



# 计算机组成与设计

## Computer Organization & Design The Hardware/Software Interface

### Chapter2

## Instructions: Language of the Machine

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# The process of compiling

## □ Machine language(机器语言)

- Computers only understands electrical signalson/off
- Binary numbers express machine instructions  
ex. 1000110010100000 means to add two numbers

## □ Assembly language(汇编语言)

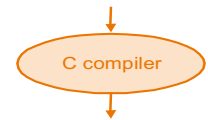
- Symbolic notations ex. add A, B
- The assembler translates them into machine instruction

## □ High-level programming language(高级编程语言)

- Notations more closer to the natural language ex. A + B
- The compiler translates into assembly language
- Advantages over assembly language
  - Think in a more natural language
  - Programs can be independent of hardware

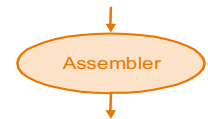
High-level  
language  
program  
(in C)

```
swap(int v[], int k)
{int temp;
  temp = v[k];
  v[k] = v[k+1];
  v[k+1] = temp;
}
```



Assembly  
language  
program  
(for MIPS)

```
swap:
  muli $2, $5, 4
  add $2, $4, $2
  lw $15, 0($2)
  lw $16, 4($2)
  sw $16, 0($2)
  sw $15, 4($2)
  jr $31
```



Binary machine  
language  
program  
(for MIPS)

```
000000001010000100000000000011000
00000000100011100001100000100001
10001100011000100000000000000000
100011001111001000000000000000100
10101100111100100000000000000000
101011000110001000000000000000100
00000011111000000000000000001000
```



# Outline

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- ❑ Introduction
- ❑ Operations of the computer hardware (计算机硬件的操作)
- ❑ Operands of the computer hardware(计算机硬件的操作数)
- ❑ Signed and unsigned numbers (有符号和无符号数)
- ❑ Representing instructions in the computer(计算机中指令的表示)
- ❑ Logical operations(逻辑操作)
- ❑ Instructions for making decision(决策指令)
- ❑ Supporting procedures in computer hardware(计算机对过程的支持)
- ❑ Instruction addressing (指令的寻址)



## 2.1 Introduction

### □ Language of the machine

- Instructions → Statement
- Instruction set → Syntax

### □ Design goals

- Maximize performance
- Minimize cost
- Reduce design time

### □ Our chosen instruction set: RISC-V

- Developed at Berkeley starting in 2010

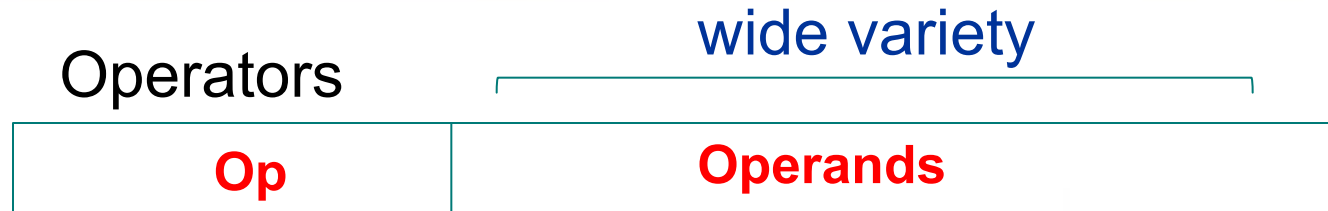


# The RISC-V Instruction Set

- ❑ Used as the example throughout the book
- ❑ Developed at UC Berkeley as open ISA
- ❑ Now managed by the RISC-V Foundation ([riscv.org](https://riscv.org))
- ❑ Typical of many modern ISAs
  - See RISC-V Reference Data tear-out card
- ❑ Similar ISAs have a large share of embedded core market
  - Applications in consumer electronics, network/storage equipment, cameras, printers, ...

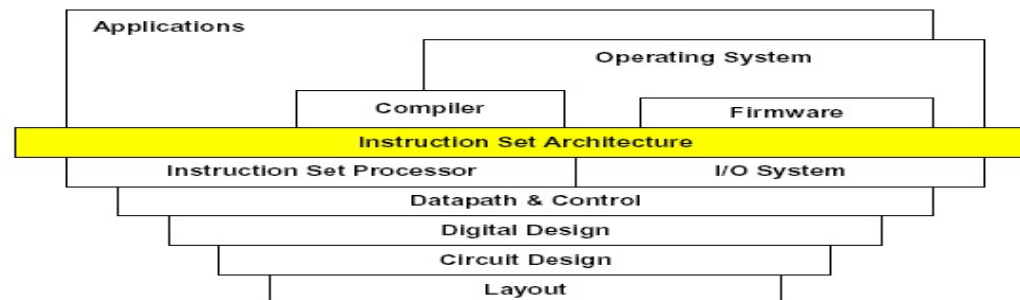


# Instruction characteristics wide variety



- ❑ Type of internal storage in processor
- ❑ The number of the memory operand In the instruction
- ❑ Operations in the instruction Set
- ❑ Type and Size of Operands
- ❑ Representing Instructions in the Computer

- Encoding





# Stored-program concept

- Today's computers are built on 2 key principles: (**Stored-program concept**)
  - ① Instructions are represented as numbers.
  - ② Programs can be stored in memory to be read or written just like numbers.

## Von Neumann' Computer

## 2.2 Operations of the Computer Hardware



- ❑ Every computer must be able to perform arithmetic
  - Only one operation per instruction
  - Exactly three variables     add a,b,c      $a \leftarrow b + c$
- ❑ All arithmetic operations have this form
- ❑ **Design Principle 1:** *Simplicity favors regularity*
  - Regularity makes implementation simpler
  - Simplicity enables higher performance at lower cost





# Arithmetic

## □ Example 2.2      Compiling a complex C statement

### ■ C code:

$f = (g + h) - (i + j);$

### ■ RISC-V code:

add t0, g, h	# temporary variable t0 contains $g + h$
add t1, i, j	# temporary variable t1 contains $i + j$
sub f, t0, t1	# f gets $t0 - t1$

## RISC-V assembly language

Category	Instruction	Example	Meaning	Comments
Arithmetic	add	add a,b,c	$a \leftarrow b + c$	Always three operand
	subtract	sub a,b,c	$a \leftarrow b - c$	Always three operand



## 2.3 Operands of the Computer Hardware

- Arithmetic instructions use register operands
- RISC-V has a  $32 \times 64$ -bit register file
  - Use for frequently accessed data
  - 64-bit data is called a “doubleword”
    - 32 x 64-bit general purpose registers x0 to x31
  - 32-bit data is called a “word”
- *Design Principle 2: Smaller is faster*
  - c.f. main memory: millions of locations



# RISC-V Registers

Name	Register name	Usage	Preserved On call?
x0	0	The constant value 0	n.a.
x1(ra)	1	Return address(link register)	yes
x2(sp)	2	Stack pointer	yes
x3(gp)	3	Global pointer	yes
x4(tp)	4	Thread pointer	yes
x5-x7	5-7	Temporaries	no
x8-x9	8-9	Saved	yes
x10-x17	10-17	Arguments/results	no
x18-x27	18-27	Saved	yes
x28-x31	28-31	Temporaries	no



# Register Operand Example

## □ C code:

```
f = (g + h) - (i + j);
```

- f, ..., j in x19, x20, ..., x23

## □ Compiled RISC-V code:

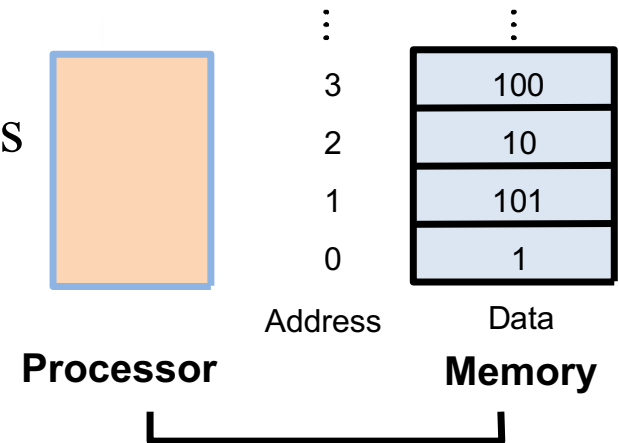
```
add x5, x20, x21
```

```
add x6, x22, x23
```

```
sub x19, x5, x6
```

# Memory Operands

- ❑ **Main memory used for composite data**
  - Arrays, structures, dynamic data
- ❑ **To apply arithmetic operations**
  - Load values from memory into registers
  - Store result from register to memory
- ❑ **Memory is byte addressed**
  - Each address identifies an 8-bit byte
- ❑ **RISC-V is Little Endian**
  - Least-significant byte at least address of a word
  - *c.f.* Big Endian: most-significant byte at least address
- ❑ **RISC-V does not require words to be aligned in memory**
  - Unlike some other ISAs





# Memory Alignment

```
struct {  
    int a;  
    char b;  
    char c[2];  
    char d[3]  
    float e;  
}
```

正确

e			
d[1]	d[2]	No use	No use
b	c[0]	c[1]	d[0]
a			

错误

e		No use	No use
d[1]	d[2]	e	
b	c[0]	c[1]	d[0]
a			

因为一次只能读出4字节内存中的一行

这样布局，e变量不能一次读出

# Endianness/byte order

## □ Big end: Left Least Addr.

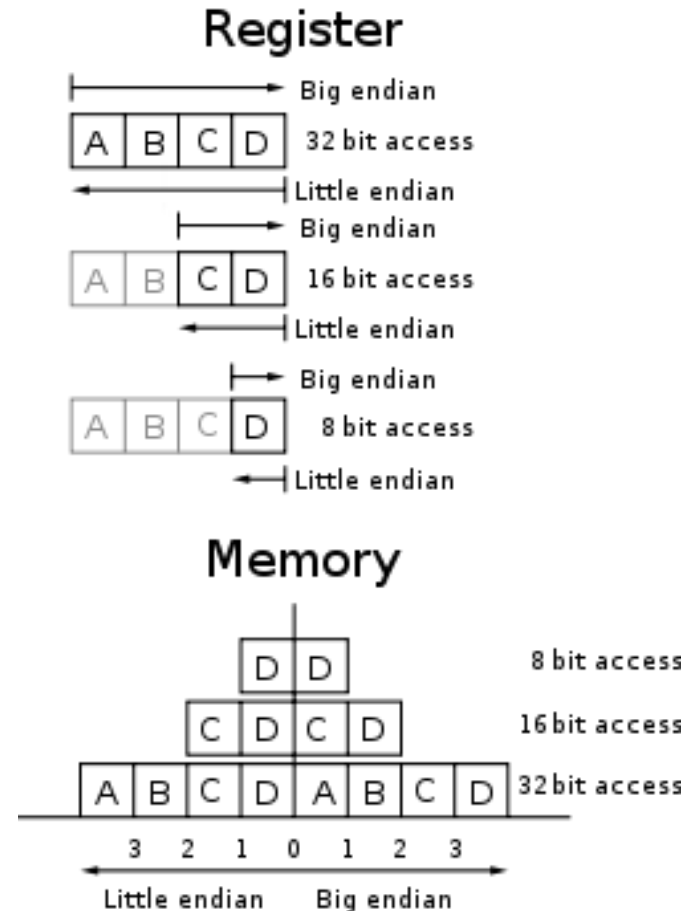
- PowerPC
- Byte1:01 Byte0:02 = 513

## □ Little end: Right Least Addr.

- RISC-V
- Byte1:01 Byte0:02 = 258

## □ Bi-endian

- MIPS, ARM , Alpha, SPARC





# Memory Operand Example

## □ C code:

$A[12] = h + A[8];$

- $h$  in  $x21$ , base address of  $A$  in  $x22$

## □ Compiled RISC-V code:

- Index 8 requires offset of 64
  - 8 bytes per doubleword
- Offset: the constant in a data transfer instruction
- Base register: the register added to form the address

`ld x9, 64(x22)`

`add x9, x21, x9`

`sd x9, 96(x22)`





# Register vs. Memory

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- ❑ **Registers are faster to access than memory**
- ❑ **Operating on memory data requires loads and stores**
  - More instructions to be executed
- ❑ **Compiler must use registers for variables as much as possible**
  - Only spill to memory for less frequently used variables
  - Register optimization is important!



# Discussion: How to represent?

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**Constant**

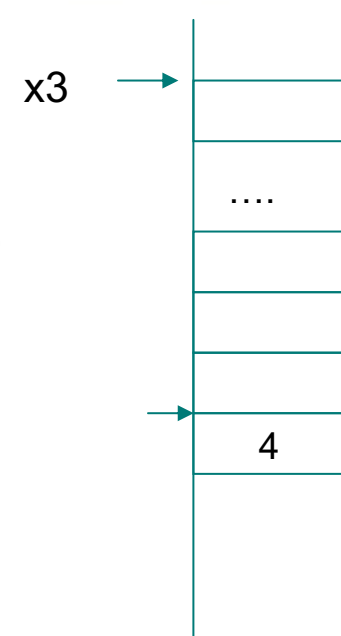
$$g = h + 55$$

Many time a program  
will use a constant in an operation

# Constant or immediate Operands

## □ Many time a program will use a constant in an operation

- Incrementing index to point to next element of array
- Add the constant 4 to register x9
- Assuming AddrConstants 4 is address pointer of constant 55



```
ld    x9, AddrConstant4(x3)  // x9=constant 4
add   x22, x22, x9
```

## □ Immediate: Other method for adding constant 4 to x22

- Avoids the load instruction
- Offer versions of the instruction  
`addi x22, x22, 4 // x22= x22+ 4`
- Constant zero: a register x0

## □ Design Principle 3: Make common case fast (Why?)



# Brief summary

## RISC-V operands

Name	Example	Comments
32 register	x0~x31	Fast locations for data. In RISC-V, data must be in registers to perform arithmetic. Register x0 always equals 0.
$2^{61}$ memory double words	Memory[0], Memory[8] , ..... , Memory[18446744073709 551608]	Accessed only by data transfer instructions. RISC-V uses byte addresses, so sequential doubleword accesses differ by 8. Memory holds data structures, arrays, and spilled registers.

