

Code Generation

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Outline

- Recap Register Allocation
- Generating LLVM for imperative programs
 - Local Variables
 - Expressions
 - Assignments
 - Boolean Expressions
 - Control Flow

Register Allocation

- Map symbolic registers into physical
- Chose between caller= and callee-save registers
- Reuse machine registers
- Avoid store/loads
- Sometimes eliminate mov
 - Allocate the same register to source and target

A Simple Example

```
L0:    a ← 0  
  
L1:    b ← a + 1  
  
        c ← c + b  
  
        a ← b * 2  
  
        if c < N goto L1  
        return c
```

```
L0:    r1 ← 0  
  
L1:    r1 ← r1 + 1  
  
        r2 ← r2 + r1  
  
        r1 ← r1 * 2  
  
        if r2 < N goto L1  
        return r2
```

Can this be implemented in a machine with two registers?

Live symbolic registers

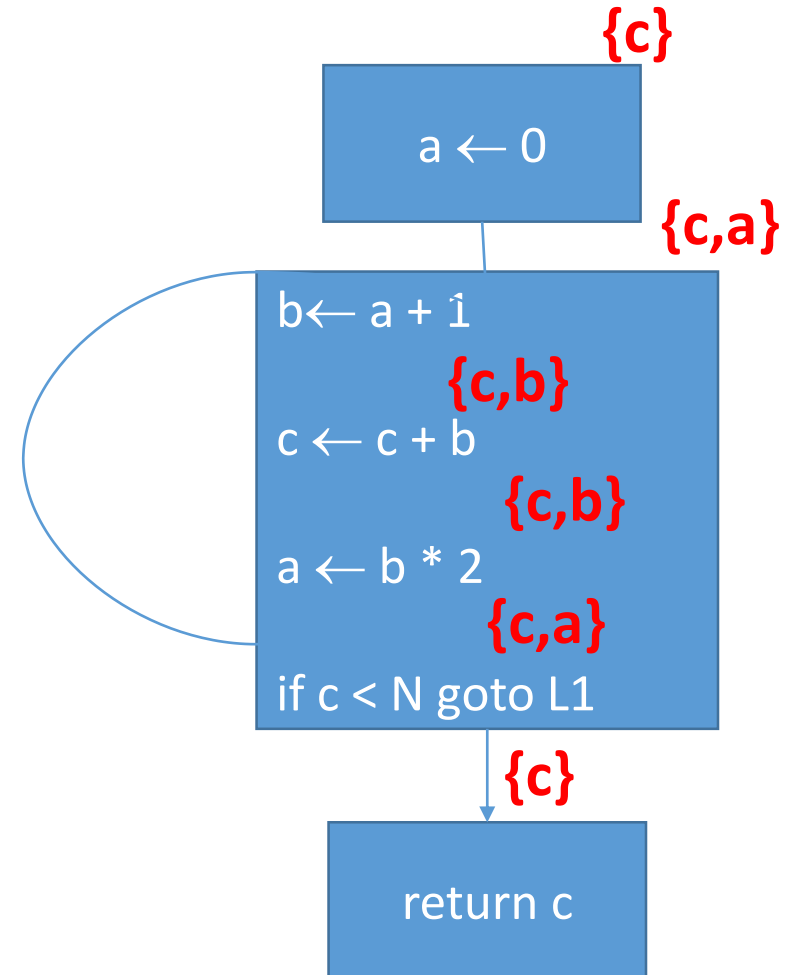
- A symbolic register is **live** at a program point if it may be used before set on some path from this point
- A symbolic register is **not live (dead)** at a program point if it is not used on all paths from this point

Using Liveness information

- Symbolic Registers which are not live together can share the same symbolic register

Liveness in the example

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Iteratively Computing Liveness

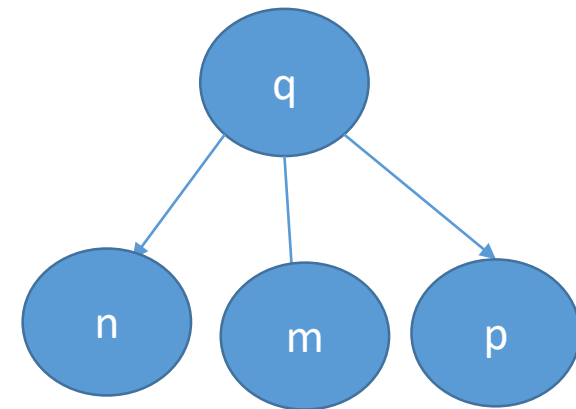
- Start with dead variables at all program points
 - The return value is live
- Iteratively add live variables by backward propagation
- Terminate when no live variables are added

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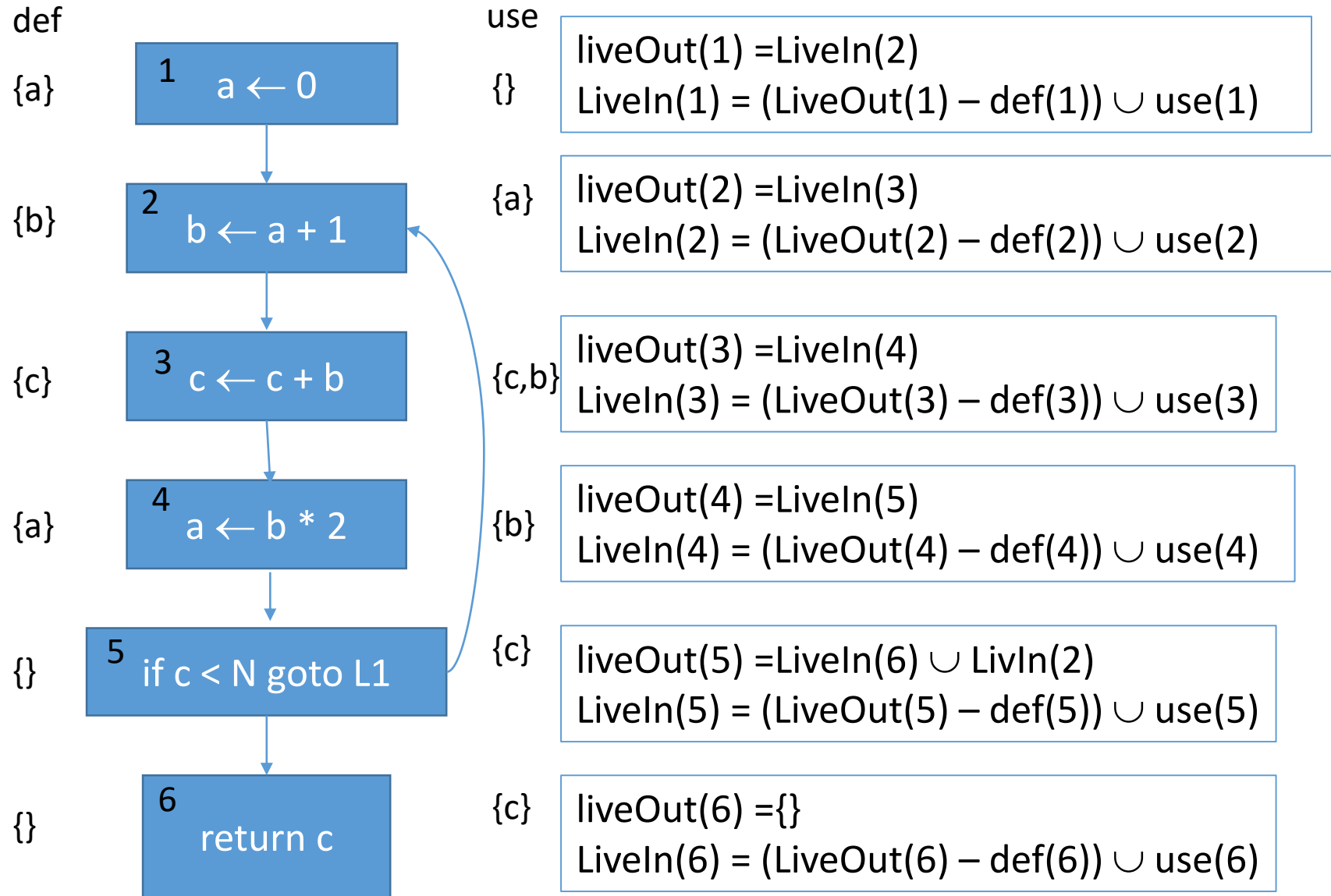
- Construct a control flow graph of instructions
 - Every instruction **uses** a set of variables and **defines** a set of variables
 - example $x = y+z$
 - $\text{use}(\{y, z\})$
 - $\text{def}(\{x\})$

