

# COL 729 COMPILER OPTIMISATIONS

## LAB 1 UNDERSTANDING LLVM IR AND CLANG OPTIMISATIONS

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### 1. Optimisation level -O0

No optimisation

### 2. Optimization level -O2

At optimization level -O2, the compiler performs comprehensive optimization, which includes the following techniques:.

1. Global assignment of user variables to registers (register allocation).
2. Strength reduction and effective use of addressing modes.
3. Elimination of redundant instructions, known as common subexpression elimination
4. Elimination of instructions whose results are unused or that cannot be reached by a specified control flow, known as dead code elimination.
5. Algebraic simplification.
6. Movement of invariant code out of loops.
7. Compile-time evaluation of constant expressions, known as constant propagation.
8. Control flow simplification.
9. Instruction scheduling (reordering) for the target machine.
10. Loop unrolling and software pipelining -  
If the loop does thingA and then thingB, we can move thingA out above the loop, then rotate the loop so it looks like thingB and then thingA.
11. Branch prediction

Specific to LLVM IR:

1. Repetitive Allocations were removed. Some of the alloc get replaced with phi nodes.
2. Loop-Closed SSA Form  
It adds phi nodes for every live variable at the end of the basic block because this might expose optimizations done by other passes.

X86 ASSEMBLY:

Generates highly optimized code but has slow compilation time.

1. Move 0 replaced by xor of the register with itself.
2. More registers are used instead of storing values on stack.

## 1. LLVM IR

### a. emptyloop O0

```
define i32 @emptyloop(i32, i8**) #0 { ;defining function emptyloop with 2 arg. of type i32 and **i8 and return i32 (int 32bit value)
  %3 = alloca i32, align 4 ;%3 address contains address of allocated space for an int32 variable
  %4 = alloca i8**, align 8 ;%4=**char8
  %5 = alloca i64, align 8 ;%5=int64 for i
  %6 = alloca i64, align 8 ;%6=int64 for numiter
  store i32 %0, i32* %3, align 4 ;%0 contains first arguement argc, %3=argc
  store i8** %1, i8*** %4, align 8 ;%1 contains second arguement argv, %4=argv
  store i64 2147483646, i64* %6, align 8 ;numiter=int_max-1
  %7 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4 ;%7=i
  %8 = icmp sge i32 %7, 2 ;%8=result of comparison of argc and 2 (argc>=2)
  br i1 %8, label %9, label %15 ;if %8=true then jump to label 9 else label 15

; <label>:9: ; preds = %2
  %10 = load i8**, i8*** %4, align 8 ;%10=argv
  %11 = getelementptr inbounds i8*, i8** %10, i64 1 ;get element ptr argv+1,
  %12 = load i8*, i8** %11, align 8 ;%12=argv[1]
  %13 = call i32 @atoi(i8* %12) #2 ;call atoi with arg as argv[1]
  %14 = sext i32 %13 to i64 ;extend the result to 64bit,%14 typecast
  store i64 %14, i64* %6, align 8 ;numiter=%14
  br label %15 ;jump to label 15

; <label>:15: ; preds = %9, %2
  store i64 0, i64* %5, align 8 ;i=0
  br label %16 ;jump to loop start 16

; <label>:16: ; preds = %27, %15
  %17 = load i64, i64* %5, align 8 ;%17=i
  %18 = load i64, i64* %6, align 8 ;%18=numiter
  %19 = icmp ult i64 344865, %18 ;%19=(magic_number<numiter)
  br i1 %19, label %20, label %22 ;jump to label 20 if true else label 22

; <label>:20: ; preds = %16
  %21 = load i64, i64* %6, align 8 ;%21=numiter
  br label %23 ;branch to label 23

; <label>:22: ; preds = %16
  br label %23

; <label>:23: ; preds = %22, %20
  %24 = phi i64 [ %21, %20 ], [ 344865, %22 ] ;if reached here from label 20 then %24=20 else 344865
  %25 = icmp ult i64 %17, %24 ;comparing magic_number and numiter
  br i1 %25, label %26, label %30

; <label>:26: ; preds = %23
  br label %27

; <label>:27: ; preds = %26
  %28 = load i64, i64* %5, align 8 ;%28=i
  %29 = add i64 %28, 1 ;i incremented by 1
  store i64 %29, i64* %5, align 8 ;%29=i
  br label %16 ;jump to start of loop

; <label>:30: ; preds = %23
  ret i32 0 ;return 0
}
```



d. fib O2

```
define i32 @fib(i32) local_unnamed_addr #0 {  
    %2 = icmp slt i32 %0, 2           ;%2=(n<2)  
    br i1 %2, label %12, label %3    ;if true then jump to 12 to return 1 else label 3  
  
; <label>:3:                          ; preds = %1  
    br label %4  
  
; <label>:4:                          ; preds = %3, %4  
    %5 = phi i32 [ %9, %4 ], [ %0, %3 ] ;if pred=4 then %9(n-2) else n  
    %6 = phi i32 [ %10, %4 ], [ 1, %3 ] ;if pred=4 then %10(added value) else 1  
    %7 = add nsw i32 %5, -1           ;%7=n-1  
    %8 = tail call i32 @fib(i32 %7)  ;%8=fib(n-1)  
    %9 = add nsw i32 %5, -2           ;%9=n-2  
    %10 = add nsw i32 %8, %6          ;%10=fib(n-1)+fib(n-2)  
    %11 = icmp slt i32 %5, 4         ;%11=compare 4 and value from phi node  
    br i1 %11, label %12, label %4  
  
; <label>:12:                          ; preds = %4, %1  
    %13 = phi i32 [ 1, %1 ], [ %10, %4 ]  
    ret i32 %13  
}
```

Explicit memory allocations removed for local variables and function arguments. Two call statements replaced by 1 using phi nodes determining the entry point for this node of the CFG.

e. fibo\_iter O0

```

define i64 @fibo_iter(i32) #0 {
    %2 = alloca i64, align 8
    %3 = alloca i32, align 4
    %4 = alloca i64, align 8
    %5 = alloca i64, align 8
    %6 = alloca i32, align 4
    %7 = alloca i32, align 4
    store i32 %0, i32* %3, align 4
    %8 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4
    %9 = icmp ult i32 %8, 3
    br i1 %9, label %10, label %11

; <label>:10:
store i64 1, i64* %2, align 8
br label %29

; <label>:11:
store i64 1, i64* %4, align 8
store i64 1, i64* %5, align 8
store i32 3, i32* %6, align 4
br label %12

; <label>:12:
%13 = load i32, i32* %6, align 4
%14 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4
%15 = icmp ule i32 %13, %14
br i1 %15, label %16, label %27

; <label>:16:
%17 = load i64, i64* %4, align 8
%18 = trunc i64 %17 to i32
store i32 %18, i32* %7, align 4
%19 = load i64, i64* %5, align 8
%20 = load i64, i64* %4, align 8
%21 = add i64 %20, %19
store i64 %21, i64* %4, align 8
%22 = load i32, i32* %7, align 4
%23 = zext i32 %22 to i64
store i64 %23, i64* %5, align 8
br label %24

; <label>:24:
%25 = load i32, i32* %6, align 4
%26 = add i32 %25, 1

```

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; <label>:24:
%25 = load i32, i32* %6, align 4
%26 = add i32 %25, 1
store i32 %26, i32* %6, align 4
br label %12

; <label>:27:
%28 = load i64, i64* %4, align 8
store i64 %28, i64* %2, align 8
br label %29

; <label>:29:
%30 = load i64, i64* %2, align 8
ret i64 %30
}

```

f. fibo\_iter O2

```

, function args: n: i32, fibo_cur: i64, fibo_prev: i64
define i64 @fibo_iter(i32) local_unnamed_addr #0 {
    %2 = icmp ult i32 %0, 3           ;%2=(n<3)
    br i1 %2, label %12, label %3    ;if true then return with 1 else loop

; <label>:3:                          ; preds = %1
    br label %4

; <label>:4:                          ; preds = %3, %4
    %5 = phi i32 [ %10, %4 ], [ 3, %3 ] ;if pred=4 then i+1 else 3
    %6 = phi i64 [ %9, %4 ], [ 1, %3 ]  ;if pred=4 then %6=fibo_cur else 1
    %7 = phi i64 [ %8, %4 ], [ 1, %3 ]  ;if pred=4 then %7=fibo_prev else 1
    %8 = add i64 %6, %7                ;%8=fibo_cur+fibo_prev
    %9 = and i64 %7, 4294967295
    %10 = add i32 %5, 1                 ;%10=i+1
    %11 = icmp ugt i32 %10, %0         ;%11=(i+1>n)
    br i1 %11, label %12, label %4     ;if true then return from func, else loop

; <label>:12:                          ; preds = %4, %1
    %13 = phi i64 [ 1, %1 ], [ %8, %4 ] ;%13=value to be returned
    ret i64 %13
}

```

Explicit memory allocations removed for local variables and function arguments. Loop operations simplified using phi node instruction which determines the live variables and thus specifying the values of fibo\_cur and fibo\_prev to be used.

g. gcd 00

