

Question 3. This Bytes (8pts)

For this question, either interpret the value as a bit pattern, or write down the corresponding value.

For floating point questions, use the following 8-bit floating point representation based on the IEEE floating point format:

- There is a sign bit in the most significant bit.
- The next 4 bits are the exponent. The exponent bias is: $2^{4-1}-1=7$
- The last 3 bits are the fraction.
- The representation encodes numbers of the form: $V = (-1)^s \times M \times 2^E$, where M is the significand and E is the biased exponent.

If something impossible mark as impossible

Bit Pattern	Value Description
(a) 1000...1	Negative of smallest possible signed integer (ie. -TMin)
(b) 01000...0	Largest signed integer that is a power-of-2
(c) 111...1	TMin + Tmax
(d) 01100000	Floating Point value: 32
00100001	(e) (interpret as "char"-sized integer)
11011110	(f) (interpret as "char"-sized integer)
00111000	(g) (interpret as "8-bit float")
10111111	(h) (interpret as "8-bit float")

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$00100001 = 33$
 $11011110 = 222$
 $00111000 = 1$
 $10111111 = -1.875$

$(-1)^0 (1) \times 2^0 = 1$
 $(-1)^1 (1) \times 2^0 = -1$

$E = EXP - BIAS$
 $E = 7 - 7 = 0$
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Question 4. Be the compiler! (6 pts)

Suppose we have the following C code:

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if(a>b) { a+=b; }
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Also assume that a and b are "int", a is in %eax, b is in %ebx. You can use other registers as temporaries.

(a) Write an x86-64 assembly snippet that is equivalent to this statement in C, while making sure to use a jump (aka branch) instruction. Please use a label (eg L1) as the target of the jump. (4 pts)

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cmpq %eax, %ebx
jge L1
addq %ebx, %eax
L1: ret
    
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(b) Write an x86-64 assembly snippet that is equivalent to this statement in C, while making sure *NOT* to use a jump (aka branch) instruction. (2 pts)

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movq %ebx, %edx // temporarily store b in edx
cmpl %ebx, %eax //
setg %dl // %edx > %eax => %dl = 1
movzbl %dl, %edx // %dl to %eax if a > b
imull %ebx, %edx // multiplies edx by b
addq %edx, %eax // sets eax to a+(edx)(b)
    
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a <= b => %edx = 1

Question 5: Interpreting Assembly (6 pts)

For each of the functions in x86-64 assembly below, convert them into a plausible version of the C code.

Assembly of function	Write a plausible C-code for the function
<pre> movq %rdi,%rax salq \$4, %rax addq %rdi,%rax addq %rax,%rax ret </pre>	<p><i>rdi = first argument</i> $rax = rax \ll 4$ $rax = (rax \ll 4) + x$ $rax = 2(16 \cdot x + x)$</p> <pre> int fun(int x) { return (16 * x + x) * 2; } </pre> <p><i>2</i></p>
<pre> movl (%rdi),%edx addl %edx,(%rsi) movl %edx,%eax ret </pre>	<pre> int fun(int *p, int *h) { *h = *p; return *h; } </pre> <p><i>3</i></p>

Question 6: (6 pts)

edx = memory address of rdi
*temp = *p*
**h = *h + temp*

The C code and assembly is given below for a function, but without values of M and N.

<pre> #define M _____ #define N _____ int array1[M][N]; int array2[N][M]; int copy(int i, int j) { array1[i][j] = array2[j][i]; } </pre>	<pre> movsq %edi,%rdi movsq %esi,%rax lea (%rax,%rax,4),%rdx add %rdi,%rdx mov array2(,%rdx,4),%edx lea 0x0(,%rdi,8),%rsi sub %rdi,%rsi add %rax,%rsi mov %edx,array1(,%rsi,4) retq </pre>
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What are the values of M and N?

