

# Intermediate Code Generation - Part 2

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# Outline of the Lecture

- Introduction (covered in part 1)
- Different types of intermediate code (covered in part 1)
- Intermediate code generation for various constructs

# SATG for *If-Then-Else* Statement

- $IFEXP \rightarrow \text{if } E$   
{ IFEXP.falselist := makelist(nextquad);  
  gen('if E.result  $\leq$  0 goto \_\_\_'); }
- $S \rightarrow IFEXP S_1; N \text{ else } M S_2$   
{ backpatch(IFEXP.falselist, M.quad);  
  S.next := merge( $S_1$ .next,  $S_2$ .next, N.next); }
- $S \rightarrow IFEXP S_1;$   
{ S.next := merge( $S_1$ .next, IFEXP.falselist); }
- $N \rightarrow \epsilon$   
{ N.next := makelist(nextquad);  
  gen('goto \_\_\_'); }
- $M \rightarrow \epsilon$   
{ M.quad := nextquad; }

# SATG for Other Statements

- $S \rightarrow \{ L \}$   
{ S.next := L.next; }
- $S \rightarrow A$   
{ S.next := makelist(nil); }
- $S \rightarrow \text{return } E$   
{ gen('return E.result'); S.next := makelist(nil); }
- $L \rightarrow L_1 ; M S$   
{ backpatch(L<sub>1</sub>.next, M.quad);  
L.next := S.next; }
- $L \rightarrow S$   
{ L.next := S.next; }
- When the body of a procedure ends, we perform the following actions in addition to other actions:  
{ backpatch(S.next, nextquad); gen('func end'); }

# Translation Trace for *If-Then-Else* Statement

$A_i$  are all assignments, and  $E_i$  are all expressions

$\text{if } (E_1) \{ \text{if } (E_2) A_1; \text{else } A_2; \} \text{else } A_3; A_4;$

$S \Rightarrow \text{IFEXP } S_1; N_1 \text{ else } M_1 S_2$

$\Rightarrow^* \text{IFEXP}_1 \text{ IFEXP}_2 S_{21}; N_2 \text{ else } M_2 S_{22}; N_1 \text{ else } M_1 S_2$

1 Consider outer if-then-else

Code generation for  $E_1$

2  $\text{gen}(\text{'if } E_1.\text{result} \leq 0 \text{ goto } \_\_\text{'})$

on reduction by  $\text{IFEXP}_1 \rightarrow \text{if } E_1$

Remember the above quad address in  $\text{IFEXP}_1.\text{falselist}$

3 Consider inner if-then-else

Code generation for  $E_2$

4  $\text{gen}(\text{'if } E_2.\text{result} \leq 0 \text{ goto } \_\_\text{'})$

on reduction by  $\text{IFEXP}_2 \rightarrow \text{if } E_2$

Remember the above quad address in  $\text{IFEXP}_2.\text{falselist}$

# Translation Trace for *If-Then-Else* Statement(contd.)

if ( $E_1$ ) { if ( $E_2$ )  $A_1$ ; else  $A_2$ ; }else  $A_3$ ;  $A_4$ ;

$S \Rightarrow^* IFEXP_1 IFEXP_2 S_{21}; N_2 \text{ else } M_2 S_{22}; N_1 \text{ else } M_1 S_2$

Code generated so far:

Code for  $E_1$ ; if  $E_1.result \leq 0$  goto \_\_\_ (on  $IFEXP_1.false$ list);

Code for  $E_2$ ; if  $E_2.result \leq 0$  goto \_\_\_ (on  $IFEXP_2.false$ list);

- 5 Code generation for  $S_{21}$
- 6 gen('goto \_\_\_'), on reduction by  $N_2 \rightarrow \epsilon$   
(remember in  $N_2.next$ )
- 7 L1: remember in  $M_2.quad$ , on reduction by  $M_2 \rightarrow \epsilon$
- 8 Code generation for  $S_{22}$
- 9 backpatch( $IFEXP_2.false$ list, L1) (processing  $E_2 == \text{false}$ )  
on reduction by  $S_1 \rightarrow IFEXP_2 S_{21} N_2 \text{ else } M_2 S_{22}$   
 $N_2.next$  is not yet patched; put on  $S_1.next$

# Translation Trace for *If-Then-Else* Statement(contd.)

if ( $E_1$ ) { if ( $E_2$ )  $A_1$ ; else  $A_2$ ; }else  $A_3$ ;  $A_4$ ;

$S \Rightarrow IFEXP S_1; N_1$  else  $M_1 S_2$

$S \Rightarrow^* IFEXP_1 IFEXP_2 S_{21}; N_2$  else  $M_2 S_{22}; N_1$  else  $M_1 S_2$