```
, function args: no more no more operations needed
define i32 @gcd1(i32, i32) #0 {
    %3 = alloca i32, align 4
    %4 = alloca i32, align 4
    %5 = alloca i32, align 4
    store i32 %0, i32* %4, align 4
    store i32 %1, i32* %5, align 4
    %6 = load i32, i32* %5, align 4
    %7 = icmp ne i32 %6, 0
    br i1 %7, label %10, label %8

; <label>:8:                                ; preds = %2
    %9 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4
    store i32 %9, i32* %3, align 4
    br label %16
; %9=a
; %5=b
; %3=a
; jump to label 16 to return a

; <label>:10:                                ; preds = %2
    %11 = load i32, i32* %5, align 4
    %12 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4
    %13 = load i32, i32* %5, align 4
    %14 = srem i32 %12, %13
    %15 = call i32 @gcd1(i32 %11, i32 %14)
    store i32 %15, i32* %3, align 4
    br label %16
; %11=b
; %12=a
; %13=b
; %14=a%b
; call gcd1(b,a%b)
; storing the result in %3

; <label>:16:                                ; preds = %10, %8
    %17 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4
    ret i32 %17
; %17=%3 value to be returned
}

```

```

; Function Attrs: noline nounwind optnone uwtable
define i32 @gcd2(i32, i32) #0 {
    %3 = alloca i32, align 4
    %4 = alloca i32, align 4
    store i32 %0, i32* %3, align 4
    store i32 %1, i32* %4, align 4
    br label %5

; <label>:5:
%6 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4
%7 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4
%8 = icmp ne i32 %6, %7
br i1 %8, label %9, label %22

; <label>:9:
%10 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4
%11 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4
%12 = icmp sgt i32 %10, %11
br i1 %12, label %13, label %17

; <label>:13:
%14 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4
%15 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4
%16 = sub nsw i32 %15, %14
store i32 %16, i32* %3, align 4
br label %21

; <label>:17:
%18 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4
%19 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4
%20 = sub nsw i32 %19, %18
store i32 %20, i32* %4, align 4
br label %21

; <label>:21:
br label %5

; <label>:22:
%23 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4
ret i32 %23
}

```

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; Function Attrs: noline nounwind optnone uwtable

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```

}

; Function Attrs: noline nounwind optnone uwtable
define i32 @gcd3(i32, i32) #0 {
    %3 = alloca i32, align 4
    %4 = alloca i32, align 4
    %5 = alloca i32, align 4
    store i32 %0, i32* %3, align 4
    store i32 %1, i32* %4, align 4
    br label %6

; <label>:6:
%7 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4
%8 = icmp ne i32 %7, 0
br i1 %8, label %9, label %15

; <label>:9:
%10 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4
store i32 %10, i32* %5, align 4
%11 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4
%12 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4
%13 = srem i32 %11, %12
store i32 %13, i32* %4, align 4
%14 = load i32, i32* %5, align 4
store i32 %14, i32* %3, align 4
br label %6

; <label>:15:
%16 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4
ret i32 %16
}

```



## h. gcd O2

```
; Function Attrs: nounwind readnone uwtable
define i32 @gcd1(i32, i32) local_unnamed_addr #0 {
    %3 = icmp eq i32 %1, 0
    br i1 %3, label %10, label %4

; <label>:4:
    br label %5

; <label>:5:
    %6 = phi i32 [ %8, %5 ], [ %1, %4 ]
    %7 = phi i32 [ %6, %5 ], [ %0, %4 ]
    %8 = srem i32 %7, %6
    %9 = icmp eq i32 %8, 0
    br i1 %9, label %10, label %5

; <label>:10:
    %11 = phi i32 [ %0, %2 ], [ %6, %5 ]
    ret i32 %11
}

; Function Attrs: norecurse nounwind readnone uwtable
define i32 @gcd2(i32, i32) local_unnamed_addr #1 {
    %3 = icmp eq i32 %0, %1
    br i1 %3, label %14, label %4

; <label>:4:
    br label %5

; <label>:5:
    %6 = phi i32 [ %12, %5 ], [ %1, %4 ]
    %7 = phi i32 [ %10, %5 ], [ %0, %4 ]
    %8 = icmp slt i32 %6, %7
    %9 = select i1 %8, i32 %6, i32 0
    %10 = sub nsw i32 %7, %9
    %11 = select i1 %8, i32 0, i32 %7
    %12 = sub nsw i32 %6, %11
    %13 = icmp eq i32 %10, %12
    br i1 %13, label %14, label %5

; <label>:14:
    %15 = phi i32 [ %0, %2 ], [ %10, %5 ]
    ret i32 %15
}
```

```

; function body of gcd3 with arguments a and b
define i32 @gcd3(i32, i32) local_unnamed_addr #1 {
    %3 = icmp eq i32 %1, 0
    br i1 %3, label %10, label %4

; <label>:4:
br label %5

; <label>:5:
%6 = phi i32 [ %7, %5 ], [ %0, %4 ]
%7 = phi i32 [ %8, %5 ], [ %1, %4 ]
%8 = srem i32 %6, %7
%9 = icmp eq i32 %8, 0
br i1 %9, label %10, label %5

; <label>:10:
%11 = phi i32 [ %0, %2 ], [ %7, %5 ]
ret i32 %11
}

;func gcd3 with arg a and b
;%3=(b=0)
;if true then return else label 4(loop)

; preds = %2

; preds = %4, %5
;if pred=5 then %7 else a
;if pred=5 then a%b else b
;%8=a%b
;%9=(a%b=0)
;if true then label 10 else loop

; preds = %5, %2
;%11=value to be returned
;return %11(a)

```

Explicit memory allocations removed for local variables and function arguments. Unnecessary moves and stores removed. Loops simplified using phi nodes.

## i. print\_args O0

```

define i32 @print_arg(i32, i8**) #0 {
    %3 = alloca i32, align 4
    %4 = alloca i32, align 4
    %5 = alloca i8**, align 8
    store i32 %0, i32* %4, align 4
    store i8** %1, i8*** %5, align 8
    %6 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4
    %7 = icmp ne i32 %6, 2
    br i1 %7, label %8, label %9

; <label>:8:
store i32 -1, i32* %3, align 4
br label %14

; <label>:9:
%10 = load i8**, i8*** %5, align 8
%11 = getelementptr inbounds i8*, i8** %10, i64 1
%12 = load i8*, i8** %11, align 8
%13 = call i32 @printf(i8*, ...) @printf(i8* getelementptr inbounds ([3 x i8], [3 x i8]* @.str, i32 0, i32 0), i8* %12)
store i32 0, i32* %3, align 4
br label %14

; <label>:14:
%15 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4
ret i32 %15
}

declare i32 @printf(i8*, ...) #1

```

;func print\_arg with arg. argc and argv  
 ;allocating space for arg and local variables  
 ;%4=argc  
 ;%5=argv  
 ;%6=argc  
 ;%7=(argc!=2)  
 ;if true then jump to label 8 else 9  
 ;preds = %2  
 ;%3=-1, value to be returned  
 ;jump to label 14  
 ;preds = %2  
 ;%10=argv  
 ;%12=argv[1]  
 ;%13=printf(argv[1])  
 ;%3=0, value to be returned  
 ;preds = %9, %8  
 ;%15=%3  
 ;return 0 or -1  
 ;declaring printf function

## j. print\_args O2

```

define i32 @print_arg(i32, i8** nocapture readonly) local_unnamed_addr #0 {
    %3 = icmp eq i32 %0, 2
    br i1 %3, label %4, label %8

; <label>:4:
%5 = getelementptr inbounds i8*, i8** %1, i64 1
%6 = load i8*, i8** %5, align 8, !tbaa !2
%7 = tail call i32 @printf(i8*, ...) @printf(i8* getelementptr inbounds ([3 x i8], [3 x i8]* @.str, i64 0, i64 0), i8* %6)
br label %8

; <label>:8:
%9 = phi i32 [ 0, %4 ], [ -1, %2 ]
ret i32 %9
}

declare i32 @printf(i8* nocapture readonly, ...) local_unnamed_addr #1

```

;%3=(argc=2)  
 ;if equal then label 4 else label 8  
 ;preds = %2  
 ;  
 ;%6=argv[1]  
 ;call printf(arg[v])  
 ;preds = %2, %4  
 ;if pred=4 then %9=0 else -1  
 ;return 0 or -1  
 ;declaring printf function

Explicit memory allocations removed for local variables and function arguments. Use of phi node to determine what value to return instead of storing it in a variable and thus removed the instructions not required.

