

Compilers (Racket)
CSCI P423/523, Fall 2021

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This exam has 12 questions, for a total of 100 points.

1. [4 points] What is the output of the following Racket program?

```
(let ([a (vector (vector 0) 1)])
  (let ([b (vector-ref a 0)])
    (let ([c a])
      (begin
        (vector-set! c 0 (vector 1))
        (vector-ref b 0)))))
```

Solution:

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2. [4 points] What is the output of the following Racket program?

```
(let ([a (vector (vector 0) 1)])
  (let ([b (vector-ref a 0)])
    (let ([c a])
      (begin
        (vector-set! (vector-ref c 0) 0 1)
        (vector-ref b 0)))))
```

Solution:

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3. [4 points] What is the output of the following Racket program?

```
(define (f [x : Integer]) : Void
  (begin
    (set! x 0)
    (void)))

(let ([y 1])
  (begin
    (f y)
    y))
```

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4. [4 points] Why does our compiler spill variables of `Vector` type to the root stack instead of the regular procedure call stack?

Solution: We spill them to the root stack so that the garbage collector has easy access to all the live tuples. It separates them from the other non-vector variables that the garbage collector must ignore.

5. [4 points] Why must the prelude of a function push the contents of the `rbp` register to the procedure call stack?

Solution: The `rbp` register is a callee-saved register, so when we return from this function, its contents must be the same as they were upon entry to this function. But we change `rbp` in this function, so we have to restore its original value in the conclusion. Thus, we push it on the stack in the prelude and pop it back off in the conclusion.

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6. **10 points** Given the following input program to the Expose Allocation pass, what would be the output of Expose Allocation?

```
(let ([v3 (vector 42)])
  (vector-ref v3 0))
```

Solution: 2 points each

- Check for space
- Call to collect
- allocate
- initialize
- return the address

```
(let ([v3 (let ([_ (if (< (+ (global-value free_ptr) 16)
                           (global-value fromspace_end))
                           (void)
                           (collect 16))])
           (let ([alloc4 (allocate 1 (Vector Integer))])
             (let ([_ (vector-set! alloc4 0 42)])
               alloc4))))]
      (vector-ref v3 0)))
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7. [12 points] Given the input program on the left, fill in the blanks in the output of Select Instructions on the right.

```

start:
    movq ___(a)___, t8
    movq t8, t9
    addq $16, t9
    movq ___(b)___, t0
    cmpq t0, t9
    jl block2
    jmp block3

start:
    t8 = (global-value free_ptr);
    t9 = (+ t8 16);
    t0 = (global-value fromspace_end);
    if (< t9 t0)
        goto block2;
    else
        goto block3;

block2:
    t7 = (void);
    goto block1;

block3:
    (collect 16)
    goto block1;

block1:
    alloc5 = (allocate 1 (Vector Integer));
    t6 = (vector-set! alloc5 0 777);
    v3 = alloc5;
    t4 = (vector-set! v3 0 42);
    return (vector-ref v3 0);

block1:
    movq free_ptr(%rip), %r11
    ___(d)___
    movq $3, 0(%r11)
    movq %r11, alloc5
    movq alloc5, %r11
    movq $777, 8(%r11)
    movq $0, t6
    movq alloc5, v3
    movq v3, %r11
    ___(e)___
    movq $0, t4
    movq v3, %r11
    ___(f)___
    jmp conclusion

```

Solution: (2 points each)

- (a) free_ptr(%rip)
- (b) fromspace_end(%rip)
- (c) callq collect
- (d) addq \$16, free_ptr(%rip)
- (e) movq \$42, 8(%r11)
- (f) movq 8(%r11), %rax

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8. [12 points] Draw the interference graph for the following program fragment by adding edges between the nodes below. You do not need to include edges between two registers. The live-after set for each instruction is given to the right of each instruction and the types of each variable is listed below.

Recall that the caller-saved registers are