$$\text{liveOut}(q) = \text{liveIn}(n) \cup \text{liveIn}(m) \cup \text{liveIn}(p)$$

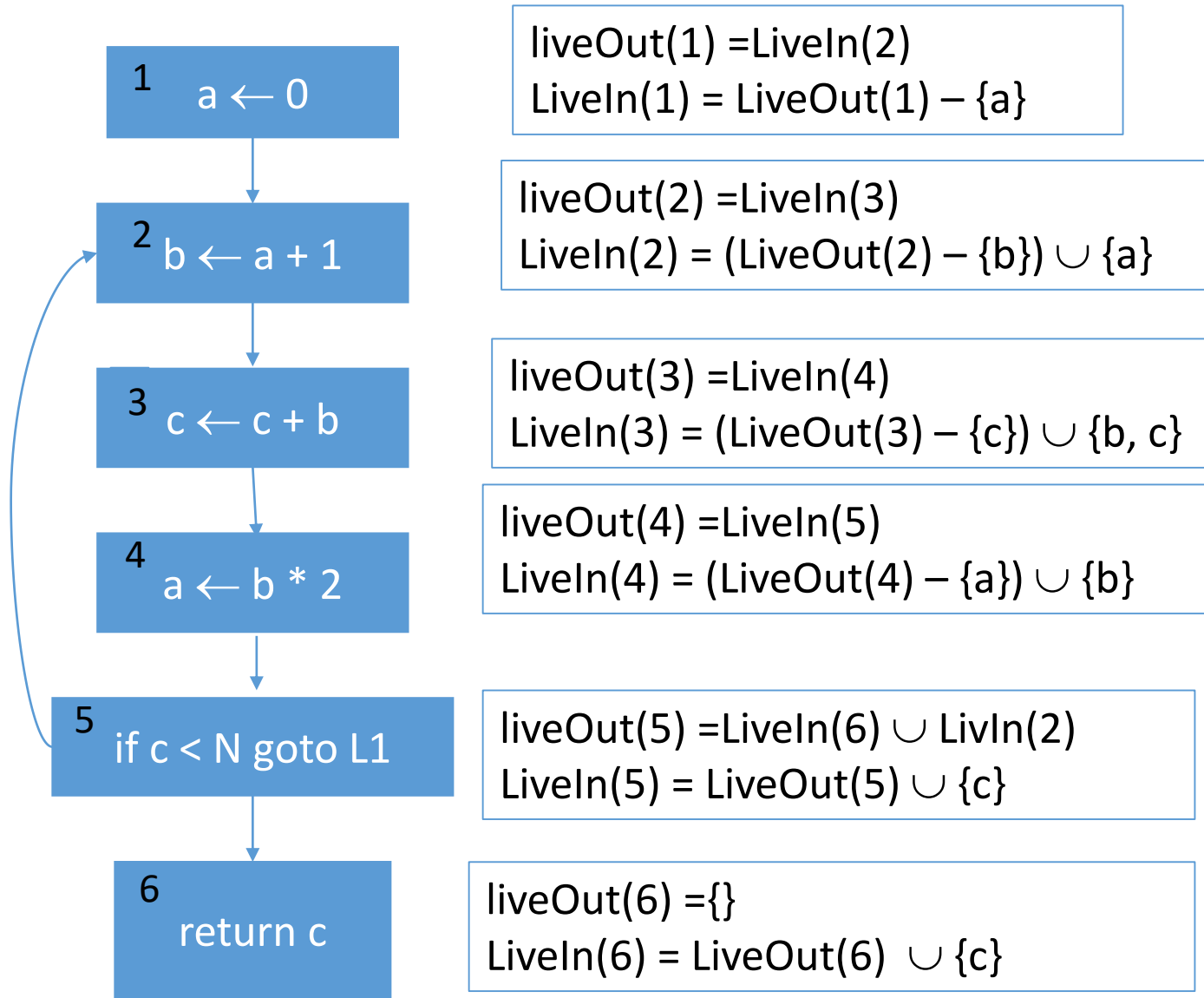
- Liveness Equations
 - $\text{liveOut}(\text{exit}) = \{\}$
 - $\text{liveIn}(n) = (\text{liveOut}(n) - \text{def}(n)) \cup \text{use}(n)$
 - $\text{liveOut}(n) = \bigcup_{m: \text{succ}(n, m)} \text{liveIn}(m)$
- Computed iteratively from the exit node



Liveness Recursive Equations



Iteratively Computing Liveness



Node	LiveIn(Node)
6	{c}
5	{c}
4	{b,c}
3	{b,c}
2	{c, a}
5	{c, a}
4	{b, c}
3	{b, c}
2	{c, a}
1	{c}