## k. loops O0

```

define zeroext i1 @is_sorted(i32*, i32) #0 {
    %3 = alloca i1, align 1
    %4 = alloca i32*, align 8
    %5 = alloca i32, align 4
    %6 = alloca i32, align 4
    store i32* %0, i32** %4, align 8
    store i32 %1, i32* %5, align 4
    store i32 0, i32* %6, align 4
    br label %7

; <label>:7:
    %8 = load i32, i32* %6, align 4
    %9 = load i32, i32* %5, align 4
    %10 = sub nsw i32 %9, 1
    %11 = icmp slt i32 %8, %10
    br i1 %11, label %12, label %30

; <label>:12:
    %13 = load i32*, i32** %4, align 8
    %14 = load i32, i32* %6, align 4
    %15 = sext i32 %14 to i64
    %16 = getelementptr inbounds i32, i32* %13, i64 %15
    %17 = load i32, i32* %16, align 4
    %18 = load i32*, i32** %4, align 8
    %19 = load i32, i32* %6, align 4
    %20 = add nsw i32 %19, 1
    %21 = sext i32 %20 to i64
    %22 = getelementptr inbounds i32, i32* %18, i64 %21
    %23 = load i32, i32* %22, align 4
    %24 = icmp sgt i32 %17, %23
    br i1 %24, label %25, label %26

; <label>:25:
    store i1 false, i1* %3, align 1
    br label %31

; <label>:26:
    br label %27

; <label>:26:
    br label %27

; <label>:27:
    %28 = load i32, i32* %6, align 4
    %29 = add nsw i32 %28, 1
    store i32 %29, i32* %6, align 4
    br label %7

; <label>:30:
    store i1 true, i1* %3, align 1
    br label %31

; <label>:31:
    %32 = load i1, i1* %3, align 1
    ret i1 %32
}

```

• Function Attrs: noinline nooptsize norecurse uwtable

```

define void @add_arrays(i32*, i32*, i32*, i32) #0 {
    %5 = alloca i32*, align 8
    %6 = alloca i32*, align 8
    %7 = alloca i32*, align 8
    %8 = alloca i32, align 4
    %9 = alloca i32, align 4
    store i32* %0, i32** %5, align 8
    store i32* %1, i32** %6, align 8
    store i32* %2, i32** %7, align 8
    store i32 %3, i32* %8, align 4
    store i32 0, i32* %9, align 4
    br label %10

; preds = %30, %4
; <label>:10:
%11 = load i32, i32* %9, align 4
%12 = load i32, i32* %8, align 4
%13 = icmp slt i32 %11, %12
br i1 %13, label %14, label %33

; preds = %10
; <label>:14:
%15 = load i32*, i32** %5, align 8
%16 = load i32, i32* %9, align 4
%17 = sext i32 %16 to i64
%18 = getelementptr inbounds i32, i32* %15, i64 %17
%19 = load i32, i32* %18, align 4
%20 = load i32*, i32** %6, align 8
%21 = load i32, i32* %9, align 4
%22 = sext i32 %21 to i64
%23 = getelementptr inbounds i32, i32* %20, i64 %22
%24 = load i32, i32* %23, align 4
%25 = add nsw i32 %19, %24
%26 = load i32*, i32** %7, align 8
%27 = load i32, i32* %9, align 4
%28 = sext i32 %27 to i64
%29 = getelementptr inbounds i32, i32* %26, i64 %28
store i32 %25, i32* %29, align 4
br label %30

; preds = %14
; <label>:30:
%31 = load i32, i32* %9, align 4
%32 = add nsw i32 %31, 1
store i32 %32, i32* %9, align 4
br label %10

; preds = %10
; <label>:33:
ret void
}

```

;func add\_arrays with 4 arg.  
;allocating space for local var and arg.

;%5=&a  
;%6=&b  
;%7=&c  
;%8=n  
;%9=0, i=0

;preds = %30, %4  
;%11=i  
;%12=n  
;%13=(i<n)  
;if true then label 14(loop)

; preds = %10  
;%15=&a  
;%16=i  
;%17=(int64)i  
;%19=a[i]  
;%20=&b  
;%24=b[i]  
;%25=a[i]+b[i]  
;%26=&c  
;%29=c[i]  
;c[i]=a[i]+b[i]

;preds = %14  
;%31=i  
;%32=i+1  
;i=i+1  
;jupm to start of loop

; preds = %10  
;return void

• Function Attrs: noinline nothrow uwtable

```

define i32 @sum(i8*, i32) #0 {
    %3 = alloca i8*, align 8
    %4 = alloca i32, align 4
    %5 = alloca i32, align 4
    %6 = alloca i32, align 4
    store i8* %0, i8** %3, align 8
    store i32 %1, i32* %4, align 4
    store i32 0, i32* %5, align 4
    store i32 0, i32* %6, align 4
    br label %7

; <label>:7:
    %8 = load i32, i32* %6, align 4
    %9 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4
    %10 = icmp slt i32 %8, %9
    br i1 %10, label %11, label %23

; <label>:11:
    %12 = load i8*, i8** %3, align 8
    %13 = load i32, i32* %6, align 4
    %14 = sext i32 %13 to i64
    %15 = getelementptr inbounds i8, i8* %12, i64 %14
    %16 = load i8, i8* %15, align 1
    %17 = zext i8 %16 to i32
    %18 = load i32, i32* %5, align 4
    %19 = add nsw i32 %18, %17
    store i32 %19, i32* %5, align 4
    br label %20

; <label>:20:
    %21 = load i32, i32* %6, align 4
    %22 = add nsw i32 %21, 1
    store i32 %22, i32* %6, align 4
    br label %7

; <label>:23:
    %24 = load i32, i32* %5, align 4
    ret i32 %24
}

```

;func sum with 2 arg.  
 ;allocating space for arg. and local variables  
  
 ;%3=&a  
 ;%4=n  
 ;%5=0, ret=0  
 ;%6=0, i=0  
 ;jump to label 7  
  
 ; preds = %20, %2  
 ;%8=i  
 ;%9=n  
 ;%10=(i<n)  
 ;if true then label 11(loop) else 23  
  
 ; preds = %7  
 ;%12=&a  
 ;%13=i  
 ;%14=(int64)i  
 ;%16=a[i]  
 ;%17=(int32)a[i]  
 ;&18=ret  
 ;%19=(int32)a[i]+ret  
 ;ret=ret+a[i]  
  
 ; preds = %11  
 ;%21=i  
 ;%22=i+1  
 ;i=i+1  
 ;jump to start of loop  
  
 ; preds = %7  
 ;%24=ret, value to be returned

```

define i32 @sumn(i32) #0 {                                     ;func sumn with arg n
  %2 = alloca i32, align 4                                   ;allocating space for arg. and local variables
  %3 = alloca i32, align 4
  %4 = alloca i32, align 4
  store i32 %0, i32* %2, align 4                             ;%2=n
  store i32 0, i32* %3, align 4                             ;%3=0, ret=0
  store i32 0, i32* %4, align 4                             ;%4=0, i=0
  br label %5

; <label>:5:                                                ; preds = %13, %1
  %6 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4                           ;%6=i
  %7 = load i32, i32* %2, align 4                           ;%7=n
  %8 = icmp slt i32 %6, %7                                  ;compare i and n
  br i1 %8, label %9, label %16                             ;if(i<n) then loop

; <label>:9:                                                ; preds = %5
  %10 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4                          ;%10=ret
  %11 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4                          ;%11=i
  %12 = add nsw i32 %10, %11                                ;%12=ret+i
  store i32 %12, i32* %3, align 4                           ;ret=ret+i
  br label %13

; <label>:13:                                               ; preds = %9
  %14 = load i32, i32* %4, align 4                          ;%14=i
  %15 = add nsw i32 %14, 1                                  ;%15=i+1
  store i32 %15, i32* %4, align 4                           ;i+i+1
  br label %5                                               ;jump to start of loop

; <label>:16:                                               ; preds = %5
  %17 = load i32, i32* %3, align 4                          ;%17=%3 value to be returned ret
  ret i32 %17
}

```

## 1. loops O2

```

define zeroext i1 @is_sorted(i32* nocapture readonly, i32) local_unnamed_addr #0 { ;func is_sorted with 2 arg.
  %3 = icmp sgt i32 %1, 1                                   ;%3=(n>1)
  br i1 %3, label %4, label %17                            ;if true then loop else return from func.

; <label>:4:                                                ; preds = %2
  %5 = add nsw i32 %1, -1                                   ;%4=n-1
  %6 = sext i32 %5 to i64                                  ;%5=(int64)n-1
  %7 = load i32, i32* %0, align 4, !tbaa !2                ;%7=&a
  br label %10

; <label>:8:                                                ; preds = %10
  %9 = icmp slt i64 %13, %6                                ;%9=(i+1<(n-1))
  br i1 %9, label %10, label %17                            ;if true then loop else to return

; <label>:10:                                               ; preds = %4, %8
  %11 = phi i32 [ %7, %4 ], [ %15, %8 ]
  %12 = phi i64 [ 0, %4 ], [ %13, %8 ]
  %13 = add nuw nsw i64 %12, 1                               ;%13=i+1
  %14 = getelementptr inbounds i32, i32* %0, i64 %13
  %15 = load i32, i32* %14, align 4, !tbaa !2              ;%15=a[i]
  %16 = icmp sgt i32 %11, %15                              ;%16=(a[i]>a[i+1])
  br i1 %16, label %17, label %8                           ;if true then %17 to return false else loop

; <label>:17:                                               ; preds = %10, %8, %2
  %18 = phi i1 [ true, %2 ], [ true, %8 ], [ false, %10 ] ;if pred=2,8 then true else false
  ret i1 %18
}

```

```

; Function Attrs: nofree noinline nounwind noreturn uwtable
define i32 @sumn(i32) local_unnamed_addr #2 {
    %2 = icmp sgt i32 %0, 0
    br i1 %2, label %3, label %13

; <label>:3:
    %4 = add i32 %0, -1
    %5 = zext i32 %4 to i33
    %6 = add i32 %0, -2
    %7 = zext i32 %6 to i33
    %8 = mul i33 %5, %7
    %9 = lshr i33 %8, 1
    %10 = trunc i33 %9 to i32
    %11 = add i32 %10, %0
    %12 = add i32 %11, -1
    br label %13

; <label>:13:
    %14 = phi i32 [ 0, %1 ], [ %12, %3 ]
    ret i32 %14
}
;func sumn with arg. n
;%2=(n>0)
;if true then loop else return from func.
; preds = %1
;%4=n-1
;%5=(int33)n-1
;%6=n-2
;zero extend n-2
;%8=(n-1)(n-2)
;%9=(n-1)(n-2)/2
;%10=(int32)%9
;%11=(n-1)(n-2)/2+n
;%12=n2-n-1
; preds = %3, %1
;if pred=1 then return 0 else %12(sum)

```

The generated code for level O2 for sum and add\_arrays has more instructions than level O0 as sometimes, the higher optimizations add no reasonable benefit but a lot of extra size.



