

EECS483 D10: Project 4 Overview

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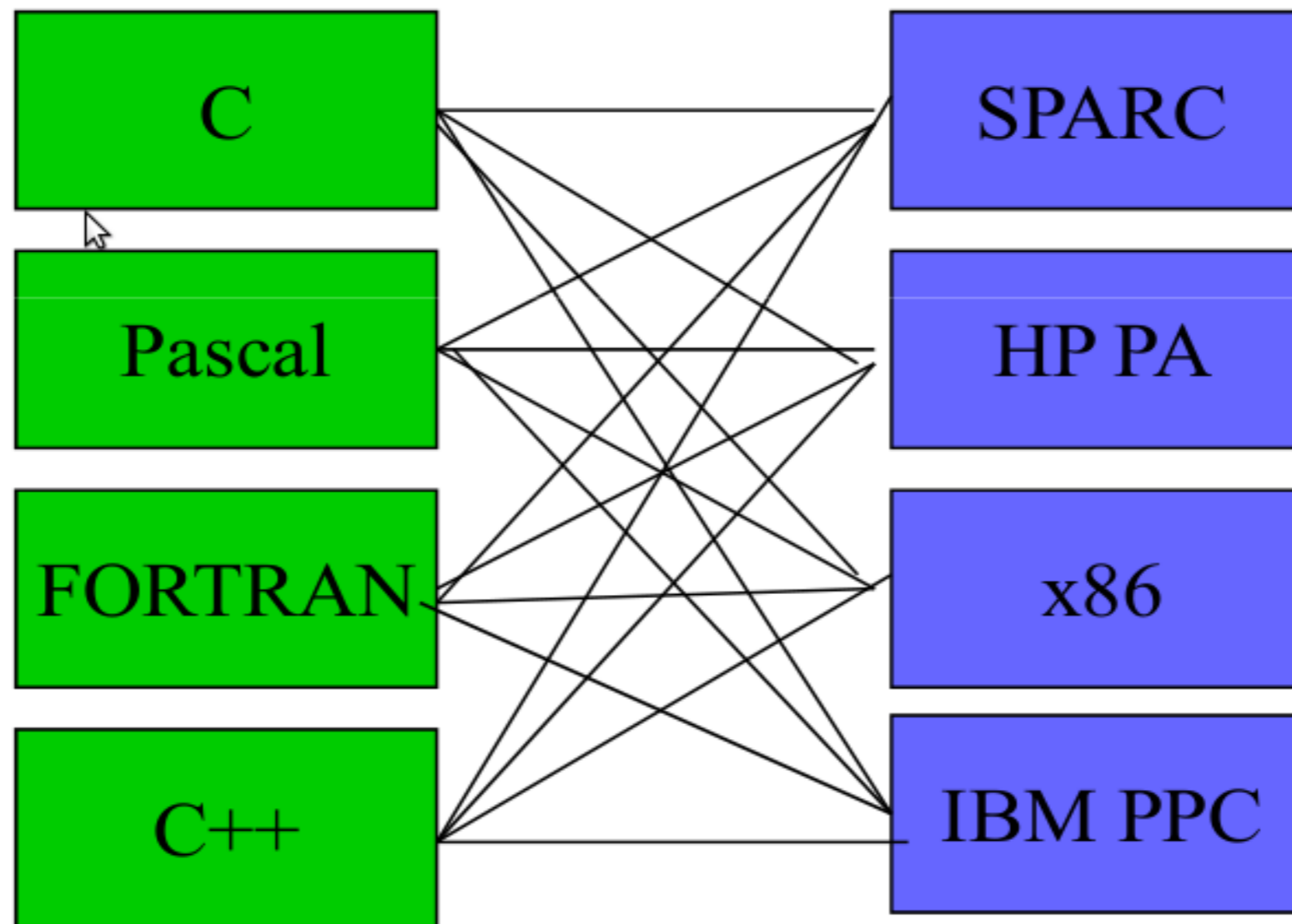
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Announcements

