15-213: M20 Midterm Review Session

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Agenda

Review midterm problems

- Cache
- Assembly
- Stack
- Floats, Arrays, Structs (time permitting)
- Q&A for general midterm problems

Reminders

Exam This Friday

Cheat sheet: <u>ONE</u> 8½ x 11 in. sheet, both sides. Please use only English! Make a copy prior to midterm. No practice problems!

- Things to remember/put on a cheat sheet because please don't try to memorize all of this:
 - Direct mapped vs. n-way associative vs. fully associative
 - Tag/Set/Block offset bits, how do they map depending on cache size?
 - LRU policies

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Address	Set	Tag	н/м	Evict? Y/N
0x56				
0x6D				
0 x 49				
0x3A				

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0101 0110				
0110 1101				
0100 1001				
0011 1010				

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B. Assume A and B are 128 ints and cache-aligned. Assume the cache dimensions given on the previous slide (4 sets, 64-byte blocks, 2 way assoc.). a. What is the miss rate of pass 1? b. What is the miss rate of pass 2?

```
int get prod and copy(int *A, int *B) {
    int length = 64;
    int prod = 1;
    // pass 1
    for (int i = 0; i < length; i+=4) {
        prod*=A[i];
    // pass 2
    for (int j = \text{length}-1; j > 0; j-=4) {
        A[j] = B[j];
    return prod;
```

B. Pass 1: Only going through 64 ints with step size 4. Each miss loads 16 ints into a cache line, giving us 3 more hits before loading into a new line.

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    // pass 2
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```

B. Pass 1: 25% miss

```
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    }
    // pass 2
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B. Pass 2: Our cache is the same size as our working set! Due to cache alignment, we won't evict anything from A, but still get a 1:3 miss:hit ratio for B.

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        prod*=A[i];
    // pass 2
    for (int j = \text{length}-1; j > 0; j-=4) {
        A[j] = B[j];
    return prod;
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 B. Pass 2: For every 4 loop iterations, we get all hits for accessing A and 1 miss for accessing B, which gives us ¹/₈ miss.

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    // pass 2
    for (int j = \text{length}-1; j > 0; j-=4) {
        A[j] = B[j];
    return prod;
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B. Pass 2: 12.5% miss

```
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    // pass 2
    for (int j = \text{length}-1; j > 0; j-=4) {
        A[j] = B[j];
    return prod;
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- Typical questions asked
 - Given a function, look at assembly to fill in missing portions
 - Given assembly of a function, intuit the behavior of the program
 - (More rare) Compare different chunks of assembly, which one implements the function given?
- Important things to remember/put on your cheat sheet:
 - Memory Access formula: D(Rb,Ri,S)
 - Distinguish between mov/lea instructions
 - Callee/Caller save regs
 - Condition codes and corresponding eflags

Consider the following x86-64 code (Recall that %c1 is the low-order byte of %rcx):

On entry:

- # %rdi = x
- # %rsi = y
 # %rdx = z

4004f0 <mysterious>:

4004f0:	mov	\$0x0,%eax
4004f5:	lea	-0x1(%rsi),%r9d
4004f9:	jmp	400510 <mysterious+0x20></mysterious+0x20>
4004fb:	lea	0x2(%rdx),%r8d
4004ff:	mov	%esi,%ecx
400501:	shl	%cl,%r8d
400504:	mov	<pre>%r9d,%ecx</pre>
400507:	sar	%cl,%r8d
40050a:	add	%r8d,%eax
40050d:	add	\$0x1,%edx
400510:	cmp	%edx,%edi
400512:	ja	4004fb <mysterious+0xb></mysterious+0xb>
400514:	retq	
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4004f	0: mov	\$0x0,%eax
4004f	5: lea	-0x1(%rsi),%r9d
4004f	9: jmp	400510 <mysterious+0x20></mysterious+0x20>
4004f	b: lea	0x2(%rdx),%r8d
4004f	f: mov	<pre>%esi,%ecx</pre>
40050	1: shl	%cl,%r8d
40050	4: mov	<pre>%r9d,%ecx</pre>
40050	7: sar	%cl,%r8d
40050	a: add	<pre>%r8d,%eax</pre>
40050	d: add	\$0x1,%edx
40051	0: cmp	<pre>%edx,%edi</pre>
40051	2: ja	4004fb <mysterious+0xb></mysterious+0xb>
40051	4: retq	