## 2. x86 ASSEMBLY (GCC)

### a. emptyloop O0

```
emptyloop.i386.00.o:      file format elf32-i386
```

```
Disassembly of section .text:
```

```
00000000 <emptyloop>:
```

```
 0:  55                push    %ebp                #push ebp register content
 1:  89 e5             mov     %esp,%ebp          #ebp=esp
 3:  56                push    %esi                #push esi register
 4:  83 ec 44          sub     $0x44,%esp         #esp=esp-0x44 space allocated on stack
 7:  8b 45 0c           mov     0xc(%ebp),%eax      #eax=ebp+12, argv
 a:  8b 4d 08           mov     0x8(%ebp),%ecx      #ecx=ebp+8, argc
 d:  89 45 f8           mov     %eax,-0x8(%ebp)     #ebp-8=eax,argc
10:  c7 45 ec 00 00 00 00  movl   $0x0,-0x14(%ebp)    #ebp-0x14=0 ,i
17:  c7 45 e8 fe ff ff 7f  movl   $0x7fffffff,-0x18(%ebp) #ebp-0x18=int_max-1,numiter
1e:  83 7d 08 02       cmpl   $0x2,0x8(%ebp)      #comparing 2 with argc
22:  89 4d e4           mov     %ecx,-0x1c(%ebp)    #storing argc at stack
25:  7c 1a             jl     41 <emptyloop+0x41>  #if argc<2 then jump to loc.41 else fallthrough
27:  8b 45 f8           mov     -0x8(%ebp),%eax     #eax=argc
2a:  8b 40 04           mov     0x4(%eax),%eax      #eax=eax+4
2d:  89 e1             mov     %esp,%ecx          #ecx=esp
2f:  89 01             mov     %eax,(%ecx)         #ecx=eax
31:  e8 fc ff ff ff   call   32 <emptyloop+0x32>  #call 32, the next argument
36:  89 c1             mov     %eax,%ecx          #ecx=eax
38:  c1 f9 1f          sar     $0x1f,%ecx          #right arithmetic shift of 1f
3b:  89 45 e8           mov     %eax,-0x18(%ebp)
3e:  89 4d ec           mov     %ecx,-0x14(%ebp)
41:  c7 45 f4 00 00 00 00  movl   $0x0,-0xc(%ebp)
48:  c7 45 f0 00 00 00 00  movl   $0x0,-0x10(%ebp)
4f:  8b 45 f0           mov     -0x10(%ebp),%eax
52:  8b 4d f4           mov     -0xc(%ebp),%ecx
55:  8b 55 e8           mov     -0x18(%ebp),%edx
58:  8b 75 ec           mov     -0x14(%ebp),%esi
5b:  81 ea 22 43 05 00   sub     $0x54322,%edx
61:  83 de 00           sbb    $0x0,%esi
64:  89 45 e0           mov     %eax,-0x20(%ebp)
67:  89 4d dc           mov     %ecx,-0x24(%ebp)
6a:  89 55 d8           mov     %edx,-0x28(%ebp)
6d:  89 75 d4           mov     %esi,-0x2c(%ebp)
70:  72 10             jb     82 <emptyloop+0x82>
72:  eb 00             jmp    74 <emptyloop+0x74>
74:  8b 45 e8           mov     -0x18(%ebp),%eax
77:  8b 4d ec           mov     -0x14(%ebp),%ecx
```

```

52: 8b 4d f4      mov     -0xc(%ebp),%ecx
55: 8b 55 e8      mov     -0x18(%ebp),%edx
58: 8b 75 ec      mov     -0x14(%ebp),%esi
5b: 81 ea 22 43 05 00  sub    $0x54322,%edx
61: 83 de 00      sbb    $0x0,%esi
64: 89 45 e0      mov     %eax,-0x20(%ebp)
67: 89 4d dc      mov     %ecx,-0x24(%ebp)
6a: 89 55 d8      mov     %edx,-0x28(%ebp)
6d: 89 75 d4      mov     %esi,-0x2c(%ebp)
70: 72 10        jb     82 <emptyloop+0x82>
72: eb 00        jmp    74 <emptyloop+0x74>
74: 8b 45 e8      mov     -0x18(%ebp),%eax
77: 8b 4d ec      mov     -0x14(%ebp),%ecx
7a: 89 45 d0      mov     %eax,-0x30(%ebp)
7d: 89 4d cc      mov     %ecx,-0x34(%ebp)
80: eb 0f        jmp    91 <emptyloop+0x91>
82: 31 c0        xor     %eax,%eax          #clearing eax
84: b9 21 43 05 00  mov    $0x54321,%ecx      #ecx=magic number
89: 89 4d d0      mov     %ecx,-0x30(%ebp)  #storing ecx and eax in stack
8c: 89 45 cc      mov     %eax,-0x34(%ebp)
8f: eb 00        jmp    91 <emptyloop+0x91> #jump to next instruction
91: 8b 45 cc      mov     -0x34(%ebp),%eax  #eax=
94: 8b 4d d0      mov     -0x30(%ebp),%ecx  #ecx=numiter
97: 8b 55 e0      mov     -0x20(%ebp),%edx  #edx=magic number
9a: 29 ca        sub    %ecx,%edx
9c: 8b 4d dc      mov     -0x24(%ebp),%ecx
9f: 19 c1        sbb    %eax,%ecx          #comparing numiter and magic number
a1: 89 4d c8      mov     %ecx,-0x38(%ebp)  #storing ecx and edx contents
a4: 89 55 c4      mov     %edx,-0x3c(%ebp)
a7: 73 18        jae    c1 <emptyloop+0xc1> #jump if above or equal to c1(result of sbb)=terminate the loop
a9: eb 00        jmp    ab <emptyloop+0xab>
ab: eb 00        jmp    ad <emptyloop+0xad>
ad: 8b 45 f0      mov     -0x10(%ebp),%eax  #eax=i
b0: 8b 4d f4      mov     -0xc(%ebp),%ecx  #ecx=ebp-12
b3: 83 c0 01      add    $0x1,%eax          #i incremented by 1
b6: 83 d1 00      adc    $0x0,%ecx          #ecx=ecx+0 with carry
b9: 89 45 f0      mov     %eax,-0x10(%ebp)  #ebp-16=eax
bc: 89 4d f4      mov     %ecx,-0xc(%ebp)  #ebp-12=ecx
bf: eb 8e        jmp    4f <emptyloop+0x4f> #jump to loop
c1: 31 c0        xor     %eax,%eax          #clearing eax
c3: 83 c4 44      add    $0x44,%esp        #restoring stack
c6: 5e          pop    %esi
c7: 5d          pop    %ebp
c8: c3          ret

```

b. emptyloop O2

emptyloop.i386.O2.o: file format elf32-i386

Disassembly of section .text:

```
00000000 <emptyloop>:
 0: 83 ec 0c          sub    $0xc,%esp          #12 bytes onstack
 3: 83 7c 24 10 02    cmpl  $0x2,0x10(%esp)    #comparing 2 with esp+16 argc
 8: 7c 16            jl    20 <emptyloop+0x20> #if argc<2 then jump to loc.20 to return
 a: 8b 44 24 14      mov    0x14(%esp),%eax    #eax=esp+0x14, argv
 e: 83 ec 04          sub    $0x4,%esp          #esp=esp-4
11: 6a 0a            push  $0xa                #push 10
13: 6a 00            push  $0x0                #push 0 value to be returned
15: ff 70 04          pushl 0x4(%eax)           #push eax+4
18: e8 fc ff ff ff    call  19 <emptyloop+0x19> #call next argument|
1d: 83 c4 10          add    $0x10,%esp         #esp=esp+16
20: 31 c0            xor    %eax,%eax          #clearing eax
22: 83 c4 0c          add    $0xc,%esp          #restoring stack
25: c3              ret
```

All instructions related to the loop are removed. Explicit memory allocations removed for local variables and function arguments.

c. fib 00

fib.i386.00.o: file format elf32-i386

Disassembly of section .text:

