Template Week 4 – Software

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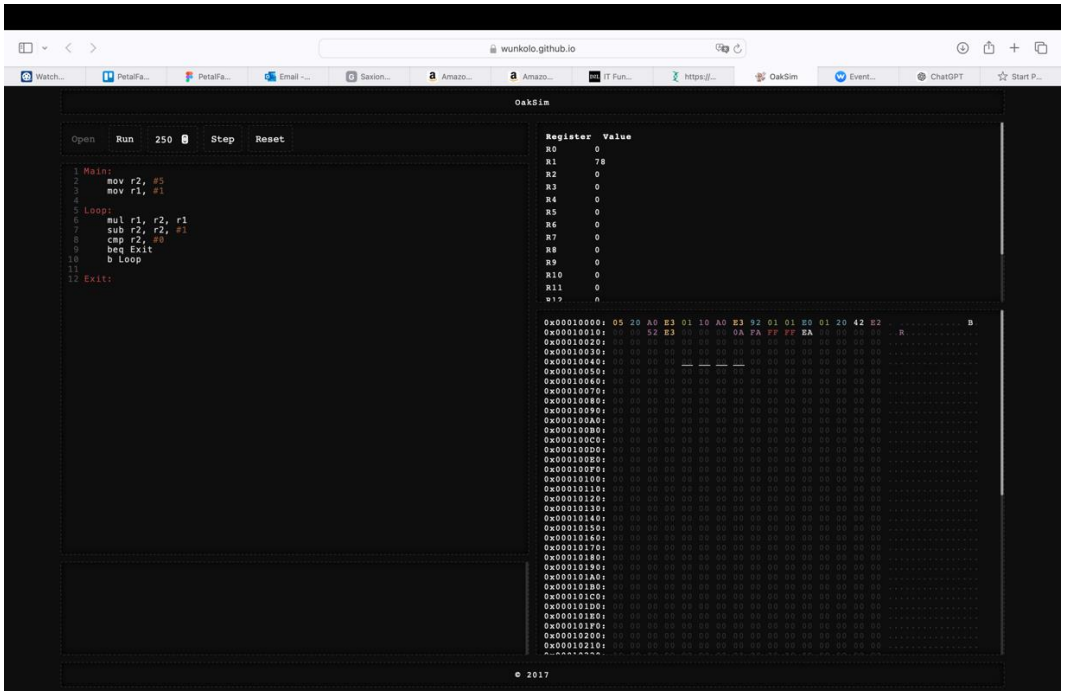
Assignment 4.1: ARM assembly

Screenshot of working assembly code of factorial calculation:



Assignment 4.2: Programming languages

Take screenshots that the following commands work:

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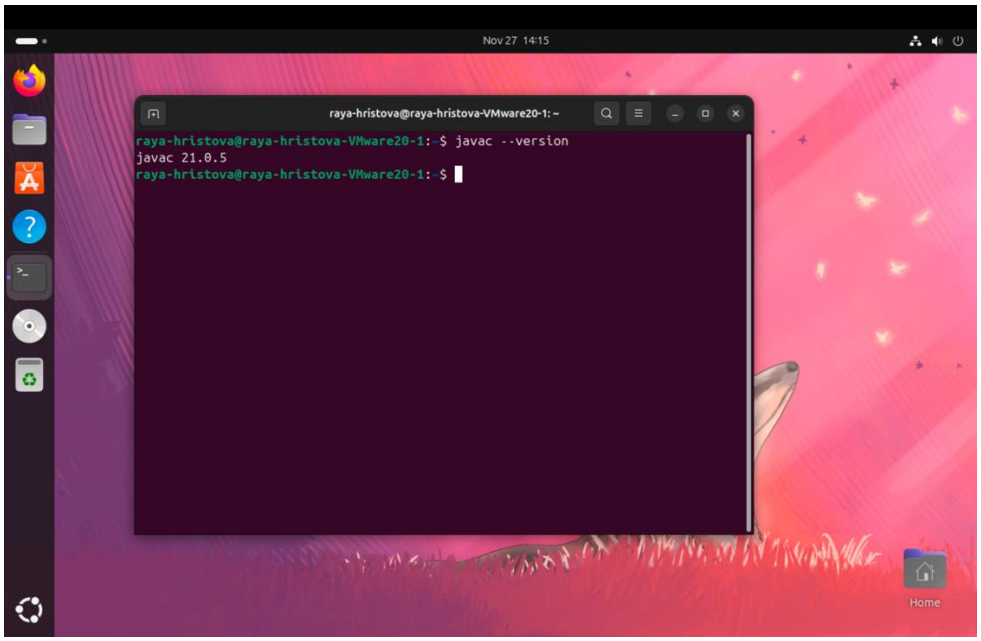