Code generated so far:

Code for  $E_1$ ; if  $E_1.result \leq 0$  goto \_\_\_ (on  $IFEXP_1.false$ list)

Code for  $E_2$ ; if  $E_2.result \leq 0$  goto L1

Code for  $S_{21}$ ; goto \_\_\_ (on  $S_1.next$ )

L1: Code for  $S_{22}$

- ⑩ gen('goto \_\_\_'), on reduction by  $N_1 \rightarrow \epsilon$  (remember in  $N_1.next$ )
- ⑪ L2: remember in  $M_1.quad$ , on reduction by  $M_1 \rightarrow \epsilon$
- ⑫ Code generation for  $S_2$
- ⑬ backpatch( $IFEXP.false$ list, L2) (processing  $E_1 == false$ )  
on reduction by  $S \rightarrow IFEXP S_1 N_1$  else  $M_1 S_2$   
 $N_1.next$  is merged with  $S_1.next$ , and put on  $S.next$

# Translation Trace for *If-Then-Else* Statement(contd.)

if ( $E_1$ ) { if ( $E_2$ )  $A_1$ ; else  $A_2$ ; }else  $A_3$ ;  $A_4$ ;  
 $S \Rightarrow^* IFEXP_1 IFEXP_2 S_{21}; N_2 \text{ else } M_2 S_{22}; N_1 \text{ else } M_1 S_2$   
 $L \Rightarrow^* L_1 \text{ ; } M_3 S_4 \Rightarrow^* S_3 \text{ ; } M_3 S_4$   
Code generated so far (for  $S_3/L_1$  above):

Code for  $E_1$ ; if  $E_1$ .result  $\leq 0$  goto L2

Code for  $E_2$ ; if  $E_2$ .result  $\leq 0$  goto L1

Code for  $S_{21}$ ; goto \_\_ (on  $S_3$ .next/ $L_1$ .next)

L1: Code for  $S_{22}$

goto \_\_ (on  $S_3$ .next/ $L_1$ .next)

L2: Code for  $S_2$

- 14 L3: remember in  $M_3$ .quad, on reduction by  $M_3 \rightarrow \epsilon$
- 15 Code generation for  $S_4$
- 16 backpatch( $L_1$ .next, L3), on reduction by  $L \rightarrow L_1 \text{ ; } M_3 S_4$
- 17 L.next is empty

# Translation Trace for *If-Then-Else* Statement(contd.)

$\text{if } (E_1) \{ \text{if } (E_2) A_1; \text{else } A_2; \} \text{else } A_3; A_4;$   
 $S \Rightarrow^* \text{IFEXP}_1 \text{ IFEXP}_2 S_{21}; N_2 \text{ else } M_2 S_{22}; N_1 \text{ else } M_1 S_2$   
 $L \Rightarrow^* L_1 \text{ ; } M_3 S_4 \Rightarrow^* S_3 \text{ ; } M_3 S_4$

Final generated code

Code for  $E_1$ ; if  $E_1.\text{result} \leq 0$  goto L2

Code for  $E_2$ ; if  $E_2.\text{result} \leq 0$  goto L1

Code for  $S_{21}$ ; goto L3

L1: Code for  $S_{22}$

goto L3

L2: Code for  $S_2$

L3: Code for  $S_4$

# SATG for *While-do* Statement

- $WHILEEXP \rightarrow \text{while } M \ E$   
{ WHILEEXP.falselist := makelist(nextquad);  
  gen('if E.result  $\leq$  0 goto \_\_\_');  
  WHILEEXP.begin := M.quad; }
- $S \rightarrow WHILEEXP \ \text{do } S_1$   
{ gen('goto WHILEEXP.begin');  
  backpatch( $S_1$ .next, WHILEEXP.begin);  
  S.next := WHILEEXP.falselist; }
- $M \rightarrow \epsilon$  (repeated here for convenience)  
{ M.quad := nextquad; }

# Code Template for *Function* Declaration and Call

Assumption: No nesting of functions

```
result foo(parameter list){ variable declarations; Statement list; }
```

```
func begin foo
```

```
/* creates activation record for foo - */
```

```
/* - space for local variables and temporaries */
```

```
code for Statement list
```

```
func end /* releases activation record and return */
```

```
x = bar(p1,p2,p3);
```

```
code for evaluation of p1, p2, p3 (result in T1, T2, T3)
```

```
/* result is supposed to be returned in T4 */
```

```
param T1; param T2; param T3; refparam T4;
```

```
call bar, 4
```

```
/* creates appropriate access links, pushes return address */
```

```
/* and jumps to code for bar */
```

```
x = T4
```