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4004f0	<myst< th=""><th>erious></th><th>•:</th></myst<>	erious>	•:
4004	E0:	mov	\$0x0,%eax
4004	£5:	lea	-0x1(%rsi),%r9d
4004	E9:	jmp	400510 <mysterious+0x20></mysterious+0x20>
4004	Eb:	lea	0x2(%rdx),%r8d
4004	ff:	mov	<pre>%esi,%ecx</pre>
40050	01:	shl	%cl,%r8d
40050	04:	mov	<pre>%r9d,%ecx</pre>
40050)7:	sar	%cl,%r8d
40050)a:	add	%r8d,%eax
40050)d:	add	\$0x1,%edx
4005	10:	cmp	%edx,%edi
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4004:	ff:	mov	<pre>%esi,%ecx</pre>
4005	01:	shl	%cl,%r8d
4005	04:	mov	%r9d,%ecx
4005	07:	sar	%cl,%r8d
4005	Da:	add	%r8d,%eax
4005	0d:	add	\$0x1,%edx
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Problem 3: Stack

Important things to remember:

- Stack grows towards lower addresses
- %rsp = stack pointer, always point to "top" of stack
- Push and pop, call and ret
- Stack frames: how they are allocated and freed
- Which registers used for arguments? Return values?Little endianness
- ALWAYS helpful to draw a stack diagram!!
- Stack questions are like Assembly questions on steroids

Problem 3: Stack

Consider the following code:

```
void foo(char *str, int a) {
    int buf[2];
    if (a != 0xdeadbeef) {
        foo(str, 0xdeadbeef);
        return;
    }
    strcpy((char*) buf, str);
}
foo: caller:
```

subg \$24, %rsp subg cmpl \$0xdeadbeef, %esi movl je .L2 movl movl \$0xdeadbeef, %esi call call foo addg jmp .L1 ret .12: %rdi, %rsi movq %rsp, %rdi movq call strcpy .section .L1: .LC0: \$24, %rsp addg ret

```
foo("midtermexam", 0x15213);
       $8, %rsp
       $86547, %esi
       $.LCO, %edi
       foo
       $8, %rsp
               .rodata.str1.1, "aMS", @progbits, 1
.string "midtermexam"
```

Hints:

- strcpy(char *dst, char *src) copies the string at address src (including the terminating '\0' character) to address dst.
- Keep endianness in mind!
- Table of hex values of characters in "midtermexam"

Assumptions:

- %rsp = 0x800100 just
 before caller() calls
 foo()
- .LC0 is at address 0x400300