## RISC-V assembly language

Category	Instruction	Example	Meaning	Comments
Arithmetic	add	add x5,x6,x7	$x5 = x6 + x7$	Add two source register operands
	subtract	sub x5,x6,x7	$x5 = x6 - x7$	First source register subtracts second one
	add immediate	addi x5,x6,20	$x5 = x6 + 20$	Used to add constants
Data transfer	load doubleword	ld x5, 40(x6)	$x5 = \text{Memory}[x6 + 40]$	doubleword from memory to register
	store doubleword	sd x5, 40(x6)	$\text{Memory}[x6 + 40] = x5$	doubleword from register to memory



## 2.4 Signed and unsigned numbers

- ❑ Bits are just bits (no inherent meaning): conventions define relationship between bits and numbers
- ❑ Binary numbers (base 2)  
0000 0001 0010 0011 0100 0101 0110 0111 1000 1001...  
decimal:  $0 \dots 2^n - 1$
- ❑ Of course it gets more complicated:
  - numbers are finite (overflow)
  - fractions and real numbers
  - negative numbers
- ❑ How do we represent negative numbers?
  - which bit patterns will represent which numbers?



# Unsigned Binary Integers

□ Given an n-bit number

$$x = x_{n-1}2^{n-1} + x_{n-2}2^{n-2} + \dots + x_12^1 + x_02^0$$

□ Range: 0 to  $+2^n - 1$

□ Example

- $0000\ 0000 \dots 0000\ 1011_2$   
 $= 0 + \dots + 1 \times 2^3 + 0 \times 2^2 + 1 \times 2^1 + 1 \times 2^0$   
 $= 0 + \dots + 8 + 0 + 2 + 1 = 11_{10}$

□ Using 64 bits: 0 to +18,446,774,073,709,551,615



# 2s-Complement Signed Integers

□ Given an n-bit number

$$X = -x_{n-1}2^{n-1} + x_{n-2}2^{n-2} + \dots + x_12^1 + x_02^0$$

□ Range:  $-2^{n-1}$  to  $+2^{n-1} - 1$

□ Example

$$\begin{aligned} & \blacksquare 1111\ 1111 \dots 1111\ 1100_2 \\ & = -1 \times 2^{31} + 1 \times 2^{30} + \dots + 1 \times 2^2 + 0 \times 2^1 + 0 \times 2^0 \\ & = -2,147,483,648 + 2,147,483,644 = -4_{10} \end{aligned}$$

□ Using 64 bits:  $-9,223,372,036,854,775,808$   
to  $9,223,372,036,854,775,807$



# 2s-Complement Signed Integers

## □ Bit 63 is sign bit

- 1 for negative numbers
- 0 for non-negative numbers

## □ $-(-2^n - 1)$ can't be represented

## □ Non-negative numbers have the same unsigned and 2s-complement representation

## □ Some specific numbers

- 0: 0000 0000 ... 0000
- -1: 1111 1111 ... 1111
- Most-negative: 1000 0000 ... 0000
- Most-positive: 0111 1111 ... 1111





# Signed Negation

## □ Complement and add 1

- Complement means  $1 \rightarrow 0, 0 \rightarrow 1$

$$x + \bar{x} = 1111 \dots 111_2 = -1$$

$$\bar{x} + 1 = -x$$

## □ Example: negate +2

- $+2 = 0000 \ 0000 \dots 0010_{\text{two}}$
- $-2 = 1111 \ 1111 \dots 1101_{\text{two}} + 1$   
 $= 1111 \ 1111 \dots 1110_{\text{two}}$



## 2.5 Representing Instructions in the computer

- ❑ All information in computer consists of binary bits
- ❑ Instructions are encoded in binary
  - Called machine code
- ❑ Mapping registers into numbers
  - map registers x0 to x31 onto registers 0 to 31
- ❑ RISC-V instructions
  - Encoded as 32-bit instruction words
  - Small number of formats encoding operation code (opcode), register numbers, ...
  - Regularity



# Example: Translating assembly code

## ■ (p81) Translating assembly into machine instruction

RISC-V code

add x9, x20, x21

Decimal version of machine code

0	21	20	0	9	51
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Binary version of machine code

0000000	10101	10100	000	01001	0110011
7 bits	5 bits	5 bits	3 bits	5 bits	7 bits



# Hexadecimal

## □ Base 16

- Compact representation of bit strings
- 4 bits per hex digit

0	0000	4	0100	8	1000	c	1100
1	0001	5	0101	9	1001	d	1101
2	0010	6	0110	a	1010	e	1110
3	0011	7	0111	b	1011	f	1111

## □ Example: eca8 6420

- 1110 1100 1010 1000 0110 0100 0010 0000



# RISC-V R-Format Instructions

funct7	rs2	rs1	funct3	rd	opcode
7 bits	5 bits	5 bits	3 bits	5 bits	7 bits

## □ Instruction fields

- opcode: operation code
- rd: destination register number
- funct3: 3-bit function code (additional opcode)
- rs1: the first source register number
- rs2: the second source register number
- funct7: 7-bit function code (additional opcode)

## □ Design Principle 3

- *Good design demands good compromises*

## □ All instructions in RISC-V have the same length

- Conflict: same length  $\longleftrightarrow$  single instruction



# R-format Example

funct7	rs2	rs1	funct3	rd	opcode
7 bits	5 bits	5 bits	3 bits	5 bits	7 bits

**add x9, x20, x21**

0	21	20	0	9	51
0000000	10101	10100	000	01001	0110011

0000 0001 0101 1010 0000 0100 1011 0011<sub>two</sub> =  
015A04B3<sub>16</sub>



# RISC-V I-Format Instructions

immediate	rs1	funct3	rd	opcode
12 bits	5 bits	3 bits	5 bits	7 bits

## □ Immediate arithmetic and load instructions

- rs1: source or base address register number
- immediate: constant operand, or offset added to base address
  - 2s-complement, sign extended

## □ *Design Principle 3: Good design demands good compromises*

- Different formats complicate decoding, but allow 32-bit instructions uniformly
- Keep formats as similar as possible

## □ Example: `ld x9, 64(x22)`

- 22 (x22) is placed rs1;
- 64 is placed immediate
- 9 (x9) is placed rd



# RISC-V S-Format Instructions

imm[11:5]	rs2	rs1	funct3	imm[4:0]	opcode
7 bits	5 bits	5 bits	3 bits	5 bits	7 bits

## □ Different immediate format for store instructions

- rs1: base address register number
- rs2: source operand register number
- immediate: offset added to base address
  - Split so that rs1 and rs2 fields always in the same place

## □ Example: sd x9, 64(x22)

- 22 (x22) is placed rs1;
- 64 is placed immediate
- 9 (x9) is placed rs2





# RISC-V instruction encoding

Name	Format	Example						Comment
<b>add</b>	R	0	3	2	0	1	51	add x1, x2, x3
<b>sub</b>	R	32	3	2	0	1	51	sub x1, x2, x3
<b>addi</b>	I	1000		2	0	1	19	addi x1,x2,1000
<b>ld</b>	I	1000		2	3	1	3	ld x1, 1000(x2)
<b>sd</b>	S	63	1	2	3	8	35	sd x1, 1000(x2)



# Example

## □ Example(p85) Translating assembly into machine instruction

### C code:

$A[30] = h + A[30] + 1 ;$

( Assume: h ---- x21      base address of A ---- x10 )

### ■ RISC-V assembly code:

```

ld    x9, 240(x10)           // temporary reg x9 gets A[30]
add   x9, x21, x9            // temporary reg x9 gets h + A[30]
addi  x9, x9, 1              // temporary reg x9 gets h + A[30] + 1
sd    x9, 240(x10)           // stores h + A[30] + 1 back into A[30]

```

### ■ RISC-V machine language code:

#### □ Decimal version

ld	immediate	rs1	funct3	rd	opcode
	240	10	3	9	3

<b>add</b>		funct7		rs2		rs1		funct3		rd		opcode	
		0		9		21		0		9		51	
<b>addi</b>		immediate		rs1		funct3		rd		opcode			
		1		9		0		9		19			
<b>sd</b>		im[11:5]		rs2		rs1		funct3		im[4:0]		opcode	
		7		9		10		3		16		35	

## □ Two key principles of today's computers

- Instructions are represented as numbers
- Programs can be stored in memory like numbers

Stred-program



# RISC-V fields (format)

Imm Region:  $\pm 2^{12}$

Name	Fields																Comments														
Field size	31	7bits			25	24	5bits			20	19	5bits			15	14	3bits			12	11	5bits			7	6	7bits			0	All RISC-V instruction 32 bits
R-type	funct7						rs2			rs1			funct3			rd			opcode						Arithmetic instruction format						
I-type	immediate[11:0]									rs1			funct3			rd			opcode						Loads & immediate arithmetic						
S-type	immed[11:5]						rs2			rs1			funct3			immed[4:0]						opcode						Stores			
SB-type	imm[12,10:5]						rs2			rs1			funct3			imm[4:1,11]						opcode						Conditional branch format			
UJ-type	immediate[20,10:1,11,19:12]											rd						opcode						Unconditional jump format							
U-type	immediate[31:12]											rd						opcode						Upper immediate format							

- **op:** basic operation of the instruction, traditionally called the opcode.
- **rd:** destination register number.
- **funct3:** 3-bit function code (additional opcode).
- **rs1:** the first register source operand.
- **rs2:** the second register source operand.
- **funct7** 7-bit function code (additional opcode).

Must bear in mind!

# MIPS fields (format)

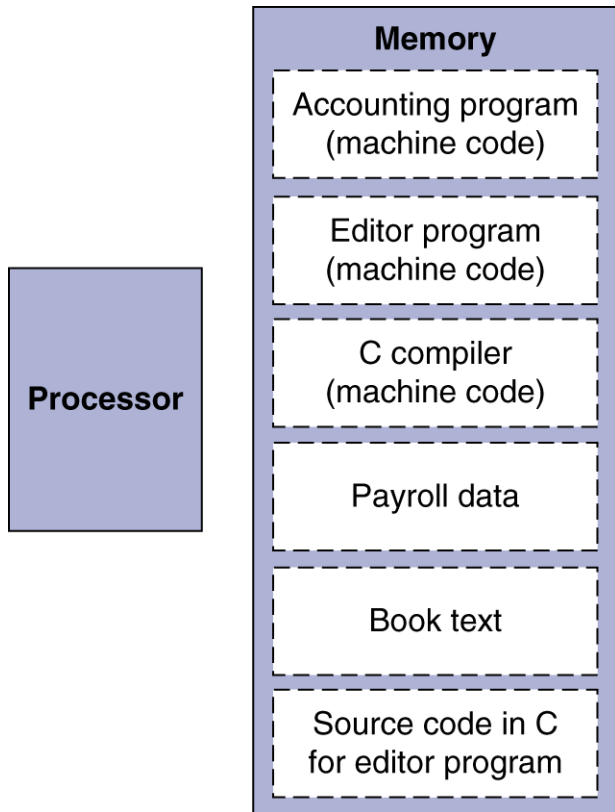
Field size	6bits	5bits	5bits	5bits	5bits	6bits	All MIPS instruction 32 bits
R-format	op	rs	rt	rd	shamt	funct	Arithmetic instruction format
i-format	op	rs	rt	Imm/Word address			Data transfer ,branch format
J-format	op	target address (word)					Unconditional jump

**Region:  $\pm 2^{15}$**

- **op** : *basic operation of the instruction, traditionally called the opcode.*
- **rs** : *the first register source operand.*
- **rt** : *the second register source operand.*
- **rd** : *the register destination operand.*
- **shamt** : *shift amount.*
- **funct** : *function, this field selects the specific variant of the operation in the op field.*

# Stored Program Computer

## The BIG Picture



- ❑ Instructions represented in binary, just like data
- ❑ Instructions and data stored in memory
- ❑ Programs can operate on programs
  - e.g., compilers, linkers, ...
- ❑ Binary compatibility allows compiled programs to work on different computers
  - Standardized ISAs

## 2.6 Logical Operations

### □ Instructions for bitwise manipulation

Operation	C	Java	RISC-V
Shift left	<<	<<	slli
Shift right	>>	>>>	srlr
Bit-by-bit AND	&	&	and, andi
Bit-by-bit OR			or, ori
Bit-by-bit XOR	^	^	xor, xori
Bit-by-bit NOT	~	~	

### □ Useful for extracting and inserting groups of bits in a word



# Shift Operations

funct6	immed	rs1	funct3	rd	opcode
6 bits	6 bits	5 bits	3 bits	5 bits	7 bits

□ **immed: how many positions to shift**

□ **Shift left logical**

- Shift left and fill with 0 bits
- $sll\ i$  by  $i$  bits multiplies by  $2^i$

□ **Shift right logical**

- Shift right and fill with 0 bits
- $srl\ i$  by  $i$  bits divides by  $2^i$  (unsigned only)





# AND Operations

## □ Useful to mask bits in a word

- Select some bits, clear others to 0

and x9, x10, x11

x10	00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00001101 11000000
x11	00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00111100 00000000
x9	00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00001100 00000000



# OR Operations

## □ Useful to include bits in a word

- Set some bits to 1, leave others unchanged

or x9, x10, x11

x10	00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00001101 11000000
x11	00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00111100 00000000
x9	00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00000000 00111101 11000000



# XOR Operations

## □ Differencing operation

- Set some bits to 1, leave others unchanged

**xor x9,x10,x12 // NOT operation**

x10	00000000	00000000	00000000	00000000	00000000	00000000	00001101	11000000
x12	11111111	11111111	11111111	11111111	11111111	11111111	11111111	11111111
x9	11111111	11111111	11111111	11111111	11111111	11111111	11110010	00111111

# RISC-V operands



Name	Example	Comments
32 registers	x0-x31	Fast locations for data. In RISC-V, data must be in registers to perform arithmetic. Register x0 always equals 0.
2 <sup>61</sup> memory double words	Memory[0], Memory[8], ..., Memory[18,446,744,073,709,551,608]]	Accessed only by data transfer instructions. RISC-V uses byte addresses, so sequential double word accesses differ by 8. Memory holds data structures, arrays, and spilled registers.