```
rax rcx rdx rsi rdi r8 r9 r10 r11
```

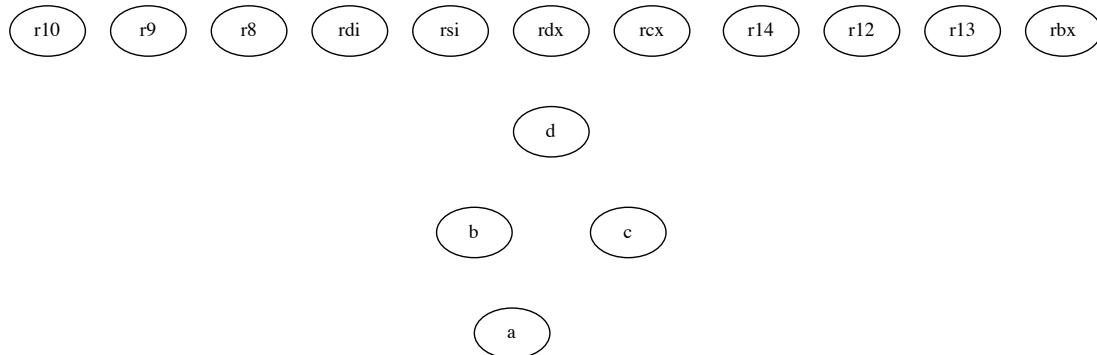
and the callee-saved registers are

```
rsp rbp rbx r12 r13 r14 r15
```

```
a : Void, b : (Vector Integer), c : (Vector Integer), d : (Vector Integer)

block1:          { r15 d }
    movq %r15, %rdi  { rdi d }
    movq $16, %rsi   { rdi d rsi }
    callq collect    { d }
    jmp block2       { d }

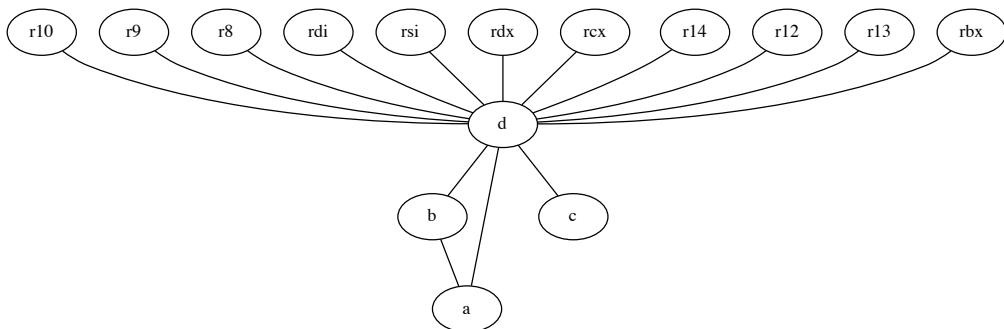
block2:          { d }
    movq free_ptr(%rip), %r11 { d }
    addq $16, free_ptr(%rip) { d }
    movq $3, 0(%r11)        { r11 d }
    movq %r11, b           { b d }
    movq b, %r11           { b d }
    movq $0, 8(%r11)        { b d }
    movq $0, a              { b d }
    movq b, c              { c d }
    cmpq c, d              { }
    je block7              { }
    jmp block8              { }
```



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- Edges between **d** and the caller-saved registers. (2 points)
- Edges between **d** and the callee-saved registers. (2 points)
- The edges between variables **a**, **b**, **c**, and **d**. (2 points each)



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9. **12 points** Given the following output of Remove Complex Operands, apply the Expiate Control pass to translate the program to \mathcal{C}_{Fun} . You may use concrete or abstract syntax for your answer. Make sure to distinguish regular calls (`call fun arg1...argn`) from tail calls (`tail-call fun arg1...argn`).

```
(define (apply3 [f5 : (Integer -> Integer)] [x6 : Integer]) : Integer
  (let ([tmp8 (f5 x6)])
    (f5 tmp8)))

(define (inc4 [x7 : Integer]) : Integer
  (+ x7 1))

(define (main) : Integer
  (let ([tmp9 (fun-ref apply3)])
    (let ([tmp0 (fun-ref inc4)])
      (let ([tmp1 (read)])
        (tmp9 tmp0 tmp1))))
```

Solution:

- Regular call inside `apply`. (2 points)
- Tail call inside `apply`. (2 points)
- Return statement inside `inc`. (2 point)
- Convert `let` to assignment statements. (2 points)
- Tail call inside `main`. (2 points)
- Start labels. (2 points)

```
(define (apply3 [f5 : (Integer -> Integer)] [x6 : Integer]) : Integer
  apply3start:
  tmp8 = (call f5 x6);
  (tail-call f5 tmp8))

(define (inc4 [x7 : Integer]) : Integer
  inc4start:
  return (+ x7 1);)

(define (main) : Integer
  mainstart:
  tmp9 = (fun-ref apply3);
  tmp0 = (fun-ref inc4);
  tmp1 = (read);
  (tail-call tmp9 tmp0 tmp1))
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10. [12 points] Given the following \mathcal{C}_{Fun} program, apply the Select Instructions pass.

```
(define (id3 [x4 : Integer]) : Integer
  id3start:
    return x4;

(define (main) : Integer
  mainstart:
    tmp5 = (fun-ref id3);
    tmp6 = (call tmp5 41);
    return (+ 1 tmp6);
```