Problem 3: Stack

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void foo(char *str, int a) {
    int buf[2];
                                               foo("midtermexam", 0x15213);
    if (a != 0xdeadbeef) {
       foo(str, 0xdeadbeef);
       return;
    }
   strcpy((char*) buf, str);
                                      caller:
foo:
        subg
                $24, %rsp
                                              subg
                                                      $8, %rsp
        cmpl
                $0xdeadbeef, %esi
                                                      $86547, %esi
                                              movl
        je
                                                      $.LC0, %edi
                .L2
                                              movl
       movl
               $0xdeadbeef, %esi
                                              call
                                                      foo
                                                                     \$rsp = 0x800100
        call
                foo
                                              addq
                                                      $8, %rsp
        jmp
                .L1
                                               ret
.12:
               %rdi, %rsi
       movq
               %rsp, %rdi
        movq
                                                              .rodata.str1.1, "aMS", @progbits, 1
        call
               strcpy
                                               .section
.L1:
                                       .LCO:= 0x400300
        addg
                $24, %rsp
                                               .string "midtermexam"
        ret
```

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Question 1: What is the hex value of <code>%rsp</code> just <u>before</u> strcpy() is called for the first time in foo()?

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foo: caller: subq \$24, %rsp suba \$8, %rsp \$0xdeadbeef, %esi \$86547, %esi cmpl movl je .L2 movl \$.LC0, %edi \$rsp = 0x800100\$0xdeadbeef, %esi Start call movl foo call foo addq \$8, %rsp .L1 jmp ret .L2: %rdi, %rsi movq %rsp, %rdi movq End call .section .rodata.str1.1, "aMS", @progbits, 1 strcpy LC0: = 0x400300.L1: addq \$24, %rsp .string "midtermexam" ret

Hints:

- Step through the program instruction by instruction from start to end
- Draw a stack diagram!!!
- Keep track of registers too

Arrow is instruction that will execute NEXT

void fo int	<pre>void foo(char *str, int a) { int buf[2]; if (a != 0xdeadbeef) { foo(str. 0xdeadbeef); } }</pre>			<pre>void caller() { foo("midtermexam", 0x15213);</pre>			0x800100	0x800100	
if (f	<pre>if (a != 0xdeadbeer) { foo(str, 0xdeadbeef); roturn;</pre>			}			.LCO	0x8000f8	
r }	return; } strcpv((char*) buf. str);					%rsi	0x15213	0x8000f0	
<pre>strcpy((char*) buf, str); }</pre>								0x8000e8	
foo:	suba	\$24. %rsp	caller:	suba	\$8. %rsp			0x8000e0	
	cmpl je	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi .L2		movl movl	\$86547, %esi \$.LCO, %edi			0x8000d8	
	movl call	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi foo		call addq	foo \$8, %rsp	%rsp = 0:	x800100	0x8000d0	
.L2:	movq	%rdi, %rsi						0x8000c8	
End	movq %rsp, %rdi End call strcpy .section .rodata				str1.1,"aM	S",@progbits,1	0x8000c0		
.L1:	addq ret	\$24, %rsp	.LC0: =	.string	y "midtermexam"			0x8000b8	

