

Machine-Level Programming II: Control

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- Basics of control flow
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- Loops
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0100 1 0 0 0	10001011	00 000 011
REX	W R X B	MOV r->x Mod R M

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Reminder: Address Modes

■ Most General Form

$$D(Rb, Ri, S) \quad \text{Mem}[Reg[Rb]+S*Reg[Ri]+ D]$$

- D: Constant “displacement” 1, 2, or 4 bytes
- Rb: Base register: Any of 16 integer registers
- Ri: Index register: Any, except for %rsp
- S: Scale: 1, 2, 4, or 8 (*why these numbers?*)

■ Special Cases

$$(Rb, Ri) \quad \text{Mem}[Reg[Rb]+Reg[Ri]]$$

$$D(Rb, Ri) \quad \text{Mem}[Reg[Rb]+Reg[Ri]+D]$$

$$(Rb, Ri, S) \quad \text{Mem}[Reg[Rb]+S*Reg[Ri]]$$

Memory operands and LEA

■ In most instructions, a memory operand accesses memory

Assembly	C equivalent
mov 6(%rbx,%rdi,8), %ax	$ax = *(rbx + rdi*8 + 6)$
add 6(%rbx,%rdi,8), %ax	$ax += *(rbx + rdi*8 + 6)$
xor %ax, 6(%rbx,%rdi,8)	$*(rbx + rdi*8 + 6) \wedge= ax$

■ LEA is special: it *doesn't* access memory

Assembly	C equivalent
lea 6(%rbx,%rdi,8), %rax	$rax = rbx + rdi*8 + 6$

Why use LEA?

■ CPU designers' intended use: calculate a pointer to an object

- An array element, perhaps
- For instance, to pass just one array element to another function

Assembly	C equivalent
lea (%rbx,%rdi,8), %rax	rax = &rbx[rdi]

■ Compiler authors like to use it for ordinary arithmetic

- It can do complex calculations in one instruction
- It's one of the only three-operand instructions the x86 has
- It doesn't touch the condition codes (we'll come back to this)

Assembly	C equivalent
lea (%rbx,%rbx,2), %rax	rax = rbx * 3

Which numbers are pointers?

- They aren't labeled
- You have to figure it out from context

```
(gdb) info registers
rax      0x40057d          4195709
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rdi      0x1                1
rbp      0x0                0x0
rsp      0x7fffffffdb38    0x7fffffffdb38
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r9       0x0                0
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r11     0x7fffff7a2f460   140737348039776
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 - Register values that are “close” to %rsp or %rip are *probably* also pointers

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■ Not as obvious with complicated address “modes”

- `(%rsi, %rbx)` – *One* of these is a pointer, we don’t know which.
- `(%rsi, %rbx, 2)` – `%rsi` is a pointer, `%rbx` isn’t (why?)
- `0x400570(%rbx, 2)` – `0x400570` is a pointer, `%rbx` isn’t (why?)
- `lea (anything), %rax` – (anything) *may or may not* be a pointer

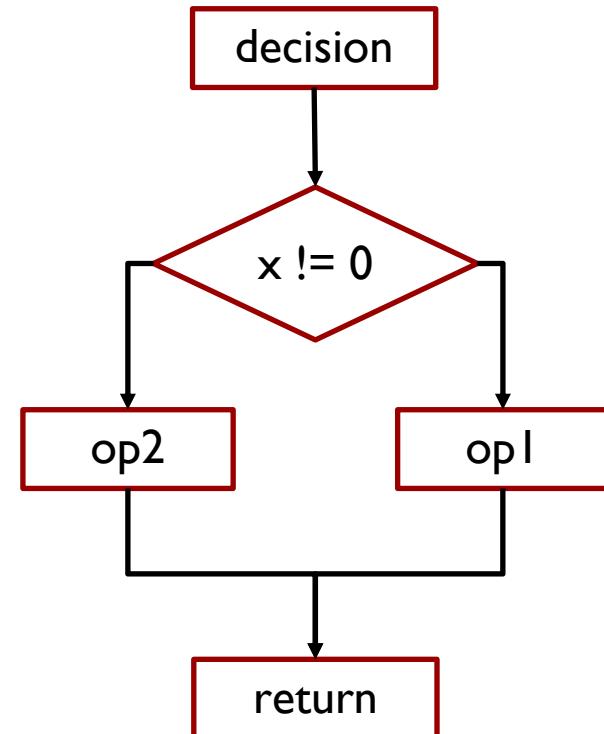
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Control flow