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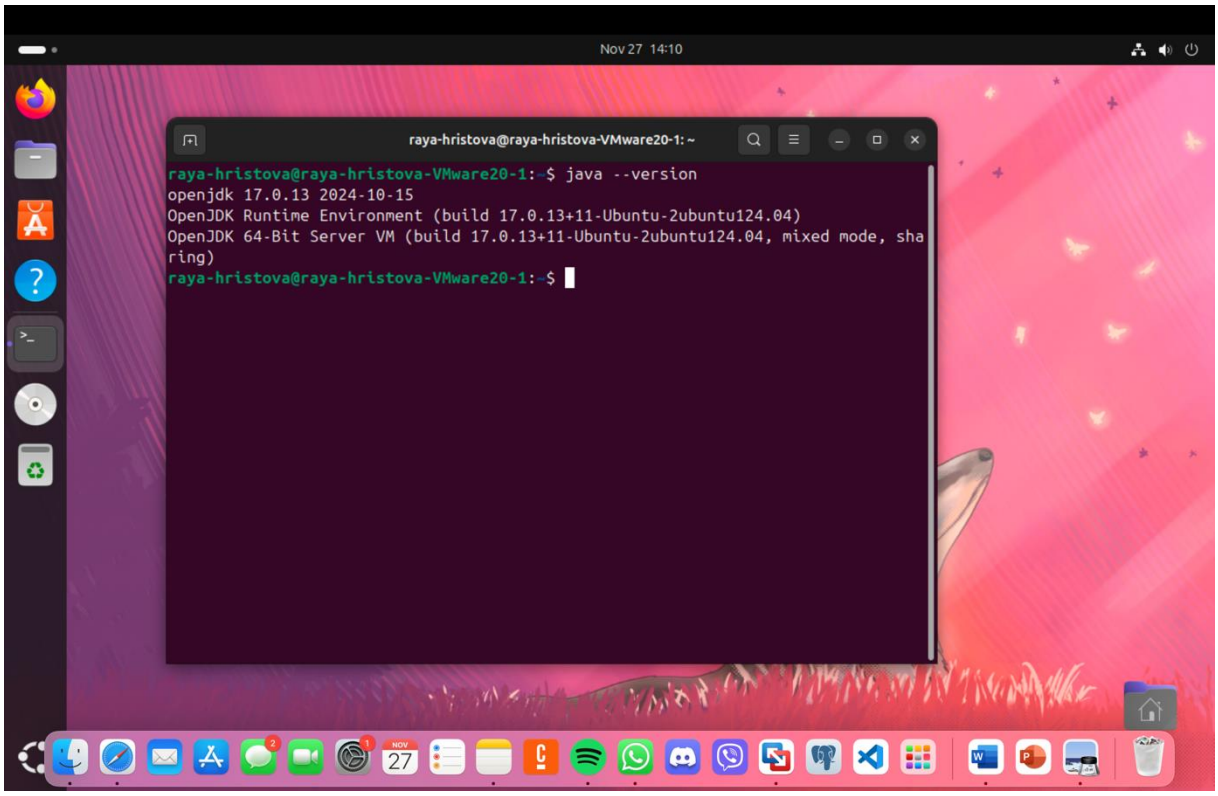
