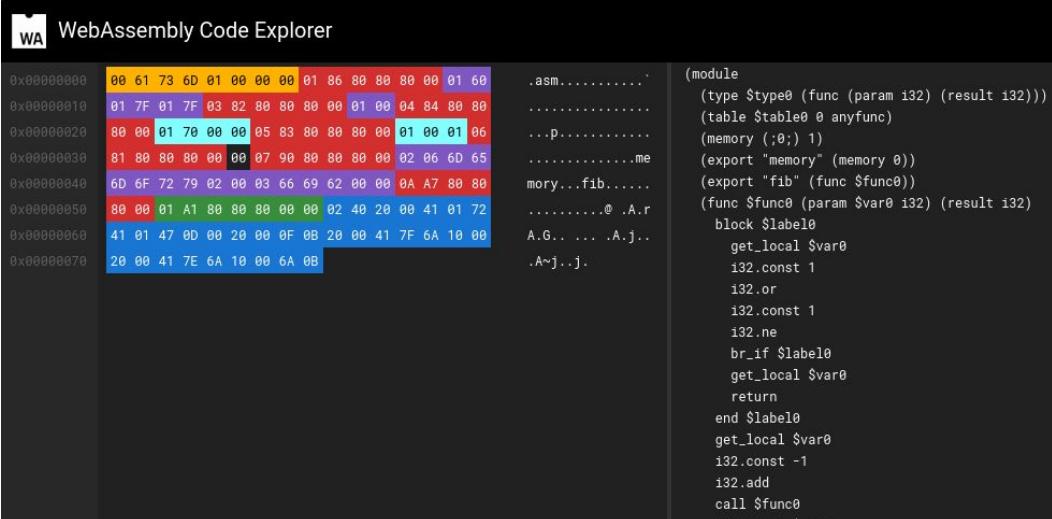
- Name section

- **`id == 0`**
- **`name_len == 4`**
- **`name == "name"`**
- can contain multiple subsections
  - Module, Function and Local
- Useful for dev/debug (**eq. of -g flag of gcc**)
  - Functions Names & local variables in the text format (wast)

Name	Type	Code	Description
Module		0	Assigns a name to the module
Function		1	Assigns names to functions
Local		2	Assigns names to locals in functions

# Binary format analysis - Wasmcodeexplorer

- Wasmcodeexplorer - [github](#)
  - Binary file explorer
  - **Text format representation** of uploaded wasm module
  - really useful to learn how the **binary format** and the **text format match together**



The screenshot shows the WebAssembly Code Explorer interface. On the left, there is a hex dump of memory starting at address 0x00000000. The first few bytes are 00 61 73 6D 01 00 00 00. To the right of the hex dump, the assembly code is displayed:

```
(module
  (type $type0 (func (param i32) (result i32)))
  (table $table0 0 anyfunc)
  (memory (;0;) 1)
  (export "memory" (memory 0))
  (export "fib" (func $func0))
  (func $func0 (param $var0 i32) (result i32)
    block $label0
      get_local $var0
      i32.const 1
      i32.or
      i32.const 1
      i32.ne
      br_if $label0
      get_local $var0
      return
    end $label0
    get_local $var0
    i32.const -1
    i32.add
    call $func0
  )
```

# Binary format analysis - WABT/wasm-objdump

- WABT - The WebAssembly Binary Toolkit
  - suite of tools for WebAssembly including wasm-objdump
- wasm-objdump
  - Print information about the contents of wasm binaries.
    - like objdump but for wasm module
  - Command: `wasm-objdump -x fib.wasm`
  - Useful options:
    - `-h`: Print headers
    - `-x`: Show section details
    - `-j SECTION`: Select just one section
      - `wasm-objdump -j export -x mod.wasm`

## Sections:

```
Type start=0x0000000e end=0x00000014 (size=0x00000006) count: 1
Function start=0x0000001a end=0x0000001c (size=0x00000002) count: 1
Table start=0x00000022 end=0x00000026 (size=0x00000004) count: 1
Memory start=0x0000002c end=0x0000002f (size=0x00000003) count: 1
Global start=0x00000035 end=0x00000036 (size=0x00000001) count: 0
Export start=0x0000003c end=0x0000004c (size=0x00000010) count: 2
Code start=0x00000052 end=0x00000079 (size=0x00000027) count: 1
```

```
fib.wasm:           file format wasm 0x1

Section Details:

Type[1]:
- type[0] (i32) -> i32
Function[1]:
- func[0] sig=0 <fib>
Table[1]:
- table[0] type=funcref initial=0
Memory[1]:
- memory[0] pages: initial=1
Global[0]:
Export[2]:
- memory[0] -> "memory"
- func[0] <fib> -> "fib"
Code[1]:
- func[0] size=33
```

# EXERCISE

Try **wasm-objdump & wasmcodeexplorer ;)**

The screenshot shows the WebAssembly Code Explorer interface. On the left, there is a hex dump of memory starting at address 0x00000000. The first few bytes are highlighted in yellow: 00 61 73 6D 01 00 00 00. To the right of the hex dump, the assembly code is shown in a column. Further to the right, the WAT (WebAssembly Text Format) is displayed. The WAT code includes declarations for a type, a table, memory, and exports, along with a function definition for 'fib'.

Address	Hex Dump	Assembly	WAT
0x00000000	00 61 73 6D 01 00 00 00	.asm.....	(module
0x00000010	01 7F 01 7F 03 82 80 80 80 00 01 00 04 84 88 80	.....	(type \$type0 (func (param i32) (result i32)))
0x00000020	80 00 01 70 00 00 05 83 80 80 00 01 00 01 00	...p.....	(table \$table0 0 anyfunc)
0x00000030	81 80 80 80 00 00 07 90 80 80 80 00 02 06 6D 65	.....me	(memory (;0) 1)
0x00000040	6D 6F 72 79 02 00 03 66 69 62 00 00 0A A7 80 80	mory..fib....	(export "memory" (memory 0))
0x00000050	80 00 01 A1 80 80 00 00 00 02 40 20 00 41 01 72	.....@ .Ar	(export "fib" (func \$func0))
0x00000060	41 01 47 00 20 00 0F 08 20 00 41 7F 6A 10 00	A.G... .A.J..	(func \$func0 (param \$var0 i32) (result i32)
0x00000070	20 00 41 7E 6A 10 00 6A 0B	.A^J..J..	block \$label0

# Real-life module analysis

## Browser addons

# Chrome browsers extensions



chrome web store

- “Google Chrome Extensions are browser extensions that modify Google Chrome i.e. small programs that add new features to your browser and personalize your browsing experience.” - [wikipedia](#)

- Chrome extensions packaging

- CRX: ChRome eXtension

- i.e. ZIP file

- file package.crx

- package.crx: Google Chrome extension, version 3

- Extraction: `unzip package.crx`



- Download “[Get CRX](#)” on [Chrome web store](#)

- Get source .crx extension file of any Chrome extension

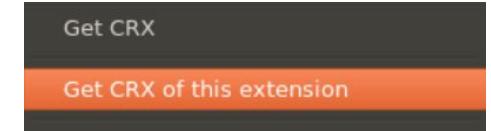
- Instantly get .crx source file of any free Chrome extension via right click context menu.

- Further reading:

- Loading WebAssembly modules efficiently - [link](#)

- using WebAssembly in chrome extension - [link](#)

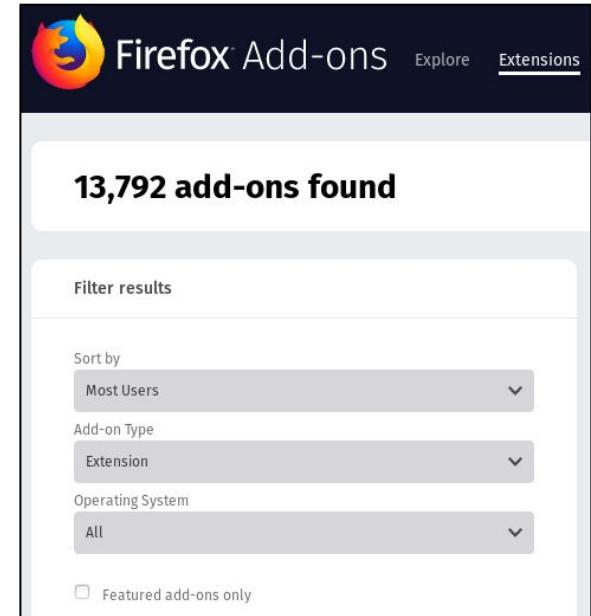
- How to install Chrome extensions manually - [link](#)



# Firefox addons

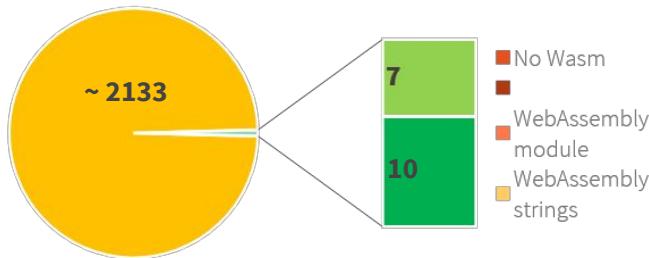
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- “Add-on is the Mozilla term for **software modules** that can be **added to the Firefox web browser** and related applications. There are three types: **extensions, themes, and plug-ins.**” - [wikipedia](#)
- [website](#), [tutorial](#), [dev hub](#)
- Firefox Addon packaging
  - **Cross-Platform Installer Module (XPI) files**
    - i.e. ZIP file
  - file package.xpi
    - package.xpi:
      - Zip archive data, at least v2.0 to extract
  - Extraction: `unzip package.xpi`
- Further reading:
  - Extension Packaging - [link](#)
  - XPI - [link](#)
  - Sideload add-ons - [link](#)



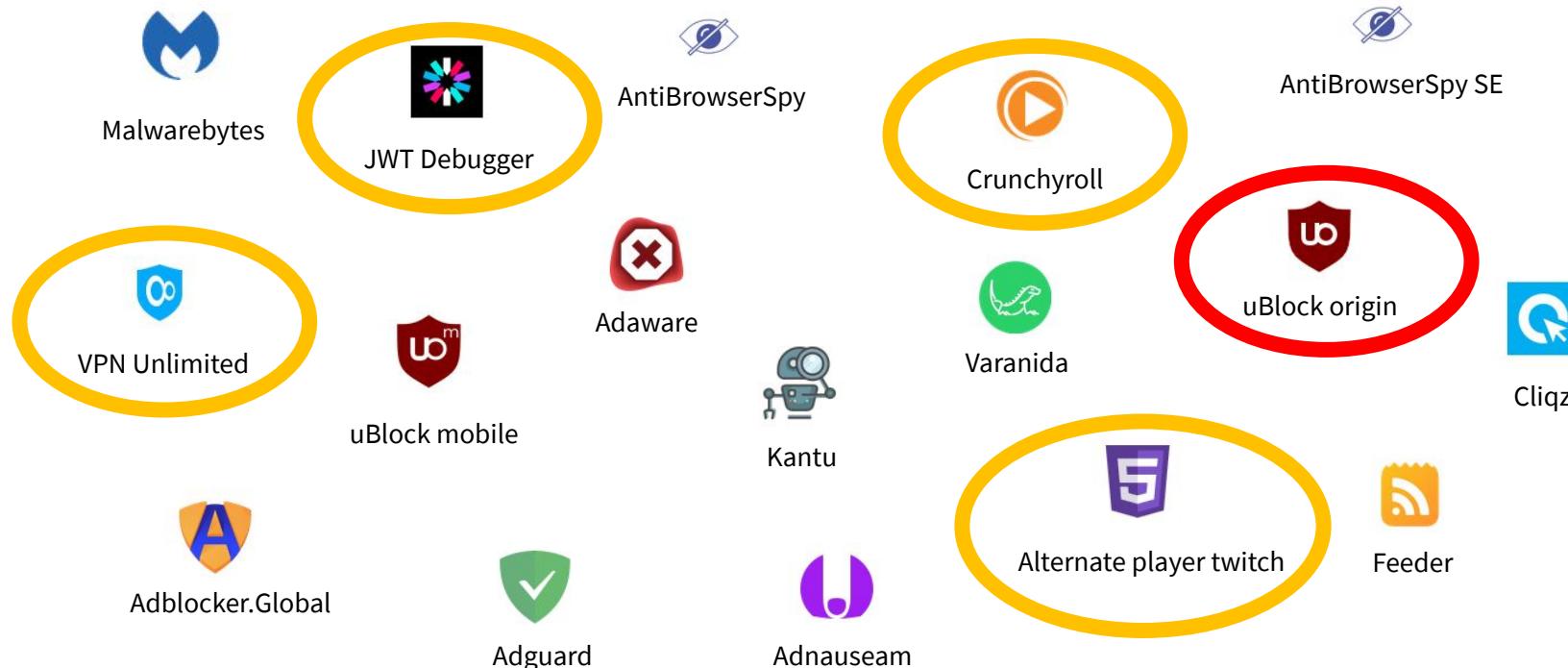
# Firefox addons - dataset overview (06/2019)

- You can **create a basic scrapper** to retrieve all the xpi file
- Number of total samples: ~ **2150 addons**
- Top addons users
  - From: ~ **10.6 Millions users**
  - To: ~ **620 users**
- Plugins statistics:
  - WebAssembly module inside (.wasm): **7**
  - “**WebAssembly**” strings inside JS script: **17**



```
potplayer_youtube_shortcut-1.10.2-fx.xpi
pouch-6.1.3-fx.xpi
poulepo_cashback-18.2.3.1-an+fx.xpi
pray_times-2.2.4-an+fx.xpi
presearchorg_start_with_us-1.0.1-an+fx.xpi
priceblink_price_comp_coupons-6.7-fx.xpi
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price_rocket-1.6.2.1-an+fx-windows.xpi
pricy-4.2.8-an+fx.xpi
print-1.4.0-an+fx.xpi
print_button-0.1.1-an+fx.xpi
print_edit_we-23.6-fx.xpi
print_for_firefox-2.2.4.0-fx.xpi
print_friendly_pdf-2.1.0-fx.xpi
print_preview_button-1.4-fx.xpi
printprint_preview_context-1.3-fx.xpi
print_selection_to_pdf-0.1.0-an+fx.xpi
print_to_pdf-0.1.0-an+fx.xpi
privacy_badger-2018.12.17-an+fx.xpi
privacy_possum-2018.8.31-an+fx.xpi
privacy_protector_plus-0.1.9-an+fx.xpi
privacy_settings-0.3.7-an+fx.xpi
private_bookmarks-0.1.17.1a-an+fx-windows.xpi
private_internet_access-1.3.1-fx.xpi
private_video_downloader-1.0.6-an+fx.xpi
```

# Firefox addons - using WebAssembly



# EXERCISE

## Analysis of “uBlock” extension

# Firefox addons - uBlock Origin

- <https://addons.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/addon/ublock-origin/>
- Version: 1.17.4
- Last updated: Jan 8, 2019
- Users: ~ 4.5 M

The screenshot shows the Mozilla Add-ons page for uBlock Origin. On the left, there's a large red shield icon with a white 'uB' logo. Below it, the text 'uBlock Origin' and 'by Raymond Hill'. A subtitle says 'Finally, an efficient blocker. Easy on CPU and memory.' To the right, a green button says '+ Add to Firefox'. Above the reviews, it says 'Featured Extension'. On the right side, there's a summary box with '4,583,197 Users', '6,834 Reviews', and a '4.6 Stars' rating with five yellow stars. Below this is a horizontal bar chart showing the distribution of reviews by star rating: 5-star (5,498), 4-star (731), 3-star (238), 2-star (130), and 1-star (237).

Star Rating	Count
5★	5,498
4★	731
3★	238
2★	130
1★	237

# EXERCISE: Your mission

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- Go inside: `day_1/browser addons/firefox addons/ublock/`
- Find wasm files (.wasm)
- Find the WebAssembly loaders (.js)
- Identify the purpose of those wasm modules
  - Exported functions
  - Imported functions/memory
  - Compiled with emscripten?
  - Functions called from javascript
- Determine the module origins
  - Is this module taken from somewhere else?
  - source? documentation? github? ...