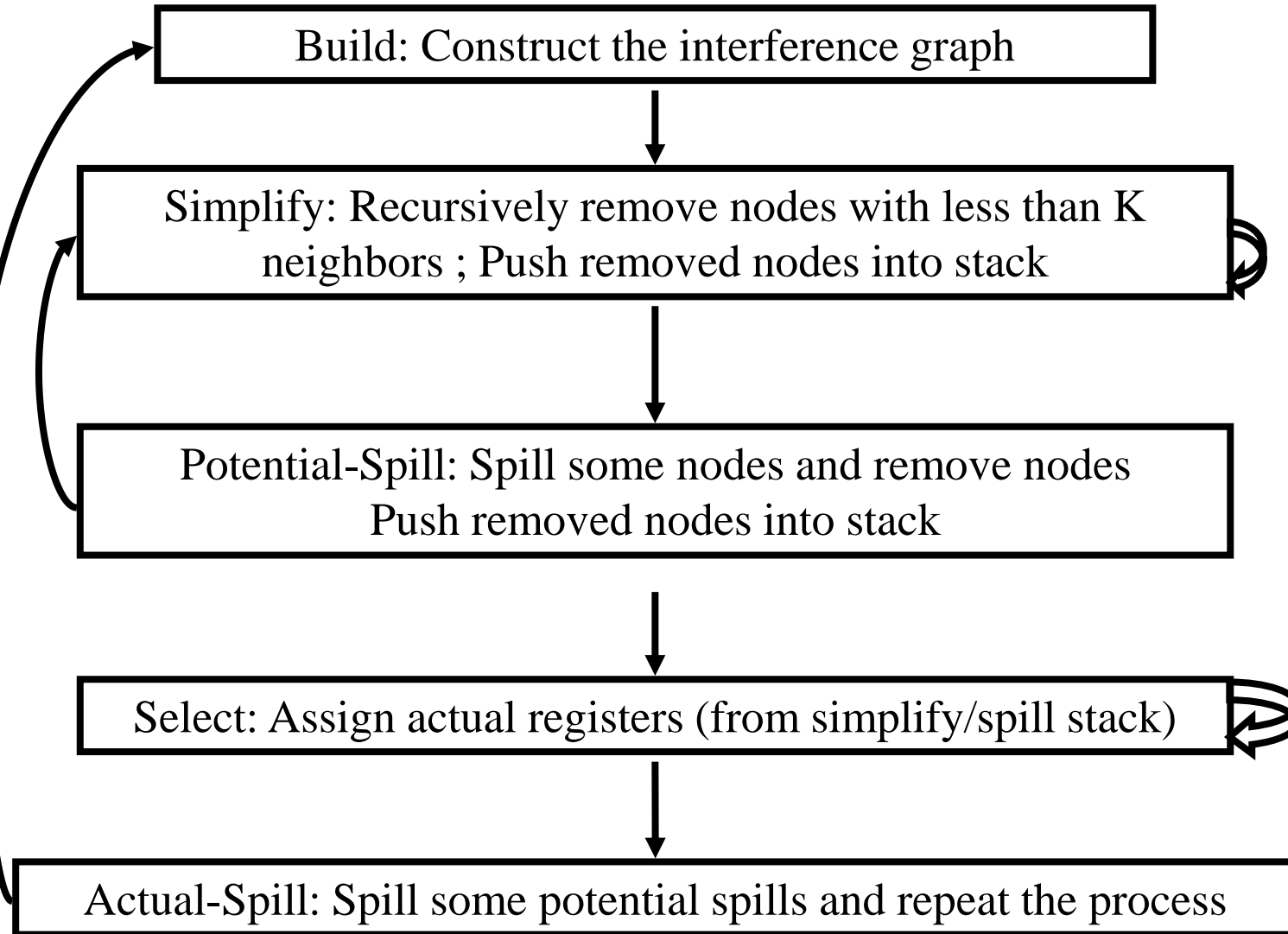
Constructing interference graphs

- Compute liveness information at every instruction
- Variables 'a' and 'b' **interfere** when there exists an instruction $n: a \leftarrow \text{exp}$ and $'b' \in \text{LiveOut}[n]$

Coloring by Simplification [Kempe 1879]

- K
 - the number of machine registers
- $G(V, E)$
 - the interference graph
- Consider a node $v \in V$ with less than K neighbors:
 - Color $G - v$ in K colors
 - Color v in a color different than its (colored) neighbors

Graph Coloring by Simplification



Challenges

- The Coloring problem is computationally hard
- The number of machine registers may be small
- Avoid too many MOVES
- Handle “pre-colored” nodes

Coalescing

- MOVs can be removed if the source and the target share the same register
- The source and the target of the move can be merged into a single node
(unifying the sets of neighbors)
- May require more registers
- **Conservative Coalescing**
 - Merge nodes only if the resulting node has fewer than K neighbors with degree $\geq K$ (in the resulting graph)

Constructing interference graphs (take 2)

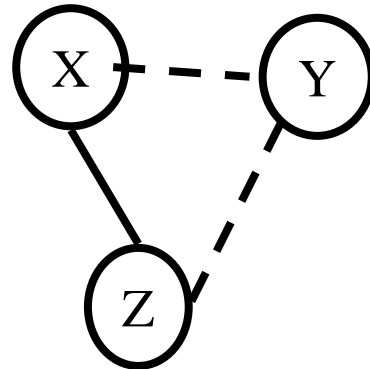
- Compute liveness information at every instruction
- Two types of edges: **interfere** and **move**
 - Variable 'a' and 'b' are **mov** if there exists an instruction $n: a \leftarrow b$
 - Variables 'a' and 'b' **interfere** when there exists an instruction $n: a \leftarrow \text{exp}, \text{exp} \neq b$ and $'b' \in \text{LiveOut}[n]$

Constrained Moves

- A instruction $T \leftarrow S$ is **constrained**
 - if S and T interfere
- May happen after coalescing

