# EE360T/EE382V: Software Testing Problem Set 3

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## Control-flow Graphs and Java Classfiles

You are to construct a partial  $^1$  control-flow graph from the bytecode  $^2$  of a given Java class using the Bytecode Engineering Library (BCEL) $^3$ .

To illustrate, consider the following class C:

```
package pset3;
public class C {
    int max(int x, int y) {
        if (x < y) {
           return y;
       } else return x;
    }
}
which can be represented in bytecode as (for example, the output of javap -c):
Compiled from "C.java"
public class pset3.C extends java.lang.Object{
public pset3.C();
 Code:
   0:
        aload_0
   1:
        invokespecial #1; //Method java/lang/Object."<init>":()V
   4:
        return
int max(int, int);
  Code:
       iload_1
   0:
   1:
       iload_2
   2:
       if_icmpge
   5:
       iload_2
   6:
        ireturn
   7:
       iload_1
        ireturn
```

Figure 1 illustrates the corresponding (partial) control-flow graph with single exit point: we introduced a "dummy" node for each method to represent a single exit point – all method nodes that represent a return instruction have an edge to the unique exit point.

Consider the following class CFG that models control-flow graph in a Java bytecode program:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This assignment ignores the labels that are traditionally annotated on nodes and edges, as well as the edges that correspond to jsr[\_w] or \*switch bytecodes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Java\_bytecode\_instruction\_listings

<sup>3</sup>http://commons.apache.org/bcel/

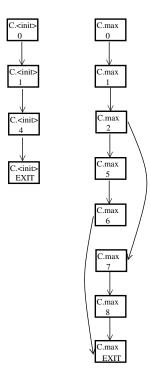


Figure 1: Partial control-flow graph with unique exit points.

```
package pset3;
import java.util.*;
import org.apache.bcel.classfile.JavaClass;
import org.apache.bcel.classfile.Method;
public class CFG {
    Set<Node> nodes = new HashSet<Node>();
   Map<Node, Set<Node>> edges = new HashMap<Node, Set<Node>>();
    public static class Node {
        int position;
        Method method;
        JavaClass clazz;
        Node(int p, Method m, JavaClass c) {
            position = p;
            method = m;
            clazz = c;
        public Method getMethod() {
            return method;
        public JavaClass getClazz() {
            return clazz;
        public boolean equals(Object o) {
            if (!(o instanceof Node)) return false;
```

```
Node n = (Node)o;
            return (position == n.position) && method.equals(n.method) && clazz.equals(n.clazz);
        public int hashCode() {
            return position + method.hashCode() + clazz.hashCode();
        public String toString() {
            return clazz.getClassName() + '.' + method.getName() + method.getSignature() + ": " + position;
    }
    public void addNode(int p, Method m, JavaClass c) {
        addNode(new Node(p, m, c));
    private void addNode(Node n) {
        nodes.add(n);
        Set<Node> nbrs = edges.get(n);
        if (nbrs == null) {
            nbrs = new HashSet<Node>();
            edges.put(n, nbrs);
        }
    }
    public void addEdge(int p1, Method m1, JavaClass c1, int p2, Method m2, JavaClass c2) {
        Node n1 = new Node(p1, m1, c1);
        Node n2 = new Node(p2, m2, c2);
        addNode(n1);
        addNode(n2);
        Set<Node> nbrs = edges.get(n1);
        nbrs.add(n2);
        edges.put(n1, nbrs);
    public void addEdge(int p1, int p2, Method m, JavaClass c) {
        addEdge(p1, m, c, p2, m, c);
    public String toString() {
        return nodes.size() + " nodes\n" + "nodes: " + nodes + '\n' + "edges: " + edges;
    public boolean isReachable(String methodFrom, String clazzFrom,
                               String methodTo, String clazzTo) {
        // you will implement this method in Question 2.2
    }
}
```

A CFG object has a set of nodes that represent bytecode statements and a set of edges that represent the flow of control (branches) among statements. Each node contains:

- $\cdot$  an integer that represents the position (bytecode line number) of the statement in the method.
- · a reference to the method (an object of class org.apache.bcel.classfile.Method) containing the byte-code statement; and
- · a reference to the class (an object of class org.apache.bcel.classfile.JavaClass) that defines the method.

The set of nodes is represented using a java.util.HashSet object, and the set of edges using a java.util.HashMap object, which maps a node to the set of its neighbors. The sets of nodes and edges have values that are

consistent, i.e., for any edge, say from node a to node b, both a and b are in the set of nodes. Moreover, for any node, say n, the map maps n to a non-null set, which is empty if the node has no neighbors.