- Project 4 released due on 4/1
- Homework will be released soon

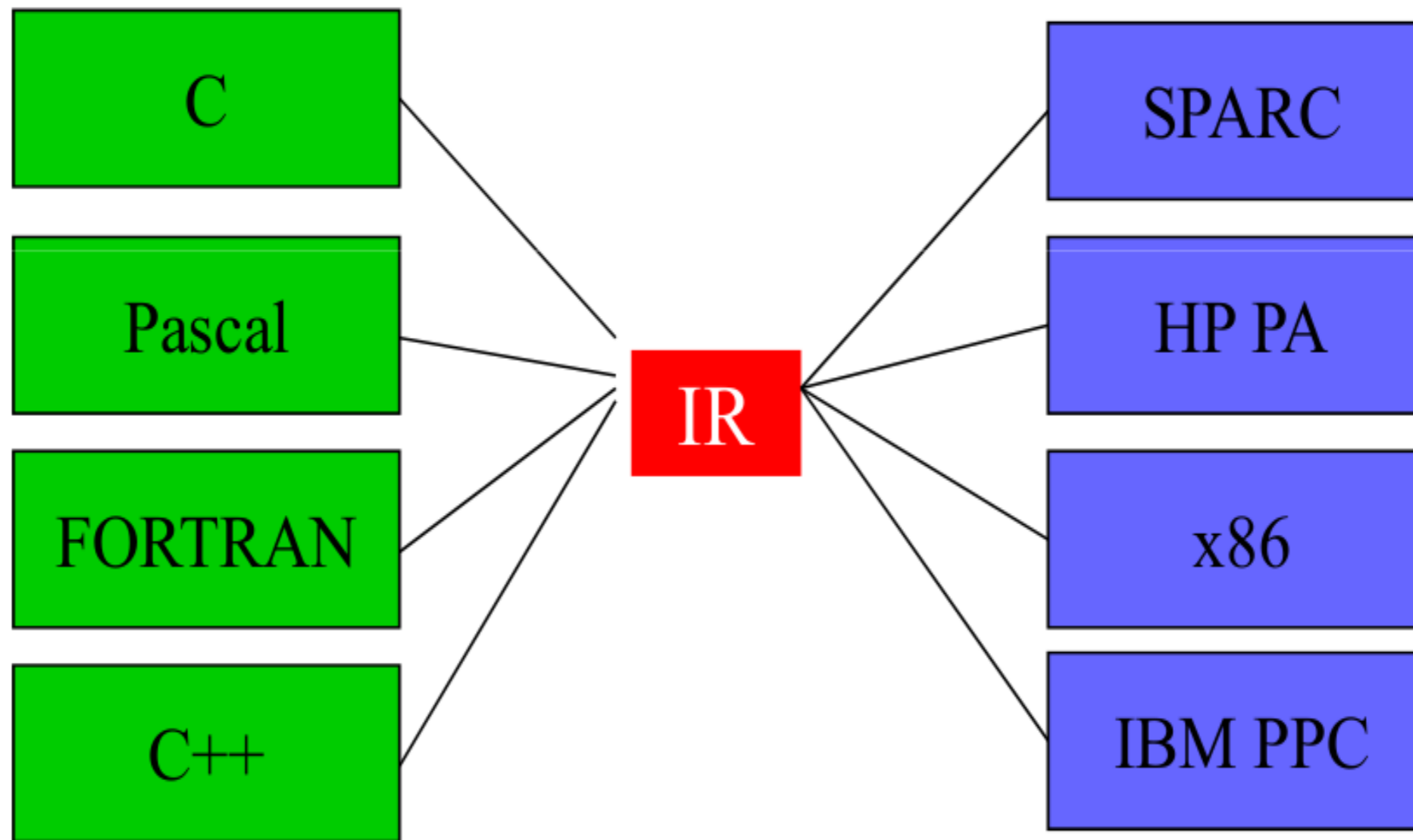
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- Translating AST to ASM