## RISC-V assembly language

Category	Instruction	Example	Meaning	Comments
Logical	and	and x5, x6, 3	x5=x6 & 3	Arithmetic shift right by register
	inclusive or	or x5,x6,x7	x5=x6   x7	Bit-by-bit OR
	exclusive or	xor x5,x6,x7	x5=x6 ^ x7	Bit-by-bit XOR
	and immediate	andi x5,x6,20	x5=x6 & 20	Bit-by-bit AND reg. with constant
	inclusive or immediate	ori x5,x6,20	x5=x6   20	Bit-by-bit OR reg. with constant
	exclusive or immediate	xori x5,x6,20	x5=x6 ^ 20	Bit-by-bit XOR reg. with constant
Shift	shift left logical	sll x5, x6, x7	x5=x6 << x7	Shift left by register
	shift right logical	srl x5, x6, x7	x5=x6 >> x7	Shift right by register
	shift right arithmetic	sra x5, x6, x7	x5=x6 >> x7	Arithmetic shift right by register
	shift left logical immediate	slli x5, x6, 3	x5=x6 << 3	Shift left by immediate



## 2.7 Instructions for making decisions

### □ Branch instructions

- beq register1, register2, L1
- bne register1, register2, L1

### □ Example 2.9 Compiling an *if* statement to a branch ( Assume: $f \sim j$ ---- $x19 \sim x23$ )

#### ■ C code:

```
    if ( i == j ) goto L1 ;  
    f = g + h ;  
L1:  f = f - i ;
```

#### ■ RISC-V assembly code:

```
    beq    x21, x22, L1          # go to L1 if i equals j  
    add    x19, x20, x21        # f = g + h ( skipped if i equals j )  
L1:  sub    x19, x19, x22        # f = f - i ( always executed )
```

# Branch

## Example 2.10

### Compiling *if-then-else* into Conditional Branches

( Assume:  $f \sim j$  ----  $x19 \sim x23$  )

#### ■ C code:

```
if ( i == j ) f = g + h ;
else  f = g - h ;
```

#### ■ RISC-V assembly code:

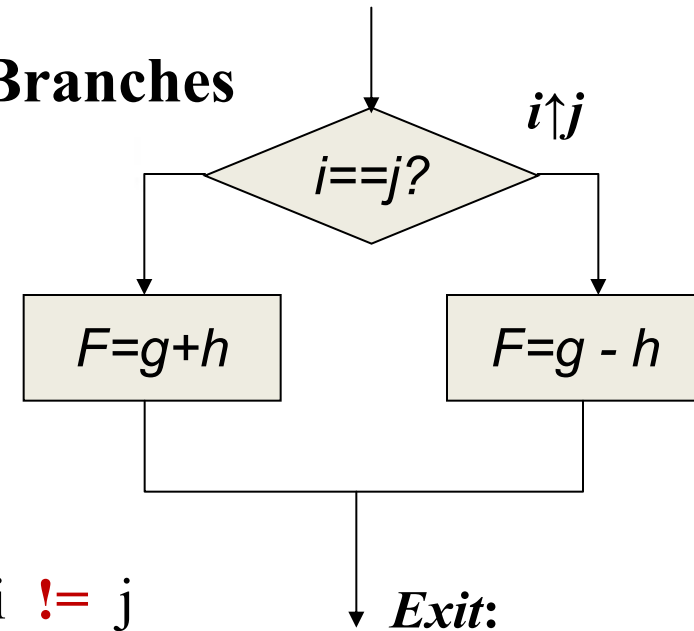
```
bne    x22, x23, Else    # go to Else if i != j
add    x19, x20, x21      # f = g + h ( Executed if i == j if )
```

```
beq    x0, x0, EXIT      # go to Exit
```

```
Else:  sub    x19, x20, x21 # f = g - h ( Executed if i != j else )
```

```
Exit:                                     # the first instruction of the next C
```

..... statement



# Supports LOOPS

## □ Example 2.11 Compiling a loop with variable array index


( Assume:  $g \sim j$  ----  $x19 \sim x23$       base of  $A[i]$  ----  $x25$ )

### ■ C code:

```
Loop:  g = g + A[i];    // A is an array of 100 words
        i = i + j;
        if( i != h ) goto Loop;
```

### ■ RISC-V assembly code:

```
Loop:  slli  x10, x22, 3          # temp reg x10 = 8 * i
        add  x10, x10, x25        # x10 = address of A[i]
        ld   x19 $t0, 0(x10)      # temp reg x19 = A[i]
        add  x20, x20, x19        # g = g + A[i]
        add  x22, x22, x23        # i = i + j
        bne  x22, x21, Loop       # go to Loop if i != h
```



# Supports while

## □ Example 2.12 Compiling a *while* loop

( Assume:  $i \sim k$  --- x22 and x24      base of save --- x25)

### ■ C code:

```
while ( save[i] == k )  
    i = + i ;
```

### ■ RISC-V assembly code:

```
Loop:  slli  x10, x22, 3      # temp reg $t1 = 8 * i  
       add  x10, x10, x25    # x10 = address of save[i]  
       ld   x9, 0(x10)       # x9 gets save[i]  
       bne  x9, x24, Exit    # go to Exit if save[i] != k  
       addi x22, x22, 1      # i += 1  
       beq  x0, x0, Loop     # go to Loop
```

Exit:



## Most popular Compare Operation

**-- set on less than : *slt***

❑ set on less than -slt

- If the first reg. is less than second reg. then sets third reg to 1

```
slt    x5, x19, x20           # x5=1 if x19 < x20
```

### Example 2.13    Compiling a less than test

**( Assume: a -- s0      b -- s1 )**

- C language:

```
if (a < b), goto Less
```

- RISC-V assembly code:

```
slt    x5, x8, x9    #x5 = 1 if x8 < x9  ( a < b)
```

bne x5, zero, Less # go to Less if x5 != 0 (that is, if a < b)

• • • • •

Less:



# More Conditional Operations

## □ **blt rs1, rs2, L1**

- if ( $rs1 < rs2$ ) branch to instruction labeled L1

## □ **bge rs1, rs2, L1**

- if ( $rs1 \geq rs2$ ) branch to instruction labeled L1

## □ **Example**

- if ( $a > b$ )  $a += 1$ ;
- $a$  in  $x22$ ,  $b$  in  $x23$

`bge x23, x22, Exit`      # branch if  $b \geq a$

`addi x22, x22, 1`

Exit:



# Signed vs. Unsigned

- ❑ **Signed comparison: blt, bge**
- ❑ **Unsigned comparison: bltu, bgeu**
- ❑ **Example**
  - $x22 = 1111\ 1111\ 1111\ 1111\ 1111\ 1111\ 1111\ 1111$
  - $x23 = 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0000\ 0001$
  - $x22 < x23$  # signed
    - ❑  $-1 < +1$
  - $x22 > x23$  # unsigned
    - ❑  $+4,294,967,295 > +1$

# Hold out Case/Switch

□ used to select one of many alternatives

## □ Example 2.14

Compiling a switch using *jump address table*

( Assume:  $f \sim k \rightarrow x20 \sim x25$        $x5$  contains 4/8)

C code:

```
switch ( k ) {  
    case 0 :  f = i + j ; break ;  /* k = 0 */  
    case 1 :  f = g + h ; break ;  /* k = 1 */  
    case 2 :  f = g - h ; break ;  /* k = 2 */  
    case 3 :  f = i - j ; break ;  /* k = 3 */  
}
```

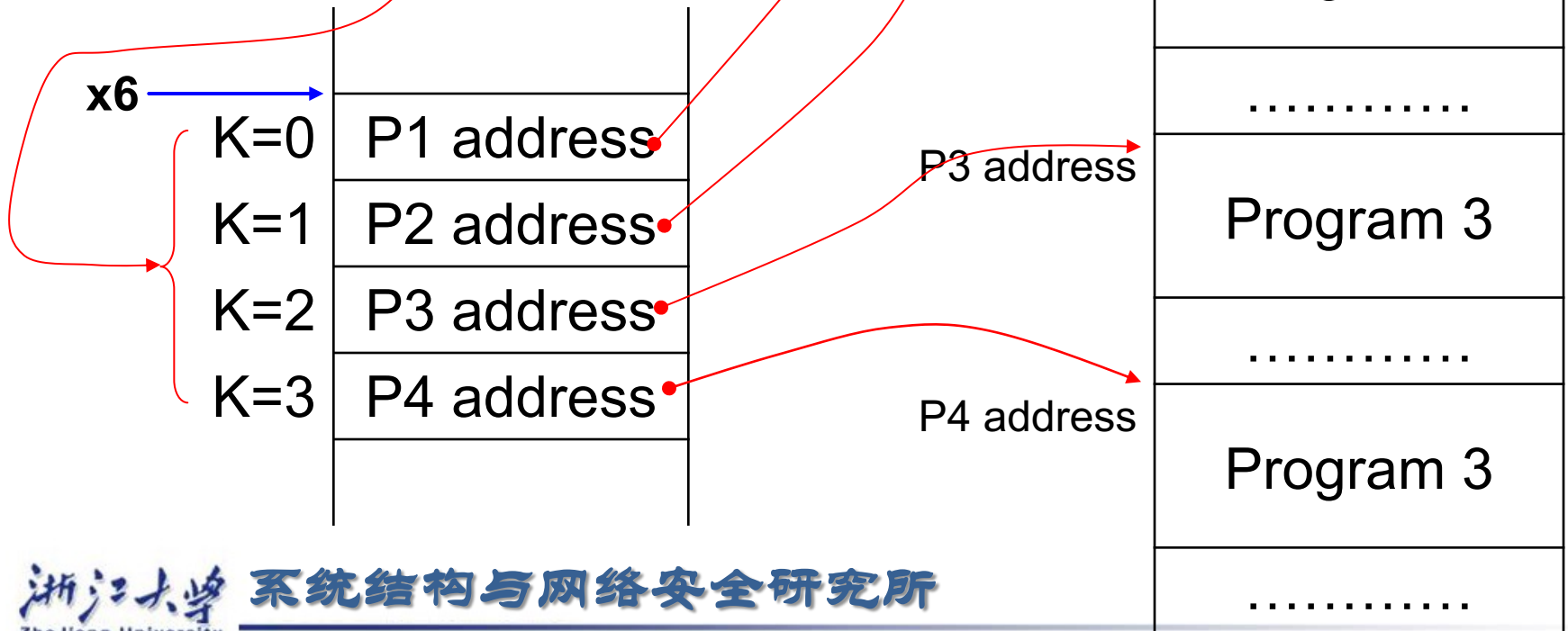
# Jump register & jump address table

## Jump with register content

**jalr x1, 100(x6)**

## jump address table

$$x7 \leftarrow x6 + 4/8 * K$$





# RISC-V assembly code:

**Boundary** {

```
blt  x25, x0, Exit    # test if k < 0
bge  x25, x5, Exit    # if k >= 4, go to Exit
slli  x7, x25, 3      # temp reg x7 = 8 * k (0<=k<=3)
add   x7, x7, x6      # x7 = address of JumpTable[k]
ld    x7, 0(x7)       # temp reg x7 gets JumpTable[k]
jalr  x1, 0(x7)       # jump based on register x7(entrance)
```

**Exit:**

*jump address table*

x7 = x6 + 8 \* k:

L0: address

L1: address

L2: address

L3: address

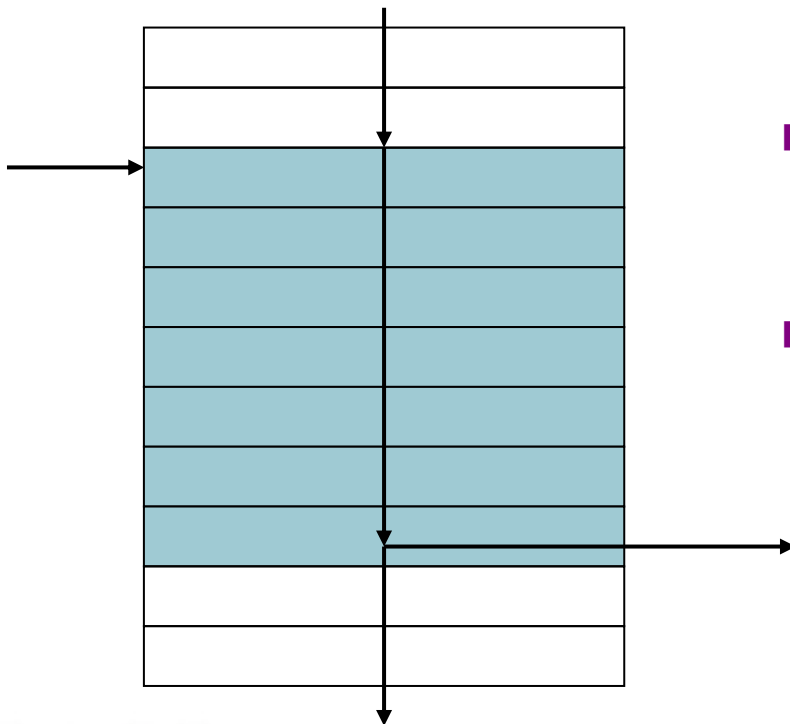
```
L0:  add  $s0, $s3, $s4    # k = 0 so f gets i + j
     jalr x0, 0(x1)        # end of this case so go to Exit
L1:  add  $s0, $s1, $s2    # k = 1 so f gets g + h
     jalr x0, 0(x1)        # end of this case so go to Exit
L2:  sub  $s0, $s1, $s2    # k = 2 so f gets g - h
     jalr x0, 0(x1)        # end of this case so go to Exit
L3:  sub  $s0, $s3, $s4    # k = 3 so f gets i - j
     jalr x0, 0(x1)        # end of switch statement
```

**Memory2**

# Important conception--Basic Blocks

□ A basic block is a sequence of instructions with

- No embedded branches (except at end)
- No branch **targets**/*branch lables* (except at beginning)



- A compiler identifies basic blocks for optimization
- An advanced processor can **accelerate** execution of basic blocks

## 2.8 Supporting Procedures in Computer Hardware



- **Procedure/function** be used to structure programs
  - A stored subroutine that performs a specific task based on the **parameters** with which it is provided
    - easier to understand, allow code to be reused
  - **Six step**
    1. **Place Parameters** in a place where the procedure can access them
    2. **Transfer** control to the procedure: **jump to**
    3. Acquire the **storage resources** needed for the procedure
    4. **Perform** the desired task
    5. Place **the result** value in a place where the calling program can access it
    6. **Return** control to the point of origin





# Procedure Call Instructions

## □ Instruction for procedures: **jal** ( jump-and-link )

**Caller**      **jal x1, ProcedureAddress**

- Address of following instruction put in **x1**
- Jumps to target address

**PC+4 → ra**

## □ Procedure return: jump and link register

**Callee**      **jalr x0, 0(x1)**

- Like jal, but jumps to 0 + address in x1
- Use x0 as rd (x0 cannot be changed)
- Can also be used for computed jumps
  - e.g., for case/switch statements