## 1 Generating a basic CFG [20 points]

Implement the class GraphGenerator that allows creation of control-flow graphs from bytecode programs. The following code snippet gives a partial implementation of GraphGenerator:

```
package pset3;
public class GraphGenerator {
   public CFG createCFG(String className) throws ClassNotFoundException {
        CFG cfg = new CFG();
        JavaClass jc = Repository.lookupClass(className);
        ClassGen cg = new ClassGen(jc);
       ConstantPoolGen cpg = cg.getConstantPool();
        for (Method m: cg.getMethods()) {
            MethodGen mg = new MethodGen(m, cg.getClassName(), cpg);
            InstructionList il = mg.getInstructionList();
            InstructionHandle[] handles = il.getInstructionHandles();
            for (InstructionHandle ih: handles) {
                int position = ih.getPosition();
                cfg.addNode(position, m, jc);
                Instruction inst = ih.getInstruction();
                // your code goes here
       }
        return cfg;
   }
   public CFG createCFGWithMethodInvocation(String className) throws ClassNotFoundException {
        // your code goes here
   public static void main(String[] a) throws ClassNotFoundException {
       GraphGenerator gg = new GraphGenerator();
       gg.createCFG("pset3.C"); // example invocation of createCFG
       gg.createCFGWithMethodInvocation("pset3.D"); // example invocation of createCFGWithMethodInvocation
   }
}
```

Complete the implementation of GraphGenerator.createCFG, which returns a CFG object that represents the control-flow graph for *all* the methods in the given class. For this part, ignore the edges that represent method invocations as well as <code>jsr[\_w]</code> and \*switch instructions.

**Hint:** The class org.apache.bcel.generic.BranchInstruction is a superclass of the classes that represent branching instructions.

### 2 CFGs with method invocations [20 points]

#### 2.1 Core representation

Complete the implementation of GraphGenerator.createCFGWithMethodInovcation by extending your solution to the previous part, i.e., your implementation of GraphGenerator.createCFG, to provide generation of partial control flow graphs that *include* a representation of method invocations. You only need to support invocation of *class* methods (INVOKESTATIC). Assume (as before) the edges of the graphs are not labeled<sup>4</sup>.

To illustrate, consider the following class D:

 $<sup>^4</sup>$ While this assumption simplifies the generation of graphs, the resulting graphs may have paths that do not correspond to program paths!

```
package pset3;
public class D {
    public static void main(String[] a) {
        foo(a);
        bar(a);
    static void foo(String[] a) {
        if (a == null) return;
        bar(a);
    static void bar(String[] a) {}
}
and its bytecode representation:
Compiled from "D.java"
public class pset3.D extends java.lang.Object{
public pset3.D();
  Code:
   0:
       aload 0
       invokespecial #8; //Method java/lang/Object."<init>":()V
   1:
   4:
       return
public static void main(java.lang.String[]);
  Code:
   0:
       aload_0
        invokestatic
                       #16; //Method foo:([Ljava/lang/String;)V
   1:
   4:
       aload_0
   5:
        invokestatic
                        #19; //Method bar:([Ljava/lang/String;)V
   8:
       return
static void foo(java.lang.String[]);
  Code:
   0:
        aload_0
       ifnonnull
   1:
   4:
       return
   5:
       aload_0
   6:
       invokestatic
                       #19; //Method bar:([Ljava/lang/String;)V
       return
   9:
static void bar(java.lang.String[]);
  Code:
   0:
       return
}
```

Figure 2 illustrates the (partial) control flow graph your implementation should generate for class D.

#### 2.2 Control-flow Graph Reachability

For this part of the question assume that (1) there is no method overriding; and (2) each method is invoked by at most one method (which may invoke it multiple times).

Implement the following method isReachable in class CFG to determine whether a method (directly or indirectly) invokes another method. String arguments methodFrom and clazzFrom represent the names of the caller method and its declaring class. String arguments methodTo and clazzTo represent the names of the callee method and its declaring class.

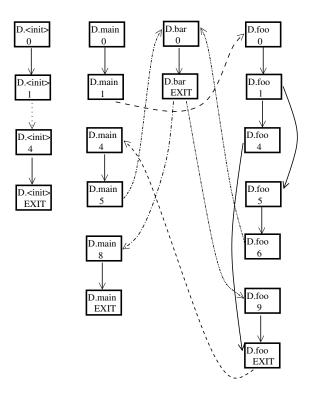


Figure 2: Partial control-flow graph for class D.

For example, in Figure 2, method D.main invokes method D.foo and method D.bar. Thus, invocations isReachable("main", "pset3.D", "foo", "pset3.D") and isReachable("main", "pset3.D", "bar", "pset3.D") both return true.