```
extern void op1(void);  
extern void op2(void);  
  
void decision(int x) {  
    if (x) {  
        op1();  
    } else {  
        op2();  
    }  
}
```



Control flow in assembly language

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extern void op1(void);  
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void decision(int x) {  
    if (x) {  
        op1();  
    } else {  
        op2();  
    }  
}
```

decision:

```
subq    $8, %rsp  
testl    %edi, %edi  
je      .L2  
call    op1  
jmp     .L1  
.L2:  
call    op2  
.L1:  
addq    $8, %rsp  
ret
```



Processor State (x86-64, Partial)

■ Information about currently executing program

- Temporary data (`%rax`, ...)
- Location of runtime stack (`%rsp`)
- Location of current code control point (`%rip`, ...)
- Status of recent tests (`CF`, `ZF`, `SF`, `OF`)

Current stack top

Registers

<code>%rax</code>	<code>%r8</code>
<code>%rbx</code>	<code>%r9</code>
<code>%rcx</code>	<code>%r10</code>
<code>%rdx</code>	<code>%r11</code>
<code>%rsi</code>	<code>%r12</code>
<code>%rdi</code>	<code>%r13</code>
<code>%rsp</code>	<code>%r14</code>
<code>%rbp</code>	<code>%r15</code>

`%rip` Instruction pointer



Condition Codes (Implicit Setting)

■ Single bit registers

- CF Carry Flag (for unsigned) SF Sign Flag (for signed)
- ZF Zero Flag OF Overflow Flag (for signed)
- GDB prints these as one “eflags” register
`eflags 0x246 [PF ZF IF] Z set, CSO clear`

■ Implicitly set (as side effect) of arithmetic operations

Example: `addq Src,Dest` $\leftrightarrow t = a+b$

CF set if carry out from most significant bit (unsigned overflow)

ZF set if $t == 0$

SF set if $t < 0$ (as signed)

OF set if two's-complement (signed) overflow

$(a>0 \ \&\& \ b>0 \ \&\& \ t<0) \ || \ (a<0 \ \&\& \ b<0 \ \&\& \ t>=0)$

■ Not set by `leaq` instruction

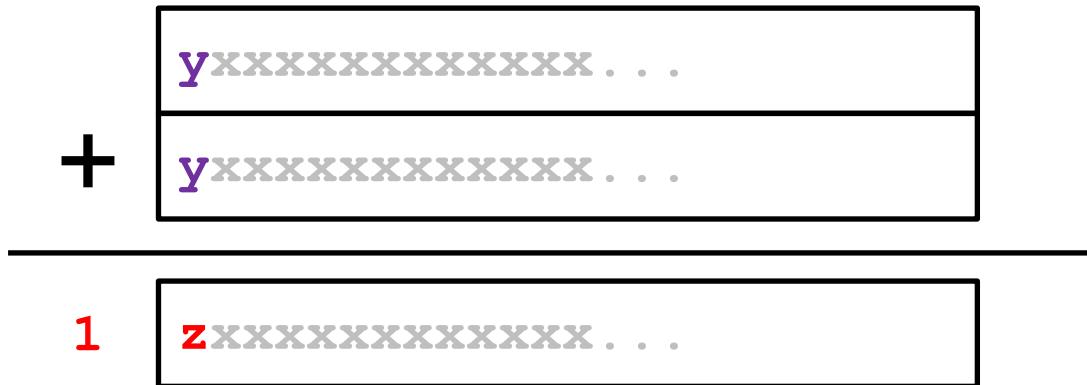
ZF set when

```
000000000000...000000000000
```