void foo(int bu	(char * uf[2];	str, int a) {	void ca foo(ller() "midter	{ mexam", 0x15213);	%rsp	0x8000f8	0x800100	?
<pre>if (a != 0xdeadbeef) { foo(str, 0xdeadbeef); roturn;</pre>		}			%rdi	.LCO	0x8000f8	ret address for $f_{00}()$	
} strcpy((char*) buf, str);						%rsi	0x15213	0x8000f0	
}	((ona)	, 54., 52.,,						0x8000e8	
foo:	uba	\$24 %rsn	caller:	suba	\$8 %rsn			0x8000e0	
cn je	mpl e	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi .L2		movl movl	\$86547, %esi \$.LCO, %edi			0x8000d8	
mc Ca in	all	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi foo		call addq ret	foo \$8, %rsp			0x8000d0	
.L2:	inp	%rdi. %rsi						0x8000c8	
mc <mark>End</mark> Ca	ovq all	%rsp, %rdi strcpy		.sectio	on .rodata.st	:r1.1,"aM	S",@progbits,1	0x8000c0	
.L1: ac re	ddq et	\$24, %rsp	.LC0: =	.string	300 J "midtermexam"			0x8000b8	

Hint: \$24 in decimal = 0×18

Problem 3: Stack

void fo int	void foo(char *str, int a) { int buf[2]; if (a != 0xdeadbeef) {		<pre>void caller() { foo("midtermexam", 0x15213);</pre>			%rsp	0x8000e0	0x800100	?
if (f	<pre>if (a != 0xdeadbeef) { foo(str, 0xdeadbeef); roturn;</pre>		}			%rdi	.LCO	0x8000f8	ret address for foo ()
return; } strcpy((char*) buf, str);						%rsi	0x15213	0x8000f0	?
}	py((Chai	, juli, sti),						0x8000e8	?
foo:	suba	\$24 %rsn	caller:	suba	\$8 %rsn			0x8000e0	?
	cmpl je	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi .L2		movl movl	\$86547, %esi \$.LCO, %edi			0x8000d8	
	movl call	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi foo		call addq	foo \$8, %rsp			0x8000d0	
.L2:	Jmp movq	.Ll %rdi, %rsi		ret				0x8000c8	
End	movq call	%rsp, %rdi strcpy		.section .rodata.str1.			S",@progbits,1	0x8000c0	
.L1:	addq ret	\$24, %rsp	.LC0: =	.strin	g "midtermexam"			0x8000b8	

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<pre>if (a != 0xdeadbeef) { foo(str, 0xdeadbeef); roturn;</pre>					%rdi	.LCO	0x8000f8	ret address for f_{00} ()	
return; } strcpy((char*) buf, str);						%rsi	0xdeadbeef	0x8000f0	?
}	p)((onu)) 541, 521),						0x8000e8	?
foo:	cuba	424 Vron	caller:	uba	¢9 %ron			0x8000e0	?
	cmpl je	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi .L2	mc	ovl ovl	\$86547, %esi \$.LCO, %edi			0x8000d8	
	movl call	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi foo	ca	all ddq	foo \$8, %rsp			0x8000d0	
.L2:	jmp movq	.LI %rdi, %rsi	re	et				0x8000c8	
End	movq call	%rsp, %rdi strcpy	. 5	section	n .rodata.st	r1.1,"aM	S",@progbits,1	0x8000c0	
.L1:	addq ret	\$24, %rsp	.LC0: = 0:	string	"midtermexam"			0x8000b8	

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if (f	<pre>if (a != 0xdeadbeef) { foo(str, 0xdeadbeef); return;</pre>		}			%rdi	.LC0	0x8000f8	ret address for foo ()
r }	return; } strcpy((char*) buf, str);					%rsi	0xdeadbeef	0x8000f0	?
}	py ((chai) bui, sti),						0x8000e8	?
foo:	suba	\$24 %rsn	caller:	suba	¢8 %rsn			0x8000e0	?
	cmpl je	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi .L2		movl movl	\$86547, %esi \$.LCO, %edi			0x8000d8	ret address for foo ()
	movl call	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi foo		call addq	foo \$8, %rsp			0x8000d0	
.L2:	movd	.Lı %rdi, %rsi		TEL				0x8000c8	
End	movq call	%rsp, %rdi strcpy		.sectio	on .rodata.st	r1.1,"aM	S",@progbits,1	0x8000c0	
.L1:	addq	\$24, %rsp	.LC0: =	.string	y "midtermexam"			8d0008x0	

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if (f	<pre>if (a != 0xdeadbeef) { foo(str, 0xdeadbeef); return:</pre>		}	%rdi	.LCO	0x8000f8	ret address for foo()
r }	<pre>strcpv((char*) buf, str);</pre>			%rsi	0xdeadbeef	0x8000f0	?