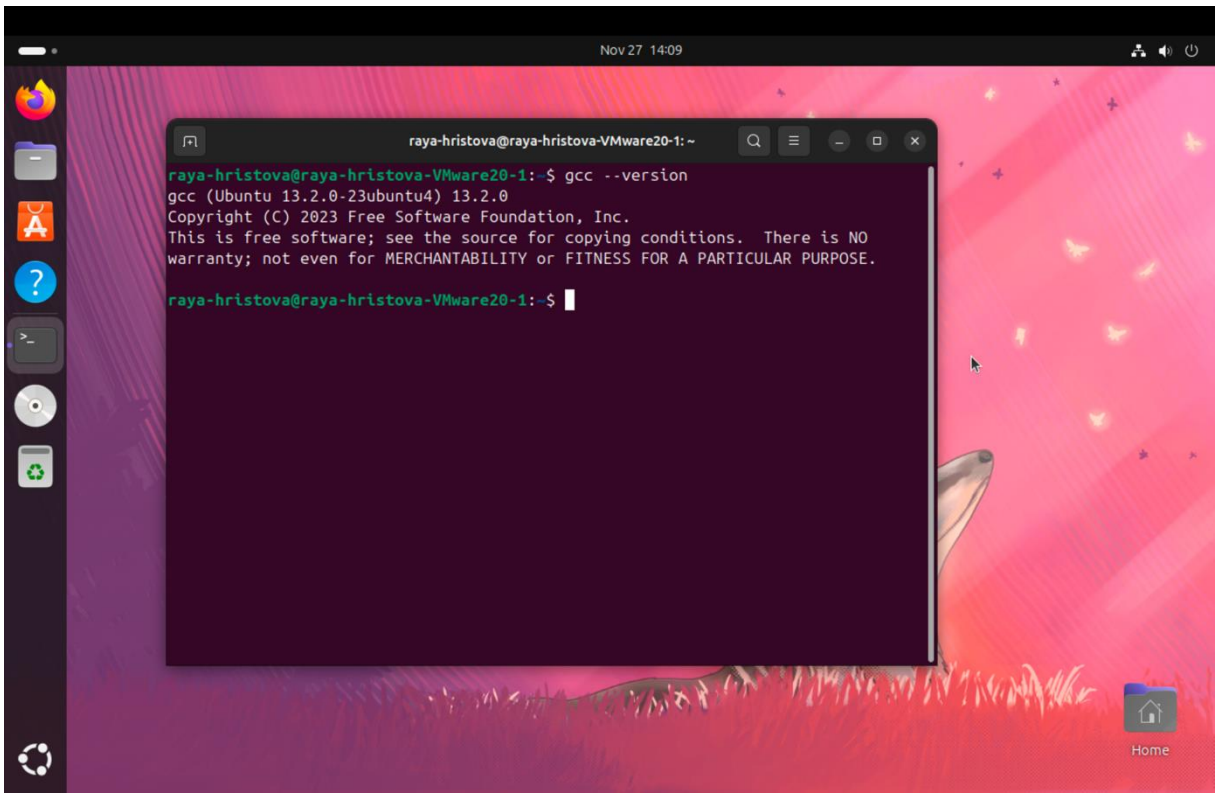
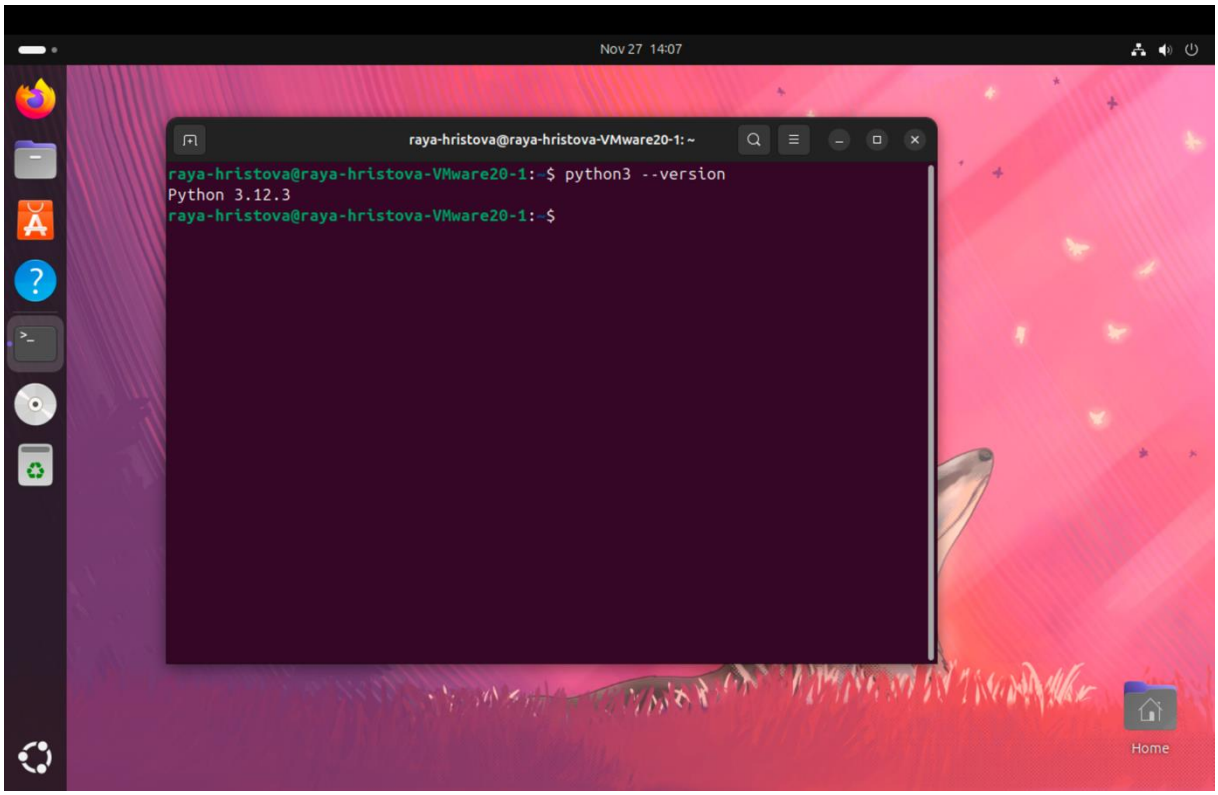