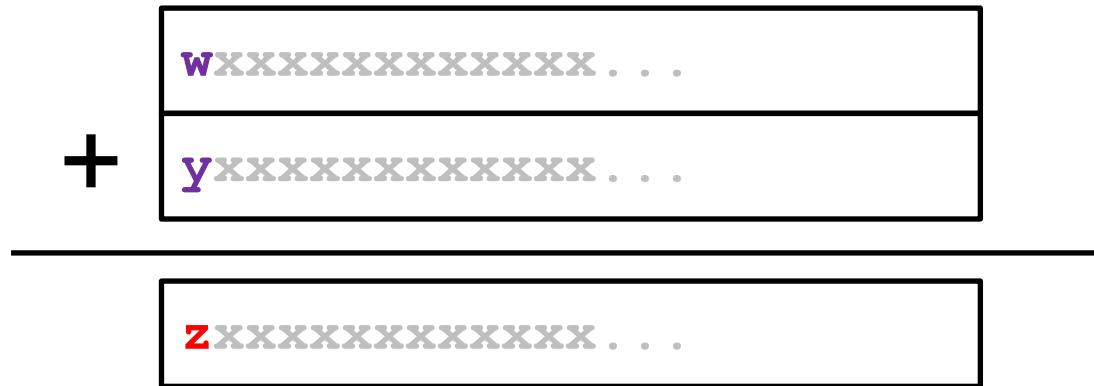
SF set when

```
1xxxxxxxxxxxx...xxxxxxxxxx
```

CF set when



OF set when



w == y && w != z

Compare Instruction

■ **cmp a, b**

- Computes $b - a$ (just like **sub**)
- Sets condition codes based on result, but...
- **Does not change b**
- Used for **if (a < b) { ... }**
whenever $b - a$ isn't needed for anything else

Test Instruction

■ **test a, b**

- Computes $b \& a$ (just like **and**)
- Sets condition codes (only SF and ZF) based on result, but...
- **Does not change b**
- Most common use: `test %rX, %rX`
to compare `%rX` to zero
- Second most common use: `test %rX, %rY`
tests if any of the 1-bits in `%rY` are also 1 in `%rX` (or vice versa)

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Jumping

■ jX Instructions

- Jump to different part of code depending on condition codes

jX	Condition	Description
jmp	1	Unconditional
je	ZF	Equal / Zero
jne	$\sim ZF$	Not Equal / Not Zero
js	SF	Negative
jns	$\sim SF$	Nonnegative
jg	$\sim (SF \wedge OF) \ \& \ \sim ZF$	Greater (Signed)
jge	$\sim (SF \wedge OF)$	Greater or Equal (Signed)
jl	$(SF \wedge OF)$	Less (Signed)
jle	$(SF \wedge OF) \mid ZF$	Less or Equal (Signed)
ja	$\sim CF \ \& \ \sim ZF$	Above (unsigned)
jb	CF	Below (unsigned)

Reading Condition Codes

■ SetX Instructions

- Set low-order byte of destination to 0 or 1 based on *combinations* of condition codes
- Does not alter remaining 7 bytes

SetX	Condition	Description
sete	ZF	Equal / Zero
setne	$\sim ZF$	Not Equal / Not Zero
sets	SF	Negative
setns	$\sim SF$	Nonnegative
setg	$\sim (SF^OF) \ \& \ \sim ZF$	Greater (Signed)
setge	$\sim (SF^OF)$	Greater or Equal (Signed)
setl	(SF^OF)	Less (Signed)
setle	$(SF^OF) \ \ ZF$	Less or Equal (Signed)
seta	$\sim CF \ \& \ \sim ZF$	Above (unsigned)
setb	CF	Below (unsigned)

x86-64 Integer Registers

%rax	%al	%r8	%r8b
%rbx	%bl	%r9	%r9b
%rcx	%cl	%r10	%r10b
%rdx	%dl	%r11	%r11b
%rsi	%sil	%r12	%r12b
%rdi	%dil	%r13	%r13b
%rsp	%spl	%r14	%r14b
%rbp	%bp1	%r15	%r15b

- SetX argument is always a low byte (%al, %r8b, etc.)