# EXERCISE: Find modules (.wasm) and loaders (.js) files

- Find wasm files (.wasm)
  - find . -iname "\*.**wasm**"
    - but **failed if extension name is not .wasm**
  - ls + file + grep WebAssembly
- Find the WebAssembly loaders (.js)
  - ag or rg equivalent of cat \* | grep
    - sudo apt install silversearcher-ag
  - ag 'WebAssembly'
  - ag 'instantiate'

```
js/hntrie.js
22:/* globals WebAssembly */
455:    typeof WebAssembly !== 'object' ||
456:    typeof WebAssembly.instantiateStreaming !== 'function'
474:    µBlock.hiddenSettings.disableWebAssembly === true
499:    const memory = new WebAssembly.Memory({ initial: 1 });
501:    hnTrieManager.wasmLoading = WebAssembly.instantiateStreaming(
```

```
lib/lz4/lz4-block-codec-wasm.js
4:         A javascript wrapper around a WebAssembly implementation of
41:/* global WebAssembly */
127:    typeof WebAssembly !== 'object' ||
128:    typeof WebAssembly.instantiateStreaming !== 'function'
135:    if ( this.lz4wasmInstance instanceof WebAssembly.Instance ) {
139:        this.lz4wasmInstance = WebAssembly.instantiateStreaming(
160:        return this.lz4wasmInstance instanceof WebAssembly.Instance ?
166:        if ( this.lz4wasmInstance instanceof WebAssembly.Instance === false ) {
178:            if ( this.lz4wasmInstance instanceof WebAssembly.Instance === false ) {
```

# EXERCISE: hntries.wasm analysis

- Module is loaded in `hntries.js`
- Exported functions
  - `matches(i32) ⇒ i32`
- Imported functions/memory
  - `import memory`
  - no data section inside the module**

```
const memory = new WebAssembly.Memory({ initial: 1 });
```

- Compiled with emscripten? **NO**
- Functions called from javascript

```
hnTrieManager.wasmLoading = WebAssembly.instantiateStreaming(
  fetch(workingDir + 'wasm/hntrie.wasm'),
  { imports: { memory } }
```

## Section Details:

### Type:

- `type[0] (i32) -> i32`

### Import:

- `memory[0] pages: initial=1 <- imports.memory`

### Function:

- `func[0] sig=0 <matches>`

### Export:

- `func[0] <matches> -> "matches"`

```
518 hnTrieManager.matchesWASM = result.instance.exports.matches;
519 hnTrieManager.matches = hnTrieManager.matchesWASM;
```

# EXERCISE: module origins

- **hntries** stand for **HostName Tries**
  - replace the use of Set() as a mean to **hold large number of hostnames** (ex. FilterHostnameDict in static filtering engine) and **allow quick hostnames matching**.

- Convert from `.wat` to `.wasm`

All `wasm` files in that directory were created by compiling the corresponding `wat` file using the command (using `hntrie.wat` / `hntrie.wasm` as example):

```
wat2wasm hntrie.wat -o hntrie.wasm
```

- In the new version, uBlock origin [introduce](#) this WebAssembly module (`hntrie.wasm`)
  - [Github](#)

Branch: master ▾		uBlock / src / js / wasm /	Create new file	Upload files	Find file	History
 gorhill	3rd-gen hntrie, suitable for large set of hostnames					Latest commit 1b6fea1 on Dec 4, 2018
..						
<a href="#">README.md</a>	Squashed commit of the following:					3 months ago
<a href="#">hntrie.wasm</a>	3rd-gen hntrie, suitable for large set of hostnames					a month ago
<a href="#">hntrie.wat</a>	3rd-gen hntrie, suitable for large set of hostnames					a month ago

# EXERCISE: lz4-block-codec.wasm analysis

- This module is loaded by `lz4-block-codec-wasm.js` using a same-origin fetch.

```
if ( this.lz4wasmInstance === undefined ) {
    this.lz4wasmInstance = WebAssembly.instantiateStreaming(
        fetch(wd + 'lz4-block-codec.wasm', { mode: 'same-origin' })
    ).then(result => {
        this.lz4wasmInstance = undefined;
        this.lz4wasmInstance = result && result.instance || null;
        if ( this.lz4wasmInstance !== null ) { return this; }
        return null;
    });
}
```

- The module is used to encode and decode lz4 blocks
  - md5: **dc350d3476918372492b6f40fa701a76**
  - sha256: **4bda6947a0498618552cba53ab3780745fd34cc1a0d84696e83a0547dcd68acf**

```
lz4-block-codec-wasm.js
A javascript wrapper around a WebAssembly implementation of
LZ4 block format codec.
Copyright (C) 2018 Raymond Hill
```

# EXERCISE: lz4-block-codec.wasm analysis

- Exported functions
  - getLinearMemoryOffset,
  - lz4BlockEncodeBound,
  - lz4BlockEncode, lz4BlockDecode
  - Memory exported
- Imported functions/memory: **None**
- Compiled with emscripten? **NO**
- Functions called from javascript
  - lz4-block-codec-wasm.js

```
    outputOffset + lz4api.[Lz4Block]EncodeBound(inputSize);
let memBuffer = growMemoryTo(wasmInstance, memSize);
let hashTable = new Int32Array(memBuffer, mem0, 65536);
hashTable.fill(-65536, 0, 65536);
let inputMem = new Uint8Array(memBuffer, mem0 + hashTables);
inputMem.set(inputArray);
let outputSize = lz4api.[Lz4Block]Encode(
```

## Section Details:

### Type:

- type[0] () -> i32
- type[1] (i32) -> i32
- type[2] (i32, i32, i32) -> i32
- type[3] (i32, i32, i32) -> nil
- type[4] (i32, i32) -> i32

### Function:

- func[0] sig=0 <getLinearMemoryOffset>
- func[1] sig=1 <lz4BlockEncodeBound>
- func[2] sig=2 <lz4BlockEncode>
- func[3] sig=2 <lz4BlockDecode>
- func[4] sig=4
- func[5] sig=3

### Memory:

- memory[0] pages: initial=1

### Export:

- memory[0] -> "memory"
- func[0] <getLinearMemoryOffset> -> "getLinearMemoryOffset"
- func[1] <lz4BlockEncodeBound> -> "lz4BlockEncodeBound"
- func[2] <lz4BlockEncode> -> "lz4BlockEncode"
- func[3] <lz4BlockDecode> -> "lz4BlockDecode"

# EXERCISE: lz4-block-codec.wasm analysis

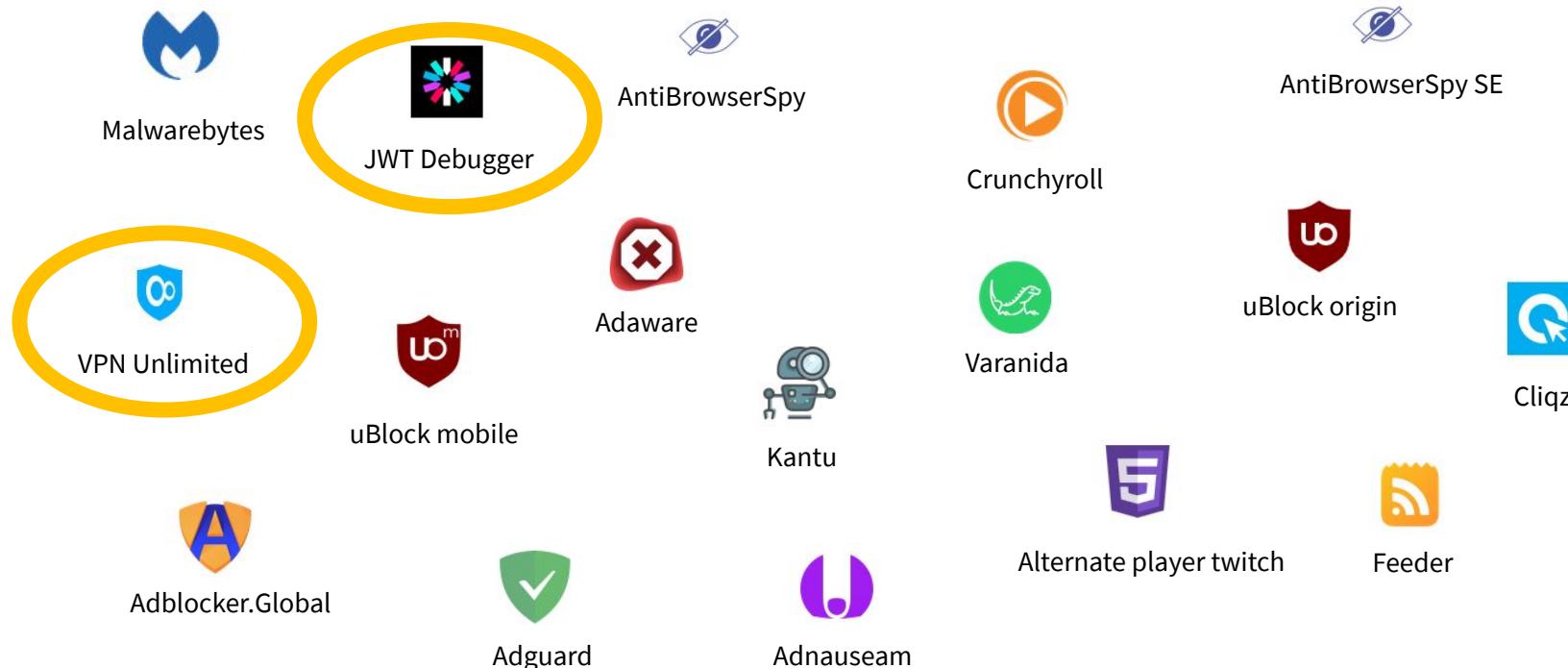
- This module comes from the [official uBlock github](#)

The screenshot shows a GitHub repository page for `gorhill / uBlock`. The repository has 715 issues, 6 pull requests, 0 projects, and 15,020 stars. The `lz4` folder is selected under the `src / lib` directory. A commit by `gorhill` titled "Update README.md" is shown, dated Oct 19, 2018. Below the commit list, the `README.md` file is displayed, containing the purpose of the library.

**Purpose**

The purpose of this library is to implement LZ4 compression/decompression as documented at the official LZ4 repository:

# Firefox addons - using inline WebAssembly

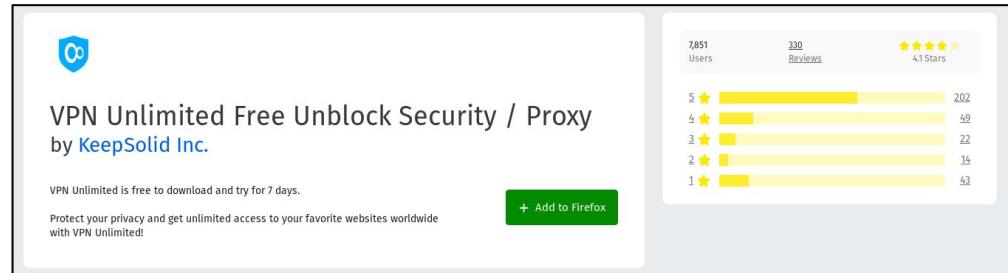


# EXERCISE

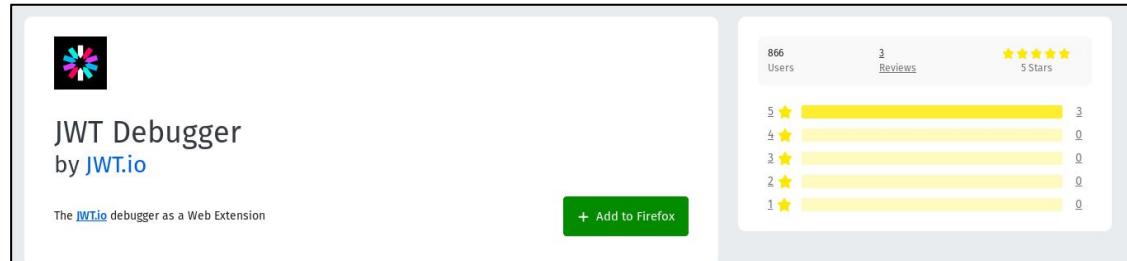
## Analysis of “VPN UFree & JWT” extension

# VPN Unlimited Free & JWT Debugger

- <https://addons.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/addon/vpn-unlimited-secure-proxy/>
- Version: 5.6
- Last updated: Dec 28, 2018
- Users: 7,851



- <https://addons.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/addon/jwtio-debugger/>
- Version: 3.0.0
- Last updated: Jun 8, 2018
- Users: 866



# EXERCISE: Your mission

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Go inside: `day_1/browser addons/firefox addons/[vpn_unlimited_free, jwt]`

- Find the WebAssembly loaders (.js)
- Find inline wasm modules
- Convert inline WebAssembly module to wasm file (.wasm)
- Identify the purpose of this module
  - Exported functions
  - Imported functions/memory
  - Compiled with emscripten?
  - Functions called from javascript
  - ...
- Determine the module origins
  - Is this module taken from somewhere else?
  - source? documentation? github? ...

# EXERCISE: Find loaders & inline wasm modules

- Inline WebAssembly using API:
  - Uint8Array
  - WebAssembly.Module
  - WebAssembly.Instance

```
"B3f": function(e, t) {
  e.exports = r;
  var n = null;
  try {
    n = new WebAssembly.Instance(new WebAssembly.Module(new Uint8Array([0, 97, 115, 109, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 13, 2, 96, 0, 1, 127, 96, 4, 127, 127, 127, 1, 127, 3, 7, 6, 0, 1, 1, 1, 1, 6, 1, 127, 1, 65, 0, 11, 7, 50, 6, 3, 109, 117, 108, 0, 1, 5, 100, 105, 118, 95, 115, 0, 2, 5, 100, 105, 118, 95, 117, 0, 3, 5, 114, 101, 109, 95, 115, 0, 4, 5, 114, 101, 109, 95, 117, 0, 5, 8, 103, 101, 116, 95, 104, 105, 103, 104, 0, 0, 10, 191, 1, 6, 4, 0, 35, 0, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 32, 2, 173, 32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 126, 34, 4, 66, 32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 32, 2, 173, 32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 127, 34, 4, 66, 32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 32, 2, 173, 32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 128, 34, 4, 66, 32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 130, 34, 4, 66, 32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 32, 2, 173, 32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 132, 32, 2, 173, 32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 129, 34, 4, 66, 32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 130, 34, 4, 66, 32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11])), {}).exports
  } catch (e) {}}
```

- VPN Unlimited Free
  - Minified JS code
  - Main.bundle.js

```
try {
  r = new WebAssembly.Instance(new WebAssembly.Module(new Uint8Array([0, 97, 115, 109, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 13, 2, 96, 0, 1, 127, 96, 4, 127, 127, 127, 1, 127, 3, 7, 6, 0, 1, 1, 1, 1, 6, 1, 127, 1, 65, 0, 11, 7, 50, 6, 3, 109, 117, 108, 0, 1, 5, 100, 105, 118, 95, 115, 0, 2, 5, 100, 105, 118, 95, 117, 0, 3, 5, 114, 101, 109, 95, 115, 0, 4, 5, 114, 101, 109, 95, 117, 0, 5, 8, 103, 101, 116, 95, 104, 105, 103, 104, 0, 10, 191, 1, 6, 4, 0, 35, 0, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 32, 2, 173, 32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 126, 34, 4, 66, 32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 32, 2, 173, 32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 127, 34, 4, 66, 32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 32, 2, 173, 32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 128, 34, 4, 66, 32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 32, 2, 173, 32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 129, 34, 4, 66, 32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 32, 2, 173, 32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 130, 34, 4, 66, 32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11])), {}).exports
  } catch (e) {}}
```

- Both load the same WebAssembly module...

# EXERCISE: Convert Uint8Array to local wasm module

- Convert the Uint8Array into a string
  - a = new Uint8Array([...])
  - var s = new TextDecoder('utf-8').decode(a)

- Encode the string into using [base64js](#)
  - Base64.encode(s)

```
> Base64.encode(s)
<> "AGFzbQEAABDQJgAA/FYAR/f39/AX8DbwYAAQEBQEGBgF/AUEACwcyBgNtdWwAAQVkaXZfcwACBWRpd19IAAMFc...vT...X3MABA...VZ...W1f...dQ...
FCGdldF9oaWdoAAK77+9AQYEACMACyQBAX4gA0+/vSAB77+9QiDvv73vv70gAu+/vSAD77+9QiDvv73vv71+IgRCIO+/ve+/vSQAIATvv70...
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9IALvv70gA++/vUlg77+977+9IgRCIO+/ve+/vSQAIATvv70LJAEBf1AA77+9IAHvv71CI0+/ve+/vSAC77+9IAHvv71CI0+/ve+/ve...
+/vSIEQ1Dvv73vv70kACE77+9CyQBAX4gA0+/vSAB77+9QiDvv73vv70gAu+/vSAD77+9QiDvv73vv70iBEIg77+977+9JAAGB0+/vQ...
s="
```

```
> a = new Uint8Array([
  0, 97, 115, 109, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 13, 2, 96, 0, 1, 127, 96, 4, 127, 127, 127, 1, 127, 3, 7, 6, 0, 1,
  1, 1, 1, 6, 6, 1, 127, 1, 65, 0, 11, 7, 50, 6, 3, 109, 117, 108, 0, 1, 5, 100, 105, 118, 95, 115, 0, 2,
  5, 100, 105, 118, 95, 117, 0, 3, 5, 114, 101, 109, 95, 115, 0, 4, 5, 114, 101, 109, 95, 117, 0, 5, 8, 103,
  101, 116, 95, 104, 105, 103, 104, 0, 0, 10, 191, 1, 6, 4, 0, 35, 0, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1,
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  167, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 32, 2, 173, 32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132,
  132, 32, 2, 173, 32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 128, 34, 4, 66, 32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11, 36, 1,
  1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 32, 2, 173, 32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 129, 34, 4, 66,
  32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11, 36, 1, 1, 126, 32, 0, 173, 32, 1, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 32, 2, 173,
  32, 3, 173, 66, 32, 134, 132, 130, 34, 4, 66, 32, 135, 167, 36, 0, 32, 4, 167, 11
])
<> Uint8Array(286) [0, 97, 115, 109, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 13, 2, 96, 0, 1, 127, 96, 4, 127, 127, 127, 1, 127,
  7, 6, 0, 1, 1, 1, 1, 6, 6, 1, 127, 1, 65, 0, 11, 7, 50, 6, 3, 109, 117, 108, 0, 1, 5, 100, 105, 118,
  95, 115, 0, 2, 5, 100, 105, 118, 95, 117, 0, 3, 5, 114, 101, 109, 95, 115, 0, 4, 5, 114, 101, 109, 95, 117,
  0, 5, 8, 103, 101, 116, 95, 104, 105, 103, 104, 0, 0, 10, 191, 1, 6, 4, 0, 35, 0]
> var s = new TextDecoder("utf-8").decode(a)
> undefined
```