M = 32
 N = 18

edi = argument 1
rdi = i
rax = j
 $rdi = 4(i) + i = j$
 $rdx = rdx + i$
 $rdx = (4(j) + i) + i$

$edx = array2 + 4i$
 $rsi = 32(4(j) + i)$
 $rsi = rsi - rdi$

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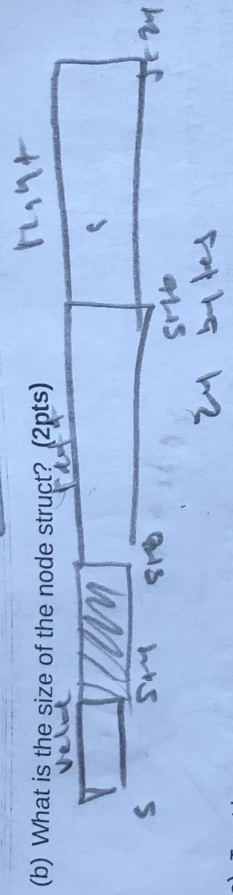
Question 7. ISA Design (4 pts)

In one or two sentences only, why have 32-bit ISAs become less popular for personal computers (laptops/desktops/cell-phones) over the last two decades?

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32 bit ISAs have become less popular because 64 bit ISAs^{no} tend to be little endian, and are backwards working, meaning we can run previous versions on today's current ISA. Also 32 bits is less than 64 bits. true!

- (a) Draw what is on the stack, provided in the space above, when smallest(2) is entered (ie. when it is called, and just before the instruction at 0x4004ed is executed). Assume the root of the pictured tree is the input.
 Note: If you don't know what a register value is, just mark it as "old rbp" etc. If you know what a register value is, write the corresponding value. (6pts)



- (c) Is there any padding in the struct "node" due to alignment rules? (1pts)

Yes, after our value, we have padding of 4 to make 518, so 8 is a multiple byte size of pointer byte size (10)

- (d) Can you rearrange the elements of "node" to reduce its size? (1pts)



- (e) Which of the following are possible starting addresses for a node: (2pts)

- (i) 0x7ffe4d3be87c
 - (ii) 0x7ffe4d3be874
 - (iii) 0x000444444440
 - (iv) 0xfffff1234568
- 16/100

A multiple of 8

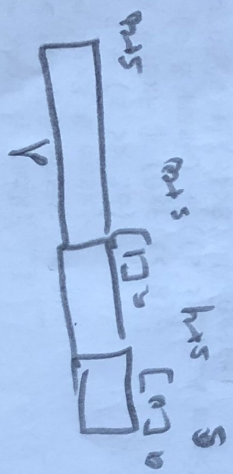
Question 9 (Bonus): Your points overfloweth! (5pts)

Consider the following code (a variation on a hopefully-familiar example).

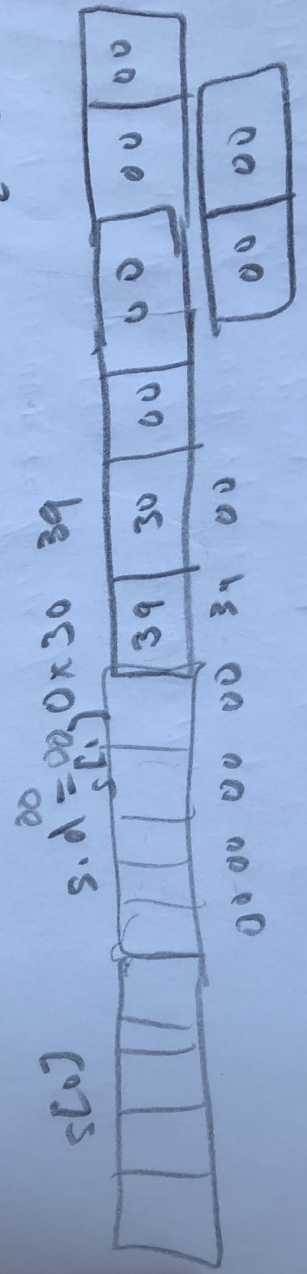
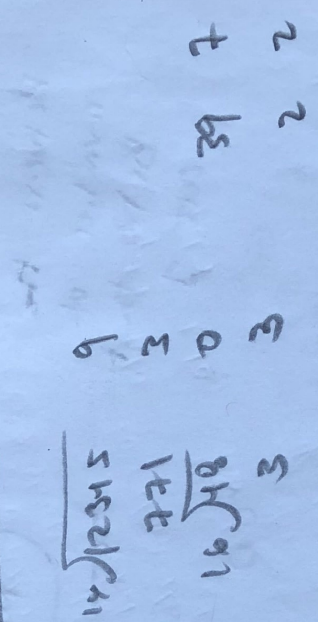
```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

typedef struct {
    int a[2];
    double d;
} struct_t;

double fun(int i, int j) {
    volatile struct_t s;
    s.d = 12345.0;
    s.a[i] = j;
    return s.d;
}
```