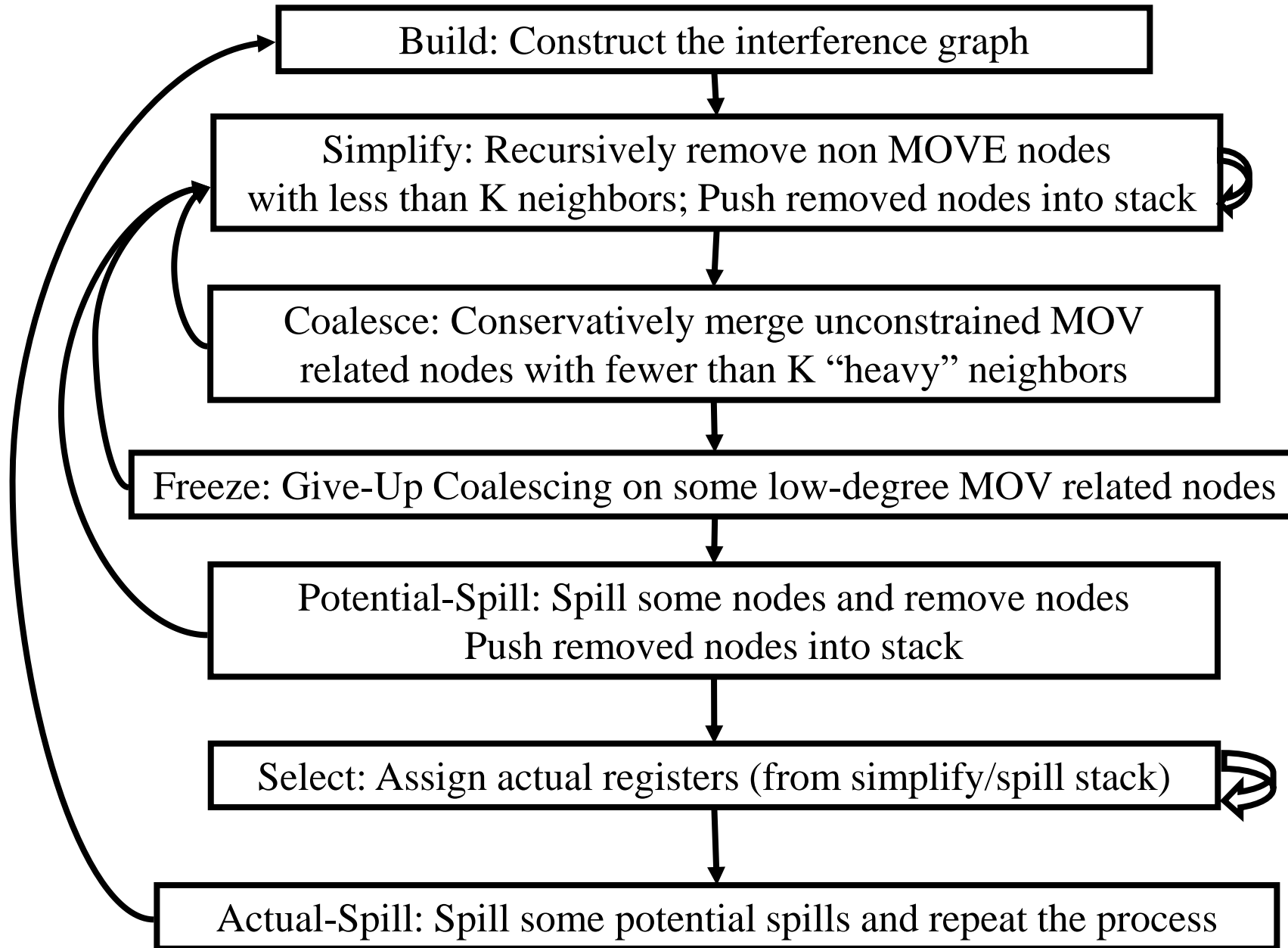
$X \leftarrow Y$ */* X, Y, Z */*

$Y \leftarrow Z$



- Constrained MOVs are not coalesced

Graph Coloring with Coalescing



Spilling

- Many heuristics exist
 - Maximal degree
 - Live-ranges
 - Number of uses in loops
- The whole process need to be repeated after an actual spill

Pre-Colored Nodes

- Some registers in the intermediate language are **pre-colored**:
 - correspond to real registers (stack-pointer, frame-pointer, parameters,)
- Cannot be Simplified, Coalesced, or Spilled (infinite degree)
- Interfered with each other
- But normal temporaries can be coalesced into pre-colored registers
- Register allocation is completed when all the nodes are pre-colored

enter:

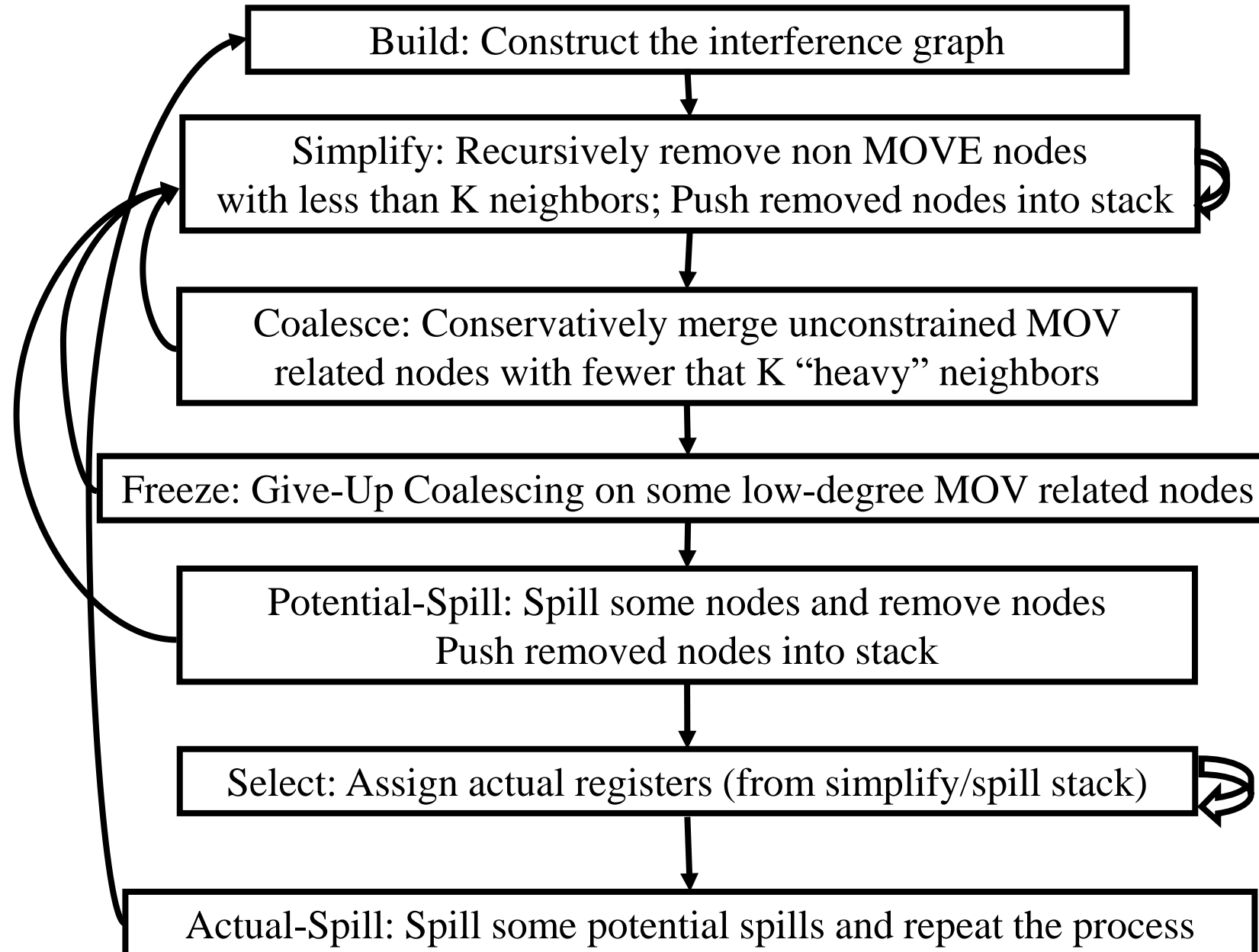
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c := r3    r1, r2  caller save
a := r1    r3      callee-save
b := r2
d := 0
e := a
```

loop:

