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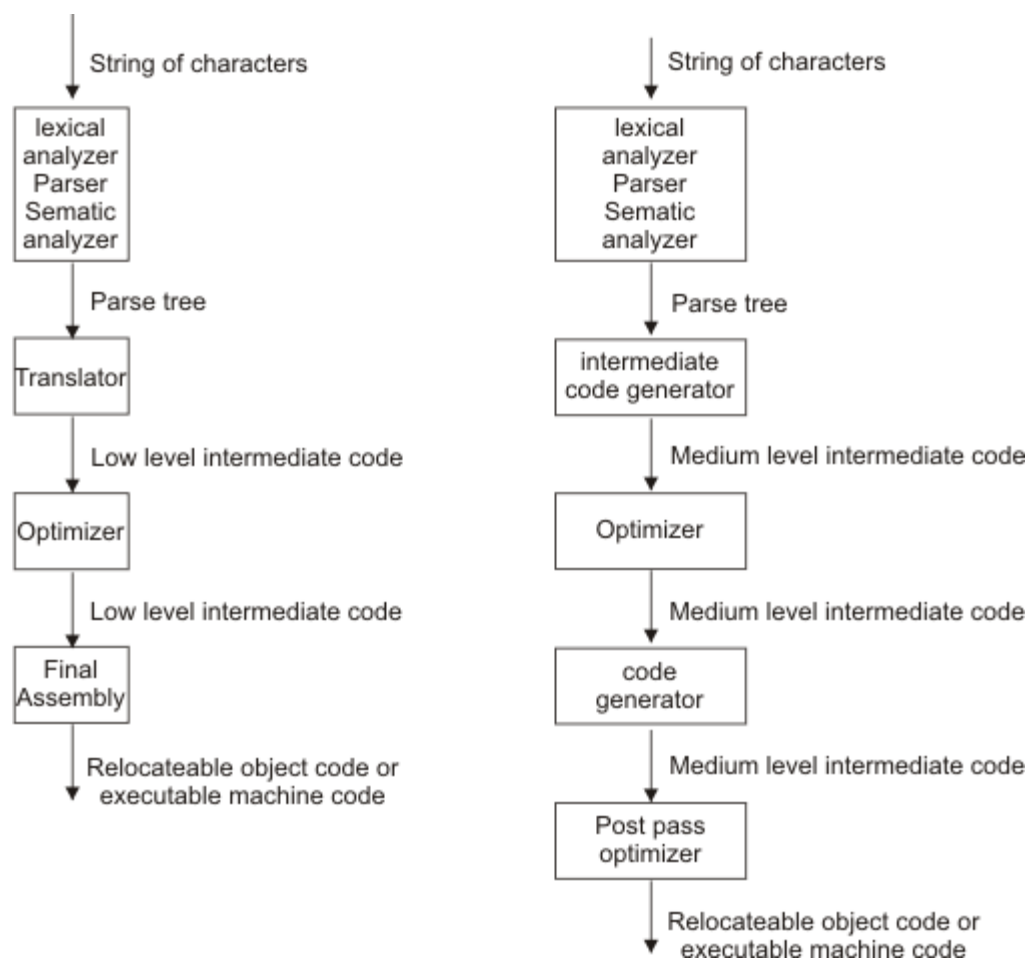
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Code Optimization

int a,b,c,d	ldw a,r1	add r1,r2,r3
c = a+b	ldw b,r2	add r3,1,r4
d = c+1	add r1,r2,r3	
	stw r3,c	
	ldw c,r3	
	add r3,1,r4	
	stw r4,d	
source code	naive sparc code	optimized code
	10 cycles	2 cycles

Most Important Optimizations

- Loop Optimizations
 - Moving loop invariant computations
 - Simplifying or eliminating computations on induction variables
- Global register allocation
- Instruction scheduling
- Some optimizations may be relevant to a particular program and may vary according to the structure and details of the programs
 - A highly recursive program may benefit from tail call optimization
 - A program with few loops and large basic blocks may benefit from loop distribution
 - In-lining may decrease call over heads; in-lining may increase the code size and may have negative effect on performance by increasing cache misses



Choice is largely one of investment and development focus.