- Decode base64 string locally for analysis
  - echo '<base64>' | base64 -d > inline.wasm

```
> echo 'AGFzbQEAABDQJgAA/FYAR/f39/AX8DbwYAAQEBQEGBgF/AUEACwcyBgNtdWwAAQVkaXZfcwACBWRpd19IAAMFc...vT...X3MABA...VZ...W1f...dQ...
AVyZ...W1f...dQAFCGdldF9oaWdoAAK77+9AQYEACMACyQBAX4gA0+/vSAB77+9QiDvv73vv70gAu+/vSAD77+9QiDvv73vv71+IgRCIO+/ve...
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s=' | base64 -d > vpn.wasm
->
```

# EXERCISE: module analysis

- Exported functions:
  - mul, div\_s, div\_u
  - rem\_s, rem\_u
  - get\_high
- Imported functions/memory: **None**
- Compiled with emscripten? **No**
- Functions called from javascript
  - n = new WebAssembly.Instance(...).exports

```
        , k.divide = k.divide, k.modulo = function(e) {
            return i(e) || (e = h(e)), n ? l((this.unsigned ?
                n.rem_u : n.rem_s)(this.low, this.high, e.low,
                e.high), n.get_high(), this.unsigned) : this.
                sub(this.div(e).mul(e))
```

## Section Details:

### Type:

- type[0] () -> i32
- type[1] (i32, i32, i32, i32) -> i32

### Function:

- func[0] sig=0 <get\_high>
- func[1] sig=1 <mul>
- func[2] sig=1 <div\_s>
- func[3] sig=1 <div\_u>
- func[4] sig=1 <rem\_s>
- func[5] sig=1 <rem\_u>

### Global:

- global[0] i32 mutable=1 - init i32=0

### Export:

- func[1] <mul> -> "mul"
- func[2] <div\_s> -> "div\_s"
- func[3] <div\_u> -> "div\_u"
- func[4] <rem\_s> -> "rem\_s"
- func[5] <rem\_u> -> "rem\_u"
- func[0] <get\_high> -> "get\_high"

# EXERCISE: module origins

- This WebAssembly module comes from [long.js](#)

## long.js

A Long class for representing a 64 bit two's-complement integer value derived from the [Closure Library](#) for stand-alone use and extended with unsigned support.

- In that case:
  - WebAssembly is used there to be more efficient !!

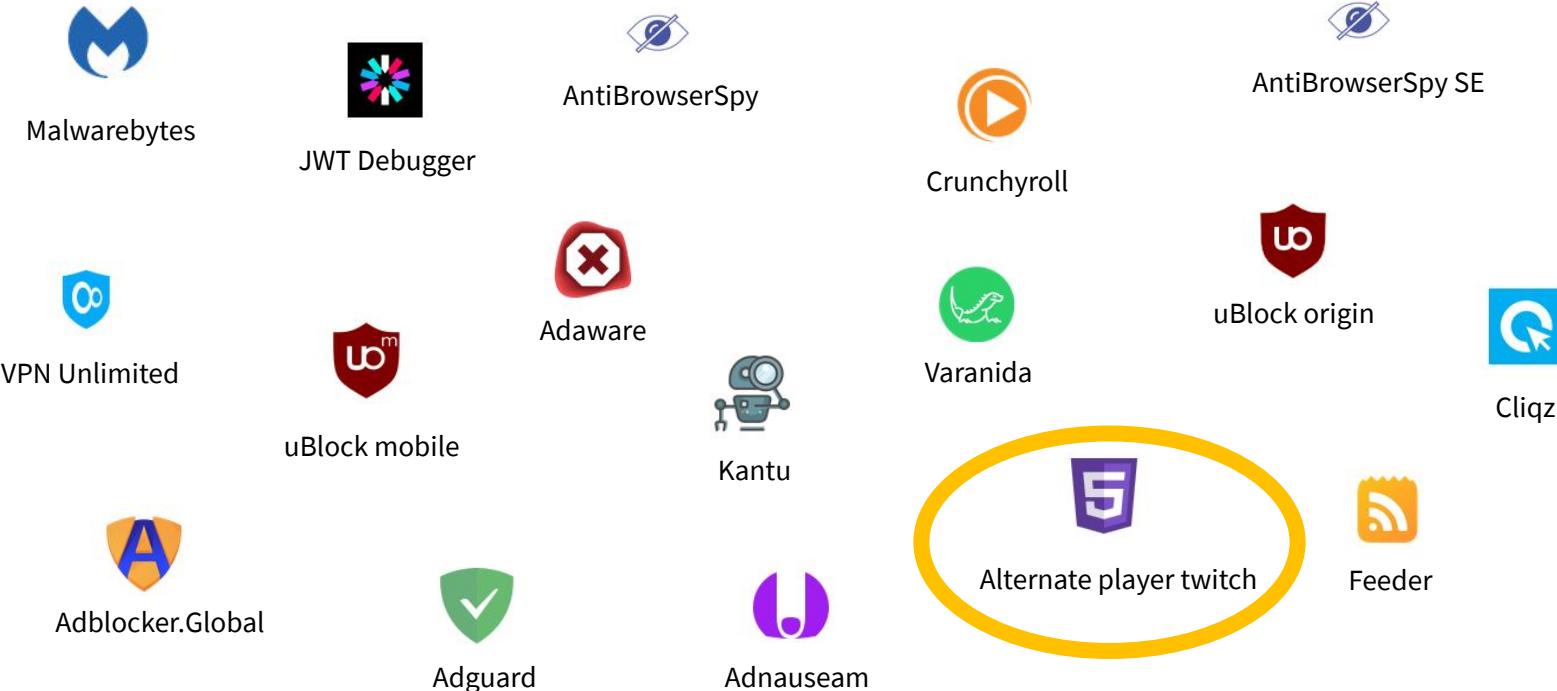
## WebAssembly support

WebAssembly supports 64-bit integer arithmetic out of the box, hence a tiny WebAssembly module is used to compute operations like multiplication, division and remainder more efficiently (slow operations like division are around twice as fast), falling back to floating point based computations in JavaScript where WebAssembly is not yet supported, e.g., in older versions of node.

The screenshot shows a GitHub repository page for `dcodeIO / long.js`. The repository has 10 issues and 3 pull requests. The branch is set to `master`. The file `wasm.wat` is selected. The code block contains the following WebAssembly code:

```
1 (module
2   (export "mul" (func $mul))
3   (export "div_s" (func $div_s))
4   (export "div_u" (func $div_u))
5   (export "rem_s" (func $rem_s))
6   (export "rem_u" (func $rem_u))
7   (export "get_high" (func $get_high))
8   (global $high (mut i32) (i32.const 0))
9   (func $get_high (result i32)
10     (get_global $high)
11   )
```

# Firefox addons - using WebAssembly



## EXERCISE

# Analysis of “Alternate Player for Twitch.tv” extension

# Firefox addons - Alternate Player for Twitch.tv

- [https://addons.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/addon/twitch\\_5/](https://addons.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/addon/twitch_5/)
- Version: 2018.12.10
- Last updated: Dec 10, 2018
- Users: 15,511

The screenshot shows the Firefox Add-ons page for the 'Alternate Player for Twitch.tv' extension. On the left, there's a large purple icon with a white number '5'. Below it, the extension name 'Alternate Player for Twitch.tv' is displayed, followed by 'by Alexander Choporov (CoolCmd)'. A short description states 'Alternate player of live broadcasts for [Twitch.tv](#) website.' To the right of the description is a green button with a plus sign and the text '+ Add to Firefox'. On the far right, there's a summary box showing user statistics: 15,511 users, 159 reviews, and a rating of 4.5 Stars. Below this, a bar chart displays the distribution of reviews by star rating: 5 stars (115), 4 stars (26), 3 stars (9), 2 stars (4), and 1 star (5).

Star Rating	Count
5	115
4	26
3	9
2	4
1	5

# EXERCISE: Your mission

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Go inside: `day_1/browser addons/firefox addons/alternate_twitch/`

- Find the WebAssembly loader (.js)
- Find wasm file (.wasm)
- Identify the purpose of this wasm module
  - Exported functions
  - Imported functions/memory
  - Compiled with emscripten?
  - Functions called from javascript
  - ...
- Determine the module origins
  - Is this module taken from somewhere else?
  - source? documentation? github? ...

# EXERCISE: Find loader & wasm module

- Find the WebAssembly loaders (.js)
  - worker.js
  - written in Russian
    - unintentionally obfuscated ?
  - load wasm.wasm
- Find wasm file (.wasm)
  - wasm.wasm

```
\ file wasm.wasm
wasm.wasm: WebAssembly (wasm) binary module version 0x1 (MVP)
```

```
РассчитатьРазмерКучи(коРазмер) // _Calculate the Size of the Heap (kb Size)
// Возвращает размер кучи в байтах. // Returns the size of the heap in bytes.
{
    return (Math.ceil(коРазмер) + (Wasm.РАЗМЕР_СТРАНИЦЫ - 1)) & ~ (Wasm.РАЗМЕР_СТРАНИЦЫ);
}

Компилировать() // Compile
{
    // WebAssembly.compileStreaming() не жрет локальный файл, ругаясь на MIME.
    // Да и не нужна эта функция для локального мелкого файла.

    // WebAssembly.compileStreaming () do not eat a local file, swearing at MIME.
    // And this function is not needed for a local small file.
    return fetch('wasm.wasm')
        .then(oОтвет => oОтвет.arrayBuffer()) // oAnswer
        .then(бУфКод => WebAssembly.compile(бУфКод)) // whirlpool
        .then(oМодуль => // module
    {
        this._oМодуль = oМодуль;
    });
}

ВыделитьПамять(коРазмер) // HighlightMemory (kbSize)
{
    коРазмер = this._РассчитатьРазмерКучи(коРазмер);
    if (this._оПамять === null)
    {
        this._оПамять = new WebAssembly.Memory({initial: коРазмер / Wasm.РАЗМЕР_СТРАНИЦЫ});
        this._оЕкземпляр = new WebAssembly.Instance(this._оМодуль, {i: {m: this._оМодуль}});
    }
    else
    {
        this._оПамять.grow((коРазмер - this._оПамять.buffer.byteLength) / Wasm.РАЗМЕР_СТРАНИЦЫ);
    }
    return [this._оПамять.buffer, this._оЕкземпляр.exports];
}
```

# EXERCISE: wasm.wasm analysis

- Tiny WebAssembly module
  - Size: **230 Bytes**
  - Sha256: **b54fbead92539d3df2a163486c28aa5d2acff14b151a0d85b9dcda69fa6c976f**
- Only 1 exported function:
  - **SearchStartCodePrefix(i32, i32) ⇒ i32**
- Imported functions/memory:
  - **memory**
- Compiled with emscripten? **No**
- Functions called from javascript

```
> wasm-objdump -x wasm.wasm
wasm.wasm:      file format wasm 0x1

Section Details:

Type:
- type[0] (i32, i32) -> i32
Import:
- memory[0] pages: initial=1 <- i.m
Function:
- func[0] sig=0 <SearchStartCodePrefix>
Export:
- func[0] <SearchStartCodePrefix> -> "SearchStartCodePrefix"
```

```
_dvKucha = Создать DataView( мбКуча );
_ФайтиПрефикс = оЭкспорт.SearchStartCodePrefix;
```

# EXERCISE: module origins

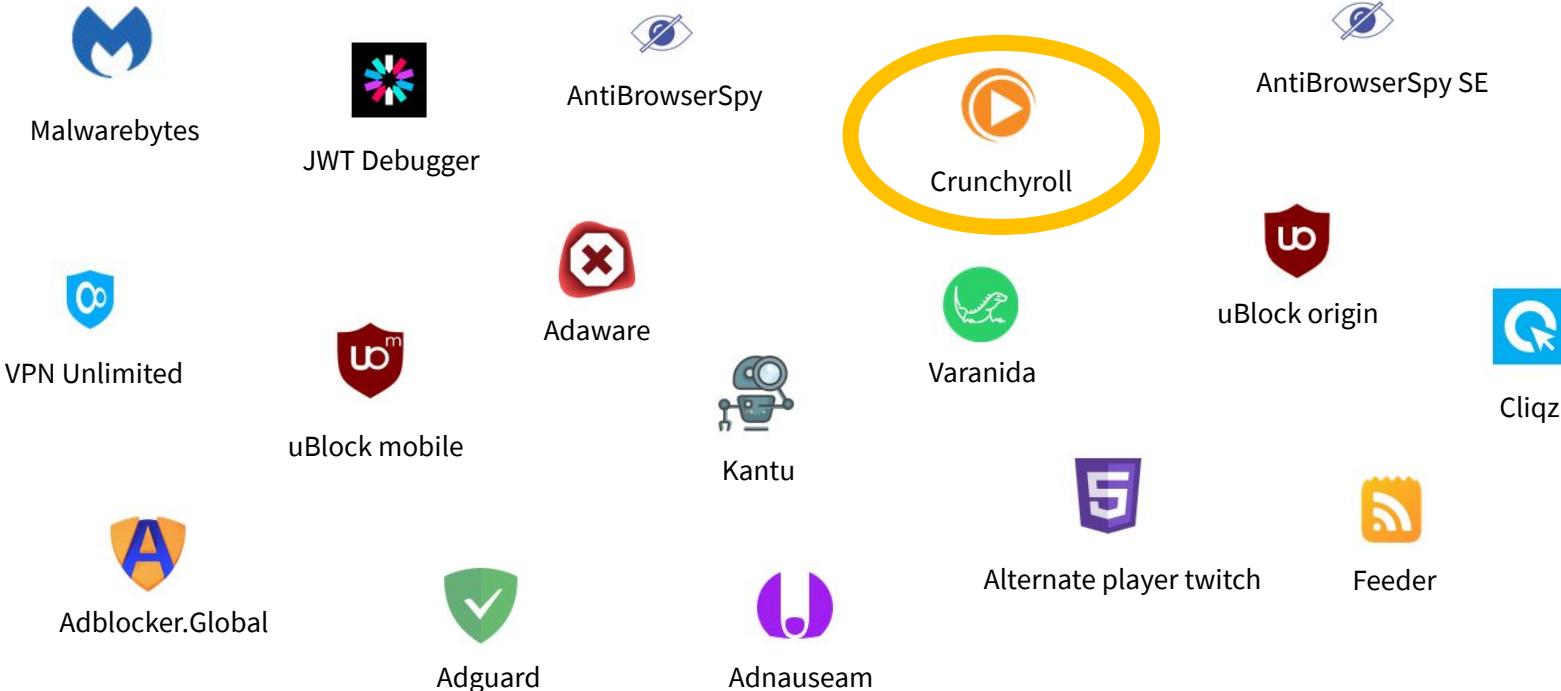
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- Extra information inside `asmjs.js`
- `SearchStartCodePrefix()` comments
  - ITU-T H.264: 2014 Annex B
    - **H.264 : Advanced video coding for generic audiovisual services**
  - Looks for start code prefix: at least two zero bytes, followed by one
    - **0x000001 or 0x00000001 : H.264 NAL start prefix code**

```
function SearchStartCodePrefix(pStream, pStreamEnd)
// ITU-T H.264:2014 Annex B
// Ищет start code prefix: минимум два нулевых байта, за ними единица.
// Состав префикса в зависимости от его длины:
// =3 - start_code_prefix_one_3bytes
// =4 - zero_byte + start_code_prefix_one_3bytes
// >4 - leading_zero_8bits или trailing_zero_8bits + zero_byte + start_code_prefix_one_3bytes
// Возвращает указатель на начало префикса. В Int32Array(heap)[0] возвращает размер префикса.
// Если префикс не найден, то возвращает pStreamEnd. Размер не определен.
// Если данные повреждены, то возвращает -2.
// Выход параметров функции за пределы буфера не проверяется.
```

- This module search the position of the H.264
  - NAL start prefix inside a Stream buffer

# Firefox addons - using WebAssembly



## EXERCISE

# Analysis of “Crunchyroll” extension

# Firefox addons - Crunchyroll HTML5 Unofficial

- <https://addons.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/addon/crunchyroll-html5-unofficial>
- Version: 0.14.2
- Last updated: Oct 6, 2018
- Users: 3,441

The screenshot shows the Mozilla Add-ons page for the "Crunchyroll HTML5 Unofficial" add-on. On the left, there's a large orange play button icon. Below it, the add-on name "Crunchyroll HTML5 Unofficial" is displayed, along with the developer name "by YePpHa". A brief description states "A fully fledged HTML5 player for Crunchyroll." To the right of the description is a green "Add to Firefox" button. On the far right, there's a summary box showing "3,441 Users", "71 Reviews", and a "4.3 Stars" rating with a five-star icon.