Reading Condition Codes (Cont.)

■ SetX Instructions:

- Set single byte based on combination of condition codes

■ One of addressable byte registers

- Does not alter remaining bytes
- Typically use `movzbl` to finish job
 - 32-bit instructions also set upper 32 bits to 0

```
int gt (long x, long y)
{
    return x > y;
}
```

Register	Use(s)
<code>%rdi</code>	Argument <code>x</code>
<code>%rsi</code>	Argument <code>y</code>
<code>%rax</code>	Return value

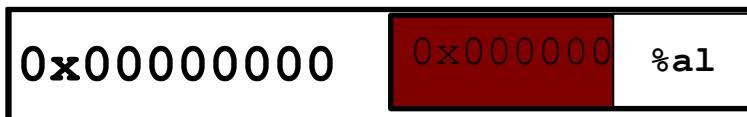
```
cmpq    %rsi, %rdi    # Compare x:y
setg    %al             # Set when >
movzbl  %al, %eax     # Zero rest of %rax
ret
```

Reading Condition Codes (Cont.)

Beware weirdness `movzbl` (and others)

`movzbl %al, %eax`

Zapped to all
0's



Use(s)

Argument **x**

Argument **y**

Return value

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cmpq    %rsi, %rdi    # Compare x:y
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Activity Time!

<https://canvas.cmu.edu/courses/30386/assignments/527129>

Do parts 1 through 4 now, then stop.

Conditional Branch Example (Old Style)

■ Generation

shark> gcc -Og -S **-fno-if-conversion** cont

I'll get to this shortly.

```
long absdiff
    (long x, long y)
{
    long result;
    if (x > y)
        result = x-y;
    else
        result = y-x;
    return result;
}
```

absdiff:

cmpq jle movq subq ret .L4: movq subq ret	%rsi, %rdi # x:y .L4 %rdi, %rax %rsi, %rax # x <= y %rsi, %rax %rdi, %rax
--	---

Register	Use(s)
%rdi	Argument x
%rsi	Argument y
%rax	Return value

Expressing with Goto Code

- C allows goto statement
- Jump to position designated by label

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{
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        result = x-y;
    else
        result = y-x;
    return result;
}
```

```
long absdiff_j
    (long x, long y)
{
    long result;
    int ntest = x <= y;
    if (ntest) goto Else;
    result = x-y;
    goto Done;
Else:
    result = y-x;
Done:
    return result;
}
```

General Conditional Expression Translation (Using Branches)

C Code

```
val = Test ? Then_Expr : Else_Expr;
```

```
val = x>y ? x-y : y-x;
```

Goto Version

```
ntest = !Test;
if (ntest) goto
Else;
    val = Then_Expr;
    goto Done;
Else:
    val = Else_Expr;
Done:
    . . .
```

- Create separate code regions for then & else expressions
- Execute appropriate one

Using Conditional Moves

■ Conditional Move Instructions

- Instruction supports:
if (Test) Dest \leftarrow Src
- Supported in post-1995 x86 processors
- GCC tries to use them
 - But, only when known to be safe

■ Why?

- Branches are very disruptive to instruction flow through pipelines
- Conditional moves do not require control transfer

C Code

```
val = Test  
? Then_Expr  
: Else_Expr;
```

Goto Version

```
result = Then_Expr;  
eval = Else_Expr;  
nt = !Test;  
if (nt) result = eval;  
return result;
```

Conditional Move Example

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    (long x, long y)
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    if (x > y)
        result = x-y;
    else
        result = y-x;
    return result;
}
```