**Special registers**



# Using More Registers

## □ More Registers for procedure calling

- $a0 \sim a7$  (x10-x17): eight argument registers to pass parameters & return values
- $ra/x1$ : one return address register to return to origin point

## □ Stack

- ideal data structure for spilling registers

- Push, pop

- Stack pointer (**sp**)

## □ Stack grow from higher address to lower address

- Push:  $sp = sp - 8$

```
addi sp,sp,-8
sd ...,8(sp)
```

- Pop:  $sp = sp + 8$

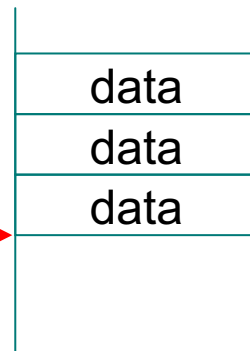
```
ld ...,8(sp)
addi sp,sp,8
```

High address

PUSH  
↓

**sp(top)** →

Low address

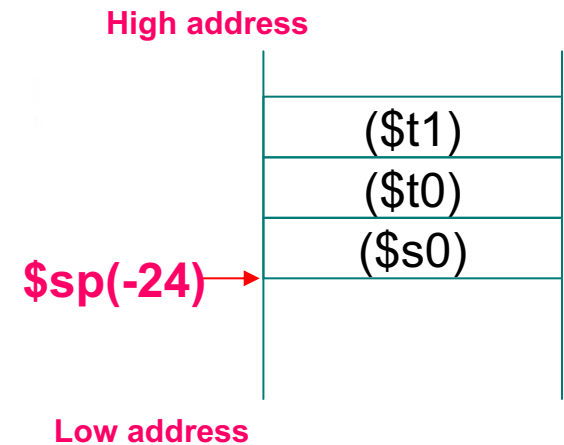


## □ Example 2.15 Compiling a **leaf** procedure

( Assume: g, ..., j in x10, ..., x13 and f in x20)

### ■ C code:

```
long long int leaf_example (
    long long int g, long long int h,
    long long int i, long long int j){
    long long int f;
    f = (g + h) - (i + j);
    return f;
}
```



### ■ RISC-V assembly code:

PUSH {	<i>addi</i>	<i>sp, sp, -24</i>	# adjust stack to make room for 3 items
	<i>sd</i>	<b>x5</b> , 16(sp)	# These three instructions save three
	<i>sd</i>	<b>x6</b> , 8(sp)	# register <b>x5, x6, x20</b>
	<i>sd</i>	<b>x20</b> , 0(sp)	# Let's consider why it need to be done.



```
add x5,x10,x11      # register x5 contains g + h
add x6,x12,x1        # register x6 contains i + j
sub x20,x5,x6        # f = x5 - x6, which is (g + h) - (i + j)

addi x10,x20,0      # copy f to return register ( x10 = x20 + 0)
```

```
POP {
  ld ↑ x20, 0(sp)      # restore register x20 for caller
  ld   x6, 8(sp)        # restore register x6 for caller
  ld   x5, 16(sp)       # restore register x5 for caller
  addi sp, sp, +24      # adjust stack to delete 3 items
  jalr x0,0(x1)         # jump back to calling routine
}
```

□ But maybe some of the three are **not used by the caller**

- So, this way might be **inefficient** to save x5, x6, x20 on stack
- Two classes of registers
  - t0 ~ t6: 7 temporary registers, by the callee **not preserved**
  - s0 ~ s11: 12 saved registers, must be **preserved** If used

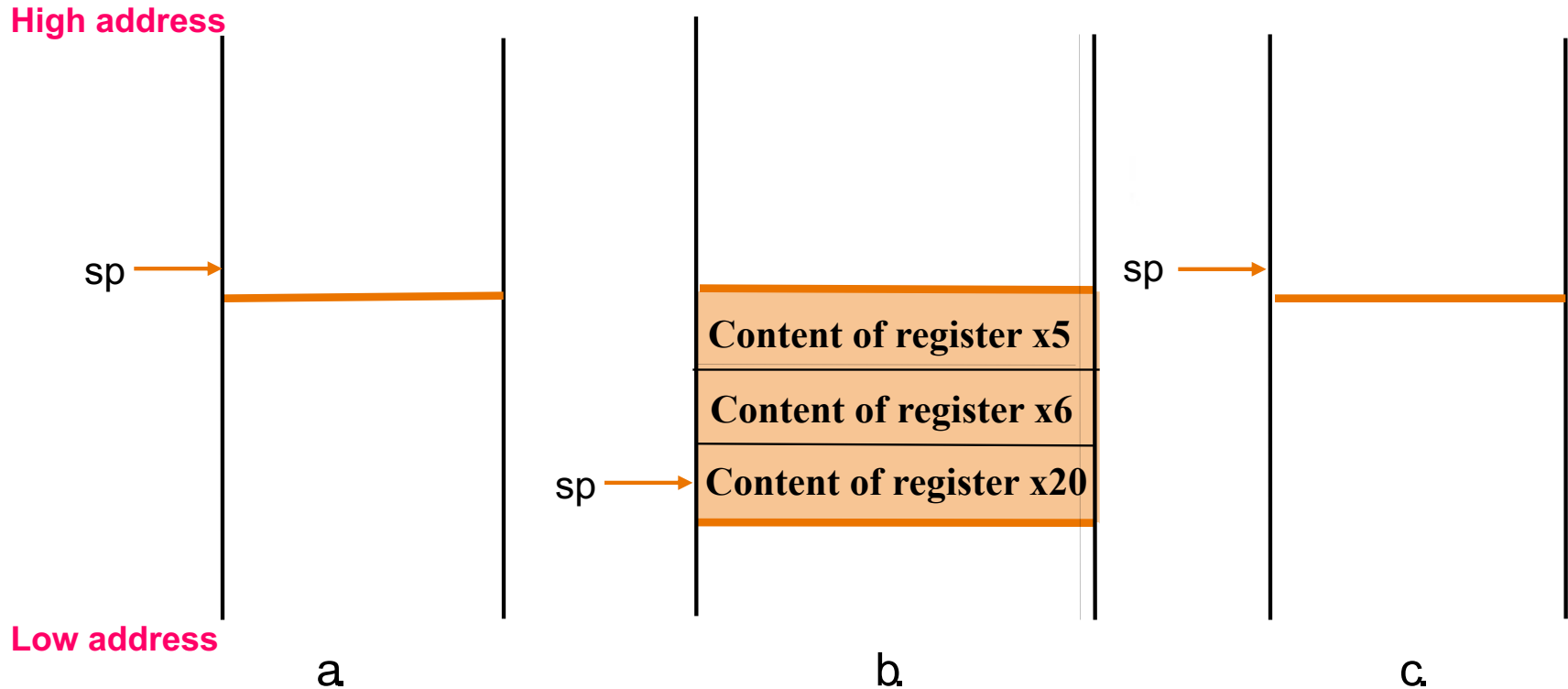


# RISC-V operands

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Name	Register no.	Usage	Preserved on call
<b><math>x0(\text{zero})</math></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>The constant value 0</b>	n.a.
$x1(\text{ra})$	1	Return address(link register)	yes
$x2(\text{sp})$	2	Stack pointer	yes
$x3(\text{gp})$	3	Global pointer	yes
$x4(\text{tp})$	4	Thread pointer	yes
$x5-x7(\text{t0-t2})$	5-7	Temporaries	no
$x8(\text{s0/fp})$	8	Saved/frame point	Yes
$x9(\text{s1})$	9	Saved	Yes
$x10-x17(\text{a0-a7})$	10-17	Arguments/results	no
$x18-x27(\text{s2-s11})$	18-27	Saved	yes
$x28-x31(\text{t3-t6})$	28-31	Temporaries	No
PC	-	Auipc(Add Upper Immediate to PC)	Yes

# The values of the stack pointer and stack **before**, **during** and **after** procedure call in Example 2.15





# Nested Procedures

## □ Example 2.16 Compiling a recursive procedure ( Assume: $n \rightarrow a0$ )

### ■ C code for $n!$

```
int fact ( int n )
{
    if ( n < 1 ) return ( 1 );
    else return ( n * fact ( n - 1 ) );
}
```

Argument  $n$  in  $a0$

Result in  $a0$

### ■ RISC-V assembly code

fact: <b>addi</b> <b>sp</b> , <b>sp</b> , 16	# adjust stack for 2 items
sd <b>ra</b> , 8(sp)	# save the return address: $x1$
sd <b>a0</b> , 0(\$sp)	# save the argument $n$ : $x10$
<b>addi</b> <b>t0</b> , <b>a0</b> , -1	# $x5 = n - 1$
<b>bge</b> <b>t0</b> , <b>zero</b> , L1	# if $n \geq 1$ , go to L1( <b>else</b> )
<b>addi</b> <b>a0</b> , <b>zero</b> , 1	# return 1 if $n < 1$
<b>addi</b> <b>sp</b> , <b>sp</b> , 16	# Recover $sp$ (Why not recover $x1$ and $x10$ ?)
<b>jalr</b> <b>zero</b> , 0( <b>ra</b> )	# return to caller



# Nested Procedures-Continue

<b>L1:</b> <code>addi a0, a0, -1</code>	<code># n &gt;= 1: argument gets ( n - 1 )</code>
<b>jal ra, fact</b>	<code># call fact with ( n - 1 )</code>
<code>add t1, a0, zero</code>	<code>#move result of fact(n - 1) to x6(t1)</code>
<code>ld a0, 0(\$sp)</code>	<code># return from jal: restore argument n</code>
<code>ld ra, 8(\$sp)</code>	<code># restore the return address</code>
<code>add sp, sp, 16</code>	<code># adjust stack pointer to pop 2 items</code>
<code>mul a0, \$a0, t1</code>	<code># return <b>n*fact ( n - 1 )</b></code>
<code>jalr zero, 0(ra)</code>	<code># return to the caller</code>

❑ **Why a0 is saved? Why ra is saved?**

❑ **Preserved things across a procedure call**

Saved registers( s0 ~ s11), stack pointer register( \$sp ),  
return address register( ra/x1 ), stack **above** the stack pointer

❑ **Not preserved things across a procedure call**

Temporary registers( t0 ~ t7 ), argument registers( a0 ~ a7),  
return value registers( a0 ~ a7), stack **below** the stack pointer



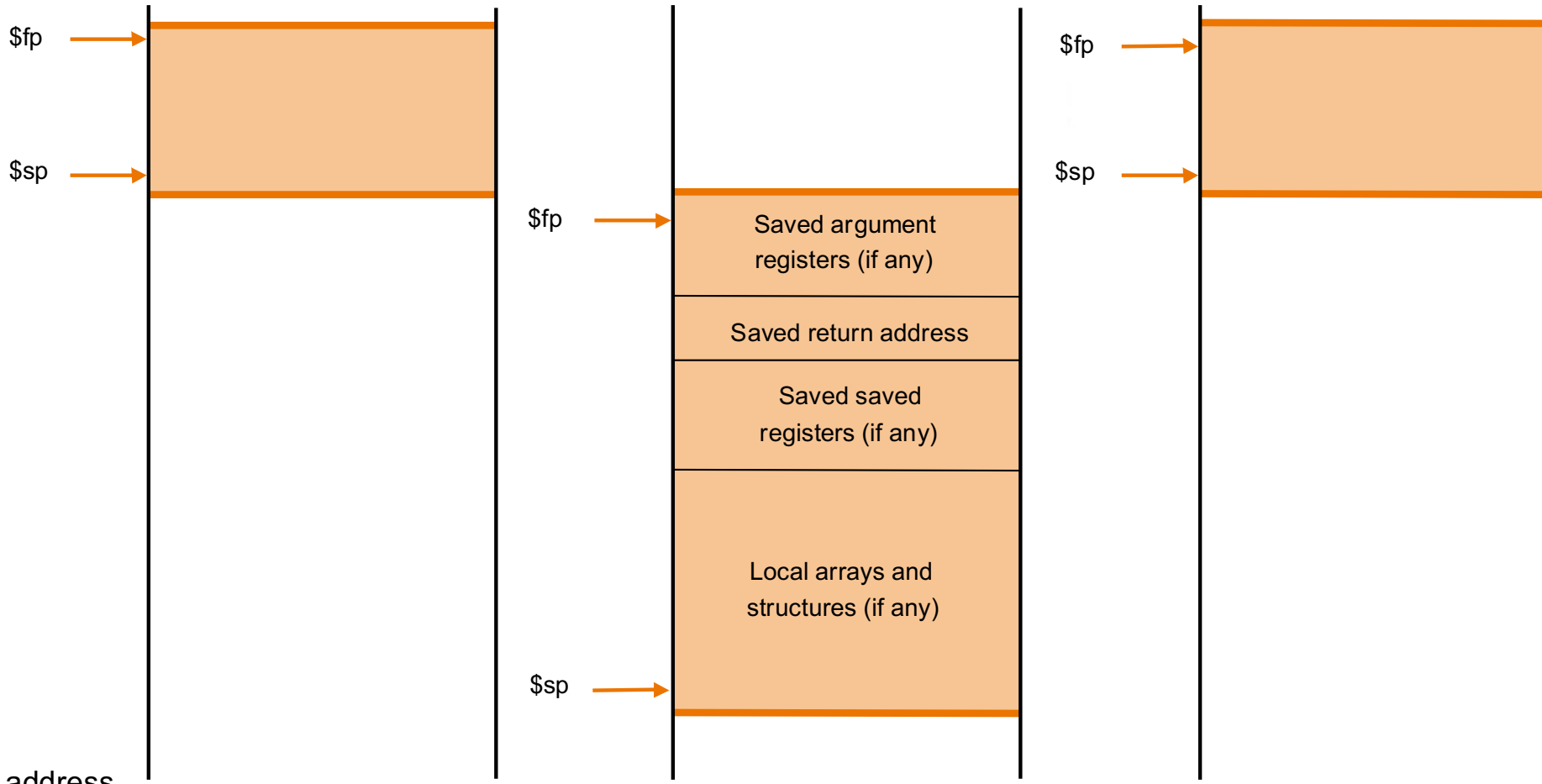
# What is and what is not preserved across a procedure call



Preserved	Not preserved
Saved registers: x8-x9, x18-x27	Temporary registers: x5-x7, x28-x31
Stack pointer register: x2(sp)	Argument/result registers: x10-x17
Frame pointer: x8(fp)	
Return address: x1(ra)	
Stack above the stack pointer	Stack below the stack pointer

# Stack allocation before, during and after procedure call

High address



a.

b.

c.