00000000 <fib>:

```
0: 55          push    %ebp                #push ebp, ebp=esp
1: 89 e5       mov     %esp,%ebp
3: 83 ec 18    sub    $0x18,%esp         #esp=esp-0x18, space allocated on stack
6: 8b 45 08    mov    0x8(%ebp),%eax     #eax= ebp+8, arguement n
9: 83 7d 08 02  cml    $0x2,0x8(%ebp)     #comparing arg n with 2
d: 89 45 f8    mov    %eax,-0x8(%ebp)   #storing n in stack
10: 7d 09      jge    1b <fib+0x1b>     #if 2<n then jump to loc 1b
12: c7 45 fc 01 00 00 00  movl   $0x1,-0x4(%ebp)   #storing 1 on stack
19: eb 27      jmp    42 <fib+0x42>     #jump to loc 42 to return
1b: 8b 45 08    mov    0x8(%ebp),%eax     #eax=n
1e: 83 e8 01    sub    $0x1,%eax         #eax=n-1
21: 89 04 24    mov    %eax,(%esp)       #esp=eax
24: e8 fc ff ff ff    call  25 <fib+0x25>     #call fib with arg n-1
29: 8b 4d 08    mov    0x8(%ebp),%ecx     #ecx=arg n
2c: 83 e9 02    sub    $0x2,%ecx         #ecx=n-2
2f: 89 0c 24    mov    %ecx,(%esp)       #esp=ecx (n)
32: 89 45 f4    mov    %eax,-0xc(%ebp)   #storing eax on stack
35: e8 fc ff ff ff    call  36 <fib+0x36>     #call fib with n-2
3a: 8b 4d f4    mov    -0xc(%ebp),%ecx   #ecx=return value
3d: 01 c1      add    %eax,%ecx         #ecx=ecx+eax
3f: 89 4d fc    mov    %ecx,-0x4(%ebp)   #ebp-4=ecx value to be returned
42: 8b 45 fc    mov    -0x4(%ebp),%eax   #eax=value to be returned
45: 83 c4 18    add    $0x18,%esp        #restoring stack
48: 5d         pop    %ebp
49: c3         ret
```

d. fib O2

```
fib.i386.O2.o:      file format elf32-i386

Disassembly of section .text:

00000000 <fib>:
 0:  57                push   %edi                #push edi,eax,esi
 1:  56                push   %esi
 2:  50                push   %eax
 3:  8b 7c 24 10       mov    0x10(%esp),%edi     #edi=esp+16, n
 7:  be 01 00 00 00   mov    $0x1,%esi          #esi=1
 c:  83 ff 02         cmp    $0x2,%edi          #comparing 2 with arg n
 f:  7c 24           jl    35 <fib+0x35>       #if n<2 then jump to loc 35 to return value in esi
11:  83 c7 02         add    $0x2,%edi          #edi=edi+2
14:  be 01 00 00 00   mov    $0x1,%esi          #esi=1
19:  8d b4 26 00 00 00 00 lea   0x0(%esi,%eiz,1),%esi #load effective address esi+eiz*1 in esi
20:  8d 47 fd         lea   -0x3(%edi),%eax     #eax=edi-3, n-1
23:  89 04 24         mov    %eax,(%esp)        #esp=eax, eax content on top of stack
26:  e8 fc ff ff ff   call  27 <fib+0x27>       #call fib with arg n-1
2b:  01 c6           add    %eax,%esi          #esi=esi+eax, value to be returned
2d:  83 c7 fe         add    $0xffffffff,%edi   #edi=edi+int_max-1
30:  83 ff 03         cmp    $0x3,%edi          #comparing 3 with edi
33:  7f eb           jg    20 <fib+0x20>       #if edi>3 then loop
35:  89 f0           mov    %esi,%eax          #eax=value to be returned
37:  83 c4 04         add    $0x4,%esp          #restoring stack
3a:  5e                pop    %esi
3b:  5f                pop    %edi
3c:  c3                ret
```

Registers are being used for local variables instead of storing on stack. Two calls to fib replaced by one call.

e. fibo\_iter O0

Disassembly of section .text:

```

00000000 <fibo_iter>:
 0: 55          push    %ebp                #push ebp
 1: 89 e5      mov     %esp,%ebp          #ebp=esp
 3: 56          push    %esi                #push esi
 4: 83 ec 2c   sub     $0x2c,%esp         #2c bytes on stack
 7: 8b 45 08   mov     0x8(%ebp),%eax     #eax=n
 a: 83 7d 08 03  cmpl   $0x3,0x8(%ebp)     #comparing 3 with n
 e: 89 45 d4   mov     %eax,-0x2c(%ebp)   #storing n on stack
11: 73 10     jae    23 <fibo_iter+0x23> #if 3>n then jump to loc 23
13: c7 45 f4 00 00 00 00  movl   $0x0,-0xc(%ebp)    #storing 0 and 1 on stack
1a: c7 45 f0 01 00 00 00  movl   $0x1,-0x10(%ebp)
21: eb 69     jmp    8c <fibo_iter+0x8c> #jump to loc 8c
23: c7 45 ec 00 00 00 00  movl   $0x0,-0x14(%ebp)   #moving 0 and 1 on stack
2a: c7 45 e8 01 00 00 00  movl   $0x1,-0x18(%ebp)   #fibo_cur
31: c7 45 e4 00 00 00 00  movl   $0x0,-0x1c(%ebp)
38: c7 45 e0 01 00 00 00  movl   $0x1,-0x20(%ebp)   #fibo_prev
3f: c7 45 dc 03 00 00 00  movl   $0x3,-0x24(%ebp)   #ebp-ox24=3 (i)
46: 8b 45 dc   mov     -0x24(%ebp),%eax   #eax=i
49: 3b 45 08   cmp     0x8(%ebp),%eax     #comparing i and n
4c: 77 34     ja     82 <fibo_iter+0x82> #if i>n then jump to terminate the loop
4e: 8b 45 e8   mov     -0x18(%ebp),%eax   #eax=1
51: 89 45 d8   mov     %eax,-0x28(%ebp)   #storing eax on stack
54: 8b 45 e0   mov     -0x20(%ebp),%eax   #eax=fibo_prev
57: 8b 4d e4   mov     -0x1c(%ebp),%ecx
5a: 8b 55 e8   mov     -0x18(%ebp),%edx   #edx=fibo_cur
5d: 8b 75 ec   mov     -0x14(%ebp),%esi
60: 01 c2     add     %eax,%edx          #edx=edx+eax
62: 11 ce     adc     %ecx,%esi          #esi=esi+ecx
64: 89 55 e8   mov     %edx,-0x18(%ebp)   #storing esi and edx on stack
67: 89 75 ec   mov     %esi,-0x14(%ebp)
6a: 8b 45 d8   mov     -0x28(%ebp),%eax
6d: 89 45 e0   mov     %eax,-0x20(%ebp)
70: c7 45 e4 00 00 00 00  movl   $0x0,-0x1c(%ebp)
77: 8b 45 dc   mov     -0x24(%ebp),%eax   #eax=i|
7a: 83 c0 01   add     $0x1,%eax          #incrementing i
7d: 89 45 dc   mov     %eax,-0x24(%ebp)   #storing i
80: eb c4     jmp    46 <fibo_iter+0x46> #jump to loop start
82: f2 0f 10 45 e8  movsd  -0x18(%ebp),%xmm0
87: f2 0f 11 45 f0  movsd  %xmm0,-0x10(%ebp)
8c: 8b 45 f0   mov     -0x10(%ebp),%eax
8f: 8b 55 f4   mov     -0xc(%ebp),%edx
92: 83 c4 2c   add     $0x2c,%esp        #restoring stack

```

f. fibo\_iter O2

fibo\_iter.i386.O2.o: file format elf32-i386

Disassembly of section .text:

00000000 <fibo\_iter>:

```

0: 55          push    %ebp                #push registers
1: 53          push    %ebx
2: 57          push    %edi
3: 56          push    %esi
4: 8b 4c 24 14  mov    0x14(%esp),%ecx      #ecx=n
8: 83 f9 03    cmp    $0x3,%ecx          #comparing n with 3
b: 73 09      jae    16 <fibo_iter+0x16>  #if n>=3 then loop else return value will be in eax
d: 31 d2      xor    %edx,%edx          #clearing edx
f: b8 01 00 00 00  mov    $0x1,%eax          #eax=1, value to be returned if above condition fails
14: eb 2b     jmp    41 <fibo_iter+0x41> #jump to return
16: 31 f6     xor    %esi,%esi          #clearing edx
18: bd 01 00 00 00  mov    $0x1,%ebp          #ebp=1 fibo_cur
1d: bf 03 00 00 00  mov    $0x3,%edi          #edi=3 (i)
22: bb 01 00 00 00  mov    $0x1,%ebx          #ebx=1 fibo_prev
27: 31 d2     xor    %edx,%edx
29: 8d b4 26 00 00 00 00  lea   0x0(%esi,%eiz,1),%esi #load effective address
30: 89 e8     mov    %ebp,%eax          #eax=fibo_cur
32: 01 d8     add    %ebx,%eax          #eax=fibo_cur+fibo_prev
34: 11 f2     adc    %esi,%edx
36: 83 c7 01    add    $0x1,%edi          #edi=edi+1, i incremented
39: 89 dd     mov    %ebx,%ebp          #ebp=fibo_prev
3b: 89 c3     mov    %eax,%ebx          #ebx=fibo_prev+fibo_cur
3d: 39 cf     cmp    %ecx,%edi          #comparing i and n
3f: 76 ef     jbe    30 <fibo_iter+0x30> #jump to loop start if i<=n
41: 5e       pop    %esi               #restoring stack
42: 5f       pop    %edi
43: 5b       pop    %ebx
44: 5d       pop    %ebp
45: c3       ret