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- Translating AST to IR to ASM



Intermediate Representation

- Close enough to most assembly languages
- General enough to hide machine-dependent details
- Easy to do post-IR analysis and optimization
 - Control flow analysis
 - Data flow analysis
 - Register allocation
 - Instruction scheduling
 - Dead code/common expression elimination
 - Code motion for speculative execution
 - And more

3-Address Code

- Close to many assembly languages
 - Easy to translate to 2-address code for x86
- General to hide machine-dependent details
 - Use temporary variables (virtual registers) instead of real registers
 - Provide a general instruction set

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AST → MIPS

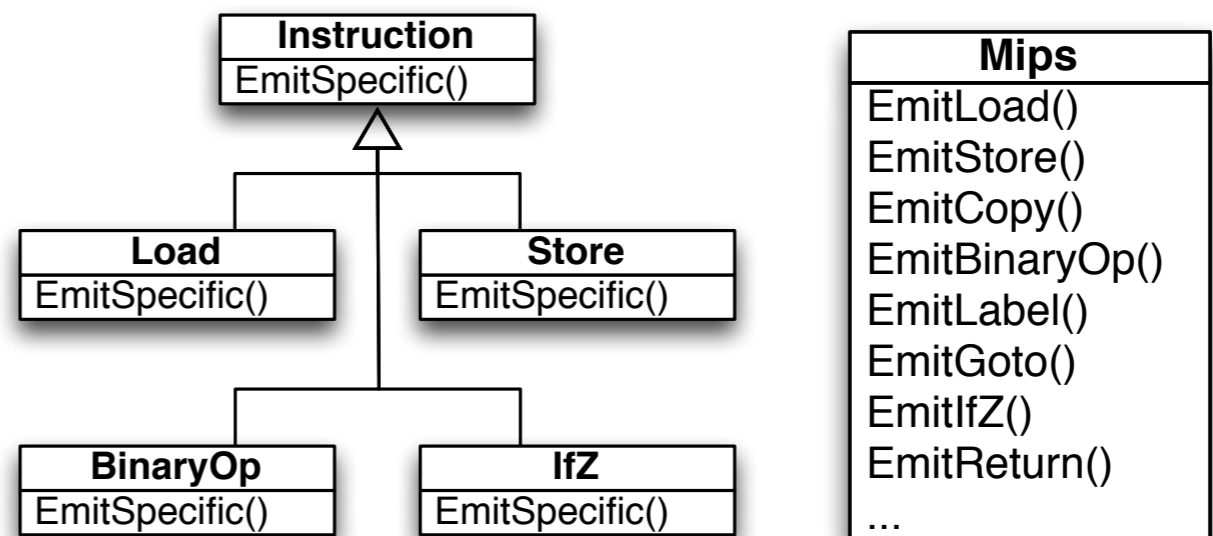
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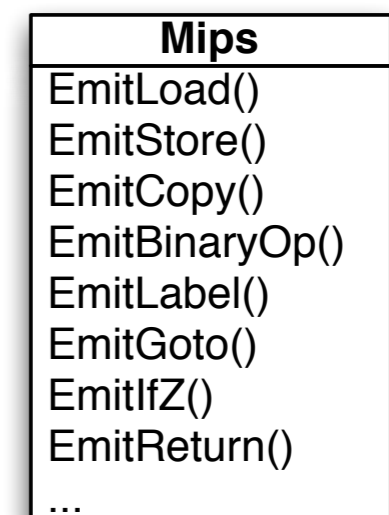
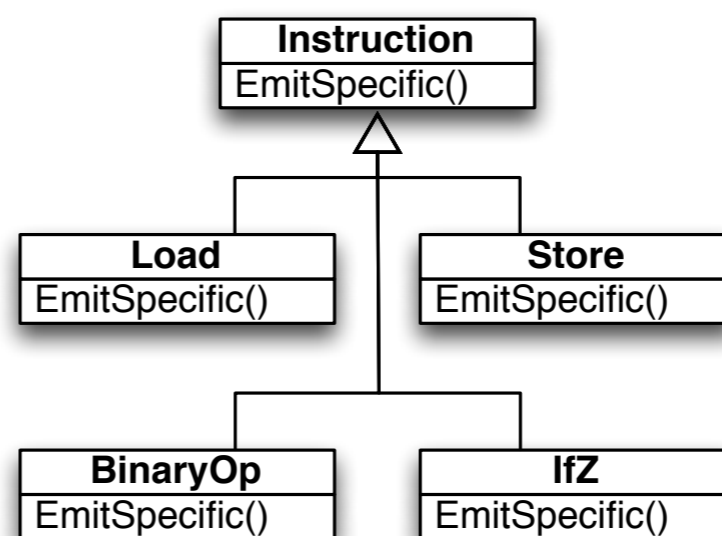
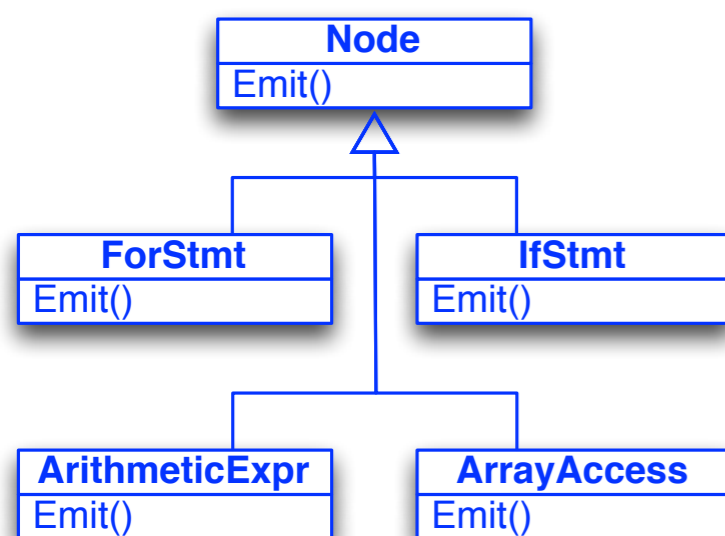
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Good News