gcc --version



python3 --version



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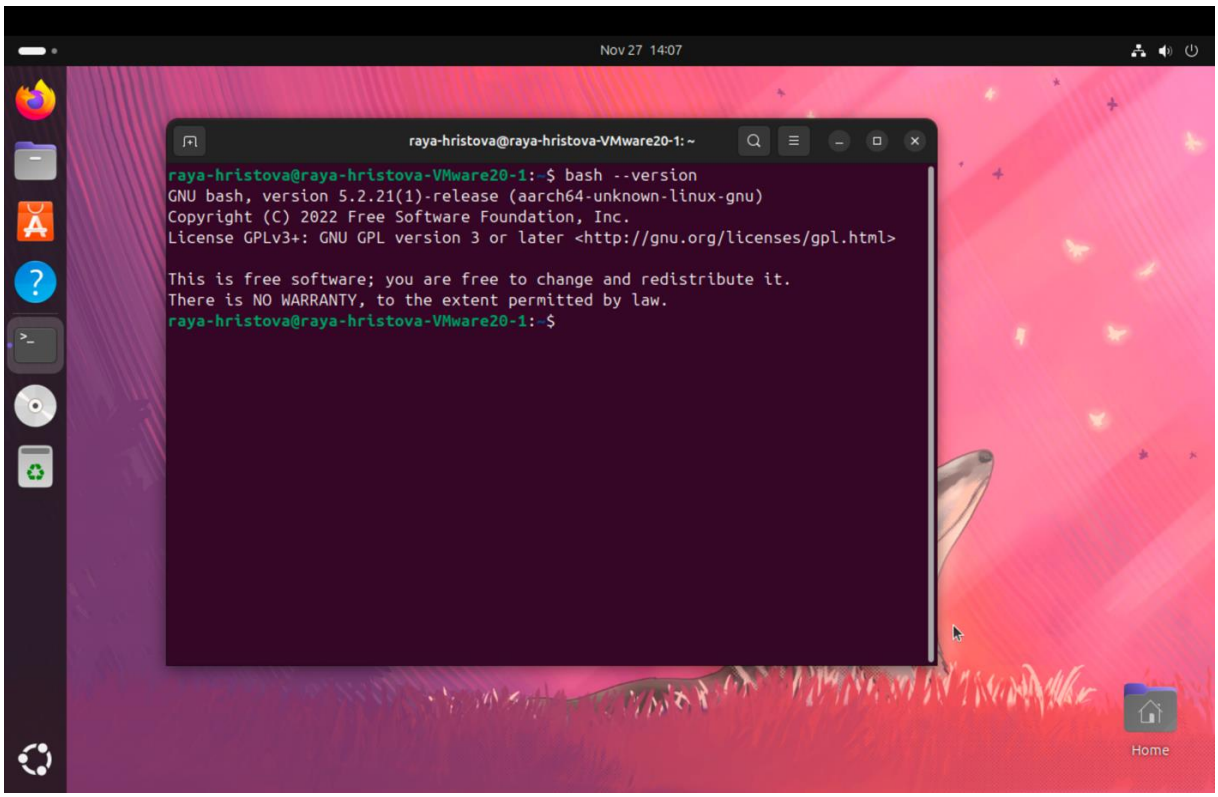


Assignment 4.3: Compile

Which of the above files need to be compiled before you can run them? – fib.c, Fibonacci.java

Which source code files are compiled into machine code and then directly executable by a processor? – fib.c

Which source code files are compiled to byte code? – fib.py, Fibonacci.java

Which source code files are interpreted by an interpreter? – fib.py, fib.sh

These source code files will perform the same calculation after compilation/interpretation. Which one is expected to do the calculation the fastest? – fib.c, because it's compiled in machine code.

How do I run a Java program? – Compile the file with javac command and run with java command

How do I run a Python program? – Run program with python3 command

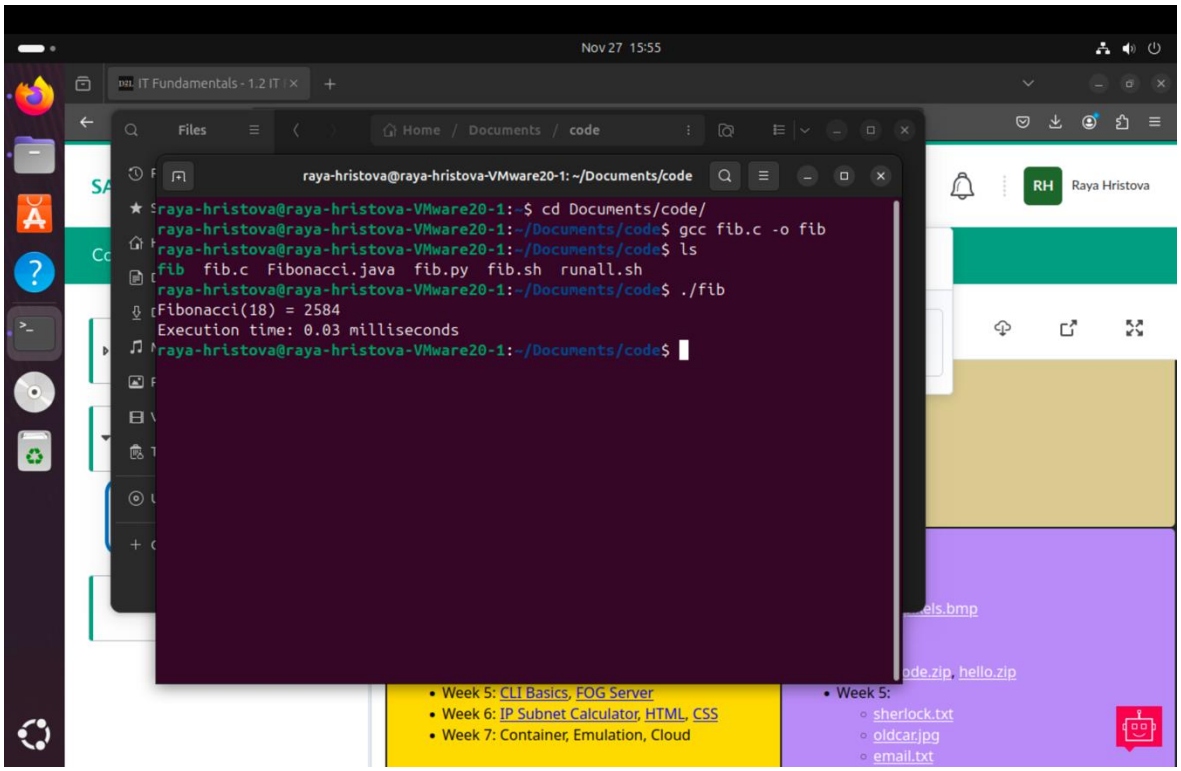
How do I run a C program? – Compile the file into machine code with gcc command and execute