What input arguments to function "fun" would return the value 33.0?



00 00 00 00 0x27 0x00

00 27 00 00 00 00
 28.23 22 22 22 22

Input: 2816
 fun(1, 2816);

Section C

32 bits

64 / 8 = 2

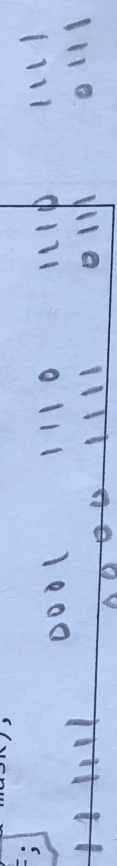
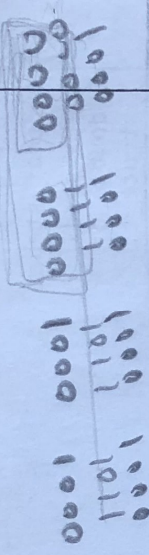
Question 10 (bonus): (5pts)

The following is a student's submission from a previous year's question on the databab.

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int function(int x) {
  int m1 = 0x11 | (0x11 << 8);
  int mask = m1 | (m1 << 16);
  int s = x & mask;
  s += x >> 1 & mask;
  s += x >> 2 & mask;
  s += x >> 3 & mask;
  s = s + (s >> 16);
  mask = 0xF | (0xF << 8);
  s = (s & mask) + ((s >> 4) & mask);
  return (s + (s >> 8)) & 0x3F;
}

```



What does this function do?

Creates mask.
 s = Masks every multiple of 4 bytes

Returns the number of bits that are 1



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5/8
 1000
 0001
 2
 10
 01
 $1 - (-2)$

Question 1. C Puzzles (8pts)
 You are running the following program on the cs33.seas.ucla.edu machine (ISA is x86-64).