Rating	Count
5 ★	52
4 ★	7
3 ★	3
2 ★	2
1 ★	7

# EXERCISE: Your mission

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- Go inside: `day_1/browser addons/firefox addons/crunchyroll/`
- Find the WebAssembly loader (.js)
- Find wasm file (.wasm)
- Identify the purpose of this wasm module
  - Exported functions
  - Imported functions/memory
  - Compiled with emscripten?
  - Functions called from javascript
  - ...
- Determine the module origins
  - Is this module taken from somewhere else?
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# EXERCISE: Find loader & wasm module

- Find the WebAssembly loaders (.js)
  - subtitles-octopus-worker.js
- Find wasm file (.wasm)
  - subtitles-octopus-worker.wasm
  - Size: 1.2 MB
  - Interesting export functions names
    - " libassjs create track"
    - " libassjs free track"
    - " libassjs init"
    - " libassjs quit"
    - " libassjs render"
    - " \_libassjs\_resize"
- What's libass & subtitles-octopus ?

```
function integrateWasmJS() {
    var method = "native-wasm,asmjs";
    var wasmTextFile = "subtitles-octopus-worker.wast";
    var wasmBinaryFile = "subtitles-octopus-worker.wasm";
    var asmjsCodeFile = "subtitles-octopus-worker.asm.js";
```

Export:

```
- func[1341] <__errno_location> -> "__errno_location"
- func[53] <_free> -> "_free"
- func[832] <_libassjs_create_track> -> "_libassjs_create_track"
- func[770] <_libassjs_free_track> -> "_libassjs_free_track"
- func[901] <_libassjs_init> -> "_libassjs_init"
- func[1418] <_libassjs_quit> -> "_libassjs_quit"
- func[1779] <_libassjs_render> -> "_libassjs_render"
- func[1630] <_libassjs_resize> -> "_libassjs_resize"
- func[1462] <_main> -> "_main"
- func[56] <_malloc> -> "_malloc"
- func[1396] <dynCall_iii> -> "dynCall_iii"
- func[1425] <dynCall_iiii> -> "dynCall_iiii"
- func[1464] <dynCall_iiiii> -> "dynCall_iiiii"
- func[1355] <dynCall_vii> -> "dynCall_vii"
- func[1382] <dynCall_vii> -> "dynCall_vii"
- func[1441] <dynCall_viiii> -> "dynCall_viiii"
- func[1372] <setThrew> -> "setThrew"
- func[1409] <stackAlloc> -> "stackAlloc"
- func[1342] <stackRestore> -> "stackRestore"
- func[1340] <stackSave> -> "stackSave"
```

# EXERCISE: module origins - JavascriptSubtitlesOctopus

The screenshot shows the GitHub repository page for "Dador / JavascriptSubtitlesOctopus". The repository has 9 stars and 63 forks. It includes tabs for Code, Issues (10), Pull requests (1), Projects (0), Wiki, and Insights. A description states: "Displays subtitles in .ass format via JavaScript. Supports all SSA/ASS features, easily integrates with HTML5 videos." Below the description are several code snippets: libass, html5-video, ass-format, video, subtitle-formats, subtitles, and substation-alpha.

- Exported functions in the Makefile:
  - <https://github.com/Dador/JavascriptSubtitlesOctopus/blob/master/Makefile>

```
# Dist Files

EMCC_COMMON_ARGS = \
    -s TOTAL_MEMORY=134217728 \
    -O3 \
    -s EXPORTED_FUNCTIONS="['_main', '_malloc', \
        '_libassjs_init', '_libassjs_quit', \
        '_libassjs_resize', '_libassjs_render']" \
    -s EXTRA_EXPORTED_RUNTIME_METHODS="['ccall', 'cwrap', \
        'getValue', 'FS_createPreloadedFile', \
        'FS_createFolder']" \
```

<a href="#">subtitles-octopus-asmjs-worker.data</a>
<a href="#">subtitles-octopus-asmjs-worker.js</a>
<a href="#">subtitles-octopus-asmjs-worker.js.mem</a>
<a href="#">subtitles-octopus-wasm-worker.data</a>
<a href="#">subtitles-octopus-wasm-worker.js</a>
<a href="#">subtitles-octopus-wasm-worker.wasm</a>
<a href="#">subtitles-octopus-worker.asm.js</a>
<a href="#">subtitles-octopus-worker.data</a>
<a href="#">subtitles-octopus-worker.js</a>
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<a href="#">subtitles-octopus.js</a>

# WebAssembly Instructions Set

# Instruction Set Architecture (overview)

- Small **Turing-complete instruction set**
  - 172 instructions
  - Data types: **i32**, **i64**, **f32**, **f64**, **(v)**
- **Control-Flow** operators
  - Label: `block` `loop` `if` `else` `end`
  - Branch: `br` `br_if` `br_table`
  - Function call: `call` `call_indirect` `return`
- **Memory** operators
  - `load`, `store`, etc.
- **Variables** operators
  - `local`, `global`,
- **Arithmetic** operators (for int & float)
  - `+` `-` `*` `/` `%` `&&` `||` `^` `<<` `>>` etc.
  - `sqrt` `ceil` `floor` etc.
- **Constant** operators (`const`)
- **Conversion** operators
  - `wrap` `trunc` `convert` `reinterpret` etc.

```
(module
  (table (;0;) 0 anyfunc)
  (memory (;0;) 1)
  (export "memory" (memory 0))
  (export "fib" (func 0))
  (type (;0;) (func (param i32) (result i32)))
  (func (;0;) (type 0) (param i32) (result i32)
    block ; label = @1
      get_local 0
      i32.const 1
      i32.or
      i32.const 1
      i32.ne
      br_if 0 (;@1;)
      get_local 0
      return
    end
    get_local 0
    i32.const -1
    i32.add
    call 0
    get_local 0
    i32.const -2
    i32.add
    call 0
    i32.add
  )
)
```

# Data types - [link](#)

All types are distinguished by a negative `varint7` values that is the first byte of their encoding constructor):

Opcode	Type constructor
-0x01 (i.e., the byte <code>0x7f</code> )	<code>i32</code>
-0x02 (i.e., the byte <code>0x7e</code> )	<code>i64</code>
-0x03 (i.e., the byte <code>0x7d</code> )	<code>f32</code>
-0x04 (i.e., the byte <code>0x7c</code> )	<code>f64</code>
-0x10 (i.e., the byte <code>0x70</code> )	<code>anyfunc</code>
-0x20 (i.e., the byte <code>0x60</code> )	<code>func</code>
-0x40 (i.e., the byte <code>0x40</code> )	pseudo type for representing an empty <code>block_type</code>

# MVP 1.0 Instruction Set Architecture (ISA)

i32	i64	f32	f64			
i32.add i32.sub i32.mul i32.div_s i32.div_u i32.rem_s i32.rem_u i32.and i32.or i32.xor i32.shl i32.shr_u i32.shr_s i32.rotl i32.rottr i32.clz i32.ctz i32.popcnt i32.eqz i32.eq i32.ne i32.lt_s i32.le_s i32.lt_u i32.le_u i32.gt_s i32.ge_s i32.gt_u i32.ge_u	i64.add i64.sub i64.mul i64.div_s i64.div_u i64.rem_s i64.rem_u i64.and i64.or i64.xor i64.shl i64.shr_u i64.shr_s i64.rotl i64.rottr i64.clz i64.ctz i64.popcnt i64.eqz i64.eq i64.ne i64.lt_s i64.le_s i64.lt_u i64.le_u i64.gt_s i64.ge_s i64.gt_u i64.ge_u	f32.add f32.sub f32.mul f32.div f32.abs f32.neg f32.copysign f32.ceil f32.floor f32.trunc f32.nearest f32.sqrt f32.min f32.max	f64.add f64.sub f64.mul f64.div f64.abs f64.neg f64.copysign f64.ceil f64.floor f64.trunc f64.nearest f64.sqrt f64.min f64.max	i32.wrap/i64 i32.trunc_s/f32 i32.trunc_s/f64 i32.trunc_u/f32 i32.trunc_u/f64 i32.reinterpret/f32 i64.extend_s/i32 i64.extend_u/i32 i64.trunc_s/f32 i64.trunc_s/f64 i64.trunc_u/f32 i64.trunc_u/f64 i64.reinterpret/f64	i32.load8_s i32.load8_u i32.load16_s i32.load16_u i32.load i64.load8_s i64.load8_u i64.load16_s i64.load16_u i64.load32_s i64.load32_u i64.load f32.load f64.load	i32.store8 i32.store16 i32.store i64.store8 i64.store32 i64.store f32.store f64.store call call_indirect nop block loop if else br br_if br_table return end i32.const i64.const drop select unreachable f64.const

# WebAssembly opcodes - interactive table

WebAssembly Opcodes

	<u>-0</u>	<u>-1</u>	<u>-2</u>	<u>-3</u>	<u>-4</u>	<u>-5</u>	<u>-6</u>	<u>-7</u>	<u>-8</u>	<u>-9</u>	<u>-A</u>	<u>-B</u>	<u>-C</u>	<u>-D</u>	<u>-E</u>	<u>-F</u>
<u>0</u>	unreachable	nop	block	loop	if	else	try	catch	throw	rethrow	br_on_exn	end	br	br_if	br_table	return
<u>1</u>	call	call_indirect	return_all	return_all							drop	select	select_t			
<u>2</u>	local_get	local_set	local_tee	global_get	global_set	table_get	table_set		i32_load	i64_load	f32_load	f64_load	i32_load8_s	i32_load8_u	i32_load16_s	i32_load16_u
<u>3</u>	i64_load8_s	i64_load8_u	i64_load16_s	i64_load16_u	i64_load32_s	i64_load32_u	i32_store	i64_store	f32_store	f64_store	i32_store8	i64_store16	i64_store8	i64_store16	i64_store32	memory_size
<u>4</u>	memory_grow	i32_const	i64_const	f32_const	f64_const	i32_eqz	i32_eq	i32_ne	i32_lt_s	i32_lt_u	i32_gt_s	i32_gt_u	i32_le_s	i32_le_u	i32_ge_s	i32_ge_u
<u>5</u>	i64_eqz	i64_eq	i64_ne	i64_lt_s	i64_lt_u	i64_gt_s	i64_gt_u	i64_le_s	i64_le_u	i64_ge_s	f32_eq	f32_ne	f32_lt	f32_gt	f32_le	
<u>6</u>	f32_ge	f64_eq	f64_ne	f64_lt	f64_gt	f64_le	f64_ge	i32_clz	i32_ctz	i32_popcnt	i32_add	i32_sub	i32_mul	i32_div_s	i32_div_u	i32_rem_s
<u>7</u>	i32_rem_u	i32_and	i32_or	i32_xor	i32_shl	i32_shr_s	i32_shr_u	i32_rotl	i32_rotr	i64_clz	i64_ctz	i64_popcnt	i64_add	i64_sub	i64_mul	i64_div_s
<u>8</u>	i64_div_u	i64_rem_s	i64_rem_u	i64_and	i64_or	i64_xor	i64_shl	i64_shr_s	i64_shr_u	i64_rotl	i64_rotr	f32_abs	f32_neg	f32_cell	f32_floor	f32_trunc
<u>9</u>	f32_nearest	f32_sqrt	f32_add	f32_sub	f32_mul	f32_div	f32_min	f32_max	f32_copysign	f64_abs	f64_neg	f64_cell	f64_floor	f64_trunc	f64_nearest	f64_sqrt
<u>A</u>	f64_add	f64_sub	f64_mul	f64_div	f64_min	f64_max	f64_copysign	i32_wrap_i64	i32_trunc_f32_s	i32_trunc_f32_u	i32_trunc_f64_s	i32_extend_i32_s	i64_extend_i32_u	i64_trunc_f32_u	i64_trunc_f32_s	

# Control flow operators - [link](#)

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Name	Opcode	Immediates	Description
unreachable	0x00		trap immediately
nop	0x01		no operation
block	0x02	sig : block_type	begin a sequence of expressions, yielding 0 or 1 values
loop	0x03	sig : block_type	begin a block which can also form control flow loops
if	0x04	sig : block_type	begin if expression
else	0x05		begin else expression of if
end	0x0b		end a block, loop, or if
br	0x0c	relative_depth : varuint32	break that targets an outer nested block
br_if	0x0d	relative_depth : varuint32	conditional break that targets an outer nested block
br_table	0x0e	see below	branch table control flow construct
return	0x0f		return zero or one value from this function

# Call & Parametric operators - [call](#)/[parametric](#)

## Call operators ([described here](#))

Name	Opcode	Immediates	Description
call	0x10	function_index : varuint32	call a function by its <a href="#">index</a>
call_indirect	0x11	type_index : varuint32 , reserved : varuint1	call a function indirect with an expected signature

The `call_indirect` operator takes a list of function arguments and as the last operand the index into the table. Its `reserved` immediate is for [future](#) 🦄 use and must be `0` in the MVP.

## Parametric operators ([described here](#))

Name	Opcode	Immediates	Description
drop	0x1a		ignore value
select	0x1b		select one of two values based on condition

# Variable access - local/global

Name	Opcode	Immediates	Description
get_local	0x20	local_index : varuint32	read a local variable or parameter
set_local	0x21	local_index : varuint32	write a local variable or parameter
tee_local	0x22	local_index : varuint32	write a local variable or parameter and return the same value
get_global	0x23	global_index : varuint32	read a global variable
set_global	0x24	global_index : varuint32	write a global variable

# Memory-related operators - access/memory

Name	Opcode	Immediate	Description
i32.load	0x28	memory_immediate	load from memory
i64.load	0x29	memory_immediate	load from memory
f32.load	0x2a	memory_immediate	load from memory
f64.load	0x2b	memory_immediate	load from memory
i32.load8_s	0x2c	memory_immediate	load from memory
i32.load8_u	0x2d	memory_immediate	load from memory
i32.load16_s	0x2e	memory_immediate	load from memory
i32.load16_u	0x2f	memory_immediate	load from memory
i64.load8_s	0x30	memory_immediate	load from memory
i64.load8_u	0x31	memory_immediate	load from memory
i64.load16_s	0x32	memory_immediate	load from memory
i64.load16_u	0x33	memory_immediate	load from memory

i64.load16_u	0x33	memory_immediate	load from memory
i64.load32_s	0x34	memory_immediate	load from memory
i64.load32_u	0x35	memory_immediate	load from memory
i32.store	0x36	memory_immediate	store to memory
i64.store	0x37	memory_immediate	store to memory
f32.store	0x38	memory_immediate	store to memory
f64.store	0x39	memory_immediate	store to memory
i32.store8	0x3a	memory_immediate	store to memory
i32.store16	0x3b	memory_immediate	store to memory
i64.store8	0x3c	memory_immediate	store to memory
i64.store16	0x3d	memory_immediate	store to memory
i64.store32	0x3e	memory_immediate	store to memory
current_memory	0x3f	reserved : varuint1	query the size of memory
grow_memory	0x40	reserved : varuint1	grow the size of memory

# Constants - [link](#)

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Name	Opcode	Immediates	Description
i32.const	0x41	value : varint32	a constant value interpreted as i32
i64.const	0x42	value : varint64	a constant value interpreted as i64
f32.const	0x43	value : uint32	a constant value interpreted as f32
f64.const	0x44	value : uint64	a constant value interpreted as f64

# Comparison operators - int/float

Name	Opcode	Immediate	Description
i32.eqz	0x45		
i32.eq	0x46		
i32.ne	0x47		
i32.lt_s	0x48		
i32.lt_u	0x49		
i32.gt_s	0x4a		
i32.gt_u	0x4b		
i32.le_s	0x4c		
i32.le_u	0x4d		
i32.ge_s	0x4e		
i32.ge_u	0x4f		
i64.eqz	0x50		
i64.eq	0x51		
i64.ne	0x52		

i64.lt_s	0x53		
i64.lt_u	0x54		
i64.gt_s	0x55		
i64.gt_u	0x56		
i64.le_s	0x57		
i64.le_u	0x58		
i64.ge_s	0x59		
i64.ge_u	0x5a		
f32.eq	0x5b		
f32.ne	0x5c		
f32.lt	0x5d		
f32.gt	0x5e		
f32.le	0x5f		
f32.ge	0x60		
f64.eq	0x61		
f64.ne	0x62		
f64.lt	0x63		
f64.gt	0x64		
f64.le	0x65		
f64.ge	0x66		

f64.eq	0x61		
f64.ne	0x62		
f64.lt	0x63		
f64.gt	0x64		
f64.le	0x65		
f64.ge	0x66		

# Numeric operators - int/float

Name	Opcode	Immediate	Description
i32.clz	0x67		i64.clz 0x79
i32.ctz	0x68		i64.ctz 0x7a
i32.popcnt	0x69		i64.popcnt 0x7b
i32.add	0x6a		i64.add 0x7c
i32.sub	0x6b		i64.sub 0x7d
i32.mul	0x6c		i64.mul 0x7e
i32.div_s	0x6d		i64.div_s 0x7f
i32.div_u	0x6e		i64.div_u 0x80
i32.rem_s	0x6f		i64.rem_s 0x81
i32.rem_u	0x70		i64.rem_u 0x82
i32.and	0x71		i64.and 0x83
i32.or	0x72		i64.or 0x84
i32.xor	0x73		i64.xor 0x85
i32.shl	0x74		i64.shl 0x86
i32.shr_s	0x75		i64.shr_s 0x87
i32.shr_u	0x76		i64.shr_u 0x88
i32.rotl	0x77		i64.rotl 0x89
i32.rotr	0x78		i64.rotr 0x8a
			f32.abs 0x8b
			f32.neg 0x8c
			f32.ceil 0x8d
			f32.floor 0x8e
			f32.trunc 0x8f
			f32.nearest 0x90
			f32.sqrt 0x91
			f32.add 0x92
			f32.sub 0x93
			f32.mul 0x94
			f32.div 0x95
			f32.min 0x96
			f32.max 0x97
			f32.copysign 0x98
			f64.abs 0x99
			f64.neg 0x9a
			f64.ceil 0x9b
			f64.floor 0x9c
			f64.trunc 0x9d
			f64.nearest 0x9e
			f64.sqrt 0x9f
			f64.add 0xa0
			f64.sub 0xa1
			f64.mul 0xa2
			f64.div 0xa3
			f64.min 0xa4
			f64.max 0xa5
			f64.copysign 0xa6