}	py ((chai	, juli, stij,			,	0x8000e8	?
foo:	suba	\$24. %rsp	caller:			0x8000e0	?
	cmpl je	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi .L2	movl \$86547, %esi movl \$.LC0, %edi			0x8000d8	ret address for foo ()
	movl call imp	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi foo	call foo addq \$8, %rsp ret			0x8000d0	?
.L2:	movq	%rdi, %rsi				0x8000c8	?
End	movq call	%rsp, %rdi strcpy	.section .rodata.si	t <mark>r1.1</mark> ,"aM	S",@progbits,1	0x8000c0	?
.L1:	addq ret	\$24, %rsp	.LCO: = 0x400300 .string "midtermexam"			0x8000b8	

void fo int	<pre>void foo(char *str, int a) { int buf[2]; if (a != 0xdeadbeef) {</pre>		<pre>void caller() { foo("midtermexam", 0x15213);</pre>			%rsp	0x8000c0	0x800100	?
if (f	<pre>if (a != 0xdeadbeef) { foo(str, 0xdeadbeef); return;</pre>		}			%rdi	.LCO	0x8000f8	ret address for $f_{00}()$
r }	<pre>strcpy((char*) buf, str);</pre>					%rsi	0xdeadbeef	0x8000f0	?
}	by ((chai	, bui, sti),					·	0x8000e8	?
foo:	suba	\$24 %rsn	caller:	suba	\$8 %rsn			0x8000e0	?
	cmpl je	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi .L2		movl movl	\$86547, %esi \$.LCO, %edi			0x8000d8	ret address for foo ()
	movl call imp	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi foo		call addq	foo \$8, %rsp			0x8000d0	?
.L2:	movq	%rdi, %rsi						0x8000c8	?
End	movq call	%rsp, %rdi strcpy		.sectio	on .rodata.st	r1.1,"aM	S",@progbits,1	0x8000c0	?
.L1:	addq ret	\$24, %rsp	.LC0: =	.string	j "midtermexam"			0x8000b8	

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stro }	cpy((char	r*) buf, str);						0x8000e8	?
foo:	ouba	\$ 24 %ron	caller:	auba	фо. «кор			0x8000e0	?
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	movl call imp	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi foo	6	call addq ret	foo \$8, %rsp			0x8000d0	?
.L2:	mova	%rdi. %rsi						0x8000c8	?
End	movq call	%rsp, %rdi strcpy		.sectio	n .rodata.si	tr1.1,"aM	S",@progbits,1	0x8000c0	?
.L1:	addq ret	\$24, %rsp	.LC0: =	0x4003 .string	00 "midtermexam"			8d0008x0	

Question 2: What is the hex value of buf[0] when strcpy() returns?

void fo int	<pre>void foo(char *str, int a) { int buf[2]; if (a != 0xdeadbeef) {</pre>		<pre>void caller() { foo("midtermexam", 0x15213);</pre>	%rsp	0x8000c0	0x800100	?
if (f	<pre>if (a != 0xdeadbeef) { foo(str, 0xdeadbeef); return;</pre>		}	%rdi	0x8000c0	0x8000f8	ret address for foo()
return; } strcpy((char*) buf, str ;				%rsi	.LCO	0x8000f0	?
}	py ((cha	, jui str				0x8000e8	?
foo:	suba	\$24 %rsn	caller:			0x8000e0	?
	cmpl je	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi .L2	movl \$86547, %esi movl \$.LC0, %edi			0x8000d8	ret address for foo ()
	movl call	\$0xdeadbeef, %esi foo	call foo addq \$8, %rsp			0x8000d0	?
.L2:	movq	%rdi, %rsi				0x8000c8	?
	movq %rsp, %rdi call strcpy .section .rodata.				S",@progbits,1	0x8000c0	?
.L1:	addq ret	\$24, %rsp	.LCO: = 0x400300 .string "midtermexam"			0x8000b8	

Problem 3: Stack

Question 2: What is the hex value of buf[0] when strcpy() returns?



0x800100	?
0x8000f8	ret address for foo()
0x8000f0	?
0x8000e8	?
0x8000e0	?
0x8000d8	ret address for foo()
0x8000d0	?
0x8000c8	
0x8000c0	'd' 'i' 'm'
0x8000b8	c7 c2 c1 c0

%rsp 0x8000c0 %rdi 0x8000c0 %rsi .LC0

0x8000c0

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0x8000d0					?								
0x8000c8	?	?	?	?	'\0'	'm'	'a'	'x'					
0x8000c0	'e'	'm'	ʻr'	'e'	ʻť	'd'	ʻi'	'm'					
8d0008x0	c7					c2	cl	CU					