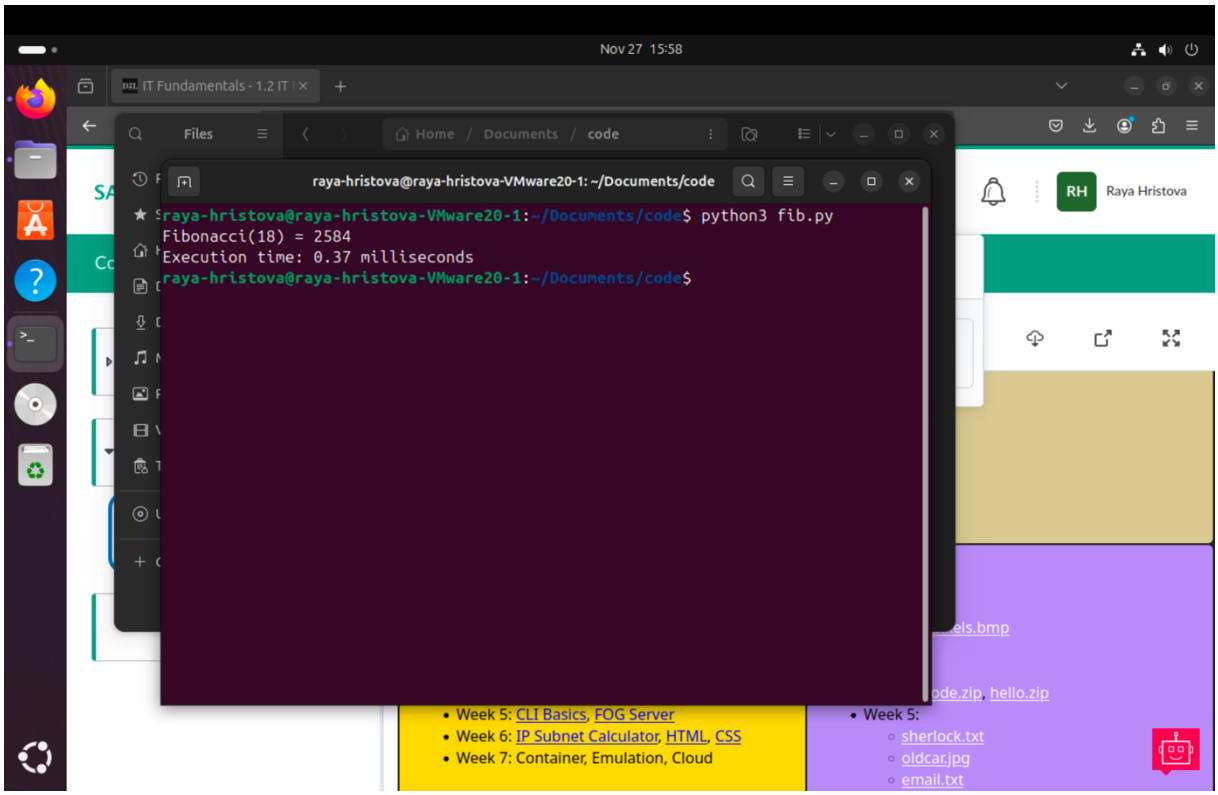
How do I run a Bash script? – Make the script executable and run it

If I compile the above source code, will a new file be created? If so, which file? – A new runnable file is created when compiling the C program into machine code.