# Conversions - [link](#) / Reinterpretations - [link](#)

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Name	Opcode
i32.wrap/i64	0xa7
i32.trunc_s/f32	0xa8
i32.trunc_u/f32	0xa9
i32.trunc_s/f64	0xaa
i32.trunc_u/f64	0xab
i64.extend_s/i32	0xac
i64.extend_u/i32	0xad
i64.trunc_s/f32	0xae
i64.trunc_u/f32	0xaf
i64.trunc_s/f64	0xb0
i64.trunc_u/f64	0xb1

f32.convert_s/i32	0xb2
f32.convert_u/i32	0xb3
f32.convert_s/i64	0xb4
f32.convert_u/i64	0xb5
f32.demote/f64	0xb6
f64.convert_s/i32	0xb7
f64.convert_u/i32	0xb8
f64.convert_s/i64	0xb9
f64.convert_u/i64	0xba
f64.promote/f32	0xbb

Name	Opcode
i32.reinterpret/f32	0xbc
i64.reinterpret/f64	0xbd
f32.reinterpret/i32	0xbe
f64.reinterpret/i64	0xbf

## EXERCISE

CTF Challenge: `ctf/wall1`

# OTTAWA BSIDES CTF 2018: THE WALL #1

- function `_is_this_the_flag` is called with the flag

```
(async () => {
  const fetchPromise = fetch('../wall/wall');
  const { instance } = await WebAssembly.instantiateStreaming(fetchPromise, importObj);
  var result = instance.exports._is_this_the_flag('flag');
  if (result == 1) {
    result = "CONGRATS - THATS THE FLAG";
  } else {
    result = "THE FLAG IS SAFE BEHIND THIS GREAT GREAT WALL";
  }
  document.querySelector('main').textContent = ` ${result}.`;
})();
```

- The wasm module is not complicated
  - `get_local` and `set_local` are just variable manipulation
  - convert the module into **wat** or **wast** for analysis
- Solution next slides

```
get_local 39
set_local 142
get_local 103
set_local 143
get_local 143
i32.const 102
i32.eq
set_local 144
get_local 104
set_local 145
get_local 145
i32.const 108
i32.eq
set_local 146
get_local 144
get_local 146
i32.and
set_local 162
get_local 105
set_local 147
get_local 147
i32.const 97
i32.eq
```

# OTTAWA BSIDES CTF 2018: THE WALL #1 - Solution

- One function `_is_this_the_flag` with 40 arguments
- Repetitive pattern inside the function
  - Verification of each characters of the password
    - `i32.const`
    - `i32.eq`
  - Extract constant values and convert them to characters
    - `cat wall1.wat | grep 'i32.const' | awk '{printf("%c", $2)}'`
- `flag{g00dW0rkButWeAr3JustG3tt1ngSt4rted}`

```
if(((unsigned int)(param0 == 'f')) & ((unsigned int)(param1 == 'l')) & ((unsigned int)(param2 == 'a')) & ((unsigned int)(param3 == 103)) &
    return 1;
}
else {
    return -99999;
}
```

# Disassembler & Reversing Tools

# Basic WebAssembly Disassembler

- **wasm-objdump - [github](#)**
  - Efficient objdump for wasm module
    - -d option
  - `wasm-objdump -d fib.wasm`
- **wasm python library - [github](#)**
  - WebAssembly decoder & disassembler python library
  - Installation
    - `pip3 install wasm`
  - `wasmdump` command-line tool
    - `wasmdump --disas hello.wasm`

```
hello.wasm:      file format wasm 0x1
Code Disassembly:
000059 func[0] <hello>:
00005a: 41 10          | i32.const 16
00005c: 0b              | end
```

Manually disassemble WASM bytecode, printing each instruction.

```
from wasm.decode import decode_bytecode
from wasm.formatter import format_instruction
from wasm.opcodes import INSN_ENTER_BLOCK, INSN_LEAVE_BLOCK

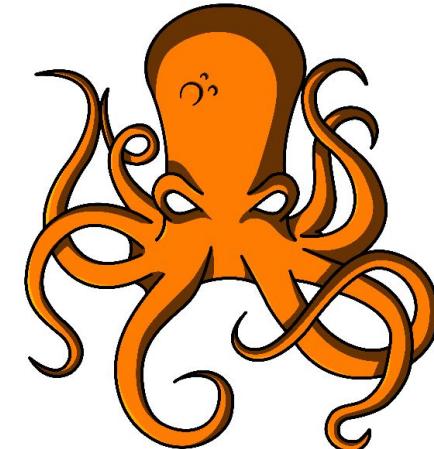
raw = bytearray([2, 127, 65, 24, 16, 28, 65, 0, 15, 11])
indent = 0
for cur_insn in decode_bytecode(raw):
    if cur_insn.op.flags & INSN_LEAVE_BLOCK:
        indent -= 1
    print('  ' * indent + format_instruction(cur_insn))
    if cur_insn.op.flags & INSN_ENTER_BLOCK:
        indent += 1
```

```
- [ ModuleHeader
| magic = 0x6d736100
| version = 0x1
- [ Section
| id = 1
| payload_len = 5
| name_len = None
| name = None
| payload =
- [ TypeSection
| count = 1
| entries =
- [ FuncType
| form = -32
param_count = 0
param_types = []
return_count = 1
return_type = -1
erhang = []
:tion
```

# Octopus

- Security analysis framework
  - **WebAssembly module**
  - Blockchain Smart Contracts (BTC/ETH/NEO/EOS)’
- Give a try:
  - `octopus_wasm.py --help`

	BTC	ETH (EVM)	ETH (WASM)	EOS	NEO	WASM
Explorer	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	○
Disassembler	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Control Flow Analysis	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Call Flow Analysis	✗	+	✓	✓	+	✓
IR conversion (SSA)	✗	✓	+	+	✗	✓
Symbolic Execution	✗	+	+	+	✗	+

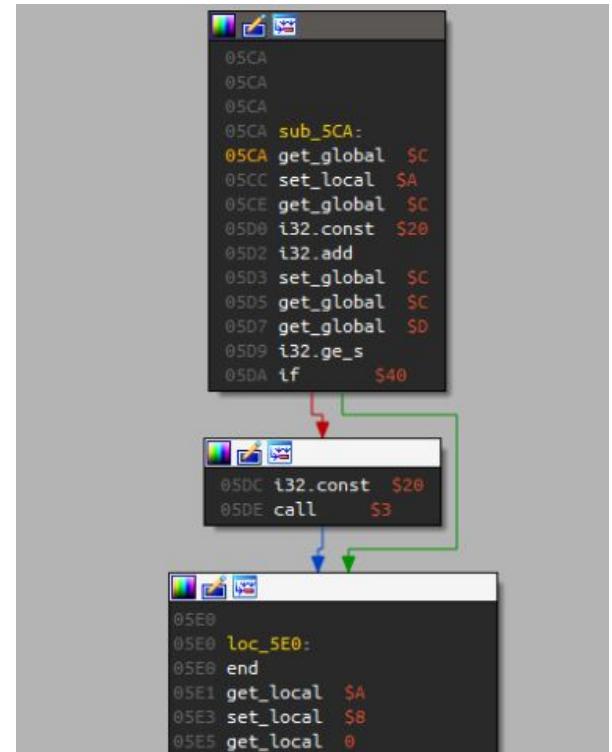


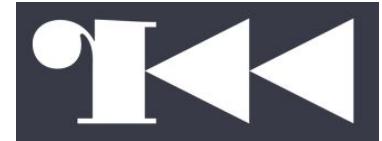


# IDA PRO plugin

*"IDA is a Windows, Linux or Mac OS X hosted **multi-processor disassembler and debugger** that offers so many features it is hard to describe them all."* - [hex-rays](#)

- WebAssembly module for IDA Pro
  - [Github](#)
  - Created by Christophe Alladoum ([@ hugsy](#)) from [Sophos](#)
  - Talk [Web-\(dis\)Assembly](#) at [Shakacon X](#)
  - [slides](#) / [video](#) / [whitepaper](#)
- IDA Pro loader and processor modules for WebAssembly
  - [Github](#)
  - Created by Willi Ballenthin ([@williballenthin](#)) from [Fireeye](#)
  - Provided after the Flare-On #5 challenge
  - [Tutorial](#)

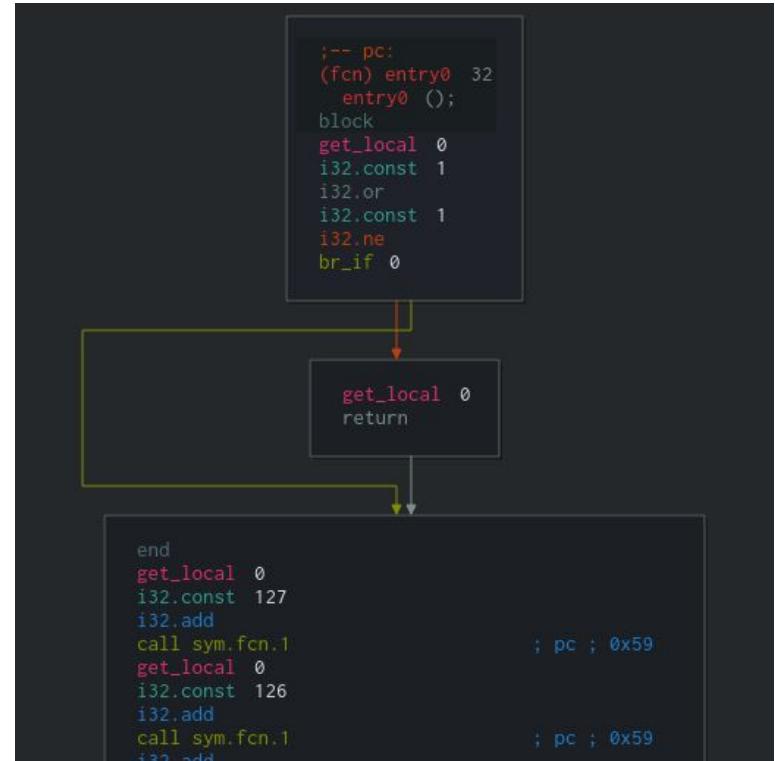




# Radare2 (wasm support)

“Unix-like reverse engineering framework and command-line tools security”

- [CLI readme](#)
- [Cheatsheet](#)
- Interactive ASCII graphs - [link](#)
- Support WebAssembly
  - Version > 3.6.0 ideally
  - [github source code](#)
  - Some CVE inside if you want to fuzz it...
    - See on day 4 ;)
- Cutter
  - A Qt and C++ **GUI for radare2** reverse engineering framework
  - Version > 1.8.3 ideally
  - [github, release](#)





# JEB Decompiler (wasm support)

*“JEB is a **reverse-engineering platform** to perform disassembly, decompilation, debugging, and analysis of code and document files, manually or as part of an analysis pipeline.”*

- Well-known for Android and ARM reversing
  - JEB PRO price: 12 months @ \$1,800 / user
- Support WebAssembly since July?
  - Really good paper: [Reverse Engineering WebAssembly](#)
  - Demo JEB wasm - [link](#)
    - 80% features of the full paid version.

The WebAssembly plugins provide the following features:

- **Augmented disassembly** and parsing of wasm binary modules.
- **Decompilation** of wasm bytecode to pseudo-C source code.
- **Advanced optimization** passes to thwart protected or obfuscated code.
- **Interactive layer** for typing/renaming/commenting/cross-referencing, etc.
- **Full API** access for scripting and plugins.

JEB WebAssembly plugins can also be used to **decompile Smart Contracts** compiled to wasm, such as [EOS](#) or [Parity](#) contracts.

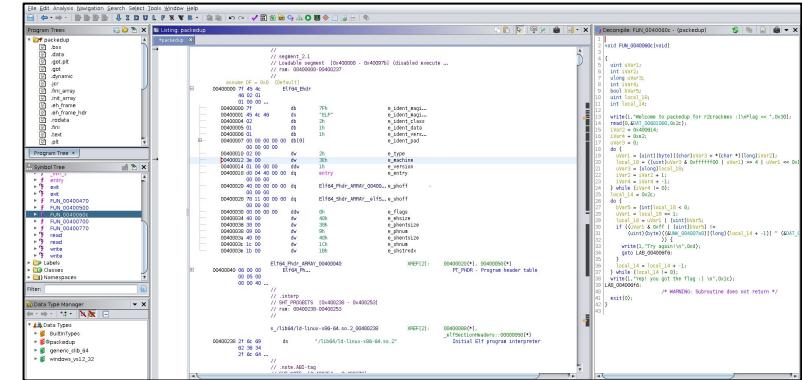
```
1 [R] block $R2
2 [R]     get_local $R8
3 [R]     set_local $R22
4 [R]     get_local $R22
5 [R]     i32.const 0h
6 [R]     lsi
7 [R]     set_local $R23
8 [R]     get_local $R23
9 [R]     i32.eqz
10 [R]    if $R23
11 [R]    oif $2
12 [R]
13 [R] end
14 [R]
15 [R] get_local $R13
16 [R] set_local $R24
17 [R] get_local $R24
18 [R] i32.const 1h
19 [R] i32.shr_u
20 [R] set_local $R25
21 [R] get_local $R25
22 [R] set_local $R26
23 [R] get_local $R26
24 [R] i32.const 1h
25 [R]
26 [R] void _crc32_init() {
27 [R]     unsigned int r30 = g10;
28 [R]     if(g10 + 16 >= g11) {
29 [R]         shortStackOverflow(16);
30 [R]     }
31 [R]
32 [R]     unsigned int r12 = 1;
33 [R]     *(memoryBase + 0x500000) = 0;
34 [R]     unsigned int r8;
35 [R]
36 [R]     for(r8 = 128; r8 != 0; r8 >>> 1) {
37 [R]         unsigned int r25 = r12 >> 1;
38 [R]         unsigned int var32 = (r12 & 1) != 0 ? 0xffffffff : 0;
39 [R]         r12 = r25 ^ var32;
40 [R]         unsigned int r5;
41 [R]
42 [R]         for(r5 = 0; r5 < 256; r1 += r8 * 2) {
43 [R]             *(memoryBase + 0x500000 + (r0 + r1) * 4) = *(memoryBase + 0x500000 + r1 * 4) ^ r12;
44 [R]         }
45 [R]     }
46 [R]     g10 = r30;
47 [R] }
```

# Ghidra (wasm support)



**“Ghidra is a free and open source software reverse engineering (SRE) framework developed and maintained by the National Security Agency (NSA).”**

- [website](#), [github](#), [cheatsheet](#), [installation](#)
- Multi-arch support:
  - x86/x64
  - ARM, AARCH64,
  - MIPS, PowerPC, ...
- **Support of WebAssembly (WIP)** by *andr3colonel*
  - Writing a wasm loader for Ghidra - [blogpost](#), [github](#)
  - Part 1: Problem statement and setting up environment - [link](#)
  - Part 2: Implement loader - [link](#)



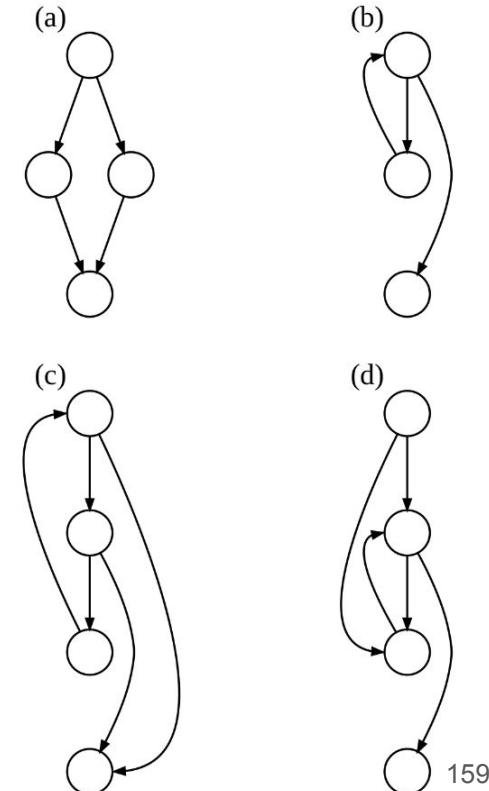
- Further reading:
  - An Introduction To Code Analysis With Ghidra - [link](#)
  - Ghidra: A quick overview for the curious - [link](#)
  - Three Heads are Better Than One: Mastering Ghidra / INFILTRATE 2019 - [slides](#), [video](#)