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void foo(char *str, int a) { void caller() { int buf[2]; foo("midtermexam", 0x15213); if (a != 0xdeadbeef) { } foo(str, 0xdeadbeef); return; strcpy((char*) buf foo: caller: subq \$24, %rsp suba \$8, %rsp \$0xdeadbeef, %esi \$86547, %esi cmpl movl je .L2 movl \$.LC0, %edi \$0xdeadbeef, %esi call movl foo call foo addq \$8, %rsp .L1 qmr ret .L2: %rdi, %rsi movq %rsp, %rdi movq call .section .rodata.s strcpy $LC0: = 0 \times 400300$.L1: addq \$24, %rsp .string "midtermexam" ret

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0x800100					?				
0x8000f8			ret a	address	for fc	00()			
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0x8000e0		?							
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0x8000d0					?				
0x8000c8	?	?	?	?	'\0'	'm'	'a'	'x'	
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8d0008x0					с3	buf	[0]	c0	

 %rsp
 0x8000c0

 %rdi
 0x8000c0

 %rsi
 .LC0

buf[0] = (t' + d' + i' + m')

—	74	64	69	6d
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(as int) = **0x7464696d**

Char	Hex	Char	Hex
a	61	m	6d
d	64	r	72
e	65	t	74
i	69	X	78

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0x8000d0					?					
0x8000c8	?	?	?	?	'\0'	'm'	'a'	ʻx'		
0x8000c0	'e'	'e' 'm' 'r' 'e' 't' 'd' 'i' 'm'								
0x8000b8		buf[0]								

0x8000c0

0x8000c0

.LCO

%rsp

%rdi

%rsi

Problem 3: Stack

Question 3: What is the hex value of buf[1] when strcpy() returns?



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0x8000f0		?							
0x8000e8		?							
0x8000e0		?							
0x8000d8		ret address for foo()							
0x8000d0		_			?				
0x8000c8	?	? ? ? ? '\0' 'm' 'a' 'x'							
0x8000c0	'e'	'e' 'm' 'r' 'e' 't' 'd' 'i' 'm'							
0x8000b8	c7	c7							

buf[1] = 'e' 'm' 'r' 'e'

= 6	65 6	d 72	2 65	
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(as int) = **0x656d7265**

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0x8000d0		-			?	-	-	-		
0x8000c8	?	? ? ? ? '\0' 'm' 'a' 'x'								
0x8000c0	'e'	'e' 'm' 'r' 'e' 't' 'd' 'i' 'm'								
0x8000b8		buf[1]								

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•	void fo int if (f r } stro }	bo(char) buf[2]; (a != 0xc foo(str, return; cpy((char	*str, int a) { deadbeef) { 0xdeadbeef); -*) buf, str);	void cal: foo("r }	ler() { nidterme	exam", 0x15213);		
t	foo:	subq cmpl je movl call jmp	\$24, %rsp \$0xdeadbeef, %esi .L2 \$0xdeadbeef, %esi foo .L1	caller:	subq movl movl call addq ret	\$8, %rsp \$86547, %esi \$.LC0, %edi foo \$8, %rsp		
	.L2:	movq movq call addq ret	%rdi, %rsi %rsp, %rdi strcpy \$24, %rsp	.LC0: =	.secti 0x400 .strin	on .rodata 300 g "midtermexam"	str1.1,"aMS",	@progbits,1

This is before the recursive call to $f \circ \circ ()$

Question 4: What is the hex value of $\$ rdi at the point where foo() is called recursively in the successful arm of the if statement?



- This is before the recursive call to foo()
- Going backwards, %rdi was loaded in caller()
- %rdi = \$.LC0 =
 0x400300
 (based on hint)

Question 5: What part(s) of the stack will be corrupted by invoking caller()? Check all that apply.

- return address from foo() to caller()
- return address from the recursive call to foo()
- strcpy()'s return address
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- there will be no corruption

The strcpy didn't overwrite any return addresses, so there was no corruption!

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0x8000e8		?							
0x8000e0		?							
0x8000d8		ret address for foo()							
0x8000d0					?				