Recall that the following six registers are used for passing arguments to functions.

rdi rsi rdx rcx r8 r9

Solution:

```
(define (id3) : Integer      ;; no parameters    (1 point)
  id3start:
    movq %rdi, x4          ;; parameter passing (2 points)
    movq x4, %rax           ;; return x        (1 point)
    jmp id3conclusion)

(define (main) : Integer
  mainstart:
    leaq (fun-ref id3), tmp5 ;; FunRef        (2 points)
    movq $41, %rdi          ;; parameter passing (1 point)
    callq *tmp5              ;; indirect call   (2 points)
    movq %rax, tmp6          ;; call result    (1 point)
    movq $1, %rax             ;; + 1            (1 point)
    addq tmp6, %rax          ;; return         (1 point)
    jmp mainconclusion
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11. [10 points] Recall that the Limit Functions pass changes all the functions in the program so that they have at most 6 parameters (the number of argument-passing registers), making it easier to implement efficient tail calls. The `limit-type` auxiliary function changes each type annotation in the program as part of the Limit Functions pass. Fill in the blanks in `limit-type`.

```
(define (limit-type t)
  (match t
    ['(Vector ,ts ...)
     (define new-ts (for/list ([t ts]) ___(a)___))
     ___(b)___]
    [',(,ts ... -> ,rt)
     (define new-ts (for/list ([t ts]) (limit-type t)))
     (define new-rt (limit-type rt))
     (define n (vector-length arg-registers))
     (cond [(> (length new-ts) n)
            (define-values (first-ts last-ts) (split-at new-ts (- n 1)))
            ___(c)___]
           [else
            ___(d)___])]
    [else ___(e)___])
  ))
```

Solution: (2 points each)

- (a) `(limit-type t)`
- (b) `'(Vector ,@new-ts)`
- (c) `'(,@first-ts (Vector ,@last-ts) -> ,new-rt)`
- (d) `'(,@new-ts -> ,new-rt)`
- (e) `t`

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12. [12 points] Given the following x86 code for a function named `map_vec`, write down the code for its prelude and conclusion.

```

map_vecstart:
    movq    %rdi, -16(%rbp)
    movq    %rsi, -8(%r15)
    movq    -8(%r15), %r11
    movq    8(%r11), %rsi
    movq    %rsi, %rdi
    callq   *-16(%rbp)
    movq    %rax, %rbx
    movq    -8(%r15), %r11
    movq    16(%r11), %rsi
    movq    %rsi, %rdi
    callq   *-16(%rbp)
    movq    %rax, -16(%rbp)
    movq    free_ptr(%rip), %rsi
    movq    %rsi, %rdi
    addq    $24, %rdi
    movq    fromspace_end(%rip), %rsi
    cmpq    %rsi, %rdi
    jl block7
    movq    %r15, %rdi
    movq    $24, %rsi
    callq   collect
    jmp block6

block6:
    movq    free_ptr(%rip), %r11
    addq    $24, free_ptr(%rip)
    movq    $5, 0(%r11)
    movq    %r11, %rsi
    movq    %rsi, %r11
    movq    %rbx, 8(%r11)
    movq    $0, %rdi
    movq    %rsi, %r11
    movq    -16(%rbp), %rax
    movq    %rax, 16(%r11)
    movq    $0, %rdi
    movq    %rsi, %rax
    jmp map_vecconclusion

block7:
    movq    $0, %rsi
    jmp block6

```

Solution: The prelude should:

- Save `rbp` (1 point)
- Set `rbp` to the `rsp` (1 point)
- Save `rbx` (1 point)
- Subtract 8 from the `rsp` ($align(8 + 8) - 8 = 8$) (1 point)
- Initialize 1 slot of the rootstack and add 8 to `r15`. (2 points)
- Jump to `map_vecstart` (1 point)

The conclusion should:

- Subtract 8 from `r15` (1 point)
- Add 8 to `rsp` (1 points)
- Restore `rbx` (1 points)
- Restore `rbp` (1 points)

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- Return (1 points)

```
.align 16
map_vec:
    pushq    %rbp
    movq    %rsp, %rbp
    pushq    %rbx
    subq    $8, %rsp
    movq    $0, 0(%r15)
    addq    $8, %r15
    jmp map_vecstart

map_vecconclusion:
    subq    $8, %r15
    addq    $8, %rsp
    popq    %rbx
    popq    %rbp
    retq
```