```
d := d+b
e := e-1
if e>0 goto loop
r1 := d
r3 := c
```

```
return /* r1,r3 */
```

Graph Coloring with Coalescing



A Complete Example

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 r3 callee-save

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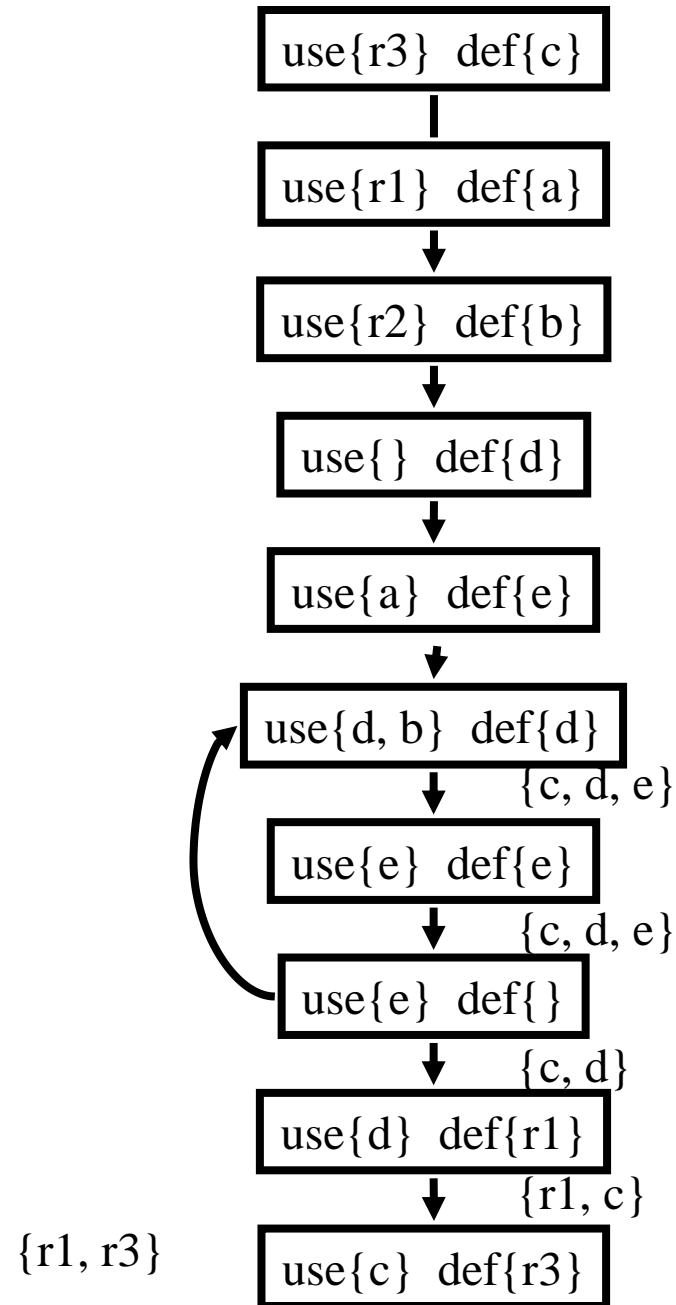
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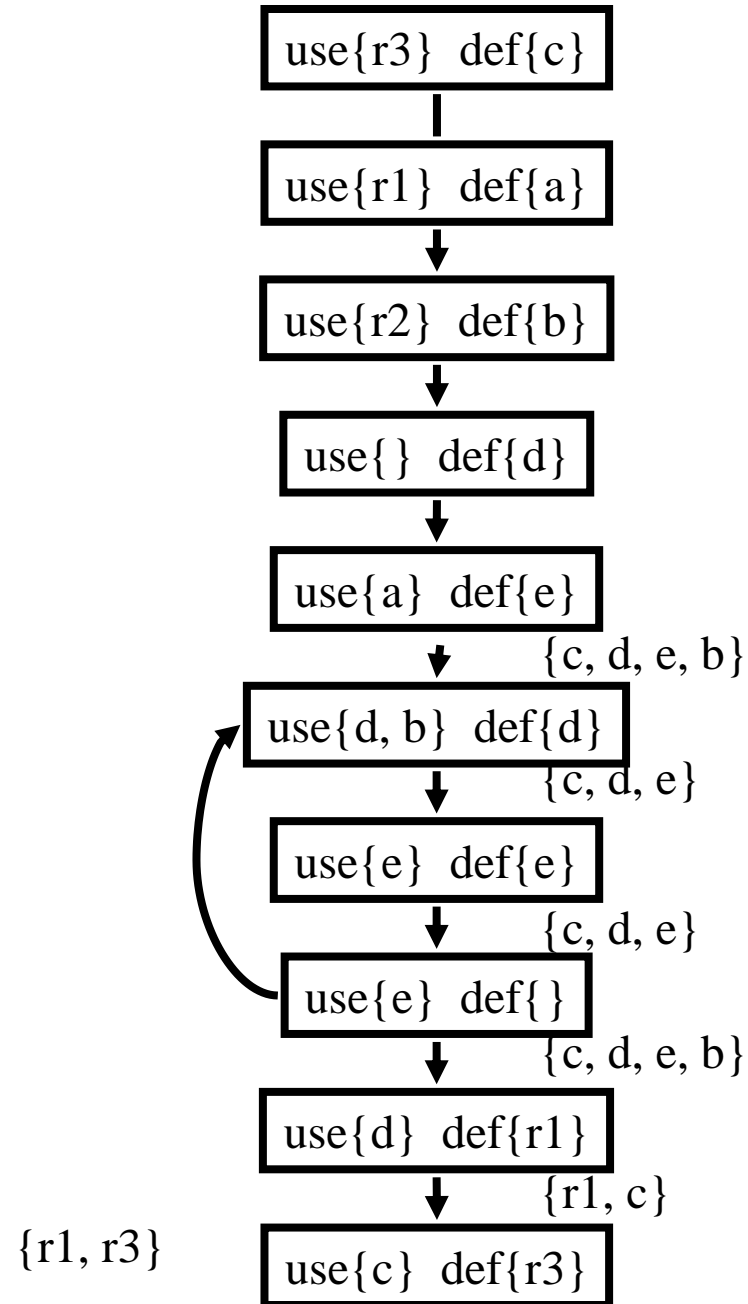
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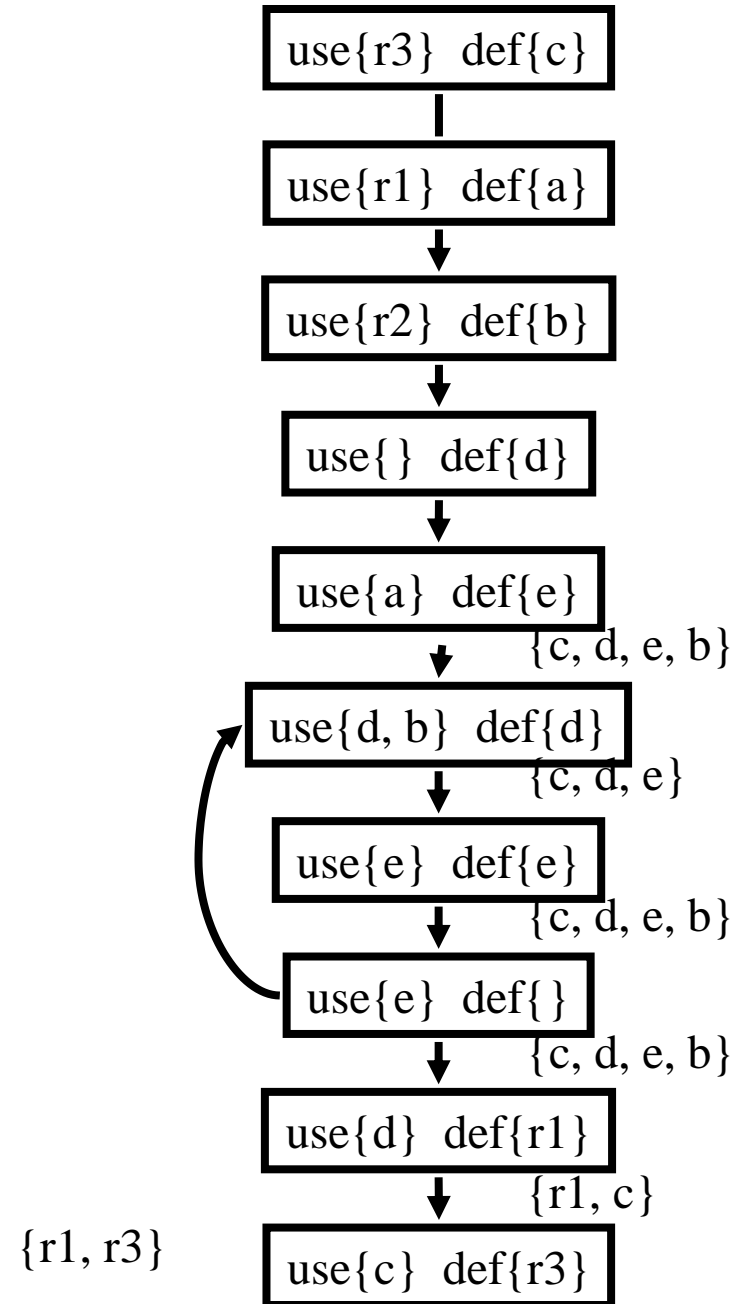
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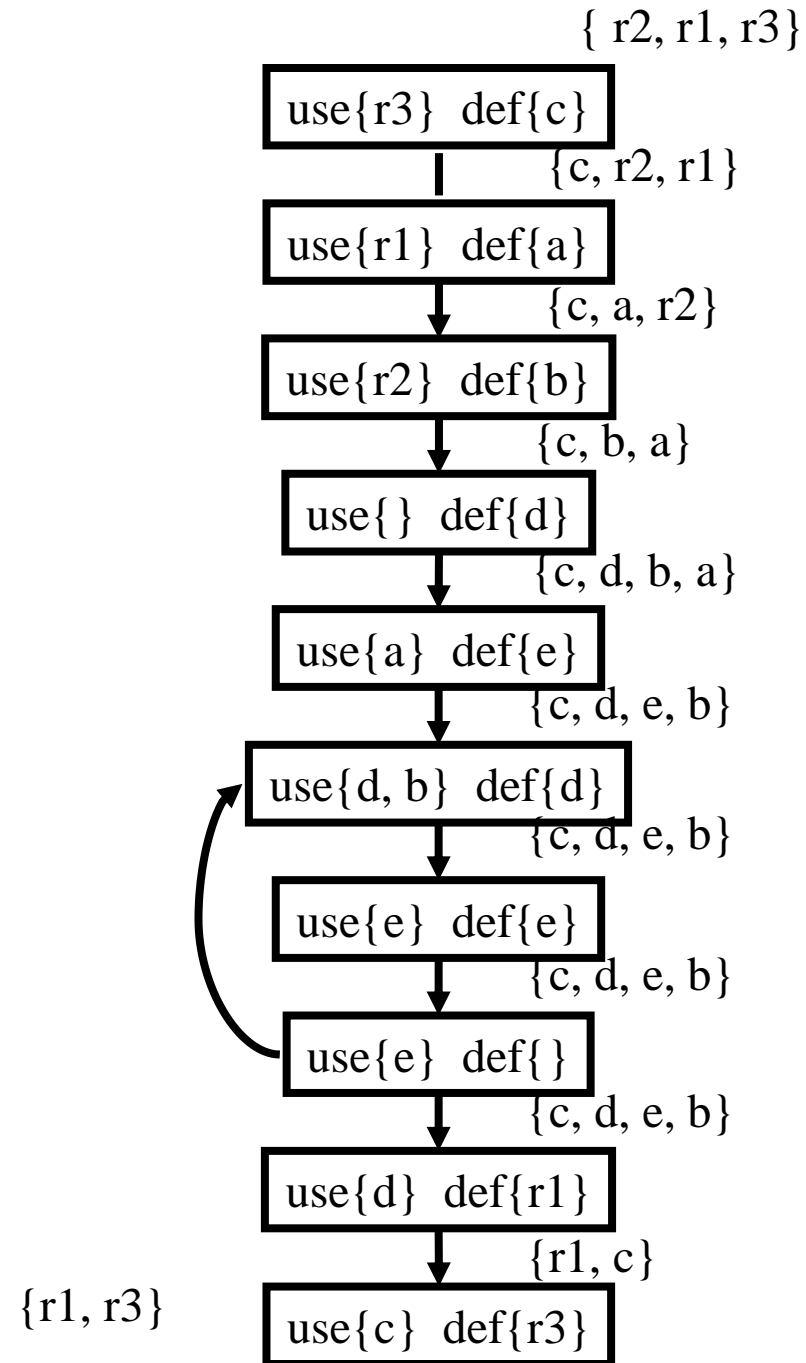