Take relevant screenshots of the following commands:

- Compile the source files where necessary
- Make them executable
- Run them
- Which (compiled) source code file performs the calculation the fastest? – The C program

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Fibonacci(18) = 2584
Execution time: 0.37 milliseconds
raya-hristova@raya-hristova-VMware20-1:~/Documents/code$
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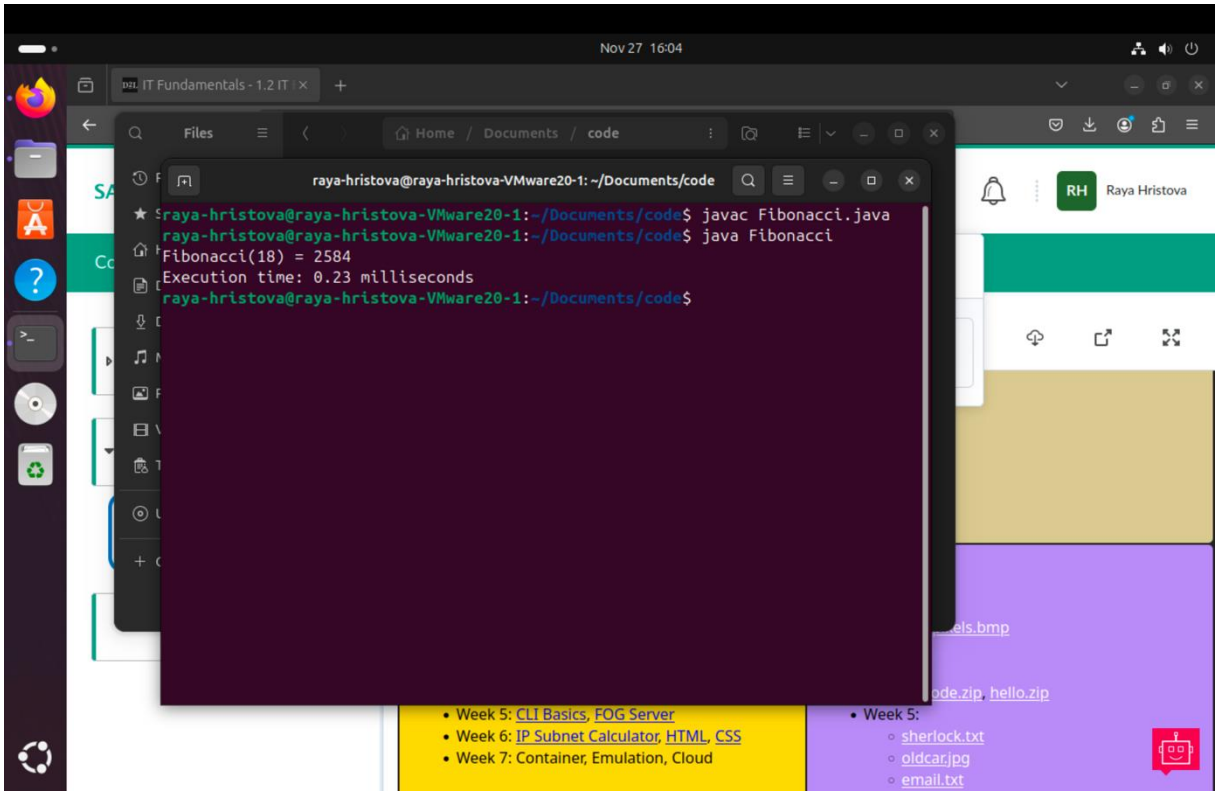
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raya-hristova@raya-hristova-VMware20-1:~/Documents/code$ java Fibonacci