# Memory Layout

- ❑ **Text: program code**
- ❑ **Static data: global variables**
  - e.g., static variables in C, constant arrays and strings
  - x3 (global pointer) initialized to address allowing  $\pm$  offsets into this segment

SP  $\rightarrow$  0000 003f ffff fff0<sub>hex</sub>

- ❑ **Dynamic data: heap**
  - E.g., malloc in C, new in Java

- ❑ **Stack: automatic storage**

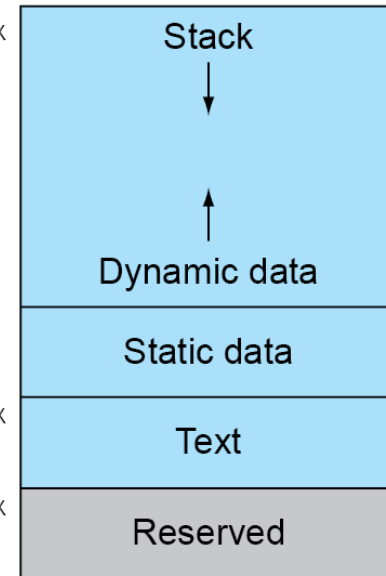
- ❑ **Storage class of C variables**

- *automatic*
- *static*

0000 0000 1000 0000<sub>hex</sub>

PC  $\rightarrow$  0000 0000 0040 0000<sub>hex</sub>

0

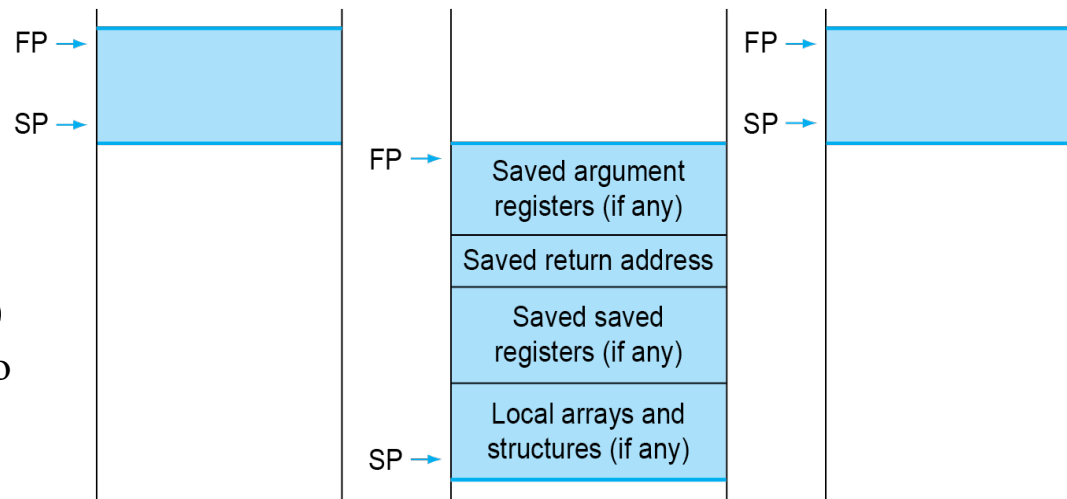


# Local Data on the Stack

## □ Allocating Space for New Data on the **Stack**

- Procedure frame/activation record
  - The segment of stack containing a procedure's saved registers and local variables
- Frame pointer
  - A value denoting the location of saved register and local variables for a given procedure
  - Local data allocated by callee
    - e.g., C automatic variables
  - Procedure frame (activation record)
    - Used by some compilers to manage stack storage

High address



Low address



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$x9$ (s1)	9	Saved	Yes
$x10-x17$ (a0-a7)	10-17	Arguments/results	no
$x18-x27$ (s2-s11)	18-27	Saved	yes
$x28-x31$ (t3-t6)	28-31	Temporaries	No
PC	-	Auipc(Add Upper Immediate to PC)	Yes



# RISC-V assembly language

Category	Instruction	Example	Meaning	Comments
Arithmetic	add	add x5,x6,x7	$x5 = x6 + x7$	Add two source register operands
	subtract	sub x5,x6,x7	$x5 = x6 - x7$	First source register subtracts second one
	add immediate	addi x5,x6,20	$x5 = x6 + 20$	Used to add constants
Data transfer	load doubleword	ld x5, 40(x6)	$x5 = \text{Memory}[x6+40]$	doubleword from memory to register
	store doubleword	sd x5, 40(x6)	$\text{Memory}[x6+40] = x5$	doubleword from register to memory
	load word	lw x5, 40(x6)	$x5 = \text{Memory}[x6+40]$	word from memory to register
	load word, unsigned	lwu x5, 40(x6)	$x5 = \text{Memory}[x6+40]$	Unsigned word from memory to register
	store word	sw x5, 40(x6)	$\text{Memory}[x6+40] = x5$	word from register to memory
	load halfword	lh x5, 40(x6)	$x5 = \text{Memory}[x6+40]$	Halfword from memory to register
Data transfer	load halfword, unsigned	lhu x5, 40(x6)	$x5 = \text{Memory}[x6+40]$	Unsigned halfword from memory to register
	store halfword	sh x5, 40(x6)	$\text{Memory}[x6+40] = x5$	halfword from register to memory
	load byte	lb x5, 40(x6)	$x5 = \text{Memory}[x6+40]$	byte from memory to register
	load word, unsigned	lbu x5, 40(x6)	$x5 = \text{Memory}[x6+40]$	Unsigned byte from memory to register
	store byte	sb x5, 40(x6)	$\text{Memory}[x6+40] = x5$	byte from register to memory
	load reserved	lr.d x5,(x6)	$x5 = \text{Memory}[x6]$	Load; 1st half of atomic swap
	store conditional	sc.d x7,x5,(x6)	$\text{Memory}[x6] = x5;$ $x7 = 0/1$	Store; 2nd half of atomic swap
	Load upper immediate	lui x5,0x12345	$x5 = 0x12345000$	Loads 20-bits constant shifted left 12 bits

# RISC-V assembly language



Category	Instruction	Example	Meaning	Comments
Logical	and	and x5, x6, 3	$x5 = x6 \& 3$	Arithmetic shift right by register
	inclusive or	or x5, x6, x7	$x5 = x6   x7$	Bit-by-bit OR
	exclusive or	xor x5, x6, x7	$x5 = x6 \wedge x7$	Bit-by-bit XOR
	and immediate	andi x5, x6, 20	$x5 = x6 \& 20$	Bit-by-bit AND reg. with constant
	inclusive or immediate	ori x5, x6, 20	$x5 = x6   20$	Bit-by-bit OR reg. with constant
	exclusive or immediate	xori x5, x6, 20	$x5 = x6 \wedge 20$	Bit-by-bit XOR reg. with constant
Shift	shift left logical	sll x5, x6, x7	$x5 = x6 \ll x7$	Shift left by register
	shift right logical	srl x5, x6, x7	$x5 = x6 \gg x7$	Shift right by register
	shift right arithmetic	sra x5, x6, x7	$x5 = x6 \gg x7$	Arithmetic shift right by register
	shift left logical immediate	slli x5, x6, 3	$x5 = x6 \ll 3$	Shift left by immediate
Shift	shift right logical immediate	srli x5, x6, 3	$x5 = x6 \gg 3$	Shift right by immediate
	shift right arithmetic immediate	srai x5, x6, 3	$x5 = x6 \gg 3$	Arithmetic shift right by immediate
Conditional branch	branch if equal	beq x5, x6, 100	if( $x5 == x6$ ) go to PC+100	PC-relative branch if registers equal
	branch if not equal	bne x5, x6, 100	if( $x5 != x6$ ) go to PC+100	PC-relative branch if registers not equal
	branch if less than	blt x5, x6, 100	if( $x5 < x6$ ) go to PC+100	PC-relative branch if registers less
	branch if greater or equal	bge x5, x6, 100	if( $x5 \geq x6$ ) go to PC+100	PC-relative branch if registers greater or equal
	branch if less, unsigned	bltu x5, x6, 100	if( $x5 \geq x6$ ) go to PC+100	PC-relative branch if registers less, unsigned
	branch if greater or equal, unsigned	bgeu x5, x6, 100	if( $x5 \geq x6$ ) go to PC+100	PC-relative branch if registers greater or equal, unsigned
Unconditional branch	jump and link	jal x1, 100	$x1 = PC + 4;$ go to PC+100	PC-relative procedure call
	jump and link register	jalr x1, 100(x5)	$x1 = PC + 4;$ go to $x5+100$	procedure return; indirect call



#### □ Byte-encoded character sets

- ASCII ( American Standard Code for Information Interchange )
  - 128 characters: 95 graphic, 33 control
- Latin-1: 256 characters
  - ASCII, +96 more graphic characters

#### □ Unicode: 32-bit character set

- Used in Java, C++ wide characters, ...
- Most of the world's alphabets, plus symbols
- UTF-8, UTF-16: variable-length encodings





# Byte/Halfword/Word Operations

## □ RISC-V byte/halfword/word load/store

- Load byte/halfword/word: Sign extend to 64 bits in rd
  - lb rd, offset(rs1)
  - lh rd, offset(rs1)
  - lw rd, offset(rs1)
- Load byte/halfword/word unsigned: 0 extend to 64 bits in rd
  - lbu rd, offset(rs1)
  - lhu rd, offset(rs1)
  - lwu rd, offset(rs1)
- Store byte/halfword/word: Store rightmost 8/16/32 bits
  - sb rs2, offset(rs1)
  - sh rs2, offset(rs1)
  - sw rs2, offset(rs1)



# String Copy Example

## □ Example 2.17 Compiling a string copy procedure

( Assume: base addresses for **i** -- x19, x's base --x10, y's base --x11 )

### ■ C code: $Y \rightarrow X$

```
void strcpy ( char x[ ], char y[ ] )
{
    size_t i;
    i = 0;
    while ( ( x[ i ] = y[ i ] ) != '\0' )    /* copy and test byte */
        i += 1;
}
```

### ■ RISC-V assembly code:

```
strcpy:  addi  sp, $sp, 8           # adjust stack for 1 doubleword
         sd    s3, 0($sp)         # save x19
         add   s3, zero, zero     # i = 0
L1:      add   t0, s3, a1         # x5 = address of y[ i ]
         lbu   t1, 0(t0)         # x6 = y[ i ]
         add   t2, s3, a0         # x7 = address of x[ i ]
         sb    t1, 0(t2)         # x[ i ] = y[ i ]
```



```
        beq    t1, zero, L2          # if y[i] == 0 then exit
        addi   s3, s3, 1             # i = i + 1
        jal    zero, L1              # next iteration of loop
L2:     ld     s3, 0(sp)             # restore saved old s3
        addi   sp, sp, 8             # pop 1 double word from stack
        jalr   zero 0(x1)            # return
```

## □ Optimization for example 2.17

- strcpy is a leaf procedure
- Allocate i to a temporary register s3/x18

## □ For a leaf procedure

- The compiler exhausts all temporary registers
- Then use the registers it must save

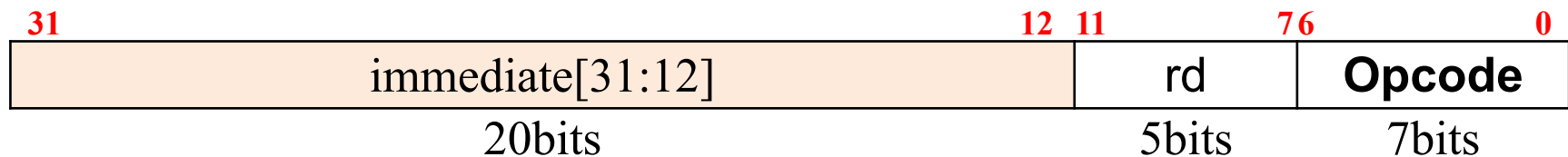


## 2.10 RISC V Addressing for 32-Bit Immediate and Addresses

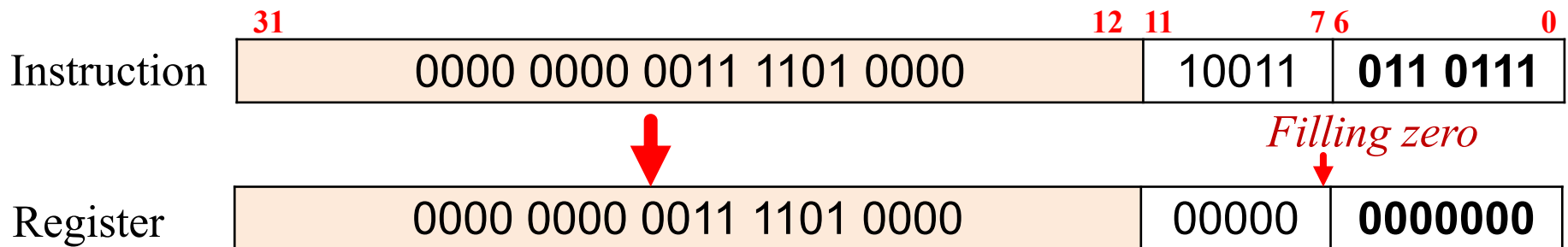
### □ Wide Bit Immediate addressing

- most constants is short and fit into 12-bit field
- Set upper 20 bits of a constants in a register with *load upper immediate* (lui rd, constant)

### □ instruction format (U-type)



- lui x19, 976                      # 0x003D0





# 32-bit Constants

## □ Example 2.19 Loading a 32-bit constant

- The 32-bit constant:

0000 0000 0011 1101 0000 **1001 0000 0000**  $(976*16^3 + 2304=4000000)_{10}$

- RISC V code:

lui s3, 976 # 976 decimal = 0000 0000 0011 1101 0000 binary

(The value of s3 afterward is: 0000 0000 0011 1101 0000 0000 0000 0000)

addi s3, s3, 2304 # 2304 decimal = **1001 0000 0000** binary

The value of s3 afterward is:

0000 0000 0000 0000	0000 0000 0000 0000	0000 0000 0011 1101 0000	<b>1001 0000 0000</b>
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## □ Note: Why does it need two steps?