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Live Variables Results

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return /* r1,r3 */

enter: /* r2, r1, r3 */

c := r3 /* c, r2, r1 */

a := r1 /* a, c, r2 */

b := r2 /* a, c, b */

d := 0 /* a, c, b, d */

e := a /* e, c, b, d */

loop:

d := d+b /* e, c, b, d */

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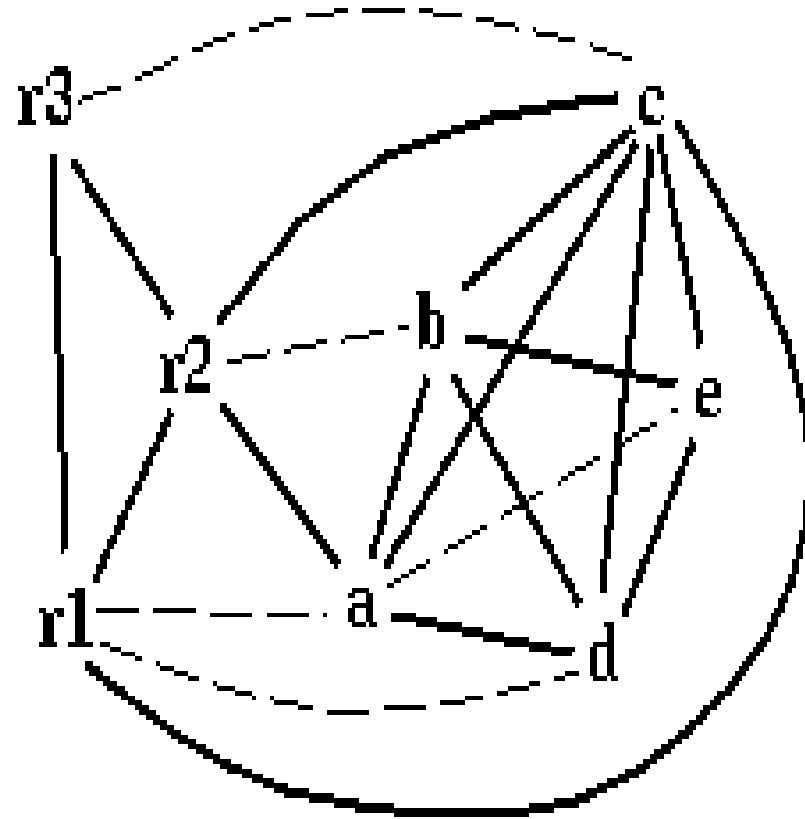
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$$\text{spill priority} = (\text{uo} + 10 \text{ui})/\text{deg}$$