```

Unnecessary moves and store instructions related to stack removed. Some arithmetic operations not done by requiring one operand in eax register.

g.gcd 00

Disassembly of section .text:

```
00000000 <gcd1>:
 0: 55          push    %ebp                #push ebp
 1: 89 e5       mov     %esp,%ebp          #ebp=esp
 3: 83 ec 18    sub     $0x18,%esp         #0x18 bytes on stack
 6: 8b 45 0c    mov     0xc(%ebp),%eax     #eax=b second arg.
 9: 8b 4d 08    mov     0x8(%ebp),%ecx     #ecx=a first arg.
 c: 83 7d 0c 00  cml     $0x0,0xc(%ebp)          #comparing b with 0
10: 89 45 f8    mov     %eax,-0x8(%ebp)    #storing arg a and b on stack
13: 89 4d f4    mov     %ecx,-0xc(%ebp)
16: 75 08      jne     20 <gcd1+0x20>     #if b!=0 then jump to loc.20 to return a
18: 8b 45 08    mov     0x8(%ebp),%eax     #eax=a
1b: 89 45 fc    mov     %eax,-0x4(%ebp)    #storing a on stack
1e: eb 21      jmp     41 <gcd1+0x41>     #jump to return from func.
20: 8b 45 0c    mov     0xc(%ebp),%eax     #eax=b
23: 8b 4d 08    mov     0x8(%ebp),%ecx     #ecx=a
26: 89 45 f0    mov     %eax,-0x10(%ebp)   #storing current a and b on stack
29: 89 c8      mov     %ecx,%eax          #eax=a
2b: 99         cld
2c: f7 7d 0c    idivl  0xc(%ebp)           #compute a%b
2f: 8b 4d f0    mov     -0x10(%ebp),%ecx
32: 89 0c 24    mov     %ecx,(%esp)        #pushing arg b and a%b on top of stack
35: 89 54 24 04  mov     %edx,0x4(%esp)
39: e8 fc ff ff ff  call   3a <gcd1+0x3a>     #call gcd with b and a%b
3e: 89 45 fc    mov     %eax,-0x4(%ebp)
41: 8b 45 fc    mov     -0x4(%ebp),%eax    #value to be returned in eax
44: 83 c4 18    add     $0x18,%esp         #restoring stack
47: 5d         pop     %ebp
48: c3         ret
49: 8d b4 26 00 00 00 00  lea    0x0(%esi,%eiz,1),%esi
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00000050 <gcd2>:
50: 55                push  %ebp
51: 89 e5            mov   %esp,%ebp          #ebp=stack pointer
53: 83 ec 08        sub   $0x8,%esp         #8 bytes on stack
56: 8b 45 0c        mov   0xc(%ebp),%eax     #eax=b
59: 8b 4d 08        mov   0x8(%ebp),%ecx     #ecx=a
5c: 89 45 fc        mov   %eax,-0x4(%ebp)    #storing current values of a and b on stack
5f: 89 4d f8        mov   %ecx,-0x8(%ebp)
62: 8b 45 08        mov   0x8(%ebp),%eax     #eax=a
65: 3b 45 0c        cmp   0xc(%ebp),%eax     #comparing a and b
68: 74 22          je    8c <gcd2+0x3c>     #jump to end of loop if a=b else fallthrough
6a: 8b 45 08        mov   0x8(%ebp),%eax     #eax=a
6d: 3b 45 0c        cmp   0xc(%ebp),%eax     #compare a and b for the if condition
70: 7e 0d          jle   7f <gcd2+0x2f>     #if a<=b then jump to end of condition loc.7f
72: 8b 45 0c        mov   0xc(%ebp),%eax     #eax=b
75: 8b 4d 08        mov   0x8(%ebp),%ecx     #ecx=a
78: 29 c1          sub   %eax,%ecx         #ecx=a-b
7a: 89 4d 08        mov   %ecx,0x8(%ebp)     #storing a-b on stack as a
7d: eb 0b          jmp   8a <gcd2+0x3a>     #jump after the else condition else else condition
7f: 8b 45 08        mov   0x8(%ebp),%eax     #eax=a
82: 8b 4d 0c        mov   0xc(%ebp),%ecx     #ecx=b
85: 29 c1          sub   %eax,%ecx         #ecx=b-a
87: 8b 4d 0c        mov   %ecx,0xc(%ebp)    #storing b-a on stack as b
8a: eb d6          jmp   62 <gcd2+0x12>     #jump to start of loop
8c: 8b 45 08        mov   0x8(%ebp),%eax     #eax=a, value to be returned
8f: 83 c4 08        add   $0x8,%esp         #restoring stack
92: 5d             pop   %ebp
93: c3             ret
94: 8d b6 00 00 00 00  lea  0x0(%esi),%esi
9a: 8d bf 00 00 00 00  lea  0x0(%edi),%edi

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000000a0 <gcd3>:
a0: 55                push  %ebp
a1: 89 e5            mov   %esp,%ebp
a3: 83 ec 0c        sub   $0xc,%esp         #12 bytes on stack
a6: 8b 45 0c        mov   0xc(%ebp),%eax     #eax=b
a9: 8b 4d 08        mov   0x8(%ebp),%ecx     #ecx=b
ac: 89 45 f8        mov   %eax,-0x8(%ebp)    #current value of a and b stored on stack
af: 89 4d f4        mov   %ecx,-0xc(%ebp)
b2: 83 7d 0c 00    cmpl  $0x0,0xc(%ebp)    #comparing b with 0
b6: 74 18          je    d0 <gcd3+0x30>     #if b=0 then jump to terminate the loop to return the value else falthrough
b8: 8b 45 0c        mov   0xc(%ebp),%eax     #eax=b
bb: 89 45 fc        mov   %eax,-0x4(%ebp)    #storing b on stack
be: 8b 45 08        mov   0x8(%ebp),%eax     #eax=a
c1: 99             cld
c2: f7 7d 0c        idivl 0xc(%ebp)         #compute a%b
c5: 89 55 0c        mov   %edx,0xc(%ebp)     #b=a%b
c8: 8b 55 fc        mov   -0x4(%ebp),%edx    #edx=value of b stored on stack
cb: 89 55 08        mov   %edx,0x8(%ebp)     #storing b at palce of a
ce: eb e2          jmp   b2 <gcd3+0x12>     #jump to start of loop
d0: 8b 45 08        mov   0x8(%ebp),%eax     #eax=a value to be returned
d3: 83 c4 0c        add   $0xc,%esp         #restoring stack
d6: 5d             pop   %ebp
d7: c3             ret

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## g. gcd O2

gcd.i386.02.o: file format elf32-i386

Disassembly of section .text:

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00000000 <gcd1>:
  0: 8b 54 24 08      mov     0x8(%esp),%edx      #edx=b
  4: 8b 44 24 04      mov     0x4(%esp),%eax      #eax=a
  8: 85 d2            test   %edx,%edx           #test if b=0
 a: 74 12            je     1e <gcd1+0x1e>       #if b=0 then jump to 0x1e to return a
 c: 8d 74 26 00      lea   0x0(%esi,%eiz,1),%esi #load effective address esi+eiz*1 in esi
10: 89 d1            mov     %edx,%ecx          #ecx=b
12: 99              cltd
13: f7 f9            idiv  %ecx                 #compute a%b
15: 89 c8            mov     %ecx,%eax          #eax=a%b
17: 85 d2            test   %edx,%edx           #test if b=0
19: 75 f5            jne   10 <gcd1+0x10>       #if not jump to start of program (with updated arguements in stack)
1b: 89 c8            mov     %ecx,%eax          #eax=a(new value of a)
1d: c3              ret
1e: c3              ret
1f: 90              nop

00000020 <gcd2>:
20: 57              push   %edi                #push edi, esi
21: 56              push   %esi
22: 8b 4c 24 10      mov     0x10(%esp),%ecx     #ecx=b
26: 8b 44 24 0c      mov     0xc(%esp),%eax     #eax=a
2a: 39 c8            cmp     %ecx,%eax          #compare a and b
2c: 74 19            je     47 <gcd2+0x27>       #if a=b then jump to end of loop, eax contains value to be returned
2e: 31 d2            xor     %edx,%edx          #clearing edx
30: 39 c1            cmp     %eax,%ecx          #comparing a and b for if condition
32: be 00 00 00 00  mov     $0x0,%esi          #esi=0
37: 0f 4c f1        cmovl  %ecx,%esi          #esi=b
3a: 89 c7            mov     %eax,%edi          #edi=a
3c: 0f 4c fa        cmovl  %edx,%edi
3f: 29 f0            sub     %esi,%eax          #a=a-b
41: 29 f9            sub     %edi,%ecx          #b=b-a
43: 39 c8            cmp     %ecx,%eax          #compare a and b
45: 75 e9            jne   30 <gcd2+0x10>       #if a!=b then jump to start of loop else return
47: 5e              pop     %esi                #restoring stack
48: 5f              pop     %edi
49: c3              ret
4a: 8d b6 00 00 00 00  lea   0x0(%esi),%esi

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00000050 <gcd3>:
 50: 8b 54 24 08      mov     0x8(%esp),%edx      #edx=b
 54: 8b 44 24 04      mov     0x4(%esp),%eax      #eax=a
 58: 85 d2            test   %edx,%edx           #test if b=0
5a: 74 12            je     6e <gcd3+0x1e>       #if b=0 then jump to return stmt.
5c: 8d 74 26 00      lea   0x0(%esi,%eiz,1),%esi #load effective address in esi
60: 89 d1            mov     %edx,%ecx          #ecx=ed
62: 99              cltd
63: f7 f9            idiv  %ecx                 #compute a%b
65: 89 c8            mov     %ecx,%eax          #eax=a%b
67: 85 d2            test   %edx,%edx           #test if b=0
69: 75 f5            jne   60 <gcd3+0x10>       #if a!=b then jump to start of loop
6b: 89 c8            mov     %ecx,%eax          #eax=value to be returned
6d: c3              ret
6e: c3              ret

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Some moves and store related to storing intermediate values, local variables on stack are removed

### i. loops O0

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00000000 <is_sorted>:
 0: 55          push  %ebp                #push ebp
 1: 89 e5       mov   %esp,%ebp          #ebp=esp
 3: 83 ec 10    sub   $0x10,%esp        #esp=esp-16, 16 bytes on stack allocated
 6: 8b 45 0c    mov   0xc(%ebp),%eax     #eax=ebp+12,eax=n
 9: 8b 4d 08    mov   0x8(%ebp),%ecx     #ecx=ebp+8,ecx=&a
 c: c7 45 f8 00 00 00 00    movl  $0x0,-0x8(%ebp)    #ebp-8=0,i=0
13: 89 45 f4    mov   %eax,-0xc(%ebp)    #ebp-12=n
16: 89 4d f0    mov   %ecx,-0x10(%ebp)   #ebp-16=&a
19: 8b 45 f8    mov   -0x8(%ebp),%eax    #eax=i
1c: 8b 4d 0c    mov   0xc(%ebp),%ecx     #ecx=n
1f: 83 e9 01    sub   $0x1,%ecx         #ecx=ecx-1,ecx=n-1
22: 39 c8       cmp   %ecx,%eax         #compare i and n-1
24: 7d 24       jge  4a <is_sorted+0x4a> #if(i>=n-1) then jump to loc. 4a
26: 8b 45 08    mov   0x8(%ebp),%eax     #eax=&a
29: 8b 4d f8    mov   -0x8(%ebp),%ecx    #ecx=i
2c: 8b 14 88    mov   (%eax,%ecx,4),%edx  #edx=eax+ecx*4 =a[i]
2f: 8b 44 88 04    mov  0x4(%eax,%ecx,4),%eax #eax=eax+ecx*4=a[i+1]
33: 39 c2       cmp   %eax,%edx         #compare a[i],a[i+1]
35: 7e 06       jle  3d <is_sorted+0x3d> #if (a[i+1]<=a[i]) then jump to loc. 3d (back to loop)
37: c6 45 ff 00    movb  $0x0,-0x1(%ebp)    #move byte, ebp-1=0,value to be returned
3b: eb 11       jmp  4e <is_sorted+0x4e> #jump to 4e to terminate the loop
3d: eb 00       jmp  3f <is_sorted+0x3f> #jump to 3f
3f: 8b 45 f8    mov   -0x8(%ebp),%eax    #eax=i
42: 83 c0 01    add   $0x1,%eax         #eax=i+1
45: 89 45 f8    mov   %eax,-0x8(%ebp)    #ebp-8=i+1
48: eb cf       jmp  19 <is_sorted+0x19> #jump to start of loop
4a: c6 45 ff 01    movb  $0x1,-0x1(%ebp)    #move byte, ebp-1=1, value to be returned
4e: 8a 45 ff    mov   -0x1(%ebp),%al     #al=ebp-1 (0/1)