Register	Use(s)
%rdi	Argument x
%rsi	Argument y
%rax	Return value

```
absdiff:
    movq    %rdi, %rax    # x
    subq    %rsi, %rax    # result = x-y
    movq    %rsi, %rdx
    subq    %rdi, %rdx    # eval = y-x
    cmpq    %rsi, %rdi    # x:y
    cmovle %rdx, %rax    # if <=, result = eval
    ret
```

Bad Cases for Conditional Move

Expensive Computations

```
val = Test(x) ? Hard1(x) : Hard2(x);
```

- Both values get computed
- Only makes sense when computations are very simple

Risky Computations

```
val = p ? *p : 0;
```

- Both values get computed
- May have undesirable effects

Computations with side effects

```
val = x > 0 ? x*=7 : x+=3;
```

- Both values get computed
- Must be side-effect free

Bad Performance

Unsafe

Illegal

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“Do-While” Loop Example

C Code

```
long pcount_do
(unsigned long x) {
    long result = 0;
    do {
        result += x & 0x1;
        x >>= 1;
    } while (x);
    return result;
}
```

Goto Version

```
long pcount_goto
(unsigned long x) {
    long result = 0;
loop:
    result += x & 0x1;
    x >>= 1;
    if(x) goto loop;
    return result;
}
```

- Count number of 1's in argument **x** (“popcount”)
- Use conditional branch to either continue looping or to exit loop

“Do-While” Loop Compilation

Goto Version

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```

Register	Use(s)
%rdi	Argument x
%rax	result

```
        movl    $0, %eax          # result = 0
.L2:
        movq    %rdi, %rdx
        andl    $1, %edx          # t = x & 0x1
        addq    %rdx, %rax          # result += t
        shrq    %rdi             # x >>= 1
        jne     .L2              # if (x) goto loop
loop
rep; ret
```

General “Do-While” Translation

C Code

```
do  
  Body  
  while (Test);
```

Goto Version

```
loop:  
  Body  
  if (Test)  
    goto loop
```

■ **Body:** {
 Statement₁;
 Statement₂;
 ...
 Statement_n;
}

General “While” Translation #1

- “Jump-to-middle” translation
- Used with -Og

While version

```
while (Test)
    Body
```



Goto Version

```
goto test;
loop:
Body
test:
if (Test)
    goto loop;
done:
```

While Loop Example #1

C Code

```
long pcount_while
(unsigned long x) {
    long result = 0;
    while (x) {
        result += x & 0x1;
        x >>= 1;
    }
    return result;
}
```

Jump to Middle

```
long pcount_goto_jtm
(unsigned long x) {
    long result = 0;
    goto test;
loop:
    result += x & 0x1;
    x >>= 1;
test:
    if(x) goto loop;
    return result;
}
```

- Compare to do-while version of function
- Initial goto starts loop at test

General “While” Translation #2

While version

```
while (Test)
    Body
```



Do-While Version

```
if (!Test)
    goto done;
do
    Body
    while(Test);
done:
```

- “Do-while” conversion
- Used with -O1

Goto Version

```
if (!Test)
    goto done;
loop:
    Body
    if (Test)
        goto loop;
done:
```



While Loop Example #2

C Code

```
long pcount_while
(unsigned long x) {
    long result = 0;
    while (x) {
        result += x & 0x1;
        x >>= 1;
    }
    return result;
}
```

Do-While Version

```
long pcount_goto_dw
(unsigned long x) {
    long result = 0;
    if (!x) goto done;
loop:
    result += x & 0x1;
    x >>= 1;
    if(x) goto loop;
done:
    return result;
}
```

- Compare to do-while version of function
- Initial conditional guards entrance to loop