# SATG for *Function Call*

Assumption: No nesting of functions

- $FUNC\_CALL \rightarrow id \{ \mathbf{action\ 1} \} ( PARAMLIST ) \{ \mathbf{action\ 2} \}$   
 $\{ \mathbf{action\ 1:} \} \{ search\_func(id.name, found, fnptr);$   
 $call\_name\_ptr := fnptr \}$   
 $\{ \mathbf{action\ 2:} \}$   
 $\{ result\_var := newtemp(get\_result\_type(call\_name\_ptr));$   
 $gen('refparam result\_var');$   
 $/* Machine code for return a places a in result\_var */$   
 $gen('call call\_name\_ptr, PARAMLIST.pno+1');$  }
- $PARAMLIST \rightarrow PLIST \{ PARAMLIST.pno := PLIST.pno \}$
- $PARAMLIST \rightarrow \epsilon \{ PARAMLIST.pno := 0 \}$
- $PLIST \rightarrow E \{ PLIST.pno := 1; gen('param E.result'); \}$
- $PLIST_1 \rightarrow PLIST_2, E$   
 $\{ PLIST_1.pno := PLIST_2.pno + 1; gen('param E.result'); \}$

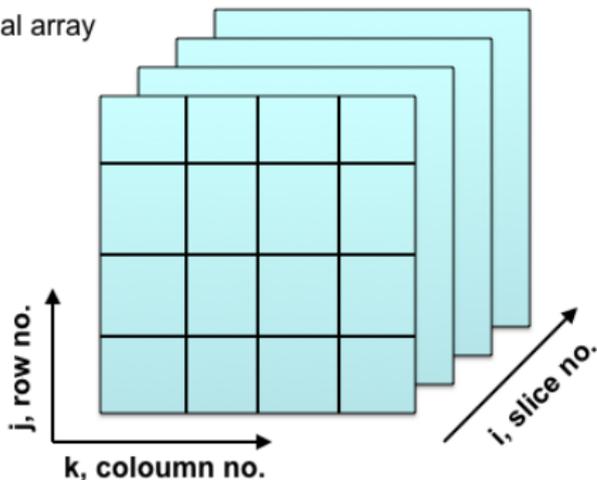
# SATG for *Function* Declaration

Assumption: No nesting of functions

- *FUNC\_DECL* → *FUNC\_HEAD* { *VAR\_DECL* *BODY* }  
{ backpatch(BODY.next, nextquad);  
  gen('func end'); }
- *FUNC\_HEAD* → *RESULT* *id* ( *DECL\_PLIST* )  
{ search\_func(id.name, found, namptr);  
  active\_func\_ptr := namptr;  
  gen('func begin active\_func\_ptr'); }

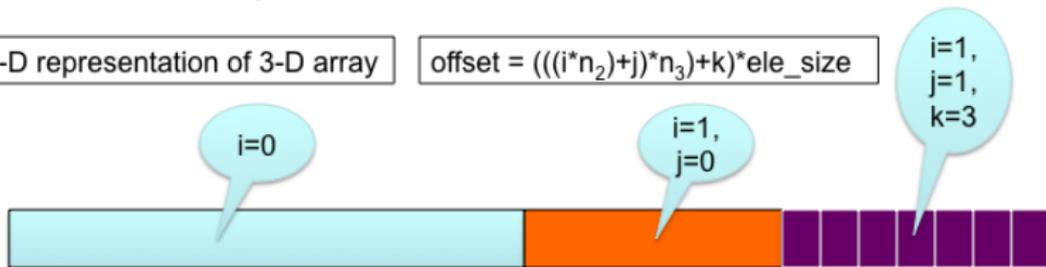
# 1-D Representation of 3-D Array

3-dimensional array



1-D representation of 3-D array

$$\text{offset} = (((i * n_2) + j) * n_3) + k) * \text{ele\_size}$$



# Code Template for *Expressions and Assignments*

```
int a[10][20][35], b;
```

```
b = exp1;
```

```
code for evaluation of exp1 (result in T1)
```

```
b = T1
```

```
/* Assuming the array access to be, a[i][j][k] */
```

```
/* base address = addr(a), offset = (((i*n2)+j)*n3)+k)*ele_size */
```

```
a[exp2][exp3][exp4] = exp5;
```

```
10: code for exp2 (result in T2) | | 141: T8 = T7+T6
```

```
70: code for exp3 (result in T3) | | 142: T9 = T8*intsize
```

```
105: T4 = T2*20 | | 143: T10 = addr(a)
```

```
106: T5 = T4+T3 | | 144: code for exp5 (result in T11)
```

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107: code for exp4 (result in T6) | | 186: T10[T9] = T11
```