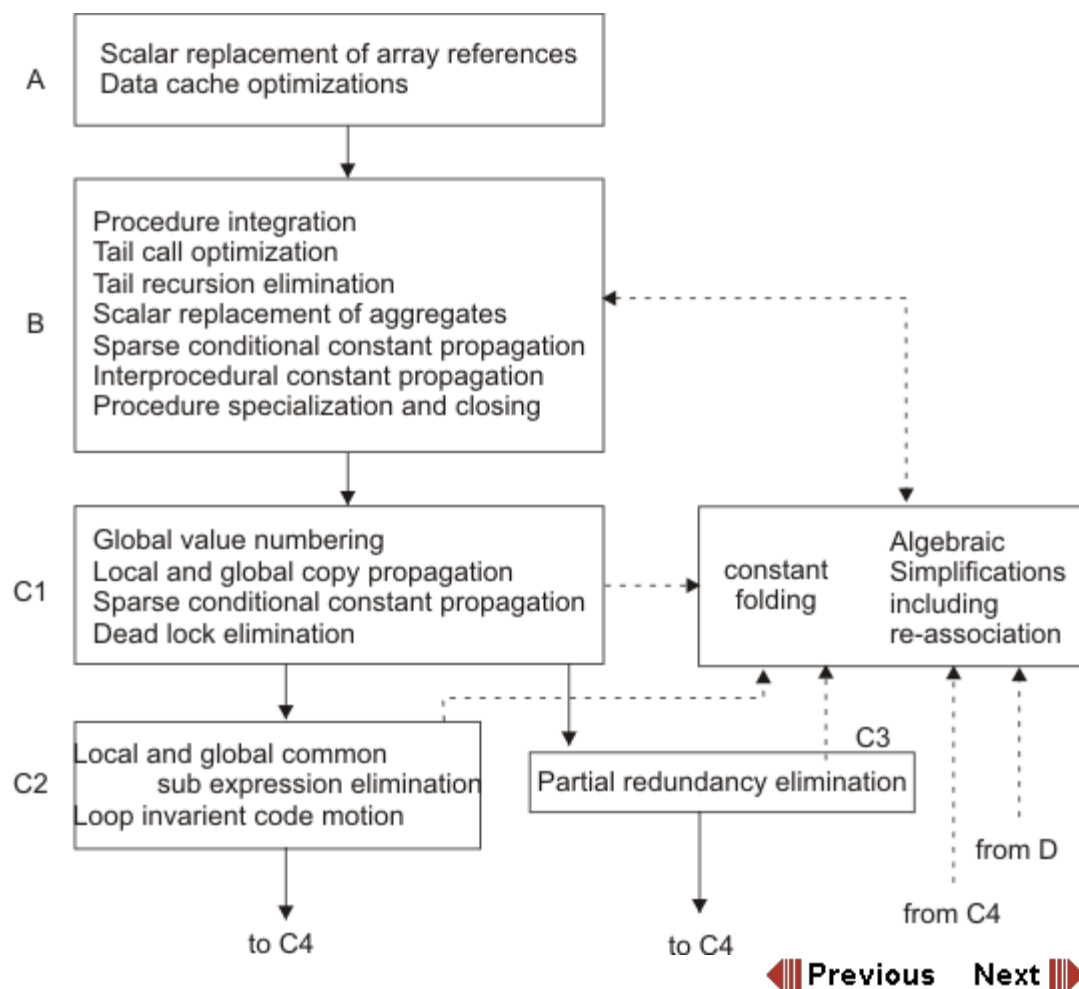
Low Level Model of Optimization

- Difficult to port unless second architecture is close to the first one
- Used in IBM Power-PC and HP PA-RISC
- Easier to avoid phase ordering problem
- Exposes all addresses to the optimizer
- Recommended for similar architectures