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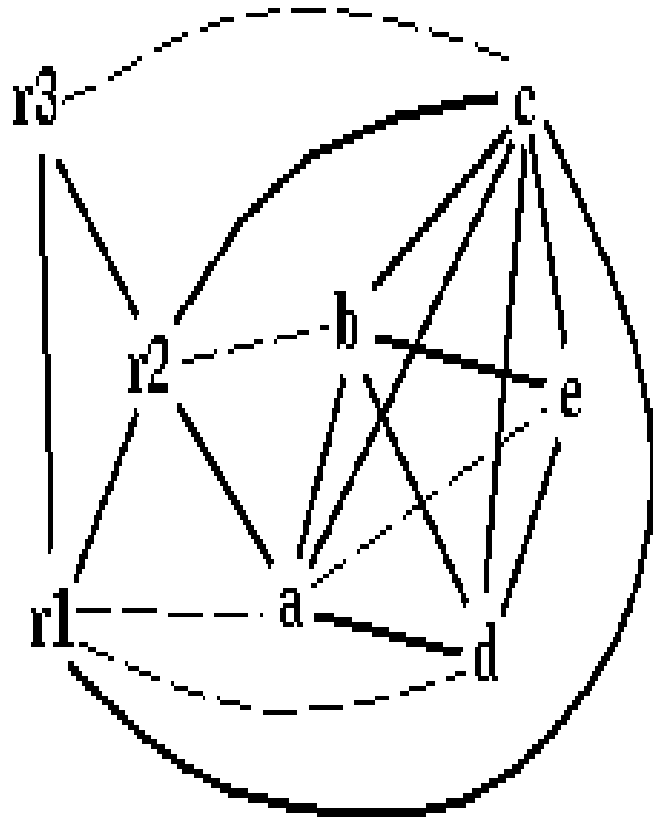
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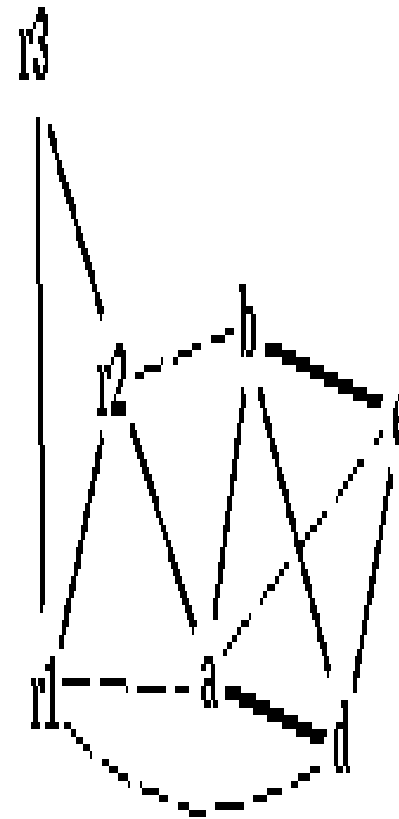
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	use+ def outside loop	use+ def within loop	deg	spill priority
a	2	0	4	0.5
b	1	1	4	2.75
c	2	0	6	0.33
d	2	2	4	5.5
e	1	3	3	10.3

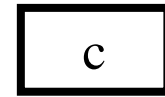
Spill C



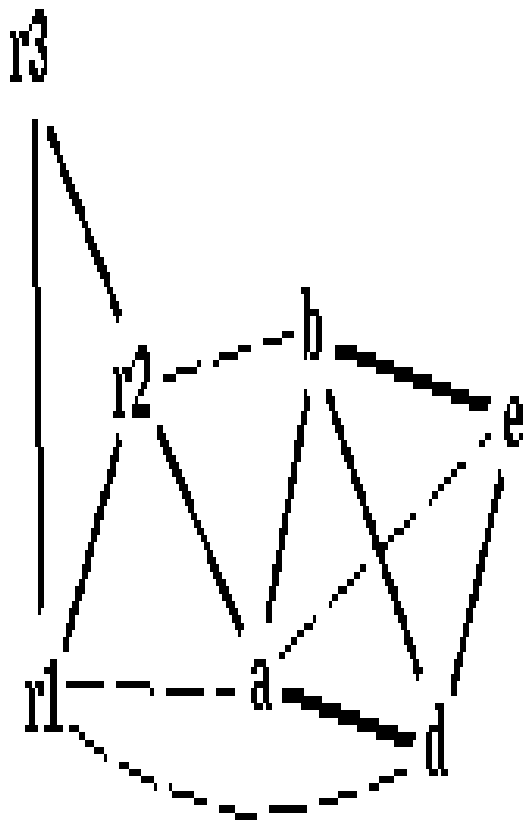
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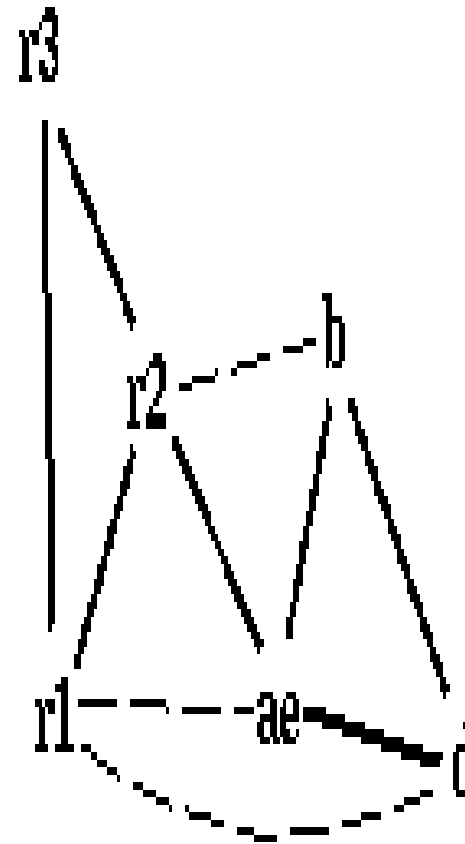
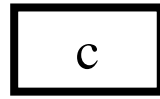