Fibonacci(18) = 2584
Execution time: 0.23 milliseconds
raya-hristova@raya-hristova-VMware20-1:~/Documents/code$
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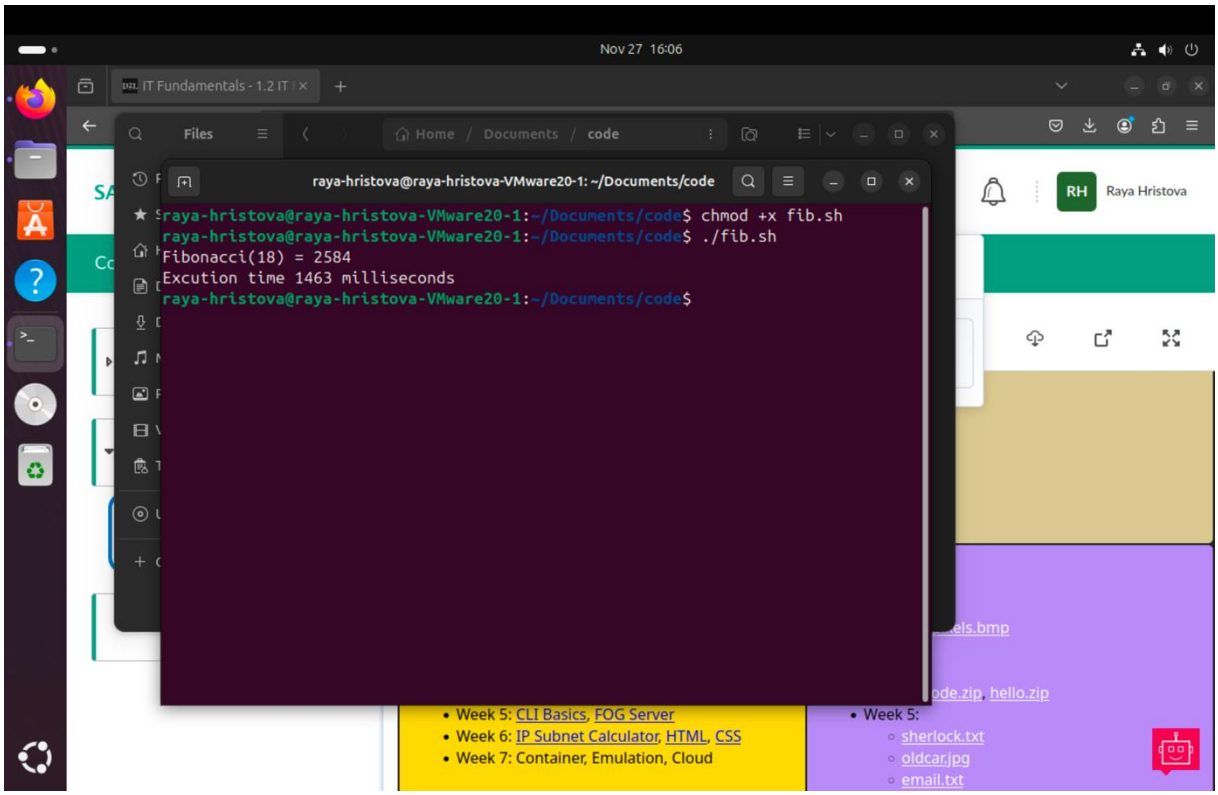
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raya-hristova@raya-hristova-VMware20-1:~/Documents/code$ ./fib.sh
Fibonacci(18) = 2584
Excution time 1463 milliseconds
raya-hristova@raya-hristova-VMware20-1:~/Documents/code$
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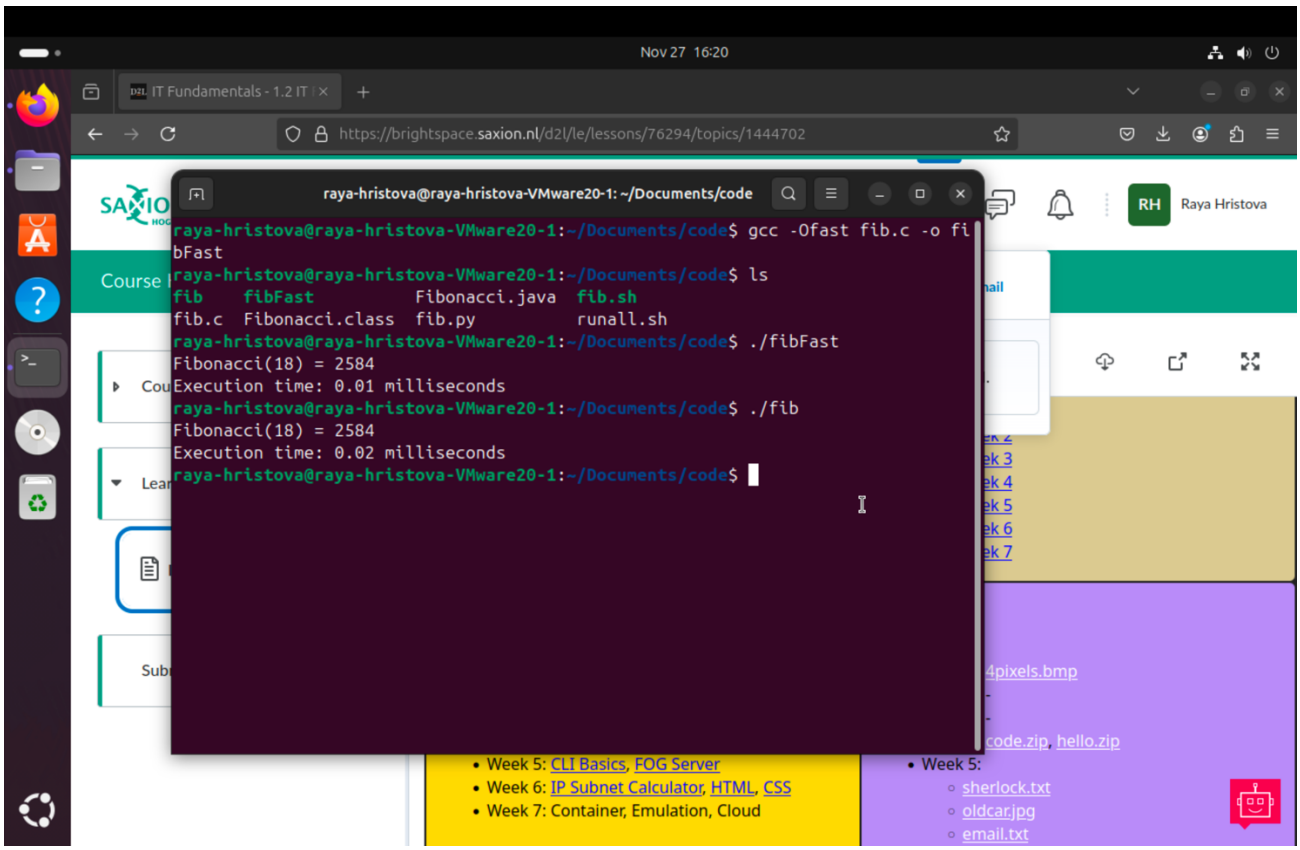
Assignment 4.4: Optimize