- All variables, parameters, and pointers are 32-bit
 - No double
 - Use 4 bytes to store a bool
- No interfaces!
 - Just support single inheritance to simplify vtable generation
 - You can try to implement interfaces as long as your MIPS code passes our test!

TAC Example: Control Structure

```
if (a < b + c)
    a = a - c;
c = b * c;
```

```
_t0 = b + c;
_t1 = a < _t0;
IfZ _t1 Goto _L0;
_t2 = a - c;
a = _t2
_L0:
_t3 = b * c;
c = _t3;
```

TAC Example: Function Call

```
int foo(int a, int b){
    return a + b;
}

void main(){
    int c;
    int d;
    foo(c, d);
}
```

```
_foo:
    BeginFunc 4;
    _t0 = a + b;
    Return _t0;
    EndFunc;

main:
    BeginFunc 8;
    PushParam d;
    PushParam c;
    LCall _foo;
    PopParams 8;
    EndFunc;
```

TAC Example: Classes

```
class Animal{
    int height;
    void Init(int h){
        height = h;
    }
    void Speak(){
    }
}

class Cat extends Animal{
    void Speak(){
        Print("Meow");
    }
}
```

```
.data
_Animal.vtable:
    .word _Animal.Init
    .word _Animal.Speak
_Cat.vtable:
    .word _Animal.Init
    .word _Cat.Speak
_str0:
    .asciiz "Meow"

.text
_Animal.Init:
    BeginFunc 0;
    Store this + 4, h
    EndFunc;

_Animal.Speak:
    BeginFunc 0;
    EndFunc;

_Cat.Speak:
    BeginFunc 0;
    PushParam _str0;
    LCall _Print;
    PopParams 4;
    EndFunc;
```