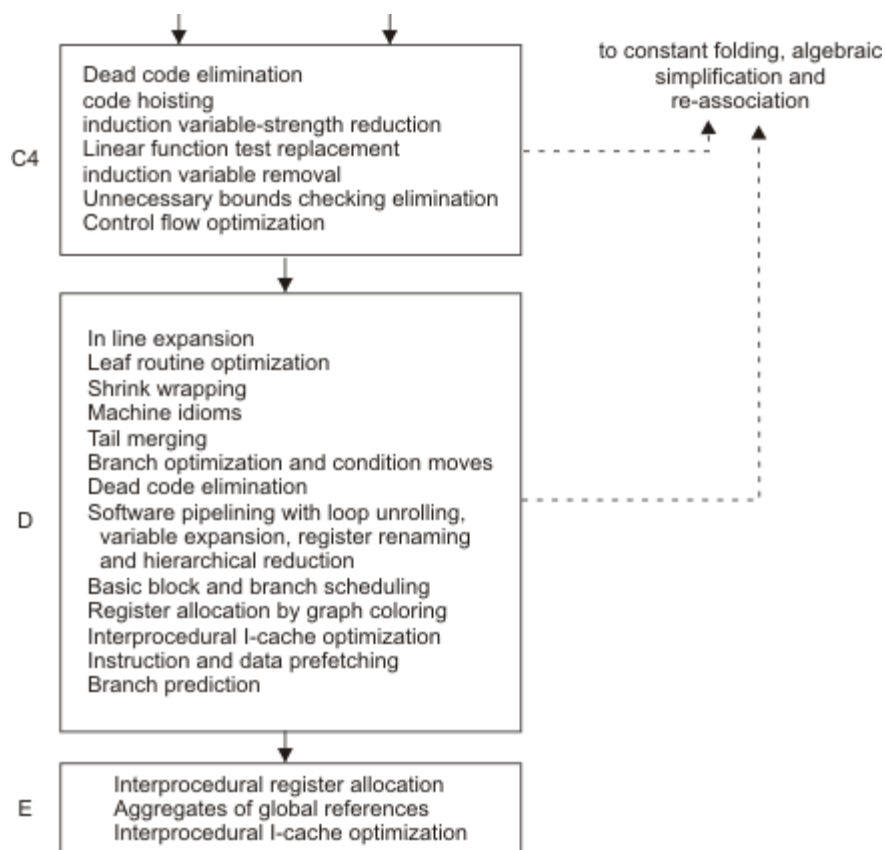
Mixed Model of Optimization

- More easily to be adapted to new architectures
- May be more efficient at compile time
- Used in Sun Sparc, Digital Alpha, Intel, SGI MIPS
- More appropriate for same language and many architectures

Placement of Optimizations



Placement of Optimizations: Cont'd



Code Optimization

Criteria for Code Improving Transformation

- Preserve the meaning
- Must speed up the program
- Must be worth the effort
- The analysis must be fast

Local transformation : Within basic blocks

Global transformation : Across basic blocks

Common Subexpression Elimination

$$\begin{matrix} X := a + b \\ Y := a + b \end{matrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} X := a + b \\ Y := X \end{matrix}$$

t6 := 4 * i		t6 := 4 * i
X := a[t6]		X := a[t6]
t7 := 4 * i		
t8 := 4 * j	CSE	t8 := 4 * j
t9 := a[t8]	⇒	t9 := a[t8]
a[t7] := t9	(local)	a[t6] := t9
t10 := 4 * j		
a[t10] := X		a[t8] := X
goto L		goto L

t6 := 4 * i		t6 := 4 * i
X := a[t6]		X := a[t6]
t8 := 4 * j	t4:=4*j already	
t9 := a[t8]	⇒	t9 := a[t4]
a[t6] := t9	computed	a[t6] := t9
a[t8] := X		a[t4] := X
goto L		goto L

t6 := 4 * i		t6 := 4 * i
X := a[t6]		X := a[t6]
t9 := a[t4]	t9 computes	
a[t6] := t9	⇒	a[t6] := t5
a[t4] := X	a[j]	a[t4] := X
goto L		goto L

t6 := 4 * i

X := a[t6]

a[t6] := t5

a[t4] := X

goto L

valueXcontains a[i]
⇒
use t3

X := t3

a[t2] := t5

a[t4] := X

goto L

Copy Propagation

Use g for f after assignment f = g

X := t3

a[t2] := t5

a[t4] := X

goto L

⇒

X := t3

a[t2] = t5

a[t4] := t3

gotoL

X := Y

if X > n gotoL

⇒

X := Y

if Y > n gotoL

Dead Code Elimination

Dead Operation : Unreachable by any path produces a value not used

- If whose true and false arcs are same
- If whose B expr known at compile time
loop not to be executed
procedure not to be called

debug := false

...

if (debug) {

...

}

X := t3

a[t2] := t5

a[t4] := t3

goto L

⇒

a[t2] := t5

a[t4] := t3

gotoL

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Renaming Temporary Variable Rename temporary variable t to u and replace all the occurrences of t by u .

This transformation increases parallelism.

Interchange Statements Two statements may be interchanged if value of the block is not affected.

$t1 = b + c$	$t2 = X + Y$
$t2 = X + Y$	$t1 = b + c$

Constant folding Evaluate constant expressions at compile time.

$X = 3 + 5$	$X = 8$
$Y = X * 2$	$Y = 16$

Algebraic Transformation

- Eliminate addition/subtraction with 0 $X = X \pm 0$ should be eliminated.
- Eliminate multiplication/division by 1 $X = X * 1$ or $X = X/1$ should be eliminated.
- Eliminate multiplication by 0 $X = X * 0$ should be replaced with $X = 0$

Strength reduction Costly operators should be replaced by cheaper operators

- Replace $T = X * * * 2$ by $T = X * X$
- Replace $T = X * 4$ by $T = \text{ls}(X, 2)$
- Replace $2 * X$ by $X + X$
- Replace $X * 0.5$ by $X/2$
- Replace $X/2$ by $\text{rs}(X, 1)$

Loop Optimizations

Code Motion: Expression not evaluated in the code must be moved out of loop

```
while( i <= limit - 2 ) {
  \* statement not changing limit *\
}
```



```
t := limit - 2
while( i <= t ) { statement }
```

$X := t3$		$a[t2] := t5$
$a[t2] := t5$	\Rightarrow	$a[t4] := t3$
$a[t4] := t3$		$\text{goto } L$
$\text{goto } L$		