```
140: T7 = T5*35
```

# SATG for *Expressions and Assignments*

- $S \rightarrow L := E$

/\* L has two attributes, L.place, pointing to the name of the variable or temporary in the symbol table, and L.offset, pointing to the temporary holding the offset into the array (NULL in the case of a simple variable) \*/

{ if (L.offset == NULL) gen('L.place = E.result');  
else gen('L.place[L.offset] = E.result'); }

- $E \rightarrow ( E_1 )$  { E.result := E<sub>1</sub>.result; }

- $E \rightarrow L$  { if (L.offset == NULL) E.result := L.place;  
else { E.result := newtemp(L.type);  
gen('E.result = L.place[L.offset]'); }

- $E \rightarrow num$  { E.result := newtemp(num.type);  
gen('E.result = num.value'); }

## SATG for *Expressions and Assignments* (contd.)

- $E \rightarrow E_1 + E_2$ 

```
{ result_type := compatible_type(E1.type, E2.type);
  E.result := newtemp(result_type);
  if (E1.type == result_type) operand_1 := E1.result;
  else if (E1.type == integer && result_type == real)
    { operand_1 := newtemp(real);
      gen('operand_1 = cvrt_float(E1.result); };
  if (E2.type == result_type) operand_2 := E2.result;
  else if (E2.type == integer && result_type == real)
    { operand_2 := newtemp(real);
      gen('operand_2 = cvrt_float(E2.result); };
  gen('E.result = operand_1 + operand_2');
}
```

# SATG for *Expressions and Assignments* (contd.)

- $E \rightarrow E_1 \parallel E_2$   
{ E.result := newtemp(integer);  
  gen('E.result = E<sub>1</sub>.result || E<sub>2</sub>.result');
- $E \rightarrow E_1 < E_2$   
{ E.result := newtemp(integer);  
  gen('E.result = 1');  
  gen('if E<sub>1</sub>.result < E<sub>2</sub>.result goto nextquad+2');  
  gen('E.result = 0');  
}
- $L \rightarrow id$  { search\_var\_param(id.name, active\_func\_ptr,  
  level, found, vn); L.place := vn; L.offset := NULL; }

Note: *search\_var\_param()* searches for *id.name* in the variable list first, and if not found, in the parameter list next.

# SATG for *Expressions and Assignments* (contd.)

- $ELIST \rightarrow id [ E$   
{ search\_var\_param(id.name, active\_func\_ptr,  
level, found, vn); ELIST.dim := 1;  
ELIST.arrayptr := vn; ELIST.result := E.result; }
- $L \rightarrow ELIST ]$  { L.place := ELIST.arrayptr;  
temp := newtemp(int); L.offset := temp;  
ele\_size := ELIST.arrayptr -> ele\_size;  
gen('temp = ELIST.result \* ele\_size'); }
- $ELIST \rightarrow ELIST_1 , E$   
{ ELIST.dim :=  $ELIST_1$ .dim + 1;  
ELIST.arrayptr :=  $ELIST_1$ .arrayptr  
num\_elem := get\_dim( $ELIST_1$ .arrayptr,  $ELIST_1$ .dim + 1);  
temp1 := newtemp(int); temp2 := newtemp(int);  
gen('temp1 =  $ELIST_1$ .result \* num\_elem');  
ELIST.result := temp2; gen('temp2 = temp1 + E.result'); }

# Short Circuit Evaluation for Boolean Expressions

- $(\text{exp1} \ \&\& \ \text{exp2})$ : value = if  $(\sim\text{exp1})$  then FALSE else exp2
  - This implies that exp2 need not be evaluated if exp1 is FALSE
- $(\text{exp1} \ || \ \text{exp2})$ :value = if (exp1) then TRUE else exp2
  - This implies that exp2 need not be evaluated if exp1 is TRUE
- Since boolean expressions are used mostly in conditional and loop statements, it is possible to realize perform short circuit evaluation of expressions using control flow constructs
- In such a case, there are no explicit '||' and '&&' operators in the intermediate code (as earlier), but only jumps
- Much faster, since complete expression is not evaluated
- If unevaluated expressions have side effects, then program may have non-deterministic behaviour

# Control-Flow Realization of Boolean Expressions

if ((a+b < c+d) || ((e==f) && (g > h-k))) A1; else A2; A3;

```
100:      T1 = a+b
101:      T2 = c+d
103:      if T1 < T2 goto L1
104:      goto L2
105:L2:   if e==f goto L3
106:      goto L4
107:L3:   T3 = h-k
108:      if g > T3 goto L5
109:      goto L6
110:L1:L5: code for A1
111:      goto L7
112:L4:L6: code for A2
113:L7:   code for A3
```