# Control Flow Graph (CFG)

# Control Flow Graph (CFG) - Concept

“Control-flow graph (CFG) is a **representation**, using graph notation, **of all paths that might be traversed through a program during its execution**”

- General
  - Each node represents a **basic block**
  - basic block is a **straight-line piece of code** without any jumps or jump targets
  - **jump targets start a block**
  - jumps end a block.
- Best way to analyze assembly code
- Representation used by all GUI disassemblers
  - IDA/Ghidra/Hopper/Binja/...
- Further reading:
  - Solving the structured control flow problem once and for all - [link](#)



# Control flow graph (CFG) reconstruction

- Block/label operators
  - Define sequence of instructions
  - Beginning of a basicblock
  - `block`, `loop`, `if`, `else`
  - end instructions close the block
- Branch operators
  - Immediate = relative depth
  - Jump label defined statically
  - `br`, `br_if`, `br_table`
- `unreachable`
  - Trap immediately
  - i.e. stop execution and return
- `return`
  - return zero or one constant

Control flow operators ([described here](#))

Name	Opcode	Immediates	Description
unreachable	0x00		trap immediately
nop	0x01		no operation
block	0x02	sig : block_type	begin a sequence of expressions, yielding 0 or 1 values
loop	0x03	sig : block_type	begin a block which can also form control flow loops
if	0x04	sig : block_type	begin if expression
else	0x05		begin else expression of if
end	0x0b		end a block, loop, or if
br	0x0c	relative_depth : varuint32	break that targets an outer nested block
br_if	0x0d	relative_depth : varuint32	conditional break that targets an outer nested block
br_table	0x0e	see below	branch table control flow construct
return	0x0f		return zero or one value from this function

# How block labels works ?

- LABEL
  - similar to goto/label in C
- BREAK (br, br\_if)
  - Similar to break/continue in C

"BR to BLOCK-block X" as the C-like instruction "break labelX;"

"BR to LOOP-block X" as the C-like instruction "continue labelX;"

- In this example:
  - `br_if 0` = branch to end of block at depth <value>
    - i.e. end of block labelled @1
  - depth 0:
    - mean goto end of your current block
  - depth 1:
    - mean goto end of the block parent of your block
- Block label @0 is usually the function body
- Good read to understand this part: [link](#)

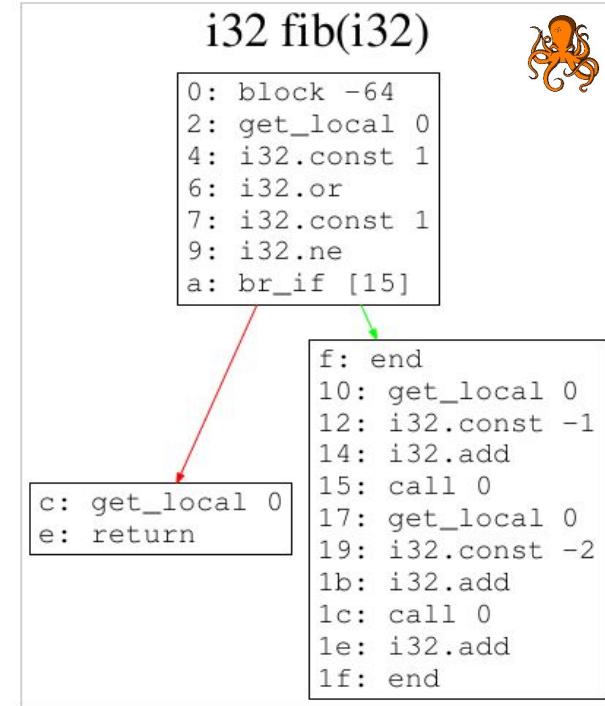
block 1

block 0

```
(module
  (table (;0;) 0 anyfunc)
  (memory (;0;) 1)
  (export "memory" (memory 0))
  (export "fib" (func 0))
  (type (;0;) (func (param i32) (result i32)))
  (func (;0;) (type 0) (param i32) (result i32)
    block ; label = @1
    get_local 0
    i32.const 1
    i32.or
    i32.const 1
    i32.ne
    br_if 0 (;@1;)
    get_local 0
    return
  end
  get_local 0
  i32.const -1
  i32.add
  call 0
  get_local 0
  i32.const -2
  i32.add
  call 0
  i32.add
)
```

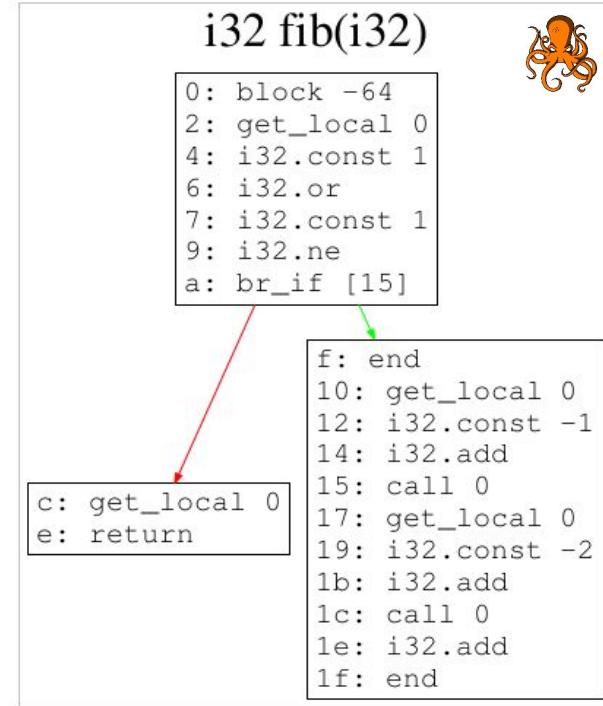
# Control flow graph (CFG) - Fibonacci

```
(module
  (table (;0;) 0 anyfunc)
  (memory (;0;) 1)
  (export "memory" (memory 0))
  (export "fib" (func 0))
  (type (;0;) (func (param i32) (result i32)))
  (func (;0;) (type 0) (param i32) (result i32)
    block ;; label = @_1
    get_local 0
    i32.const 1
    i32.or
    i32.const 1
    i32.ne
    br_if 0 (@_1)
    get_local 0
    return
  end
  get_local 0
  i32.const -1
  i32.add
  call 0
  get_local 0
  i32.const -2
  i32.add
  call 0
  i32.add
  )
)
```



# Control flow graph (CFG) - Fibonacci

```
(module
  (table (;0;) 0 anyfunc)
  (memory (;0;) 1)
  (export "memory" (memory 0))
  (export "fib" (func 0))
  (type (;0;) (func (param i32) (result i32)))
  (func (;0:) (type 0) (param i32) (result i32)
    block ; label = @1
      get_local 0
      i32.const 1
      i32.or
      i32.const 1
      i32.ne
      br_if 0 (;@1;)
      get_local 0
      return
    end
    get_local 0
    i32.const -1
    i32.add
    call 0
    get_local 0
    i32.const -2
    i32.add
    call 0
    i32.add
  )
)
```

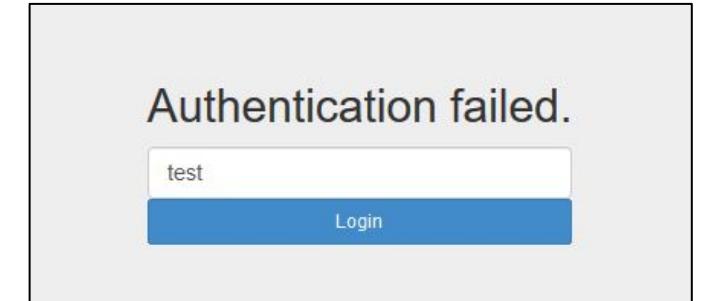


## EXERCISE

CTF Challenge: **ctf/NDH2018**

# NDH 2018: AssemblyMe

- Goal: find the correct password
  - HTML and WebAssembly module (.wasm)
    - Only available during the CTF
  - Someone published the WebAssembly Text format:
    - [index.wast](#)
- Context:
  - Find a flag with the following pattern
  - NDH{CORRECT\_PASSWORD}
- Solution next slides



```
var button = document.getElementById('check');

button.addEventListener('click', function(){

    u = document.getElementById("i").value;
    var a = Module.cwrap('checkAuth', 'string', ['string']);
    var b = a(u);
    document.getElementById("x").innerHTML = b;
});
```

# NDH 2018: AssemblyMe - Solution

- `Module.cwrap`
  - Emscripten build-in function - [link](#)
  - easy way to call wasm function
  - `string checkAuth(string)`
- `_checkAuth` is the function `$func35`
  - exported function
  - note that an underscore is present

```
var a = Module.cwrap('checkAuth', 'string', ['string']);
```

## Calling compiled C functions from JavaScript using `ccall/cwrap`

The easiest way to call compiled C functions from JavaScript is to use `ccall()` or `cwrap()`.

`ccall()` calls a compiled C function with specified parameters and returns the result, while `cwrap()` "wraps" a compiled C function and returns a JavaScript function you can call normally. `cwrap()` is therefore more useful if you plan to call a compiled function a number of times.

```
58  (export "_a9" (func $func24))
59  (export "_checkAuth" (func $func35))
60  (export "_free" (func $func37))
```

- looking at `$func35` confirmed our function prototype

```
177  (func $func35 (param $var0 i32) (result i32)
178    (local $var1 i32) (local $var2 i32))
```

# NDH 2018: AssemblyMe - Solution

- Data sections
  - 22 different sections
  - starting with different offset in the linear memory
  - (data (i32.const **OFFSET\_IN\_MEMORY**) DATA)

```
(data (i32.const 1396)
      "5zWGK8SWZXMGp6qH7trNM1n6p5LocqEP5ziMNIxKo
    )
```

- \$func35 composition
  - user flag is \$var0
    - more exactly \$var0 is the index in memory where USER\_FLAG is stored
  - cascading if conditions
  - multiple call \$func57
  - i32.const for memory offset

```
177  (func $func35 (param $var0 i32) (result i32)
178    (local $var1 i32) (local $var2 i32))
```

- \$func57 function
  - 3 arguments / 1 return value
  - prototype: int func57(int USER\_FLAG\_OFFSET, REAL\_FLAG\_OFFSET, SIZE)
  - return 1 or 0 because return value check with i32.eqz

- **i32.eqz** : compare equal to zero (return 1 if operand is zero, 0 otherwise)

# NDH 2018: AssemblyMe - Solution with pywasm

- Create a dumb WebAssembly module with the interesting data section inside
  - take hello.wast as a base
  - replace the data section
  - convert your dumb.wast into dumb.wasm with wat2wasm
- Extract all offset and size
  - create a list of tuple (memory\_offset, size)
- Load your dumb module in pywasm
  - access directly to the memory
  - print the string at memory[offset, offset+size]
  - concatenate the result and you have the password
  - **The flag is NDH{d51XPox)1S0xk5S11W\_eKXK,,,xie}**

```
In [126]: import pywasm
In [127]: vm = pywasm.load('dumb_solver.wasm')
In [128]: l = [(1616, 4), (1638, 4), (1610, 5), (1598, 4), (1681, 3), (1654, 9)]
In [129]: for offset, size in l:
...:     print(vm.store.mems[0].data[offset:offset+size])
...
bytearray(b'd51X')
bytearray(b'Pox')
bytearray(b'1S0xk')
bytearray(b'S11')
bytearray(b'W_e')
bytearray(b'KXK,,xie')
```

```
vm.store.mems[0].data[1690:1690 + 80]
bytearray(b'Authentication is successful. The flag is NDH{password}.\x00')
```

# NDH 2018: AssemblyMe - Writeups

- Debugging with Chrome/Firefox - [writeup #1](#) / [writeup #2](#)

The screenshot shows a debugger interface with assembly code on the left and a scope panel on the right. The assembly code has line numbers 12 through 21. Line 15 is highlighted with a blue background. The scope panel shows an anonymous object with properties for Scope, Global, Local, and Breakpoints.

```
12 i32.const 1616
13 i32.const 4
14 call 57
15 i32.eqz
16 if
17 get_local 0
18 i32.const 4
19 i32.add
20 i32.const 1638
21 i32.const 4
```

(anonymous)

- Scope
- Global
- Local
  - locals: {arg#0: 6864, local#1: 6880, local#2: 6880}
  - stack: {0: -3}
  - this: global
- Breakpoints

- Direct memory access using JS console - [writeup](#)

```
dec = new TextDecoder("utf-8")
dec.decode(Module["buffer"].slice(1616,1620)) + dec.decode(Module["buffer"].slice(1638,1638+4))+dec.decode(Module["buffer"].slice(1610,1610+5))+dec.decode(Module["buffer"].slice(1598,1598+4)) + dec.decode(Module["buffer"].slice(1681,1681+3))+ dec.decode(Module["buffer"].slice(1654,1654+9))
"d51XPox)1$0xk5S11W_eKXK,,,xie"
```

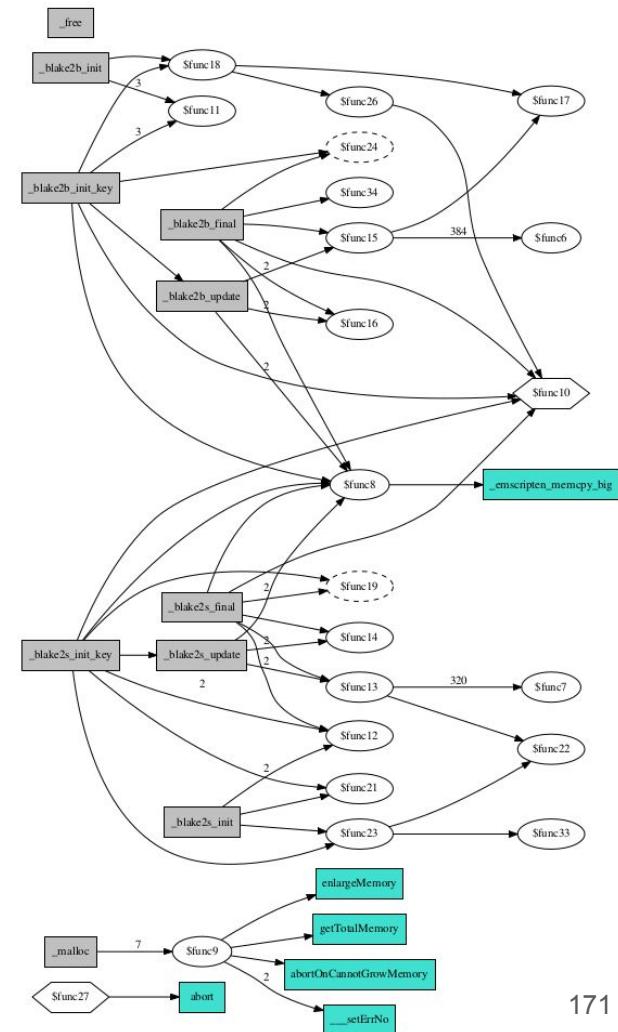
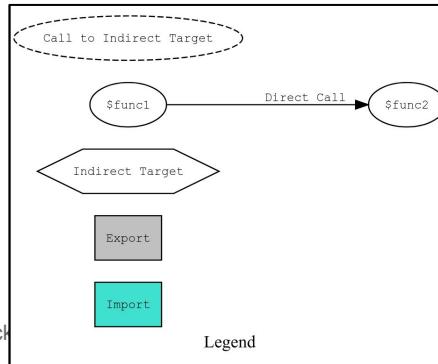
- Decompilation wasm to C code - [writeup](#)

```
487 static u32 __checkAuth(u32 p0) {
488     u32 i0 = 0, i1 = 0;
489     FUNC_PROLOGUE;
490     u32 i0, i1, i2;
491     i0 = g5;
492     i0 = i0;
493     i0 = g5;
```

# Call Flow Graph

# Call Flow Graph

- Call graph represents calling **relationships between subroutines** in a computer program - [wikipedia](#)
- `octopus_wasm.py -c -f blake2.wasm`
- General
  - Node represents a procedure
  - Edge (f, g) indicates that procedure f calls procedure g.
  - Cycle in the graph indicates recursive procedure calls
- WebAssembly
  - **Node is a function**
  - **Edge a direct call**
  - Specify imported/exported functions
  - Informations about indirect calls



# How that's work?

- **Operators**
  - `call`
    - arg: **index of the function**
  - `call_indirect`
    - arg: signature type - `(i32 i32) → i32`
    - Function index **popped from the stack at runtime**
- **Table section**
  - The table of functions indexes that `call_indirect` can call
  - [How does dynamic dispatch work in WebAssembly?](#)

## Call operators ([described here](#))

Name	Opcode	Immediates	Description
<code>call</code>	<code>0x10</code>	<code>function_index : varuint32</code>	call a function by its <a href="#">index</a>
<code>call_indirect</code>	<code>0x11</code>	<code>type_index : varuint32, reserved : varuint1</code>	call a function indirect with an expected signature