0x8000c8	?	?	?	?	'\0'	'm'	'a'	'x'	
0x8000c0	'e'	'm'	ʻr'	'e'	ʻť'	'd'	ʻi'	'm'	
0x8000b8									

Things to remember/ put on your cheat sheet:

- Floating point representation (-1)^s M 2^E
- Values of M in normalized vs denormalized
- Difference between normalized, denormalized and special floating point numbers
- Rounding
- Bit values of smallest and largest normalized and denormalized numbers

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M = 31/16 => 1.1111

bias = $2^{k-1} - 1$ (k is the number of exponent bits) = 1 E = 1 => exponent = 1 + bias = 2

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M = 1.1111 => fraction bits are 1111

exponent bits are 10

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Guard bit (last bit kept) = 1 Round bit (first bit removed) = 1 Sticky bit (OR of other removed bits) = 0

I.e. same distance between 111 and "000", so round up to even (add 1 to the fraction bits).

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Adding 1 overflows the floating bits, so we increment the exponent bits by 1 and set the fraction bits to 0

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M = 7/4 => 1.11

bias = $2^{k-1} - 1$ (k is the number of exponent bits) = 1 E = $-1 = 2^{k-1} - 1$ (k is the number of exponent bits) = 1

- A. Consider a floating point representation with 1 sign bit, 2 exponent bits and 3 fraction bits. Convert the following numbers into their floating point representation.
- b) -7/8 Stop 2: Copy

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M = 7/4 => 1.11 <= (We assumed M was in the range [1.0, 2.0). Need to update the value of M)

bias = $2^{k-1} - 1$ (k is the number of exponent bits) = 1 E = -1 => exponent = -1 + bias = 0 <= denormalized!

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Step 2: Convert M into binary and find value of exp s = 1

 $M = 7/8 \Rightarrow 0.111 \le M$ should be in the range [0.0, 1.0) for denormalized numbers so we divide it by 2

exp = 0
Bonus Coverage: Float

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b) -7/8
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M = 0.111 => Fraction bits = 111 exp bits = 00

Result = 1 00 111

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 - s = 0

$$exp = 2 => E = exp - bias = 1$$
 (normalized)

M = 1.101 (between 1 and 2 since it is normalised)

Result = 2*1.101 = 2*(13/8) = 13/4



IMPORTANT POINTS + TIPS:

- Remember your indexing rules! They'll take you 95% of the way there.
- Be careful about addressing (&) vs. dereferencing (*)
- You may be asked to look at assembly!
- Feel free to put lecture/recitation/textbook examples in your cheatsheet.

<u>Good toy examples (for your cheatsheet and/or big brain):</u>



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Value

val

val[2]

val + i

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	<u>Type</u>		<u>Value</u>
val	int *	x	
val[2]	int	2	
*(val + 2)	int	2	
&val[2]	int *		x + 8
val + 2	int *		x + 8
val + i	int *		x + (4 * i)

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Nested indexing rules (for your cheatsheet and/or big brain):

- Declared: T A[R][C]
- Contiguous chunk of space (think of multiple arrays lined up next to each other)

int A[R][C];

A [0] [0]	• • •	A [0] [C-1]	A [1] [0]	• • •	A [1] [C-1]		•	•	•	A [R-1] [0]	•	••	A [R-1] [C-1]
← 4*R*C Bytes													

Nested indexing rules (for your cheatsheet and/or big brain):

- Arranged in ROW-MAJOR ORDER think of row vectors