```
// Create some random values
int x = random();
int y = random();
int z = random();
/* convert to other forms */
unsigned ux = (unsigned) x;
unsigned uy = (unsigned) y;
double dx = (double) x;
double dy = (double) y;
double dz = (double) z;
```

$x = 0$
 0000
 0001
 1111
 0001
 0000
 0000
 1110
 0000
 1110

For each of the following C-puzzles, in the column marked answer, either mark true if the expression always holds (ie. always yields 1), or give a counterexample (eg. TMIN) which breaks the rule.

$ux - uy = -(1-x)$
 11001
 $0001 = 0 - (0001 - 1000)$

Expression	Answer ("True" or describe a counterexample)
$(x < y) == (-x > -y)$	(example) $x = Tmin, y = 0$
$ux - uy == -(y - x)$	(a) False $x = 1000, y = 0001$
$(x >= 0) \parallel (x < ux)$	(b) False $x = 1111, \dots \Rightarrow ux = x$
$ux \& (-1 << 31) < 0$	(c) False $ux = 0$
$-x + -y + 1 == -(x + y)$	(d) True
$dx * dy == x * y$	(e) True
$dx * y == x * dy$	(f) True
$dx + dy + dz == dz + dy + dx$	(g) False $dx = 3, dy = 1, dz = 1, dx + dy + dz = 5, dz + dy + dx = 5$
$((x >> 31) << 31) <= x$	(h) True $dx = -1, dz = -1, dz = -1$

$10000 < 0$
 01111
 31
 $x = 10000 = Tmin$
 $x = 11111 = -1$
 $10000 = Tmin$
 0001
 $0001 \Rightarrow 0 - 10$
 $0 \leq 1$

6 Question 2. Multiple Choice (10pts)

For the following multiple choice questions, select all that apply.

1. Which of the following registers are guaranteed to have the same value before and after a call instruction in x86-64?

(a) rax
(b) rbx
(c) rdi
(d) rbp
(e) rsp

2. Which of the following instructions read memory?

(a) movq %rbx, %rbp
(b) cvtsi2ssl %rdi, %xmm0
(c) leaq 4(%rax, %rbx, 2), %rcx
(d) cmov %rbx, %rcx
(e) subq %rax, (%rbx)

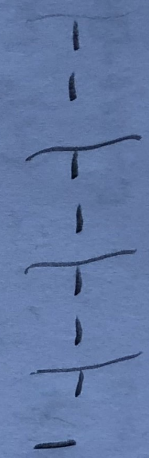
3. Assuming our ISA is x86-64, which of the following operations could we identify as modifying the ***values on*** the program stack?

(a) call <func>
(b) addq \$8, %rsp
(c) movq %rax, (%rbp)
(d) movq 20(%rsp), %rax
(e) pushq %rbp
(f) addq %rax, 8(%rsp)

4. What hexadecimal bit pattern would be found in memory in an x86-64 machine, for the number **negative 33**, when the corresponding datatype is an "int" in C?

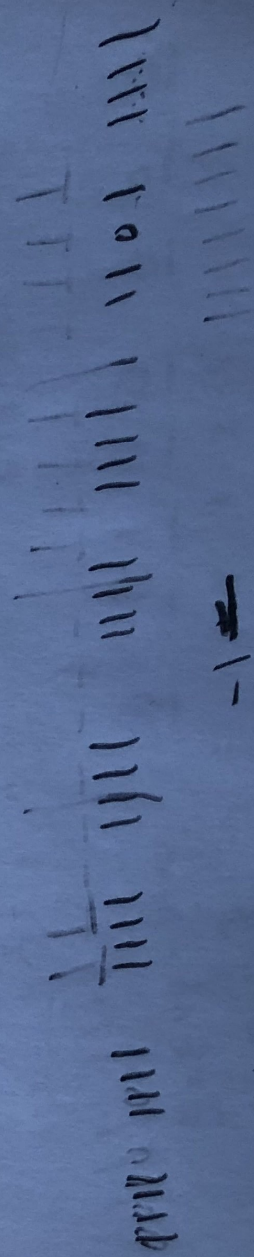
(a) 0x80 0x00 0x00 0x33
(b) 0x80 0x00 0x00 0x21
(c) 0x21 0x00 0x00 0x80
(d) 0x33 0x00 0x00 0x80
(e) 0xFF 0xFF 0xFF 0x21
(f) 0xDF 0xFF 0xFF 0xFF
(g) 0xFF 0x21
(h) 0xDF 0xFF

-33



-33

0x21



5. If a, b, c are n -bit signed integers, and c is the result of $a+b$, under what conditions can we be guaranteed that c is not the true result under full precision arithmetic?

- (a) $a \geq 2^{n-2}$ && $b \geq 2^{n-2}$
- (b) $a \leq -2^{n-2}$ && $b \leq -2^{n-2}$
- (c) $a-b > 0$
- (d) $a+b > 0$
- (e) $a > 0$ && $b > 0$ && $c < 0$
- (f) $a < 0$ && $b < 0$ && $c > 0$

$a > 0$ && $b > 0$

1 0

$$\begin{array}{r} 0 \\ - \\ 110 \\ \hline 101 \end{array}$$

1 1 0

1 1 0

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ - \\ 110 \\ \hline 101 \end{array}$$

$n=3 \Rightarrow -2$

1 1 0