TAC Example: Dynamic Dispatch

```
class Animal{
    int height;
    void Init(int h){
        height = h;
    }
    void Speak(){ }
}

class Cat extends Animal{
    void Speak(){
        Print("Meow");
    }
}

void Touch(Animal a){
    a.Speak();
}
```

```
.data
_Animal.vtable:
    .word _Animal.Init
    .word _Animal.Speak

_Cat.vtable:
    .word _Animal.Init
    .word _Cat.Speak

.text

_Touch:
    BeginFunc 8;
    _t0 = Load a + 0;
    _t1 = Load _t0 + 4;
    PushParam a;
    ACall _t1;
    PopParams 4;
    EndFunc;
```


TAC Example: New Object

```
class Animal{
    int height;
    void Init(int h){
        height = h;
    }
    void Speak(){ }
}

class Cat extends Animal{
    void Speak(){
        Print("Meow");
    }
}

void main(){
    Animal a;
    a = New(Cat);
}
```

```
.data
_Animal.vtable:
    .word _Animal.Init
    .word _Animal.Speak

_Cat.vtable:
    .word _Animal.Init
    .word _Cat.Speak

.text

main:
    BeginFunc 16;
    _t0 = LoadConstant 8;
    PushParam _t0;
    _t1 = LCall _Alloc;
    PopParams 4;
    _t2 = LoadLabel _Cat.vtable;
    Store _t1 + 0, _t2;
    EndFunc;
```

From TAC to MIPS

```
void main(){
    int a;
    int b;
    int c;
    if (a < b + c)
        a = a - c;
    c = b * c;
}
```

```
main:
    BeginFunc 28;
    _t0 = b + c;
    _t1 = a < _t0;
    IfZ _t1 Goto _L0;
    _t2 = a - c;
    a = _t2
_L0:
    _t3 = b * c;
    c = _t3;
    EndFunc;
```

```
main:
    .text
    .align 2
    .globl main
    # BeginFunc 28
    subu $sp, $sp, 8
    sw $fp, 8($sp)
    sw $ra, 4($sp)
    addiu $fp, $sp, 8
    subu $sp, $sp, 28
    # _tmp0 = b + c
    lw $t0, -12($fp)
    lw $t1, -16($fp)
    add $t2, $t0, $t1
    sw $t2, -20($fp)
    # _tmp1 = a < _tmp0
    lw $t0, -8($fp)
    lw $t1, -20($fp)
    slt $t2, $t0, $t1
    sw $t2, -24($fp)
    # IfZ _tmp1 Goto _L0
    lw $t0, -24($fp)
    beqz $t0, _L0
    # _tmp2 = a - c
    lw $t0, -8($fp)
    lw $t1, -16($fp)
    sub $t2, $t0, $t1
    sw $t2, -28($fp)
    # a = _tmp2
    lw $t2, -28($fp)
    sw $t2, -8($fp)
_L0:
    # _tmp3 = b * c
    lw $t0, -12($fp)
    lw $t1, -16($fp)
    mul $t2, $t0, $t1
    sw $t2, -32($fp)
    # c = _tmp3
    lw $t2, -32($fp)
    sw $t2, -16($fp)
    # EndFunc
    move $sp, $fp
    lw $ra, -4($fp)
    lw $fp, 0($fp)
    jr $ra
```

SPIM: A MIPS32 Simulator

- Since there is no MIPS machine for you to test your program, we use the SPIM simulator instead
- <http://pages.cs.wisc.edu/~larus/spim.html>
- Or you can find it under `~chhsiao/Public/spim`
- Usage: `spim -file program.s`
- Demo time!

In Addition to Assembling...

- Simple linking error checking

```
*** Linker: function 'main' not defined
```

- Two Runtime checking

```
Decaf runtime error: Array size is <= 0
```

```
Decaf runtime error: Array subscript out of  
bounds
```