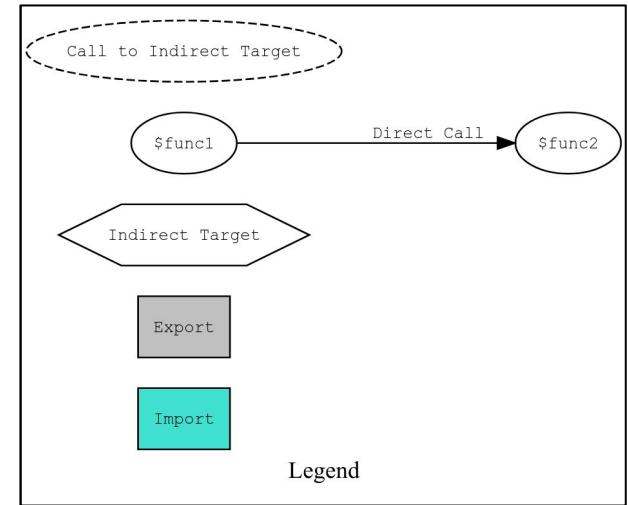
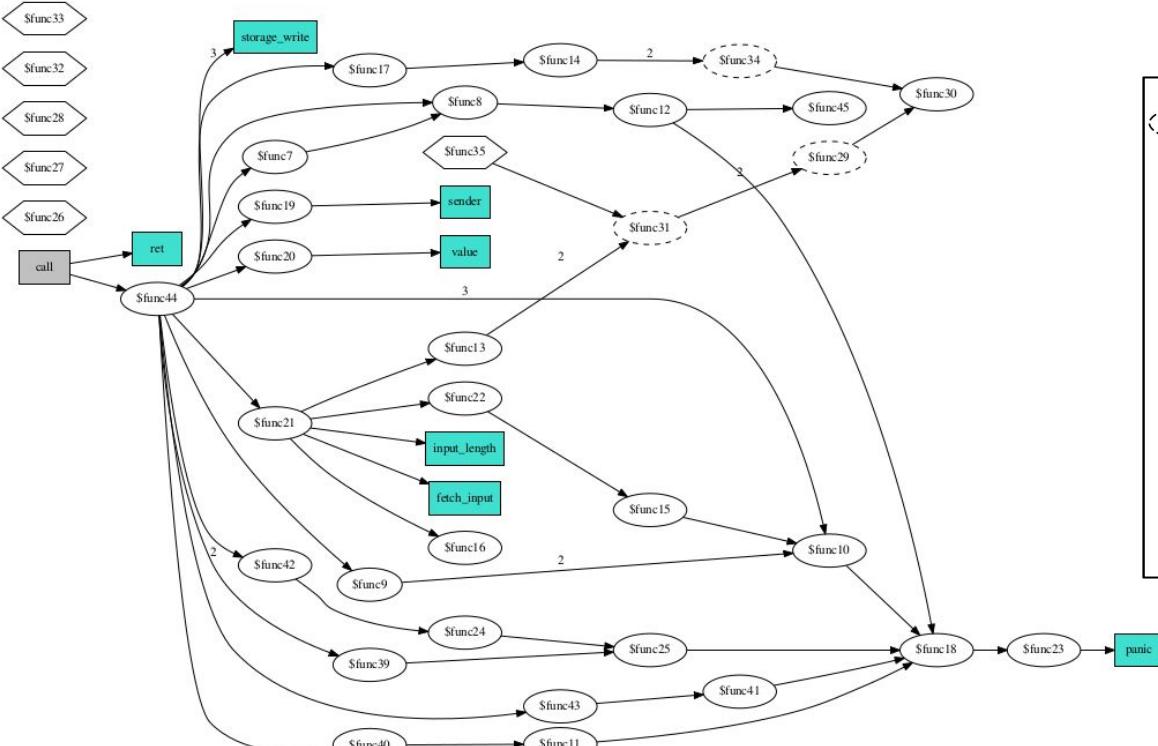
The `call_indirect` operator takes a list of function arguments and as [the last operand the index into the table](#). Its `reserved` immediate is for [future 🎉 use](#) and must be `0` in the MVP.

The `call_indirect` instruction takes two static operands:

1. The type of the function that will be called, e.g. `(i32, i32) → nil`. This type is encoded as an index into the “Type” section of a .wasm binary, and is statically validated to be within bounds.
2. The table of functions to index into. Again, this table is encoded as a statically validated index into the “Table” section of a .wasm binary.<sup>0</sup>

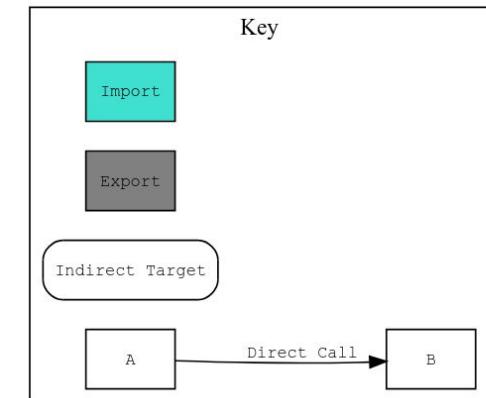
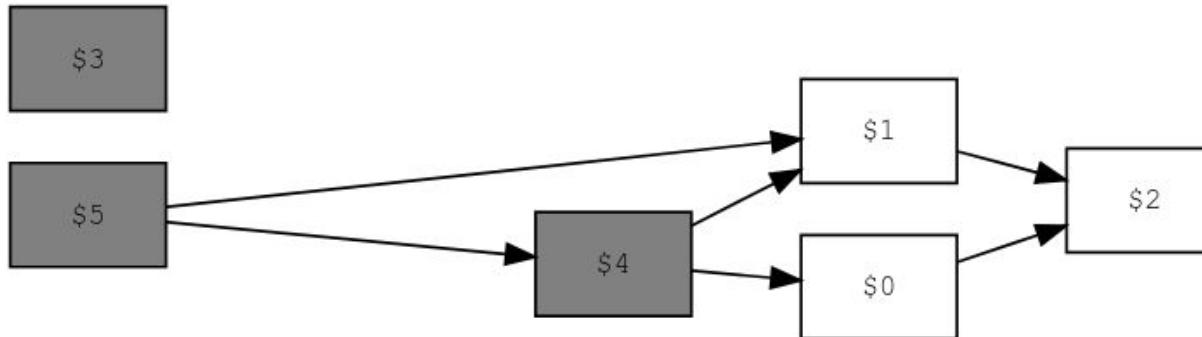
The index *into* the table of functions, selecting which function gets called, is provided dynamically via the stack. Any arguments to the function are passed via the stack as well. If the index is outside the table’s bounds, a trap is raised. If the function at that index has a different type from what is expected, a trap is raised. If these dynamic checks pass, then the function at the given index is invoked.

# Call Flow Graph for wasm binary - Octopus



# Call Flow Graph for both (wasm & wat/wast)

- Binaryen wasm-opt tool
  - option: --print-call-graph
  - print a dot file
- Visualize dot files with [Graphviz](#)
  - online: <http://www.webgraphviz.com/>
  - offline: xdot
  - convert dot file to png/pdf/jpg/svg/...
    - `dot -T<format> fichier.dot -o fichier.<format>`

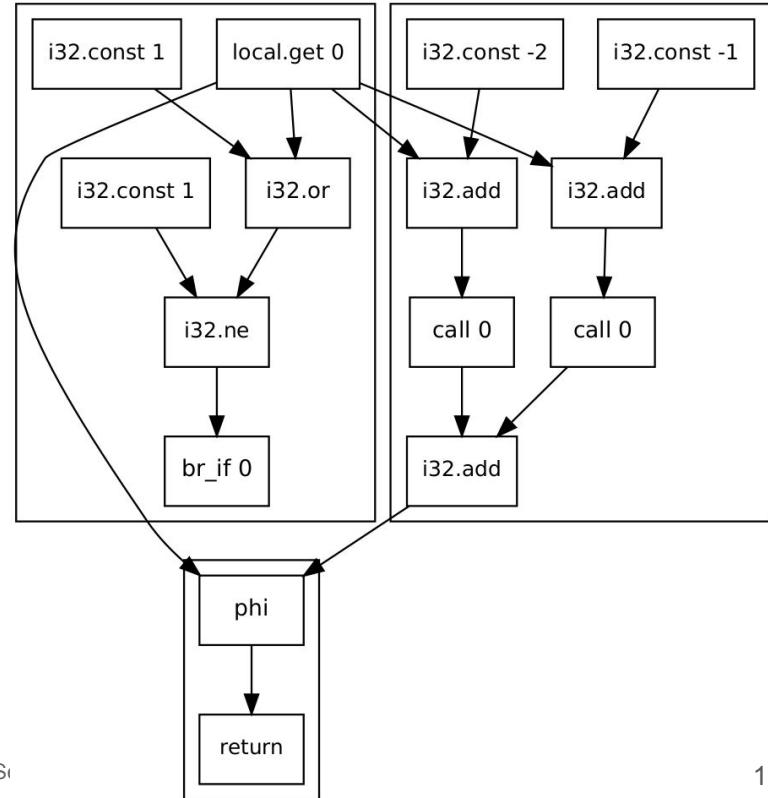


# Data Flow Graph (DFG)

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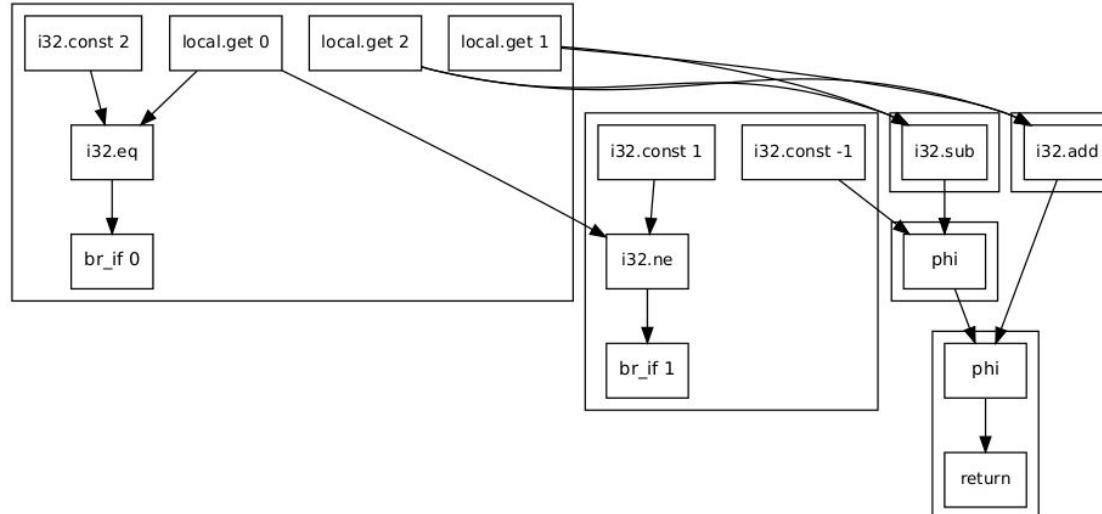
“Data-flow analysis is the process of **collecting information** about the way the **variables are used, defined in the program**. It attempts to obtain particular information **at each point in a procedure (function)**.” - [wikipedia](#)

- General
  - nodes are computations
  - Phi node represent multiple possible value
    - select a value depending on the predecessor
- Example on the right using [wasp](#)
  - fibonacci wasm module
- Further reading:
  - Introduction to Data-flow analysis - [link](#)
  - Data Flow Graph - [link](#)
  - Comparison of different Data Flow Graph models - [link](#)
  - Data Flow Graphs Intro - [link](#)



# Data Flow Graph (**wast\_exercise/calc/calc.wasm**)

- Generate this graph:
  - `wasp dfg calc.wasm -o calc_dfg.dot -f 0`
- Display:
  - `xdot day_1/dataflow_examples/calc_dfg.dot`



EXERCISE

# CTF Challenge

## **day\_1/ctf/nsec2018/challenge1**

# Northsec 2018 CTF Challenges

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- Secure Authentication
  - Access to a website which had a form client side authentication.
  - Mission: **Break the authentication**
- 3 Challenges
  - Same looking login page for each
  - wasm module and JS loader are different
  - Hint:
    - find the login & password inside wasm modules



Username:

Password:

- DON'T GOOGLE IT, YOU WILL BE SPOILED
  - NorthSec 2018 - Secure Authentication - [link](#), [github](#)

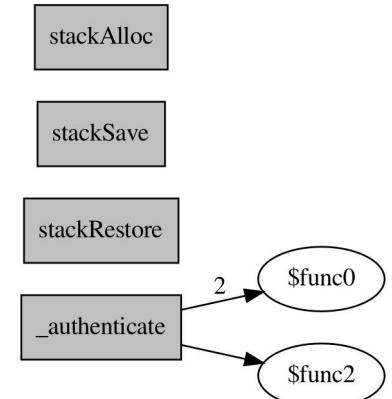
# Challenge1: overview of the challenge

- challenge1.html
  - Exported wasm function `_authenticate` wrapped with `Module.ccall`

```
var authenticate = function(username, password) {
  return Module.ccall('authenticate', 'boolean', [
    'string', 'string'], [username, password])
}
```

- `authenticate()` called once `username & password` submitted
- ```
        ...
        if (authenticate(username, password)) {
```

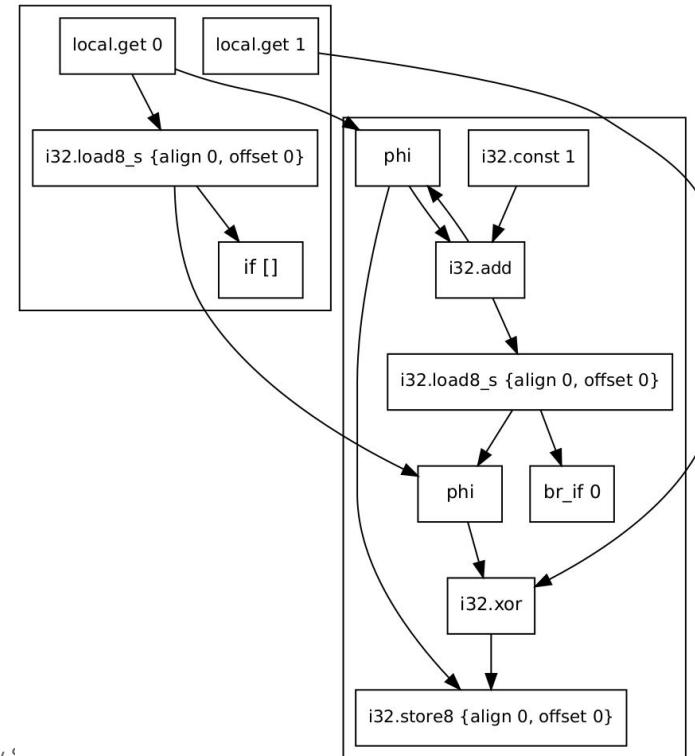
- challenge1.wasm
  - Call graph: `octopus wasm.py -c -f challenge1.wasm`
    - `_authenticate` is calling two time `func0` and one time `func2`
  - Strings inside the Data section:
    - offset 1024: `b9b3beb8d2cf8bdcfcfb9bdc8c7bac9bbbdcacbcfc8cdbabab9cccbcdc6cfac`
    - offset  $1024 + 0x26 = 1062$ : `admin`



| Data[1]:                                                 |
|----------------------------------------------------------|
| - segment[0] size=43 - init i32=1024                     |
| - 0000400: b9b3 beb8 d2cf c8bd cfcf b9bd c8c7 bac9 ..... |
| - 0000410: bbbd cacb cfc8 cdba bab9 cccb bdc6 cfca ..... |
| - 0000420: ceb9 becb ca00 6164 6d69 6e .....             |
| .....admin                                               |

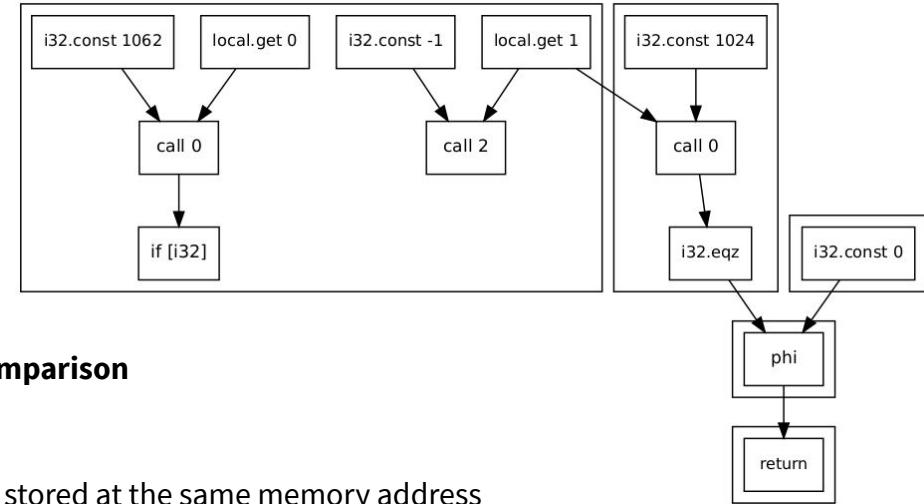
# Challenge1: func2 analysis

- func2 take two arguments
  - local.get 0
  - local.get 1
- Logic pseudocode:
  - $a = \text{load8\_s}(0, \text{arg}[0] + i)$
  - $b = \text{arg}[1]$
  - $c = \text{xor}(a, b)$
  - $\text{store8}(c)$
  - $i++$
- This function is a basic single byte xor
  - Load each bytes in memory at address  $\text{arg}[0] + i$
  - Xor the byte with  $\text{arg}[1]$
  - Store xored\_byte in memory offset  $\text{arg}[0] + i$