- A[i] is an array of C elements ("columns") of type T



Nested indexing rules (for your cheatsheet and/or big brain):

A[i][j] is element of type *T*, which requires *K* bytes Address A + i * (C * K) + j * K= A + (i * C + j) * K

int A[R][C];





Consider accessing elements of A....

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int	A1[3][5]	Y	Ν	3*5*(4) = 60
int	*A2[3][5]	Y	Ν	3*5*(8) = 120
int	(*A3)[3][5]	Y	Ν	1*8 = 8
int	* (A4[3][5]) 🔨	Y	Ν	3*5*(8) = 120
int	(*A5[3])[5]			

 $^{\setminus}$ A4 is a pointer to a 3x5 (int *) element array



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int	*(A4[3][5])	Y	Ν	3*5*(8) = 120
int	(*A5[3])[5]	Y	Ν	3*8 = 24

A5 is an array of 3 elements of type (int *)

Understanding Pointers & Arrays #3

Decl	Ал			*An			**An		
	Cmp	Bad	Size	Cmp	Bad	Size	Cmp	Bad	Size
int A1[3][5]									
int *A2[3][5]									
int (*A3)[3][5]									
int *(A4[3][5])									
int (*A5[3])[5]									

- Cmp: Compiles (Y/N)
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- Size: Value returned by sizeof

Decl	***An				
	Стр	Bad	Size		
int A1[3][5]					
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Allocated pointer Allocated pointer to unallocated int Unallocated pointer Allocated int Unallocated int











Understanding Pointers & Arrays #3

Decl	An			*An			**An		
	Cmp	Bad	Size	Cmp	Bad	Size	Cmp	Bad	Size
int A1[3][5]	Y	N	60	Y	N	20	Y	N	4
int *A2[3][5]	Y	N	120	Y	N	40	Y	N	8
int (*A3)[3][5]	Y	N	8	Y	Y	60	Y	Y	20
int *(A4[3][5])	Y	N	120	Y	N	40	Y	N	8
int (*A5[3])[5]	Y	N	24	Y	N	8	Y	Y	20

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Decl	***An			
	Cmp	Bad	Size	
int A1[3][5]	N	-	-	
int *A2[3][5]	Y	Y	4	
int (*A3)[3][5]	Y	Y	4	
int *(A4[3][5])	Y	Y	4	
int (*A5[3])[5]	Y	Y	4	



Sample assembly-type questions





Nested Array Row Access Code



Row Vector

- pgh[index] is array of 5 int's
- Starting address pgh+20*index
- Machine Code
 - Computes and returns address
 - Compute as pgh + 4* (index+4*index)



Nested Array Element Access Code



leaq	(%rdi,%rdi,4), %rax	# 5*index
addl	% rax , %rsi	# 5*index+dig
movl	pgh(,%rsi,4), %eax	# M[pgh + 4*(5*index+dig)]

Array Elements

- pgh[index][dig] is int
- Address: pgh + 20*index + 4*dig

= pgh + 4*(5*index + dig)

Bonus! Another Cache problem

Consider you have the following cache:

- 64-byte capacity
- Directly mapped
- You have an 8-bit address space

A. How many tag bits are there in the cache?

- Do we know how many set bits there are? What about offset bits?
 2⁶ = 64
- If we have a 64-byte direct-mapped cache, we know the number of s + b bits there are total!
- Then $t + s + b = 8 \rightarrow t = 8 (s + b)$

Thus, we have <u>2 tag bits!</u>

- B. Fill in the following table, indicating the set number based on the hit/miss pattern.
 - a. By the power of guess and check tracing through, identify which partition of s + b bits matches the H/M pattern.

Load	Binary Address	Set	н/м
1	1011 0011		М
2	1010 0111		М
3	1101 1001		М
4	1011 1100		н
5	1011 1001		Н

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3	11 <u>01</u> 1001	1	М
4	10 <u>11</u> 1100	3	н
5	10 <u>11</u> 1001	3	Н

C. How many sets are there? 2 bits \rightarrow 4 sets How big is each cache line? 4 bits \rightarrow 16 bytes

In summary...

- Read the write-up textbook!
- Also read the write-up lecture slides!
- Midterm covers CS:APP Ch. 1-3, 6
- Ask questions on Piazza! For the midterm, make them public and specific if from the practice server!
 G~O~O~D~~L~U~C~K