“For” Loop Form

General Form

```
for (Init; Test; Update)  
    Body
```

```
#define WSIZE 8*sizeof(int)  
long pcount_for  
(unsigned long x)  
{  
    size_t i;  
    long result = 0;  
    for (i = 0; i < WSIZE; i++)  
    {  
        unsigned bit =  
            (x >> i) & 0x1;  
        result += bit;  
    }  
    return result;  
}
```

Init

```
i = 0
```

Test

```
i < WSIZE
```

Update

```
i++
```

Body

```
{  
    unsigned bit =  
        (x >> i) & 0x1;  
    result += bit;  
}
```

“For” Loop → While Loop

For Version

```
for (Init; Test; Update)  
    Body
```



While Version

```
Init;  
while (Test) {  
    Body  
    Update;  
}
```

For-While Conversion

Init

```
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Test

```
i < WSIZE
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Update

```
i++
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Body

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}
```

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{  
    size_t i;  
    long result = 0;  
    i = 0;  
    while (i < WSIZE)  
    {  
        unsigned bit =  
            (x >> i) & 0x1;  
        result += bit;  
        i++;  
    }  
    return result;  
}
```

“For” Loop Do-While Conversion

Goto Version

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    }
    return result;
}
```

```
long pcount_for_goto_dw
(unsigned long x) {
    size_t i;
    long result = 0;
```

i = 0;

~~if (! (i < WSIZE))~~ +
 ~~goto done;~~ ! Test

loop:

{

 unsigned bit =
 (x >> i) & 0x1; *Body*
 result += bit;

}

Update

 if (i < WSIZE) *Test*
 goto loop;

done:

 return result;

}

- Initial test can be optimized away

Activity Time!

Do part 6 now, then stop.

Today

- Review of a few tricky bits from yesterday
- Basics of control flow
- Condition codes
- Conditional operations
- Loops
- **If we have time: switch statements**

```
long switch_eg
    (long x, long y, long z)
{
    long w = 1;
    switch(x) {
        case 1:
            w = y*z;
            break;
        case 2:
            w = y/z;
            /* Fall Through */
        case 3:
            w += z;
            break;
        case 5:
        case 6:
            w -= z;
            break;
        default:
            w = 2;
    }
    return w;
}
```

Switch Statement Example

■ Multiple case labels

- Here: 5 & 6

■ Fall through cases

- Here: 2

■ Missing cases

- Here: 4

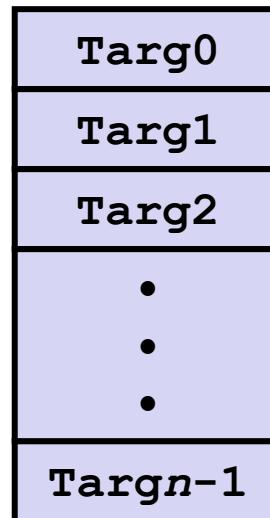
Jump Table Structure

Switch Form

```
switch(x) {  
    case val_0:  
        Block 0  
    case val_1:  
        Block 1  
    . . .  
    case val_{n-1}:  
        Block n-1  
}
```

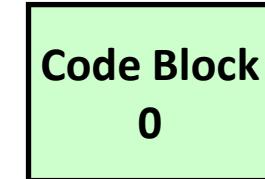
Jump Table

jtab:

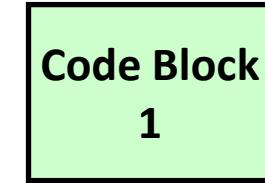


Jump Targets

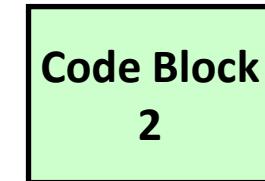
Targ0:



Targ1:

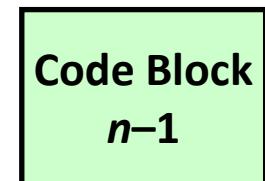


Targ2:



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Targ{n-1}:



Translation (Extended C)

```
goto *JTab[x];
```

Switch Statement Example

```
long switch_eg(long x, long y, long z)
{
    long w = 1;
    switch(x) {
        . . .
    }
    return w;
}
```

Setup:

```
switch_eg:
    movq    %rdx, %rcx
    cmpq    $6, %rdi    # x:6
    ja     .L8
    jmp    * .L4(,%rdi,8)
```

What range of values takes default?