51: 24 01       and   $0x1,%al          #al=al & 1
53: 0f b6 c0    movzbl %al,%eax         #eax=(al & 1)
56: 83 c4 10    add   $0x10,%esp        #esp=ep+16, stack restored
59: 5d         pop   %ebp
5a: c3         ret
5b: 90         nop
5c: 8d 74 26 00    lea  0x0(%esi,%eiz,1),%esi #no operation inst. inserted
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00000060 <add_arrays>:
60: 55          push   %ebp                    #pushing registers on stack
61: 89 e5      mov    %esp,%ebp
63: 56          push   %esi
64: 83 ec 14   sub    $0x14,%esp            #esp=esp-20, 20 bytes on stack allocated
67: 8b 45 14   mov    0x14(%ebp),%eax       #eax=ebp+0x14, eax=n
6a: 8b 4d 10   mov    0x10(%ebp),%ecx       #ecx=&c
6d: 8b 55 0c   mov    0xc(%ebp),%edx        #edx=&b
70: 8b 75 08   mov    0x8(%ebp),%esi        #esi=&a
73: 89 55 f8   mov    %edx,-0x8(%ebp)       #ebp-8=&b storing (arguments)content on stack
76: c7 45 f4 00 00 00 00  movl   $0x0,-0xc(%ebp)       #ebp-12=0,i=0
7d: 89 45 f0   mov    %eax,-0x10(%ebp)      #ebp-16=n
80: 89 4d ec   mov    %ecx,-0x14(%ebp)      #ebp-20=&c
83: 89 75 e8   mov    %esi,-0x18(%ebp)      #ebp-24=&a
86: 8b 45 f4   mov    -0xc(%ebp),%eax       #eax=i
89: 3b 45 14   cmp    0x14(%ebp),%eax       #comparing n and i
8c: 7d 22     jge    b0 <add_arrays+0x50>   #if (i>n) then jump to loc b0(end of loop)
8e: 8b 45 08   mov    0x8(%ebp),%eax        #eax=&a
91: 8b 4d f4   mov    -0xc(%ebp),%ecx       #ecx=i
94: 8b 04 88   mov    (%eax,%ecx,4),%eax     #eax=a[i]
97: 8b 55 f8   mov    -0x8(%ebp),%edx       #edx=&b
9a: 8b 14 8a   mov    (%edx,%ecx,4),%edx     #edx=b[i]
9d: 01 d0     add    %edx,%eax             #eax=eax+edx=a[i]+b[i]
9f: 8b 55 10   mov    0x10(%ebp),%edx       #edx=&c
a2: 89 04 8a   mov    %eax,(%edx,%ecx,4)     #c[i]=a[i]+b[i]
a5: 8b 45 f4   mov    -0xc(%ebp),%eax       #eax=i
a8: 83 c0 01   add    $0x1,%eax             #eax=i+1
ab: 89 45 f4   mov    %eax,-0xc(%ebp)       #ebp-12=i+1
ae: eb d6     jmp    86 <add_arrays+0x26>   #jump to loop start
b0: 83 c4 14   add    $0x14,%esp           #restoring stack
b3: 5e          pop    %esi
b4: 5d          pop    %ebp
b5: c3          ret
b6: 8d 76 00   lea   0x0(%esi),%esi
b9: 8d bc 27 00 00 00 00  lea   0x0(%edi,%eiz,1),%edi

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000000c0 <sum>:
c0: 55          push   %ebp                    #pushing registers on stack
c1: 89 e5      mov    %esp,%ebp
c3: 83 ec 10   sub    $0x10,%esp            #esp=esp-16, 16 bytes allocated on stack
c6: 8b 45 0c   mov    0xc(%ebp),%eax        #eax=n
c9: 8b 4d 08   mov    0x8(%ebp),%ecx        #ecx=&a
cc: c7 45 fc 00 00 00 00  movl   $0x0,-0x4(%ebp)       #ebp-4=0, ret=0
d3: c7 45 f8 00 00 00 00  movl   $0x0,-0x8(%ebp)       #ebp-8=0, i=0
da: 89 45 f4   mov    %eax,-0xc(%ebp)       #ebp-12=n storing arguments on stack
dd: 89 4d f0   mov    %ecx,-0x10(%ebp)      #ebp-16=&a
e0: 8b 45 f8   mov    -0x8(%ebp),%eax       #eax=i
e3: 3b 45 0c   cmp    0xc(%ebp),%eax        #compare i and n
e6: 7d 1d     jge    105 <sum+0x45>        #if(i>=n) then jump to 105 (end of loop)
e8: 8b 45 08   mov    0x8(%ebp),%eax        #eax=&a
eb: 8b 4d f8   mov    -0x8(%ebp),%ecx       #ecx=i
ee: 8a 14 08   mov    (%eax,%ecx,1),%dl     #dl=a[i], (byte)
f1: 0f b6 c2   movzbl %dl,%eax             #eax=a[i]
f4: 03 45 fc   add    -0x4(%ebp),%eax       #eax=ret+a[i]
f7: 89 45 fc   mov    %eax,-0x4(%ebp)       #ret=ret+a[i]
fa: 8b 45 f8   mov    -0x8(%ebp),%eax       #eax=i
fd: 83 c0 01   add    $0x1,%eax             #eax=i+1
100: 89 45 f8   mov    %eax,-0x8(%ebp)       #i=i+1
103: eb db     jmp    e0 <sum+0x20>         #jump to start of loop
105: 8b 45 fc   mov    -0x4(%ebp),%eax       #eax=ret, value to be returned
108: 83 c4 10   add    $0x10,%esp           #restoring stack
10b: 5d          pop    %ebp
10c: c3          ret
10d: 8d 76 00   lea   0x0(%esi),%esi

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00000110 <sumn>:
110: 55          push  %ebp
111: 89 e5      mov   %esp,%ebp
113: 83 ec 0c   sub   $0xc,%esp          #esp=esp-12, 12 bytes allocated on stack
116: 8b 45 08   mov   0x8(%ebp),%eax     #eax=n
119: c7 45 fc 00 00 00 00  movl  $0x0,-0x4(%ebp)    #ebp-4=0, ret=0
120: c7 45 f8 00 00 00 00  movl  $0x0,-0x8(%ebp)    #ebp-8=0, i=0
127: 89 45 f4   mov   %eax,-0xc(%ebp)    #ebp-12=n
12a: 8b 45 f8   mov   -0x8(%ebp),%eax    #eax=i
12d: 3b 45 08   cmp   0x8(%ebp),%eax     #compare i and n
130: 7d 14     jge   146 <sumn+0x36>    #if (i>=n) then jump to loc. 146(end of loop)
132: 8b 45 fc   mov   -0x4(%ebp),%eax    #eax=ret
135: 03 45 f8   add   -0x8(%ebp),%eax    #eax=ret+i
138: 89 45 fc   mov   %eax,-0x4(%ebp)    #ret=ret+i
13b: 8b 45 f8   mov   -0x8(%ebp),%eax    #eax=i
13e: 83 c0 01   add   $0x1,%eax          #eax=i+1
141: 89 45 f8   mov   %eax,-0x8(%ebp)    #i=i+1
144: eb e4     jmp   12a <sumn+0x1a>    #jump to 12a(start of loop)
146: 8b 45 fc   mov   -0x4(%ebp),%eax    #eax=ret, value to be returned
149: 83 c4 0c   add   $0xc,%esp          #restoring stack
14c: 5d        pop   %ebp
14d: c3        ret

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## j. loops O2

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00000000 <is_sorted>:
0: 55          push  %ebp                #pushing registers
1: 53          push  %ebx
2: 57          push  %edi
3: 56          push  %esi
4: 8b 4c 24 18  mov   0x18(%esp),%ecx     #ecx=esp+0x18=n
8: b0 01      mov   $0x1,%al           #al=1
a: 83 f9 02   cmp   $0x2,%ecx          #compare n and 2
d: 7c 3e     jl   4d <is_sorted+0x4d>  #if(n<2) then jump to 4d end of loop(as n-1=0 or less)
f: 8b 44 24 14  mov   0x14(%esp),%eax     #eax=&a
13: 83 c1 ff   add   $0xffffffff,%ecx   #ecx=ecx+int_max
16: 8b 18     mov   (%eax),%ebx        #ebx=&a
18: 31 f6     xor   %esi,%esi          #clear esi,esi=0,i=0
1a: 89 cf     mov   %ecx,%edi          #edi=ecx
1c: c1 ff 1f   sar   $0x1f,%edi         #
1f: 31 d2     xor   %edx,%edx
21: eb 0d     jmp   30 <is_sorted+0x30>
23: 90        nop                       #no operation
24: 90        nop
25: 90        nop
26: 90        nop
27: 90        nop
28: 90        nop
29: 90        nop
2a: 90        nop
2b: 90        nop
2c: 90        nop
2d: 90        nop
2e: 90        nop
2f: 90        nop
30: 89 dd     mov   %ebx,%ebp          #ebp=ebx
32: 83 c6 01   add   $0x1,%esi          #esi=i+1
35: 83 d2 00   adc   $0x0,%edx          #edx=edx+0
38: 8b 1c b0   mov   (%eax,%esi,4),%ebx  #ebx=a[i]
3b: 39 dd     cmp   %ebx,%ebp          #compare a[i] and a[i+1]
3d: 7f 0c     jg   4b <is_sorted+0x4b>  #if(a[i]>a[i+1]) then jump to 4b(end of loop)
3f: 39 ce     cmp   %ecx,%esi          #compare i and n
41: 89 d5     mov   %edx,%ebp          #ebp=edx
43: 19 fd     sbb  %edi,%ebp          #
45: 7c e9     jl   30 <is_sorted+0x30>  #if(i<n) then jump to 30(start of loop)
47: b0 01     mov   $0x1,%al          #al=1

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49:  eb 02                jmp     4d <is_sorted+0x4d>          #jump to 4d to return 1
4b:  31 c0                xor     %eax,%eax                    #eax=0, returning 0
4d:  5e                  pop     %esi                          #restoring stack
4e:  5f                  pop     %edi
4f:  5b                  pop     %ebx
50:  5d                  pop     %ebp
51:  c3                  ret
52:  8d b4 26 00 00 00 00 lea    0x0(%esi,%eiz,1),%esi
59:  8d bc 27 00 00 00 00 lea    0x0(%edi,%eiz,1),%edi

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00000450 <sumn>:
450:  8b 4c 24 04        mov    0x4(%esp),%ecx                #ecx=esp+4, ecx=n
454:  85 c9              test   %ecx,%ecx                    #
456:  7e 13              jle   46b <sumn+0x1b>                #if
458:  8d 41 ff          lea   -0x1(%ecx),%eax                #load effective address, eax=ecx-1
45b:  8d 51 fe          lea   -0x2(%ecx),%edx                #edx=ecx-2
45e:  f7 e2              mul   %edx                           #eax=edx*eax
460:  0f a4 c2 1f       shld  $0x1f,%eax,%edx
464:  8d 04 0a          lea   (%edx,%ecx,1),%eax
467:  83 c0 ff          add   $0xffffffff,%eax
46a:  c3                  ret
46b:  31 c0                xor   %eax,%eax
46d:  c3                  ret

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sumn and is\_sorted functions remove unnecessary move and stores. The code for add\_arrays and sum is bigger in size for this level.

k. print\_args 00

print\_arg.i386.00.o: file format elf32-i386

Disassembly of section .text:

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00000000 <print_arg>:
 0: 55          push    %ebp                    #push base pointer
 1: 89 e5      mov     %esp,%ebp              #ebp=esp
 3: 83 ec 18   sub    $0x18,%esp             #esp=esp-0x18
 6: 8b 45 0c   mov    0xc(%ebp),%eax          #eax=ebp+12 argv
 9: 8b 4d 08   mov    0x8(%ebp),%ecx          #ecx=ebp+8  argc
 c: 89 45 f8   mov    %eax,-0x8(%ebp)         #ebp-8=eax argv
 f: 83 7d 08 02  cml    $0x2,0x8(%ebp)          #comparing 2 with ebp+8(argc)
13: 89 4d f4   mov    %ecx,-0xc(%ebp)        #ebp-12=ecx  argc
16: 74 09      je     21 <print_arg+0x21>     #jump on equal to loc.21,return value in ebp-4
18: c7 45 fc ff ff ff ff  movl   $0xffffffff,-0x4(%ebp) #ebp-4=int_max (-1)
1f: eb 22      jmp    43 <print_arg+0x43>     #jump to loc.43
21: 8d 05 00 00 00 00  lea    0x0,%eax                #load effective addresss 0 in eax
27: 8b 4d f8   mov    -0x8(%ebp),%ecx         #ecx=ebp-8
2a: 8b 49 04   mov    0x4(%ecx),%ecx          #ecx=ecx+4
2d: 89 04 24   mov    %eax,(%esp)             #esp=eax
30: 89 4c 24 04  mov    %ecx,0x4(%esp)          #esp+4=ecx
34: e8 fc ff ff ff      call   35 <print_arg+0x35>     #call the next arguement
39: c7 45 fc 00 00 00 00  movl   $0x0,-0x4(%ebp)        #ebp-4=0, value to be returned
40: 89 45 f0   mov    %eax,-0x10(%ebp)        #ebp-16=eax
43: 8b 45 fc   mov    -0x4(%ebp),%eax         #eax=eax-4 value to be returned
46: 83 c4 18   add    $0x18,%esp              #restoring stack
49: 5d        pop    %ebp
4a: c3        ret
```