# Branch Addressing

## □ Addressing in branches

- Branch instructions specify
  - Opcode, two registers, target address
- Most branch targets are near branch
  - Forward or backward

## □ SB-type: `bne x10, x11, 2000, //2000 = 0111 1101 0000`

inst[31:0]

0	111110	01011	01010	001	1000	0	1100011
imm[12]	imm[10:5]	rs2	rs1	funct3	imm[4:1]	imm[11]	opcode

imm[31:0]

Inst[31] signextension	Inst[7]	Inst[30:25]	Inst[11:8]	1'B0
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- PC-relative addressing
  - Target address = PC + Branch offset
  - = PC + immediate × 2

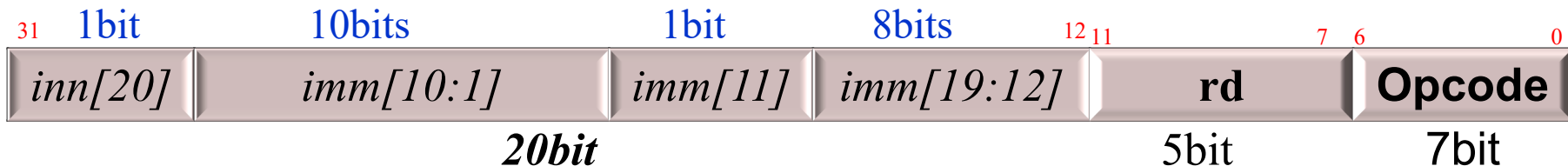


# Jump Addressing

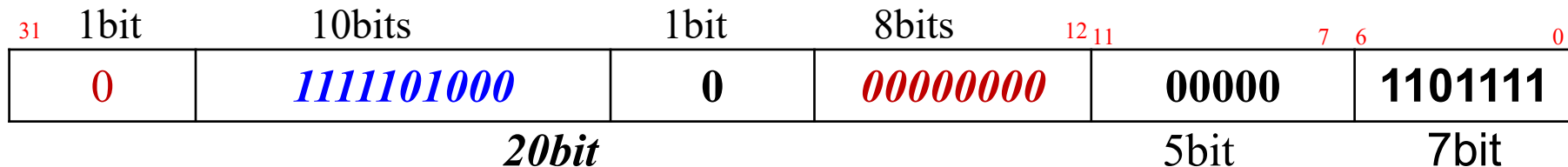
## □ Jump and link (jal)

- target uses 20-bit immediate for larger range

## □ UJ format: $UJ = \{ \{11 \{inst[31]\} \}, inst[31], inst[19:12], inst[20], inst[30:21], 1'b0 \};$



## □ jal x0, 2000      # $2000_{10} = (0 \ 00000000 \ 0 \ 111 \ 1101 \ 0000)_2$



## □ For more long jumps: eg, to 32-bit absolute address

- lui: load address[31:12] to temp register
- jalr: add address[11:0] and jump to target



# Show branch offset in machine language

## □ Example 2.20 P116/p94

### ■ C language:

while (save[i]==k) i=i+1;

RISC-V assembler code in Example 2.12:

```
Loop: slli    a0, s6, 3           # temp reg x10 = 8 * i
      add     a0, a0, s9          # x10 = address of save[i]
      ld      s1, 0(a0)           # temp reg x9 = save[i]
      bne     s1, s8, Exit        # go to Exit if save[i] != k
```

```
      addi    s6, s6, 1           # i = i + j
      beq     zero, zero, Loop    # go to Loop
```

**Exit:**





# Instructions Addressing and their Offset

		instructions Code with Binary						Hex	
Address		fun7	rs2	rs1	fun3	rd/offset	OP		
Loop:	slli	80000	0000000	00011	10110	001	01010	0010011	003B1513
	add	80004	0000000	11001	01010	000	01010	0110011	01950533
	ld	80008	0000000	00000	01010	011	01001	0000011	00053483
	bne	80012	0000000	11000	01001	001	01100	1100011	01849663
	addi	80016	0000000	00001	10110	000	10110	0010011	001B0B13
	beq	80020	1111111	00000	00000	000	01101	1100011	FE0006E3
Exit:		80024	.....						

-10

6

=0110

$$-20 = 80000 - 80020$$

$$PC + offset : 12 = 80024 - 80012$$

## Modification:

- All RISC-V instructions are 4 bytes long
- PC-relative addressing refers to the number of halfwords
  - The address field at 80012 above should be 6 instead of 12



# While branch target is far away

## □ Inserts an **unconditional jump** to target

- **Invert** the **condition** so that the branch decides whether to skip the jump

## □ **Example 2.21** p117: **Branching far away**

- Given a branch:

**beq** a0, zero, **L1**

- Rewrite it to offer a much greater branching distance:

**bne** a0, zero, L2

jal zero, **L1**

L2:

# Summary of RISC-V architecture in Ch. 2



## □ RISC-V Instruction Format and Their Operands

Name	Fields																	Comments														
Field size	31	7bits			25	24	5bits		20	19	5bits		15	14	3bits		12	11	5bits		7	6	7bits		0	All RISC-V instruction 32 b						
R-type	funct7				rs2			rs1			funct3			rd			opcode			Arithmetic instruction format												
I-type	immediate[11:0]																	rs1			funct3			rd			opcode			Loads & immediate arithmetic		
S-type	immed[11:5]					rs2			rs1			funct3			immed[4:0]					opcode			Stores									
SB-type	imm[12,10:5]					rs2			rs1			funct3			imm[4:1,11]					opcode			Conditional branch format									
UJ-type	immediate[20,10:1,11,19:12]														rd			opcode			Unconditional jump format											
U-type	immediate[31:12]														rd			opcode			Upper immediate format											

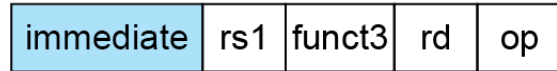
Name	Operands	
32 registers	\$zero, ra, sp, gp, tp, t0-t6, s0~s11, a0~a7	
Mem words	Memory[0], Memory[8], Memory[10], . . . , Memory[18,446,744,073,709,551,608]	

<b>x0(zero)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>The constant value 0</b>	n.a.
x1( <b>ra</b> )	1	Return address(link register)	yes
x2( <b>sp</b> )	2	Stack pointer	yes
x3(gp)	3	Global pointer	yes
x4(tp)	4	Thread pointer	yes
x5-x7(t0-t2)	5-7	Temporaries	no
x8(s0/fp)	8	Saved/frame point	Yes
x9(s1)	9	Saved	Yes
x10-x17(a0-a7)	10-17	Arguments/results	no
x18-x27(s2-s11)	18-27	Saved	yes
x28-x31(t3-t6)	28-31	Temporaries	No
PC	-	Auipc(Add Upper Immediate to PC)	



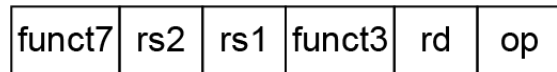
# RISC-V Addressing Summary

## 1. Immediate addressing



**addi x5,x6,4**

## 2. Register addressing

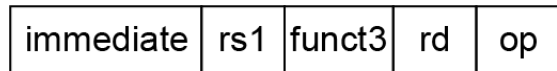


**add x5,x6,x7**

Registers

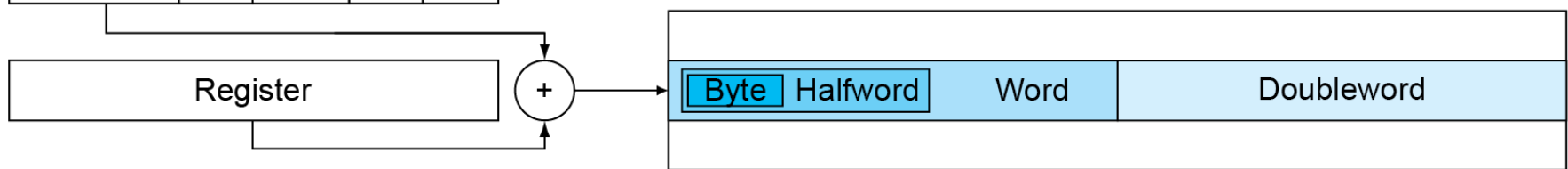
Register

## 3. Base addressing

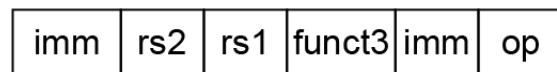


**ld x5,100(x6)**

Memory

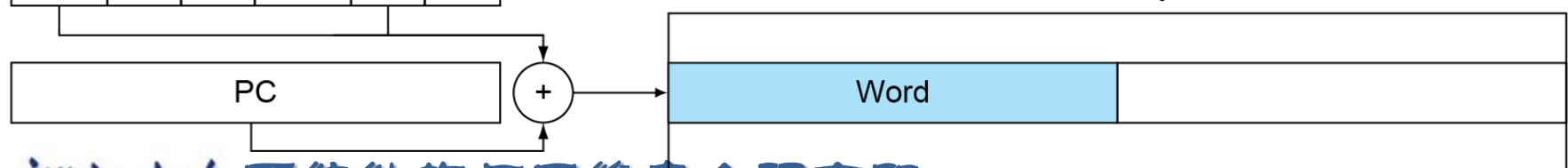


## 4. PC-relative addressing



**beq x5,x6,L1**

Memory





# RISC-V Disassembly

## □ Example 2.22 P120: **Decoding machine code**

### ■ Machine instruction(0x00578833)

( Bits: <sup>31</sup> 0000000 <sup>25</sup> 00101 <sup>24</sup> 01111 <sup>20</sup> 000 <sup>7</sup> 10000 <sup>2</sup> 01100 <sup>0</sup> 11 )

### Decoding

#### □ Determine the operation from opcode

opcode: 0110011 → **R-type arithmetic instruction**

funct7	rs2	rs1	funct3	rd	opcode
000 0000	00101	01111	000	10000	0110011

funct7 and funct3 are all 0 → **add instruction**

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#### □ Determine other fields

**rs2: x5/t0; rs1: x15/a5; rd: x16/a7**

#### □ Show the assembly instruction:

**add a7, a5, t0** (Note: add rd,rs,rt)



# Summary of RISC-V instruction encoding

Format	Instruction	Opcode	Funct3	Funct6/7
R-type	add	0110011	000	0000000
	sub	0110011	000	0100000
	sll	0110011	001	0000000
	xor	0110011	100	0000000
	srl	0110011	101	0000000
	sra	0110011	101	0000000
	or	0110011	110	0000000
	and	0110011	111	0000000
	lr.d	0110011	011	0001000
	sc.d	0110011	011	0001100



# Summary of RISC-V instruction encoding

Format	Instruction	Opcode	Funct3	Funct6/7
I-type	lb	0000011	000	n.a.
	lh	0000011	001	n.a.
	lw	0000011	010	n.a.
	ld	0000011	011	n.a.
	lbu	0000011	100	n.a.
	lhu	0000011	101	n.a.
	lwu	0000011	110	n.a.
	addi	0010011	000	n.a.
	slli	0010011	001	000000
	xori	0010011	100	n.a.
	srli	0010011	101	000000
	srai	0010011	101	010000
	ori	0010011	110	n.a.
	andi	0010011	111	n.a.
	jalr	1100111	000	n.a.



# Summary of RISC-V instruction encoding

Format	Instruction	Opcode	Funct3	Funct6/7
S-type	sb	0100011	000	n.a.
	sh	0100011	001	n.a.
	sw	0100011	010	n.a.
	sd	0100011	111	n.a.
SB-type	beq	1100111	000	n.a.
	bne	1100111	001	n.a.
	blt	1100111	100	n.a.
	bge	1100111	101	n.a.
	bltu	1100111	110	n.a.
	bgeu	1100111	111	n.a.
U-type	lui	0110111	n.a.	n.a.
UI-type	jal	1101111	n.a.	n.a.



# 2.11 Synchronization in RISC-V



## ❑ Two processors sharing an area of memory

- P1 writes, then P2 reads
- Data race if P1 and P2 don't synchronize
  - ❑ Result depends of order of accesses

## ❑ Hardware support required

- Atomic read/write memory operation
- No other access to the location allowed between the read and write

## ❑ Could be a single instruction

- E.g., atomic swap of register  $\leftrightarrow$  memory
- Or an atomic pair of instructions



# Synchronization in RISC-V

- ❑ **Load reserved: `lr.d rd, (rs1)`**
  - Load from address in rs1 to rd
  - Place reservation on memory address
- ❑ **Store conditional: `sc.d rd, (rs1), rs2`**
  - Store from rs2 to address in rs1
  - Succeeds if location not changed since the `lr.d`
    - ❑ Returns 0 in rd
  - Fails if location is changed
    - ❑ Returns non-zero value in rd



# Synchronization in RISC-V

## □ Example 1: atomic swap (to test/set lock variable)

```
again: lr.d x10,(x20)
       sc.d x11,(x20),x23 // x11 = status
       bne x11,x0,again   // branch if store failed
       addi x23,x10,0     // x23 = loaded value
```