Register	Use(s)
%rdi	Argument x
%rsi	Argument y
%rdx	Argument z
%rax	Return value

Note that **w** not initialized here

Switch Statement Example

```
long switch_eg(long x, long y, long z)
{
    long w = 1;
    switch(x) {
        . . .
    }
    return w;
}
```

Setup:

```
switch_eg:
    movq    %rdx, %rcx
    cmpq    $6, %rdi      # x:6
    ja     .L8           # Use default
    jmp    * .L4(,%rdi,8) # goto *JTab[x]
```

*Indirect
jump* →

Jump table

```
.section .rodata
    .align 8
.L4:
    .quad    .L8      # x = 0
    .quad    .L3      # x = 1
    .quad    .L5      # x = 2
    .quad    .L9      # x = 3
    .quad    .L8      # x = 4
    .quad    .L7      # x = 5
    .quad    .L7      # x = 6
```

Assembly Setup Explanation

Table Structure

- Each target requires 8 bytes
- Base address at `.L4`

Jumping

- **Direct:** `jmp .L8`
- Jump target is denoted by label `.L8`

- **Indirect:** `jmp * .L4(,%rdi,8)`
- Start of jump table: `.L4`
- Must scale by factor of 8 (addresses are 8 bytes)
- Fetch target from effective Address `.L4 + x*8`
 - Only for $0 \leq x \leq 6$

Jump table

```
.section .rodata
    .align 8
.L4:
    .quad    .L8      # x = 0
    .quad    .L3      # x = 1
    .quad    .L5      # x = 2
    .quad    .L9      # x = 3
    .quad    .L8      # x = 4
    .quad    .L7      # x = 5
    .quad    .L7      # x = 6
```

Jump Table

Jump table

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.section .rodata
    .align 8
.L4:
    .quad    .L8    # x = 0
    .quad    .L3    # x = 1
    .quad    .L5    # x = 2
    .quad    .L9    # x = 3
    .quad    .L8    # x = 4
    .quad    .L7    # x = 5
    .quad    .L7    # x = 6
```

```
switch(x) {
    case 1:          // .L3
        w = y*z;
        break;
    case 2:          // .L5
        w = y/z;
        /* Fall Through */
    case 3:          // .L9
        w += z;
        break;
    case 5:
    case 6:          // .L7
        w -= z;
        break;
    default:         // .L8
        w = 2;
}
```

Code Blocks ($x == 1$)

```
switch(x) {  
    case 1:          // .L3  
        w = y*z;  
        break;  
    . . .  
}
```

.L3:

```
    movq    %rsi, %rax  # y  
    imulq   %rdx, %rax  # y*z  
    ret
```

Register	Use(s)
%rdi	Argument x
%rsi	Argument y
%rdx	Argument z
%rax	Return value

Handling Fall-Through

```
long w = 1;  
.  
.  
switch(x) {  
.  
.case 2:  
    w = y/z;  
    /* Fall Through */  
case 3:  
    w += z;  
    break;  
.  
.  
}
```

```
case 2:  
    w = y/z;  
    goto merge;
```

```
case 3:  
    w = 1;  
  
merge:  
    w += z;
```

Code Blocks ($x == 2$, $x == 3$)

```

long w = 1;
. . .
switch(x) {
. . .
case 2:
    w = y/z;
    /* Fall Through */
case 3:
    w += z;
    break;
. . .
}

```