Take relevant screenshots of the following commands:

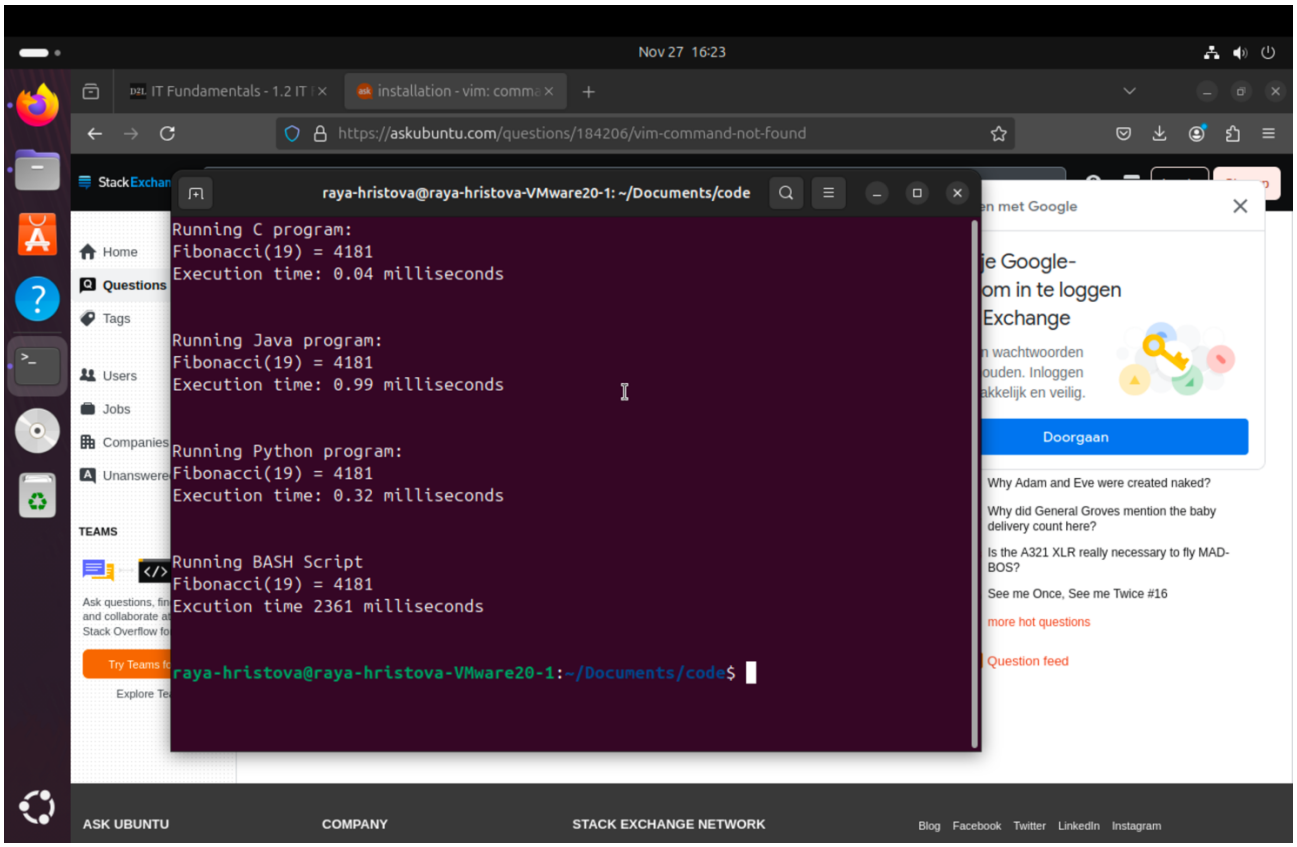
a) Figure out which parameters you need to pass to **the gcc** compiler so that the compiler performs a number of optimizations that will ensure that the compiled source code will run faster. **Tip!** The parameters are usually a letter followed by a number. Also read **page 191** of your book but find a better optimization in the man pages. Please note that Linux is case sensitive.

b) Compile **fib.c** again with the optimization parameters

c) Run the newly compiled program. Is it true that it now performs the calculation faster?



d) Edit the file **runall.sh**, so you can perform all four calculations in a row using this Bash script. So the (compiled/interpreted) C, Java, Python and Bash versions of Fibonacci one after the other.



Bonus point assignment – week 4

Like the factorial example, you can also implement the calculation of a power of 2 in assembly. For example, you want to calculate $2^4 = 16$. Use iteration to calculate the result. Store the result in r0.

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Main:
mov r1, #2
mov r2, #4

Loop:

End:
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Complete the code. See the PowerPoint slides of week 4.

Screenshot of the completed code here.