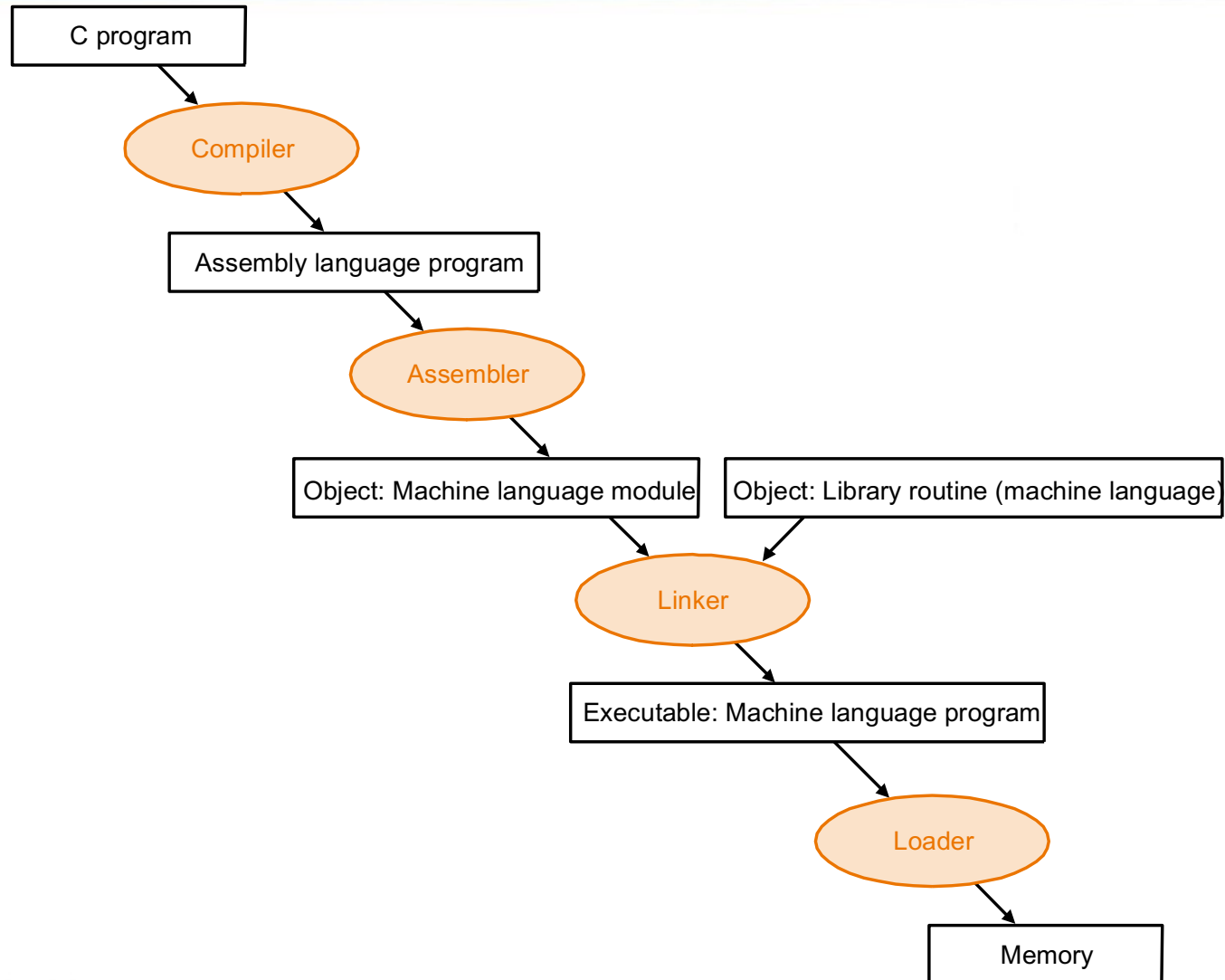
## □ Example 2: lock

```
       addi x12,x0,1      // copy locked value
again: lr.d x10,(x20)     // read lock
       bne x10,x0,again   // check if it is 0 yet
       sc.d x11,(x20),x12 // attempt to store
       bne x11,x0,again   // branch if fails
```

## □ Unlock:

```
sd x0,0(x20) // free lock
```

## 2.12 Translating and starting a program





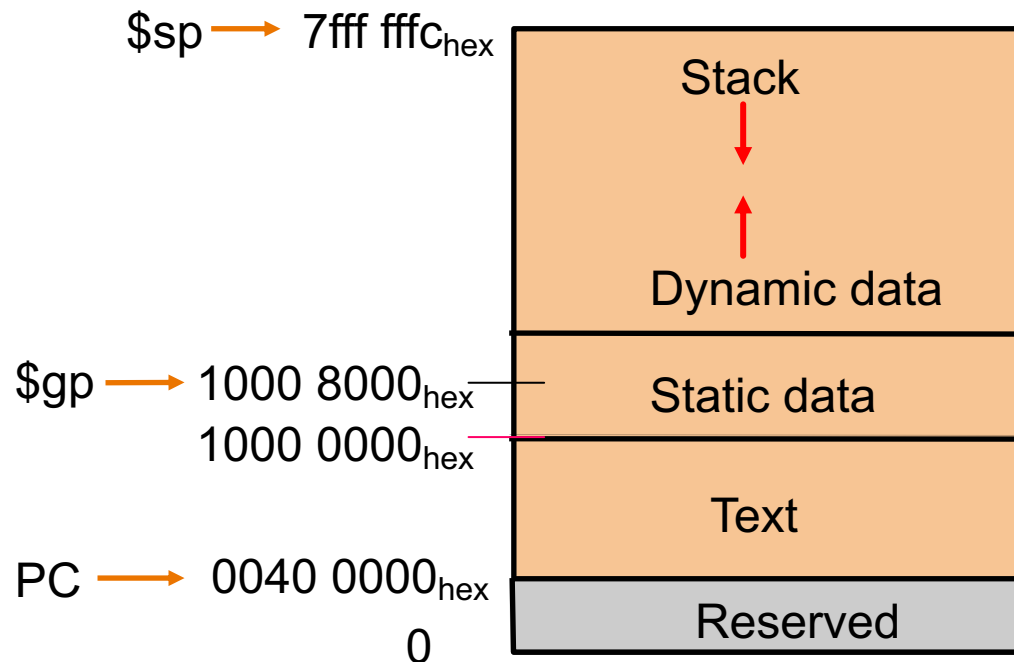
# Producing an Object Module

- ❑ **Assembler (or compiler) translates program into machine instructions**
- ❑ **Provides information for building a complete program from the pieces**
  - Header: described contents of object module
  - Text segment: translated instructions
  - Static data segment: data allocated for the life of the program
  - Relocation info: for contents that depend on absolute location of loaded program
  - Symbol table: global definitions and external refs
  - Debug info: for associating with source code

Object file header			
	Name	Procedure A	
	Text size	100 <sub>hex</sub>	
	Data size	20 <sub>hex</sub>	
Text segment	Address	instruction	
	0	ld x10, 0(gp)	
	4	jal x1, 0	
	.....	--	
Data segment	0	(X)	
	.....	.....	
Relocation information	Address	Instruction type	Dependency
	0	ld	X
	4	jal	B
Symbol table	label	Address	
	X	--	
	B	--	

# Link

- Object modules(including library routine) → **executable program**
- 3 step of Link
  - Place code and data modules symbolically in memory
  - Determine the addresses of data and instruction labels
  - Patch both the internal and external references (**Address of invoke**)





# Loading a Program

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## □ Load from image file on disk into memory

1. Read header to determine segment sizes
2. Create virtual address space
3. Copy text and initialized data into memory
  - Or set page table entries so they can be faulted in
4. Set up arguments on stack
5. Initialize registers (including sp, fp, gp)
6. Jump to startup routine
  - Copies arguments to x10, ... and calls main
  - When main returns, do exit syscall





# Dynamic Linking

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- Only link/load library procedure when it is called
  - Requires procedure code to be relocatable
  - Avoids image bloat caused by static linking of all (transitively) referenced libraries
  - Automatically picks up new library versions

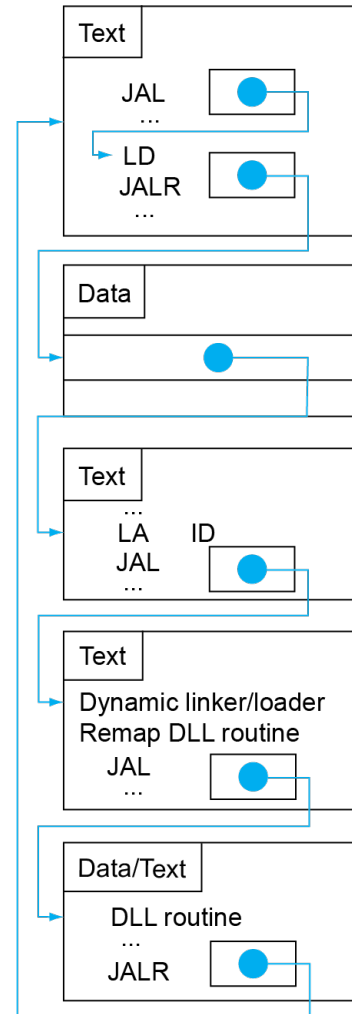
# Lazy Linkage

Indirection table

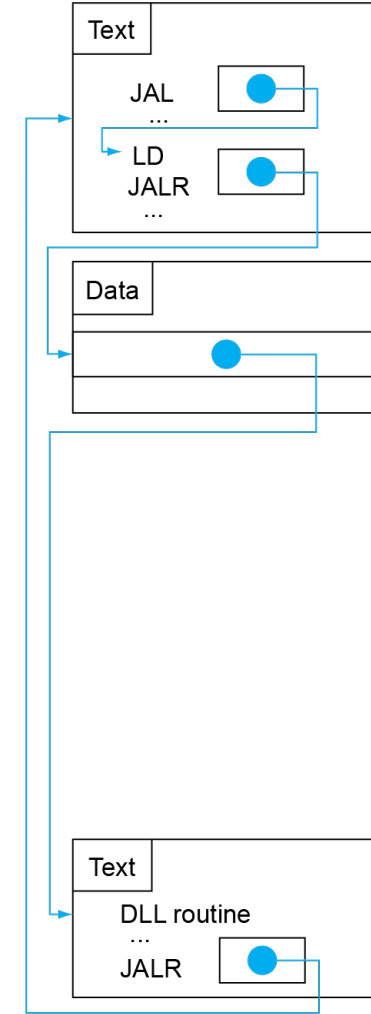
Stub: Loads routine ID,  
Jump to linker/loader

Linker/loader code

Dynamically  
mapped code

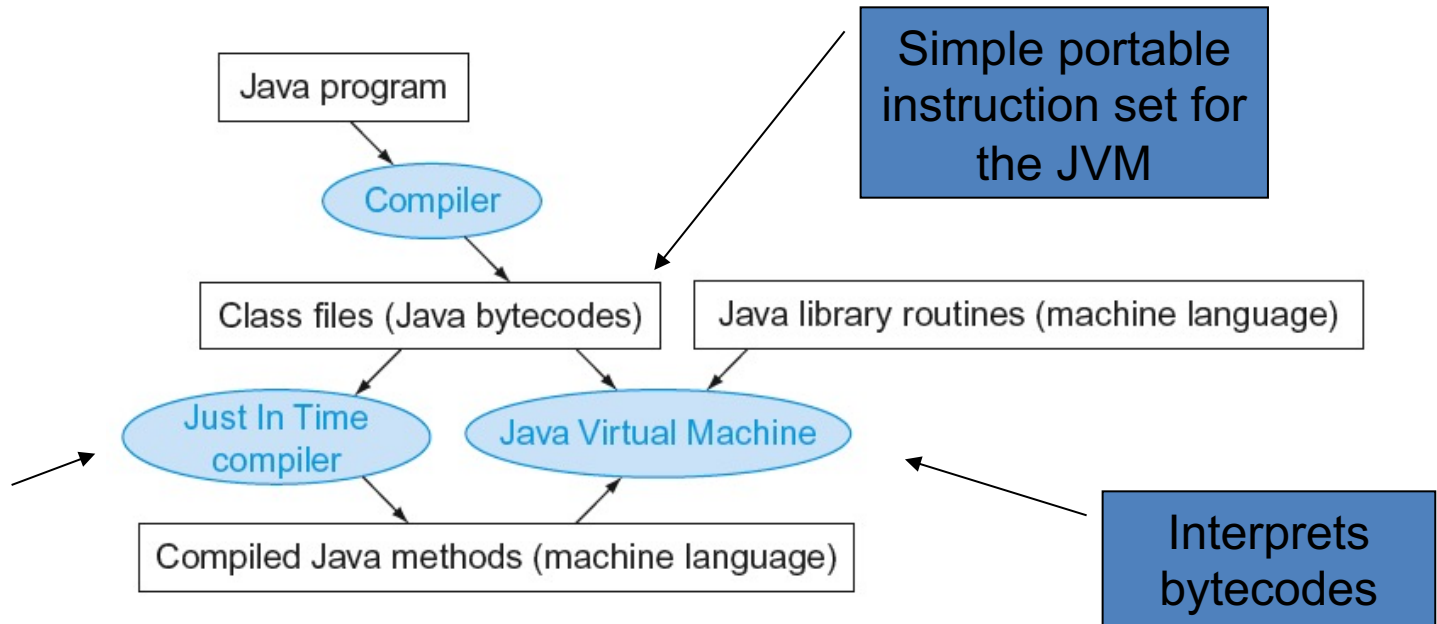


(a) First call to DLL routine



(b) Subsequent calls to DLL routine

# Starting Java Applications





## 2.13 A C Sort Example To Put it All Together

### □ Three general steps for translating C procedures

- Allocate registers to program variables
- Produce code for the body of the procedures
- Preserve registers across the procedures invocation

### □ Procedure *swap*

- C code

```
void swap ( long long  v[ ],  size_t k )  
{  
    long lon  temp ;  
    temp = v[ k ] ;  
    v[ k ] = v[ k + 1 ] ;  
    v[ k + 1 ] = temp ;  
}
```



# The Procedure Swap

- Register allocation for *swap*

v ---- x10    k ---- x11    temp ---- x5

- *swap* is a leaf procedure, nothing to preserve
- RISC-V code for the procedure *swap*

- Procedure body

```
swap:  slli  x6, x11, 3           // x6 = k * 8
        add  x6, x10, x6         // x6 = v + (k * 8)
        ld   x5, 0(x6)           // x5 ← v[ k ]
        ld   x7, 8(x6)           // x7 ← v[ k + 1 ]
        sd   x7, 0(x6)           // v[k+1] → v[ k ]
        sd   x5, 8(x6)           // v[k] → v[ k + 1 ]
```

- Procedure return

```
        jalr x0, 0(x1)           // return to calling routine
```



# The Sort Procedure in C

## □ Procedure *sort*

### ■ C code

```
void sort(long long v[ ], size_t n)
{
    size_t i, j;
    for (i = 0; i < n; i += 1) {
        for (j = i - 1; j >= 0 && v[j] > v[j+1]; j -= 1)
            swap(v, j);
    }
}
```

### ■ **Register allocation** for *sort*

v ---- x10      n ---- x11      i ---- x19      j ---- x20

### ■ **Passing parameters** in *sort*

### ■ **Preserving registers** in *sort*

x1, x19, x20, x21, x22



# The Outer Loop

## □ Skeleton of outer loop:

- for ( $i = 0; i < n; i += 1$ ) {

```
li    x19,0          // i = 0
```

```
for1tst:
```

```
bge   x19,x11,exit1  // go to exit1 if  $x19 \geq x11$  ( $i \geq n$ )
```