## 1. print\_args O2

print\_arg.i386.o2.o: file format elf32-i386

Disassembly of section .text:

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00000000 <print_arg>:
  0:  83 ec 0c          sub    $0xc,%esp          #12 bytes on stack , esp=esp-12
  3:  b8 ff ff ff ff   mov    $0xffffffff,%eax  #eax=Int_max
  8:  83 7c 24 10 02   cpl   $0x2,0x10(%esp)    #comparing 2 with content of esp+16 (first argument argc)
  d:  75 19            jne   28 <print_arg+0x28> #if not equal then jump to loc.28
  f:  8b 44 24 14      mov    0x14(%esp),%eax    #eax=esp+20
 13: 83 ec 08          sub    $0x8,%esp         #esp=esp-8
 16: ff 70 04          pushl 0x4(%eax)          #eax+4 content pushed on stack
 19: 68 00 00 00 00   push  $0x0              #0 pushed on stack
 1e: e8 fc ff ff ff   call  1f <print_arg+0x1f> #printf called with arg argv[1]
 23: 83 c4 10          add    $0x10,%esp        #restoring esp
 26: 31 c0            xor    %eax,%eax         #clearing eax register
 28: 83 c4 0c          add    $0xc,%esp         #restoring esp
 2b: c3              ret                      #return
```

Some move, store instructions removed related to stack.

## 3. REFERENCES

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