Loop-unrolling

```
i := 1
loop
  if i > n then exitloop
  body
exit
```

⇒

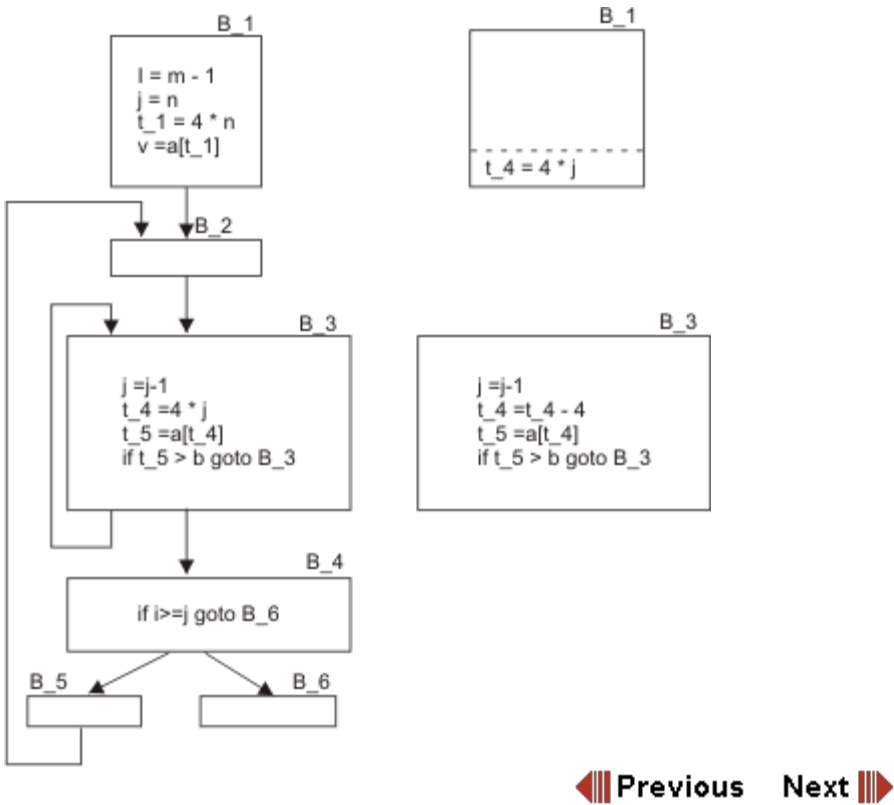
```
i:=1
loop
  if i > n then exitloop
  body0
  if i > n then exitloop
  body1
  ⋮
  if i > n then exitloop
  bodyn-1
exit
```

```
DO l = 1 to 100 by 1
A(l) = A(l) + B(l)
END
```

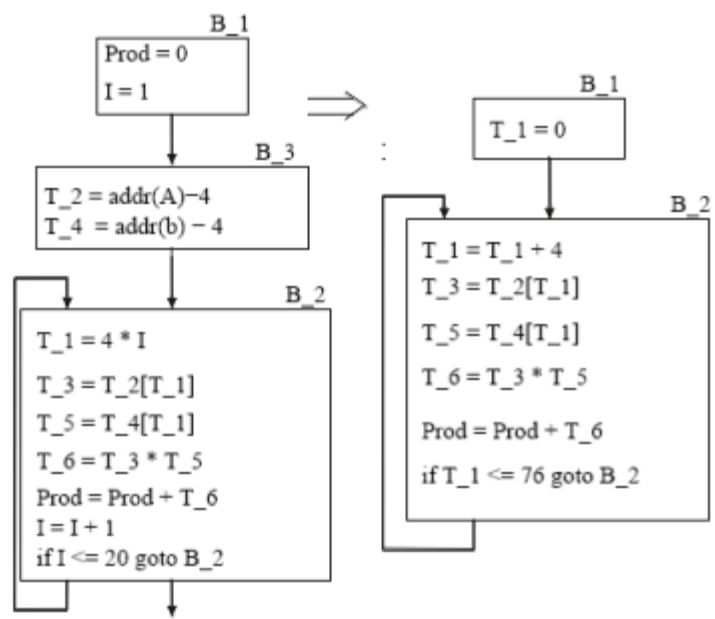
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```
DO l = 1 to 100 by 2
A(l) = A(l) + B(l)
A(l+1) = A(l+1) + B(l+1)
END
```

Induction Variable Simplification



Induction Variable Simplification



Loop Jamming

Two adjacent loops may be merged into a single loop

```
For l = 1 to 100
  A(l) = 0
Endfor
For l = 1 to 100
  B(l) = X(l) + Y
Endfor
```

can be replaced by

```
For l = 1 to 100
  A(l) = 0
  B(l) = X(l) + Y
Endfor
```