(body of outer for-loop)

```
addi  x19,x19,1      // i += 1
```

```
j     for1tst        // branch to test of outer loop
```

```
exit1:
```



# The Inner Loop

## □ Skeleton of inner loop:

- for ( $j = i - 1$ ;  $j \geq 0$  &&  $v[j] > v[j + 1]$ ;  $j - = 1$ ) {  
    addi x20,x19,-1      //  $j = i - 1$

for2tst:

```
blt  x20,x0,exit2  // go to exit2 if  $x20 < 0$  ( $j < 0$ )
slli x5,x20,3      // reg  $x5 = j * 8$ 
add  x5,x10,x5     // reg  $x5 = v + (j * 8)$ 
ld   x6,0(x5)      // reg  $x6 = v[j]$ 
ld   x7,8(x5)      // reg  $x7 = v[j + 1]$ 
ble  x6,x7,exit2   // go to exit2 if  $x6 \leq x7$ 
mv   x21, x10      // copy parameter  $x10$  into  $x21$ 
mv   x22, x11      // copy parameter  $x11$  into  $x22$ 
mv   x10, x21      // first swap parameter is  $v$ 
mv   x11, x20      // second swap parameter is  $j$ 
jal  x1,swap       // call swap
addi x20,x20,-1    //  $j -= 1$ 
j    for2tst       // branch to test of inner loop
```

exit2:





# Preserving Registers

## □ Saving registers

```
sort:    addi    sp, sp, -40    // make room on stack for 5 registers
         sd      x1, 32(sp)    // save return address on stack
         sd      x22, 24(sp)   // save x22 on stack
         sd      x21, 16(sp)   // save x21 on stack
         sd      x20, 8(sp)    // save x20 on stack
         sd      x19, 0(sp)    // save x19 on stack
```

## □ Procedure body{Outer loop {Inner loop} }

## □ Restoring registers

```
exit1:   ld      x19, 0(sp)    // restore x19 from stack
         ld      x20, 8(sp)    // restore x20 from stack
         ld      x21, 16(sp)   // restore x21 from stack
         ld      x22, 24(sp)   // restore x22 from stack
         ld      x1, 32(sp)    // restore return address from stack
         addi    sp, sp, 40    // restore stack pointer
```

## □ Procedure return

```
jalr    x0, 0(x0)    // return to calling routine
```



## 2.14 Arrays versus Pointers

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### □ Array indexing involves

- Multiplying index by element size
- Adding to array base address

### □ Pointers correspond directly to memory addresses

- Can avoid indexing complexity



# Example: Clearing an Array

```
clear1(int array[], int size) {  
    int i;  
    for (i = 0; i < size; i += 1)  
        array[i] = 0;  
}
```

```
clear2(int *array, int size) {  
    int *p;  
    for (p = &array[0]; p < &array[size];  
        p = p + 1)  
        *p = 0;  
}
```

```
li    x5,0          // i = 0  
loop1:  
slli  x6,x5,3        // x6 = i * 8  
add   x7,x10,x6      // x7 = address  
                        // of array[i]  
sd    x0,0(x7)       // array[i] = 0  
addi  x5,x5,1        // i = i + 1  
blt   x5,x11,loop1   // if (i<size)  
                        // go to loop1
```

```
mv    x5,x10         // p = address  
                        // of array[0]  
slli  x6,x11,3       // x6 = size * 8  
add   x7,x10,x6      // x7 = address  
                        // of array[size]  
loop2:  
sd    x0,0(x5)       // Memory[p] = 0  
addi  x5,x5,8        // p = p + 8  
bltu  x5,x7,loop2    // if (p<&array[size])  
                        // go to loop2
```



# Comparison of Array vs. Ptr

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- ❑ Multiply “strength reduced” to shift
- ❑ Array version requires shift to be inside loop
  - Part of index calculation for incremented  $i$
  - c.f. incrementing pointer
- ❑ Compiler can achieve same effect as manual use of pointers
  - Induction variable elimination
  - Better to make program clearer and safer



## 2.16 Real Stuff: MIPS Instructions

- ❑ **MIPS: commercial predecessor to RISC-V**
- ❑ **Similar basic set of instructions**
  - 32-bit instructions
  - 32 general purpose registers, register 0 is always 0
  - 32 floating-point registers
  - Memory accessed only by load/store instructions
    - ❑ Consistent use of addressing modes for all data sizes
- ❑ **Different conditional branches**
  - For  $<$ ,  $\leq$ ,  $>$ ,  $\geq$
  - RISC-V: blt, bge, bltu, bgeu
  - MIPS: slt, sltu (set less than, result is 0 or 1)
    - ❑ Then use beq, bne to complete the branch



# Instruction Encoding

## Register-register

	31	25	24	20	19	15	14	12	11	7	6	0		
RISC-V	funct7(7)				rs2(5)		rs1(5)		funct3(3)		rd(5)		opcode(7)	
	31	26	25	21	20	16	15	11	10	6	5	0		
MIPS	Op(6)				Rs1(5)		Rs2(5)		Rd(5)		Const(5)		Opx(6)	

## Load

	31	20	19	15	14	12	11	7	6	0		
RISC-V	immediate(12)					rs1(5)		funct3(3)	rd(5)		opcode(7)	
	31	26	25	21	20	16	15	0				
MIPS	Op(6)			Rs1(5)		Rs2(5)		Const(16)				

## Store

	31	25	24	20	19	15	14	12	11	7	6	0						
RISC-V	immediate(7)					rs2(5)				rs1(5)			funct3(3)		immediate(5)		opcode(7)	
	31	26	25	21	20	16	15						0					
MIPS	Op(6)					Rs1(5)				Rs2(5)				Const(16)				

## Branch

	31	25	24	20	19	15	14	12	11	7	6	0					
RISC-V	immediate(7)					rs2(5)			rs1(5)			funct3(3)		immediate(5)		opcode(7)	
	31	26	25	21	20	16	15							0			
MIPS	Op(6)					Rs1(5)			Opx/Rs2(5)			Const(16)					

# 2.17 Real Stuff: The Intel x86 ISA



## □ Evolution with backward compatibility

- 8080 (1974): 8-bit microprocessor
  - Accumulator, plus 3 index-register pairs
- 8086 (1978): 16-bit extension to 8080
  - Complex instruction set (CISC)
- 8087 (1980): floating-point coprocessor
  - Adds FP instructions and register stack
- 80286 (1982): 24-bit addresses, MMU
  - Segmented memory mapping and protection
- 80386 (1985): 32-bit extension (now IA-32)
  - Additional addressing modes and operations
  - Paged memory mapping as well as segments



# The Intel x86 ISA

## □ Further evolution...

- i486 (1989): pipelined, on-chip caches and FPU
  - Compatible competitors: AMD, Cyrix, ...
- Pentium (1993): superscalar, 64-bit datapath
  - Later versions added MMX (Multi-Media eXtension) instructions
  - The infamous FDIIV bug
- Pentium Pro (1995), Pentium II (1997)
  - New microarchitecture (see Colwell, *The Pentium Chronicles*)
- Pentium III (1999)
  - Added SSE (Streaming SIMD Extensions) and associated registers
- Pentium 4 (2001)
  - New microarchitecture
  - Added SSE2 instructions





# The Intel x86 ISA

## □ And further...

- AMD64 (2003): extended architecture to 64 bits
- EM64T – Extended Memory 64 Technology (2004)
  - AMD64 adopted by Intel (with refinements)
  - Added SSE3 instructions
- Intel Core (2006)
  - Added SSE4 instructions, virtual machine support
- AMD64 (announced 2007): SSE5 instructions
  - Intel declined to follow, instead...
- Advanced Vector Extension (announced 2008)
  - Longer SSE registers, more instructions

## □ If Intel didn't extend with compatibility, its competitors would!

- Technical elegance  $\neq$  market success



# Basic x86 Registers

Name	31	0	Use
EAX			GPR 0
ECX			GPR 1
EDX			GPR 2
EBX			GPR 3
ESP			GPR 4
EBP			GPR 5
ESI			GPR 6
EDI			GPR 7
	CS		Code segment pointer
	SS		Stack segment pointer (top of stack)
	DS		Data segment pointer 0
	ES		Data segment pointer 1
	FS		Data segment pointer 2
	GS		Data segment pointer 3
EIP			Instruction pointer (PC)
EFLAGS			Condition codes



# Basic x86 Addressing Modes

## □ Two operands per instruction

Source/dest operand	Second source operand
Register	Register
Register	Immediate
Register	Memory
Memory	Register
Memory	Immediate

## □ Memory addressing modes

- Address in register
- $\text{Address} = R_{\text{base}} + \text{displacement}$
- $\text{Address} = R_{\text{base}} + 2^{\text{scale}} \times R_{\text{index}}$  (scale = 0, 1, 2, or 3)
- $\text{Address} = R_{\text{base}} + 2^{\text{scale}} \times R_{\text{index}} + \text{displacement}$

# x86 Instruction Encoding

a. JE EIP + displacement

4	4	8
JE	Condition	Displacement

b. CALL

8	32
CALL	Offset

c. MOV EBX, [EDI + 45]

6	1	1	8	8
MOV	d	w	r/m Postbyte	Displacement

d. PUSH ESI

5	3
PUSH	Reg

e. ADD EAX, #6765

4	3	1	32
ADD	Reg	w	Immediate

f. TEST EDX, #42

7	1	8	32
TEST	w	Postbyte	Immediate

## Variable length encoding

- Postfix bytes specify addressing mode
- Prefix bytes modify operation
  - Operand length, repetition, locking, ...



# Implementing IA-32

## ❑ Complex instruction set makes implementation difficult

- Hardware translates instructions to simpler microoperations
  - ❑ Simple instructions: 1–1
  - ❑ Complex instructions: 1–many
- Microengine similar to RISC
- Market share makes this economically viable

## ❑ Comparable performance to RISC

- Compilers avoid complex instructions



## 2.18 Other RISC-V Instructions

### □ Base integer instructions (RV64I)

- Those previously described, plus
- `auipc rd, imm` //  $rd = (imm \ll 12) + pc$ 
  - follow by `jalr` (adds 12-bit `imm`) for long jump
- `slt`, `sltu`, `slti`, `sltui`: set less than (like MIPS)
- `addw`, `subw`, `addiw`: 32-bit add/sub
- `sllw`, `srlw`, `sraiw`: 32-bit shift

### □ 32-bit variant: RV32I

- registers are 32-bits wide, 32-bit operations



# Instruction Set Extensions

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- ❑ **M: integer multiply, divide, remainder**
- ❑ **A: atomic memory operations**
- ❑ **F: single-precision floating point**
- ❑ **D: double-precision floating point**
- ❑ **C: compressed instructions**
  - 16-bit encoding for frequently used instructions



# Fallacies

## ❑ Powerful instruction $\Rightarrow$ higher performance

- Fewer instructions required
- But complex instructions are hard to implement
  - ❑ May slow down all instructions, including simple ones
- Compilers are good at making fast code from simple instructions

## ❑ Use assembly code for high performance

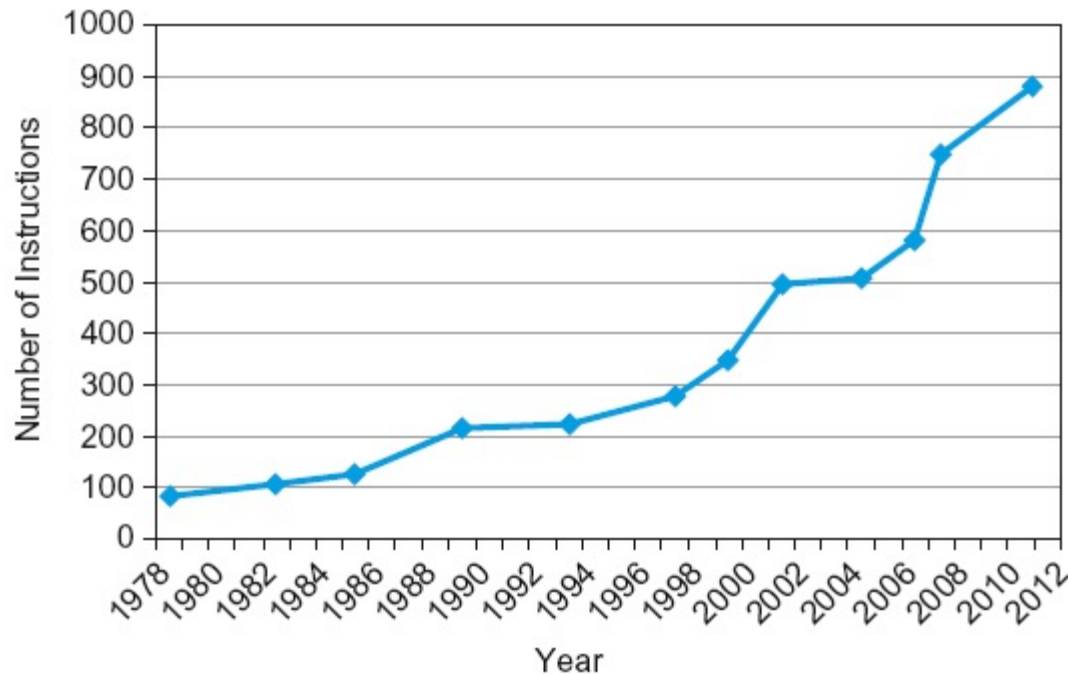
- But modern compilers are better at dealing with modern processors
- More lines of code  $\Rightarrow$  more errors and less productivity



# Fallacies

❑ Backward compatibility  $\Rightarrow$  instruction set doesn't change

■ But they do accrete more instructions



x86 instruction set



# Pitfalls

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- ❑ Sequential words are not at sequential addresses
  - Increment by 4, not by 1!
- ❑ Keeping a pointer to an automatic variable after procedure returns
  - e.g., passing pointer back via an argument
  - Pointer becomes invalid when stack popped



# Summary

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## □ Design principles

1. Simplicity favors regularity
2. Smaller is faster
3. Good design demands good compromises

## □ Make the common case fast

## □ Layers of software/hardware

- Compiler, assembler, hardware

## □ RISC-V: typical of RISC ISAs

- c.f. x86



# Homework

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□ 2.4, 2.8, 2.12, 2.14, 2.17, 2.22, 2.24, 2.29