```

.L5:                                # Case 2
    movq    %rsi, %rax
    cqto
    idivq   %rcx          # y/z
    jmp     .L6            # goto merge
.L9:                                # Case 3
    movl    $1, %eax        # w = 1
.L6:                                # merge:
    addq    %rcx, %rax    # w += z
    ret

```

Register	Use(s)
%rdi	Argument x
%rsi	Argument y
%rdx	Argument z
%rax	Return value

Code Blocks ($x == 5$, $x == 6$, default)

```
switch(x) {  
    . . .  
    case 5: // .L7  
    case 6: // .L7  
        w -= z;  
        break;  
    default: // .L8  
        w = 2;  
}
```

```
.L7:                      # Case 5,6  
    movl $1, %eax      # w = 1  
    subq %rdx, %rax   # w -= z  
    ret  
.L8:                      # Default:  
    movl $2, %eax      # 2  
    ret
```

Register	Use(s)
%rdi	Argument x
%rsi	Argument y
%rdx	Argument z
%rax	Return value

Finding Jump Table in Binary

```
00000000004005e0 <switch_eg>:  
4005e0: 48 89 d1          mov    %rdx,%rcx  
4005e3: 48 83 ff 06       cmp    $0x6,%rdi  
4005e7: 77 2b             ja     400614 <switch_eg+0x34>  
4005e9: ff 24 fd f0 07 40 00 jmpq   *0x4007f0(,%rdi,8)  
4005f0: 48 89 f0          mov    %rsi,%rax  
4005f3: 48 0f af c2       imul   %rdx,%rax  
4005f7: c3                retq  
4005f8: 48 89 f0          mov    %rsi,%rax  
4005fb: 48 99             cqto  
4005fd: 48 f7 f9          idiv   %rcx  
400600: eb 05             jmp    400607 <switch_eg+0x27>  
400602: b8 01 00 00 00     mov    $0x1,%eax  
400607: 48 01 c8          add    %rcx,%rax  
40060a: c3                retq  
40060b: b8 01 00 00 00     mov    $0x1,%eax  
400610: 48 29 d0          sub    %rdx,%rax  
400613: c3                retq  
400614: b8 02 00 00 00     mov    $0x2,%eax  
400619: c3                retq
```

Finding Jump Table in Binary (cont.)

```
00000000004005e0 <switch_eg>:  
.  
. . .  
4005e9: ff 24 fd f0 07 40 00 jmpq *0x4007f0(,%rdi,8)  
. . .
```

```
% gdb switch  
(gdb) x /8xg 0x4007f0  
0x4007f0: 0x0000000000400614 0x00000000004005f0  
0x400800: 0x00000000004005f8 0x0000000000400602  
0x400810: 0x0000000000400614 0x000000000040060b  
0x400820: 0x000000000040060b 0x2c646c25203d2078  
(gdb)
```

Finding Jump Table in Binary (cont.)

```
% gdb switch  
(gdb) x /8xg 0x4007f0  
0x4007f0: 0x0000000000400614  
0x400800: 0x00000000004005f8  
0x400810: 0x0000000000400614  
0x400820: 0x000000000040060b  
0x400830: 0x00000000004005f0  
0x400840: 0x0000000000400602  
0x400850: 0x000000000040060b  
0x400860: 0x2c646c25203d2078
```

```
...  
4005f0: 48 39 f0 mov %rsi,%rax  
4005f3: 48 0f af c2 imul %rdx,%rax  
4005f7: c3 retq  
4005f8: 48 39 f0 mov %rsi,%rax  
4005fb: 48 99 cqto  
4005fd: 48 f7 f9 idiv %rcx  
400600: eb 05 jmp 400607 <switch_eg+0x27>  
400602: b8 01 00 00 00 mov $0x1,%eax  
400607: 48 01 c8 add %rcx,%rax  
40060a: c3 retq  
40060b: b8 01 00 00 00 mov $0x1,%eax  
400610: 48 29 d0 sub %rdx,%rax  
400613: c3 retq  
400614: b8 02 00 00 00 mov $0x2,%eax  
400619: c3 retq
```

Activity Time!

Do part 7 now, then go home ☺