# Challenge1: decrypt flag inside data section

- Func2 is called with
  - Given password
  - Hardcoded value -1
  - i.e. **xor (\*password, 0xFF)**
- Hypothesis - func0 is called with:
  - ‘admin’(i32.const 1062)
  - Given username
  - We can assume that **func0 is doing string comparison**
- Global behavior
  - Our given password is **xored with 0xFF** then stored at the same memory address
  - Our given username is compared to ‘admin’ (i32.const 1062)
  - Our **xored\_password is checked against the string ‘b9b3...cbca’** (i32.const 1024)
- Basic solving python script (`day_1/ctf/nsec2018/solution/challenger1.py`):
  - **admin / FLAG-07B00FB78E6DB54072EEF34B9051FA45**

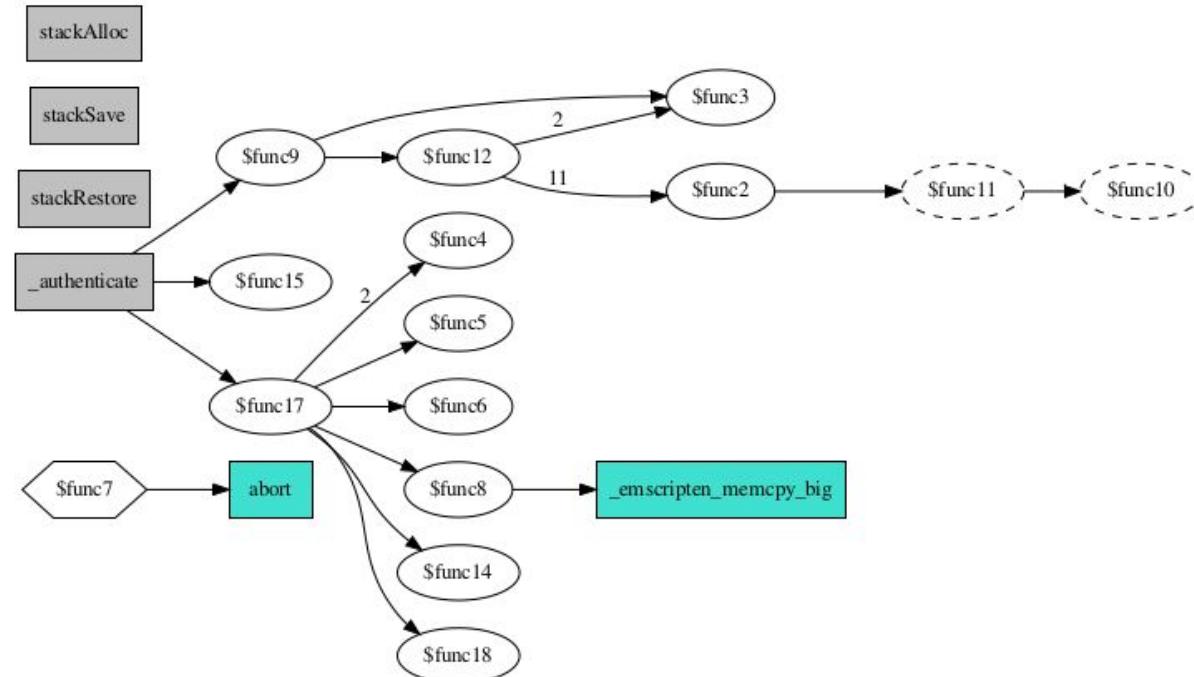


## BONUS EXERCISE

### CTF Challenge

**day\_1/ctf/nsec2018/challenge2**

# Challenge2: Overview of the challenge



## BONUS EXERCISE

Northsec 2018 CTF

**day\_1/ctf/nsec2018/challenge3**

End of the day ;)  
Questions?

# Old/Extra slides ;)



# Cheerp 2.0 - the C++ compiler for the Web

- “Cheerp compiles C/C++ into WebAssembly, JavaScript, or a combination, with no-overhead DOM and Web APIs access.”
- DOM manipulation and WebAPI access from WebAssembly
- Further reading:
  - Cheerp 2.0 released - [link](#)
  - 30–90% smaller than Emscripten - [link](#)
  - HelloWorld tutorial - [link](#)
  - WebWorkers with Cheerp - [link](#)
  - Preserving Flash content with WebAssembly done right - [link](#)

> open-source C/C++ compiler based on LLVM/Clang standard  
> compiles into WebAssembly, JavaScript or a combination  
> no-overhead access to HTML5 DOM and WebApis (WebGL, WebAudio)  
> faster and smaller output compared to Emscripten\*  
> can generate fully garbage-collectible JavaScript  
> in-browser debugging  
> enterprise-grade support, consulting, training and porting services  
  > a seamless C++ programming experience for the Web

```
#include <cheerp/clientlib.h>
#include <cheerp/client.h>

[[cheerp::genericjs]] void domOutput(const char* str)
{
    client::console.log(str);
}

void webMain()
{
    domOutput("Hello World");
}
```



# Standalone VM - Lucet

“Lucet is a **native WebAssembly compiler and runtime**. It is designed to safely execute untrusted WebAssembly programs inside your application.” - [github](#), [blogpost](#)

- Tools ([Installation](#)):
  - **lucetc**: Lucet **Compiler**.
  - **lucet-runtime**: **Runtime for WebAssembly** modules compiled through lucetc
  - **lucet-wasi**: crate providing **runtime support for WASI**.
  - **lucet-wasi-sdk**: Cranelift project that packages a build of the **Clang toolchain**, the **WASI reference sysroot**, and a **libc based on WASI syscalls**.
  - ...
- Further reading:
  - WASI example using Rust and Lucet - [link](#)
  - Fastly Terrarium - browser-based editor and deployment platform - [demo](#)
  - Deploying WASM to Fastly's Edge - [link](#)
  - Lucet: Safe WebAssembly Outside the Browser - [video](#)

**Announcing Lucet:  
Fastly’s native  
WebAssembly compiler  
and runtime**



By [Pat Hickey](#), Sr. software engineer, March 28, 2019 in [Edge](#)

For example, to create a WebAssembly module `hello.wasm` from `hello.c`:

```
wasm32-unknown-wasi-clang -Ofast -o hello.wasm hello.c
```

# WebAssembly Proposals/Features

# Browsers compatibility / features support

- **WebAssembly Feature Detection - [github](#)**

- A small library to detect which features of WebAssembly are supported.
  - npm [wasm-feature-detect](#) package
- Available [online](#)

- Browser compatibility

- MDN WebAssembly [table](#)
- Caniuse:
  - <https://caniuse.com/#feat=wasm>

| IE   | Edge  | * | Firefox | Chrome  | Safari  | Opera    | iOS Safari | *        | Opera Mini | *         | Android Browser |
|------|-------|---|---------|---------|---------|----------|------------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------------|
|      |       |   | 2-46    |         |         |          |            |          |            |           |                 |
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Chrome 80.0 (Linux)

- ✗ bigint
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# SIMD for WebAssembly

“This specification describes a 128-bit packed Single Instruction Multiple Data (SIMD) extension to WebAssembly that can be implemented efficiently on current popular instruction set architectures.”

- [proposal](#)
- SIMD on V8/Chrome
  - Fast, parallel applications with WebAssembly SIMD - [link](#)
  - [WebAssembly SIMD](#)
  - [SIMD.js](#)
  - [SIMD.js specification v0.9](#)
- Further reading:
  - WebAssembly and SIMD by Wasmer - [link](#)
  - Harnessing your Hardware with SIMD, *Thomas Lively* - [video](#)
  - SIMD in WebAssembly – tales from the bleeding edge tutorial - [link](#)
  - Emscripten Porting SIMD code - [link](#)
  - SIMD Instructions Considered Harmful - [link](#)

## WebAssembly 128-bit packed SIMD Extension

This specification describes a 128-bit packed *Single Instruction Multiple Data* (SIMD) extension to WebAssembly that can be implemented efficiently on current popular instruction set architectures.

**--experimental-wasm-simd** (enable prototype simd opcodes for wasm)  
type: bool default: false

# SIMD example in day\_1/simd

```
1  (module
2    (memory $mem 1)
3    (func $goit
4      i32.const 32
5
6      i32.const 0
7      v128.load
8      i32.const 16
9      v128.load
10     i32x4.add
11
12     v128.store)
13   (export "goit" (func $goit))
14   (export "memory" (memory $mem))
15 )
```

Type[1]:  
- type[0] () -> nil  
Function[1]:  
- func[0] sig=0 <goit>  
Memory[1]:  
- memory[0] pages: initial=1  
Export[2]:  
- func[0] <goit> -> "goit"  
- memory[0] -> "memory"  
Code[1]:  
- func[0] size=22  
  
Code Disassembly:  
  
00002e func[0] <goit>:  
00002f: 41 20 | i32.const 32  
000031: 41 00 | i32.const 0  
000033: fd 00 04 00 | v128.load 4 0  
000037: 41 10 | i32.const 16  
000039: fd 00 04 00 | v128.load 4 0  
00003d: fd 79 | i32x4.add  
00003f: fd 01 04 00 | v128.store 4 0  
000043: 0b | end

# WebAssembly Multi-threading

- Threads and Atomics in WebAssembly
  - Allows multiple WebAssembly instances in separate Web Workers to share a single `WebAssembly.Memory` object.
  - WebAssembly proposal - [proposal](#) / [spec](#)
  - Requirements: `SharedArrayBuffer` & `Web worker`
  - Browsers support status - [link](#)
- Emscripten Pthreads support - [Documentation](#)
  - Flag: `-s USE_PTHREADS=1`
- Further readings:
  - Faster Fractals with Multi-Threaded WebAssembly - [link](#)
  - Using WebAssembly with Web Workers - [link](#)
  - WebAssembly Threads ready to try in Chrome 70 (pthread & emscripten) - [link](#)
  - “*WebAssembly in Action*” Book chapter 9: Threading: web workers and pthreads - [link](#)
  - Using WebAssembly and Threads (Chrome Dev Summit 2018) - [video](#)
  - Multithreading Rust and Wasm - [link](#)
  - Running in Parallel: NgRx with WebAssembly, Web Workers and Worklets - [video](#)
  - Is postMessage slow? - [link](#)
  - Qt for WebAssembly: Multithreading - [link](#)

Status in Chromium

Blink components: [Blink>JavaScript>WebAssembly](#)

Enabled by default (tracking bug) in:  
Chrome for desktop release 74

Consensus & Standardization

After a feature ships in Chrome, the values listed here are not guaranteed to be up to date.

|                 |                   |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| Firefox:        | In development    |
| Edge:           | In development    |
| Safari:         | Public support    |
| Web Developers: | Strongly positive |

# IndexedDB serialization of WebAssembly module

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- Caching compiled WebAssembly modules (**NOT SUPPORTED ANYMORE**)
  - was introduced in June 2018 - [here](#)
  - was supported only by Firefox
  - Discussed than [removed from firefox](#) and [wasm spec](#)

 **Warning:** Experimental `WebAssembly.Module` IndexedDB serialization support is being removed from browsers; see [bug 1469395](#) and this spec issue.

- Alternate solution:
  - [webassembly.sh](#) is using [idb-keyval](#) to store wasm binaries.
    - Set up offline storage for WAPM over Indexed DB - [details](#)
- Further readings:
  - MDN - Caching compiled WebAssembly modules - [link](#)
  - WebAssembly — Caching to HTML5 IndexedDB - [link](#)
  - Code caching for WebAssembly developers - [link](#)
  - Client-side storage (APIs, general) - [link](#)

# Other majors proposals/features

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- Interface Types Proposal - [link](#)
  - WebAssembly Interface Types: Interoperate with All the Things! - [link](#)
  - WebAssembly Interface Types - HTTP203 - [link](#)
- Non-trapping float-to-int conversions - [link](#)
  - Establish a convention for saturating operations which SIMD could share, to avoid introducing trapping.
- Sign-extension operators - [link](#)
  - Adds five new integer instructions for sign-extending 8-bit, 16-bit, and 32-bit values.
- Multi-value - [link](#)
  - Multiple return values for functions / Multiple results for instructions / Inputs to blocks
- Reference Types - [link](#)
  - Efficient interop with host environment & allow manipulating tables from within Wasm.
- Tail call - [link](#)
  - Introduce tail call operators (tail call is a kind of goto dressed as a call)
- Bulk memory operations - [link](#)
  - Introduce memcpy and memmove like instruction to manipulate linear memory from within Wasm.
- Evolving Wasm into a proper misnomer by Andreas Rossberg - [video](#)

# Other security tool for wasm analysis

# Browsers extensions analysis - ExtAnalysis

ExtAnalysis - A browser extension analysis framework

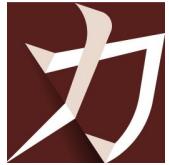
- [Github, install](#)
- Can be useful to **detect extensions using wasm**
- Supports/Features:

- Download & Analyze Extensions From:
  - [Chrome Web Store](#)
  - [Firefox Addons](#)
- Analyze Installed Extensions of:
  - Google Chrome
  - Mozilla Firefox
  - Opera Browser (Coming Soon)
- Upload and Scan Extensions. Supported formats:
  - .crx
  - .xpi
  - .zip

## Features of ExtAnalysis :

- View Basic Informations:
  - Name, Author, Description and Version
- Manifest Viewer
- In depth permission information
- Extract Intels from files which include:
  - URLs and domains
  - IPv6 and IPv4 addresses
  - Bitcoin addresses
  - Email addresses
  - File comments
  - Base64 encoded strings
- View and Edit files. Supported file types:
  - html
  - json
  - JavaScript
  - css
- VirusTotal Scans For:
  - URLs
  - Domains
  - Files

The screenshot shows the ExtAnalysis web application interface. At the top, there's a navigation bar with links for 'Version 1.0.0', 'OS Windows, Linux', 'python 3', 'stars 24', 'license GPL-3.0', and social sharing buttons for Twitter and GitHub. Below the header, the main content area displays the analysis results for the 'Adblock Plus - free ad blocker' extension. The interface includes several sections: 'BASIC INFO', 'FILES', 'PERMISSIONS', 'URLS & DOMAINS', and 'STATISTICS'. The 'FILES' section features a large network graph visualization showing connections between various files and URLs. The 'STATISTICS' section provides a summary of file counts: 9 File(s), 26 File(s), 83 File(s), 10 File(s), 70 File(s), and 29 File(s). Below these sections, there's a table titled 'FILE LIST' with columns for 'File Name', 'Path', 'Size', and 'Actions'. The table lists two files: 'adblockplus.js' located at 'lib/adblockplus.js' with a size of 463 KB, and 'background.js' located at 'ext/background.js' with a size of 11 KB. Both files have 'View Source' and 'VirusTotal' buttons in their actions column.



# Kaitai module for WebAssembly

- Kaitai: A new way to develop parsers for binary structures.
  - WebAssembly support created by Christophe Alladoum ([@ hugsy](#)) from Sophos - [link](#)
  - Talk Web-(dis)Assembly at Shakacon X
    - [slides](#) / [video](#) / [whitepaper](#) / [github](#)

The screenshot shows the JSbeautify interface with the file 'webassembly.ksy' open. The left pane displays the YAML source code, which defines a WebAssembly parser with various options like id, title, file extension, endianness, license, imports, and documentation. The right pane shows the generated assembly code in hex viewer and portscanner.wasm, along with an object tree for the sections defined in the YAML file.

```
1 # -- node: yaml -*-  
2  
3 + meta:  
4   id: webassembly  
5   title: Web Assembly parser  
6   file-extension: wasm  
7   endian: le  
8   license: CCA-1.0  
9   file-extension:  
10  - wasm  
11  imports:  
12  - vld_base128_le  
13 doc: |  
14 WebAssembly is a web standard that defines a binary format and a corresponding  
15 assembly-like text format for executable code in Web pages. It is meant to  
16 enable executing code nearly as fast as running native machine code.  
17  
18 doc-ref: https://github.com/WebAssembly/design/blob/master/BinaryEncoding.md  
19  
20 #####  
21 < />  
22  
object tree  
+ magic = [0, 97, 115, 109]  
- version = 0x1 = 1  
- sections [Sections]  
  - sections  
    + 0 [Section]  
      - header [SectionHeader]  
      - payloadData [TypeSection]  
    + 1 [Section]  
      - header [SectionHeader]  
      - payloadData [ImportSection]
```



# Capstone disassembler

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- “Capstone is a lightweight multi-platform, multi-architecture disassembly framework. Our target is to make Capstone the ultimate disassembly engine for binary analysis and reversing in the security community.”
  - [website](#), [github](#), [documentation](#)
- Support of WebAssembly
  - will be released in master in version v5.0 - [roadmap](#)
  - until v5.0, wasm “supported” in [next](#) branch
  - Fuzzing new wasm architecture - [link](#)

## Highlight features

- Multi-architectures: Arm, Arm64 (Armv8), BPF, Ethereum Virtual Machine, M68K, M680X, Mips, MOS65XX, PowerPC, RISCV, Sparc, SystemZ, TMS320C64X, Web Assembly, XCore & X86 (include X86\_64) ([details](#)).
- Clean/simple/lightweight/intuitive architecture-neutral API.
- Provide details on disassembled instruction (called “decomposer” by some others).
- Provide some semantics of the disassembled instruction, such as list of implicit registers read & written.