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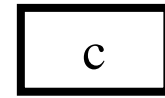
Coalescing $a+e$



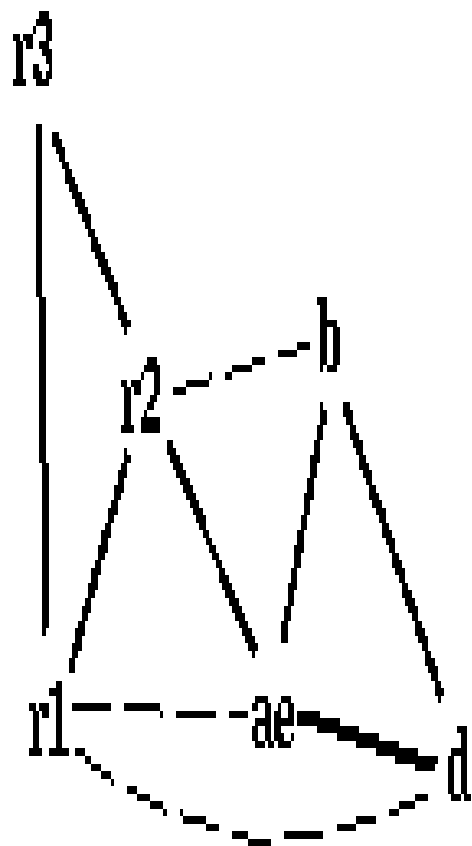
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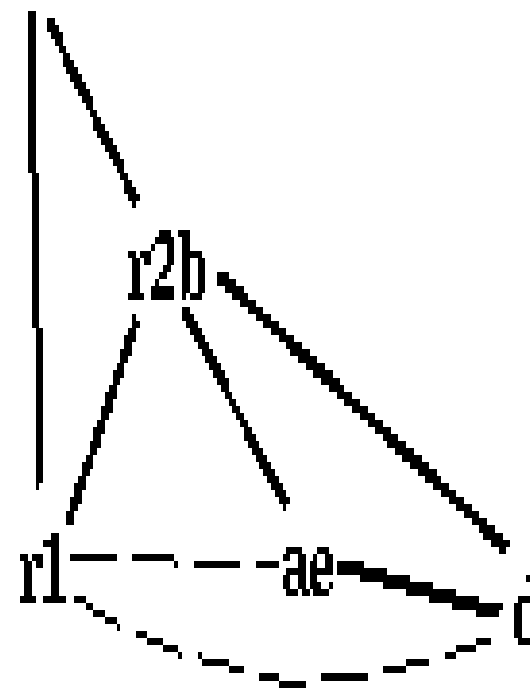
Coalescing $b+r2$



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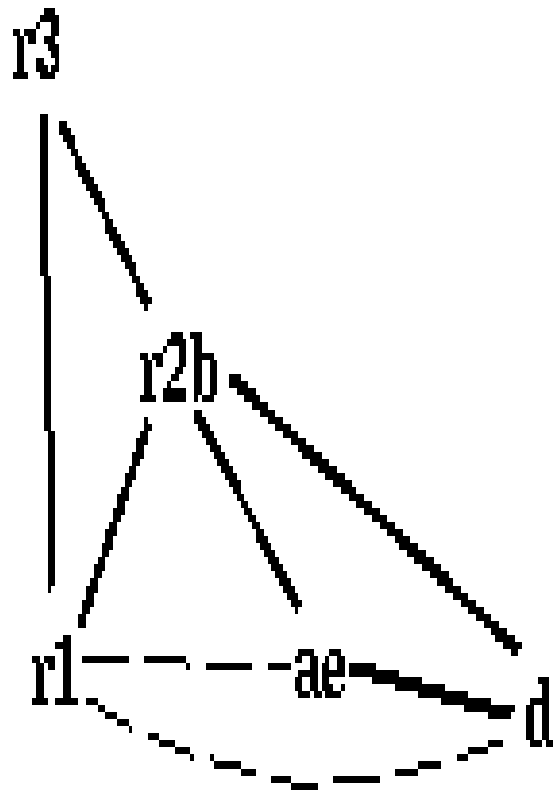
$r3$



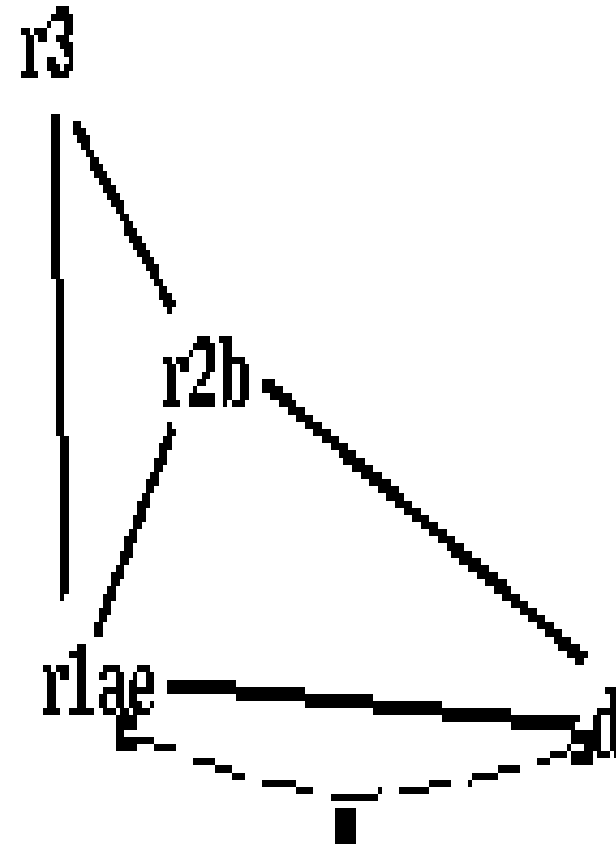
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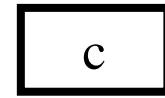
Coalescing $ae+r1$



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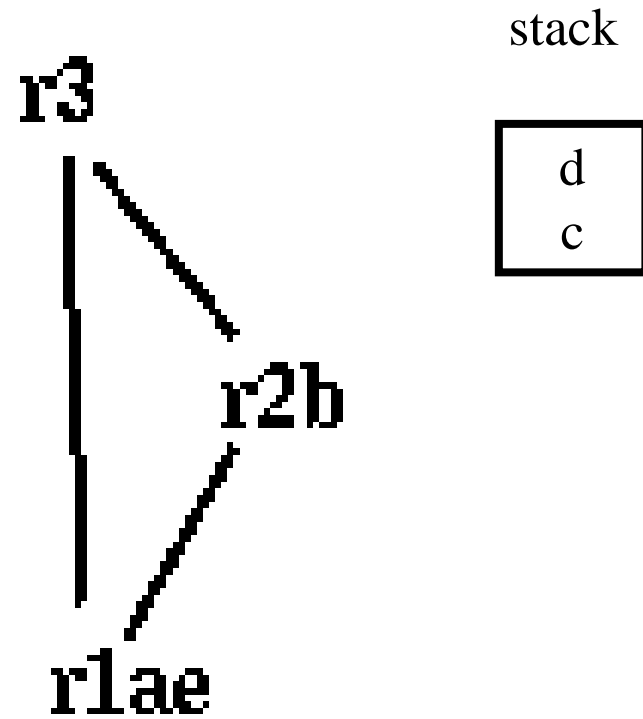
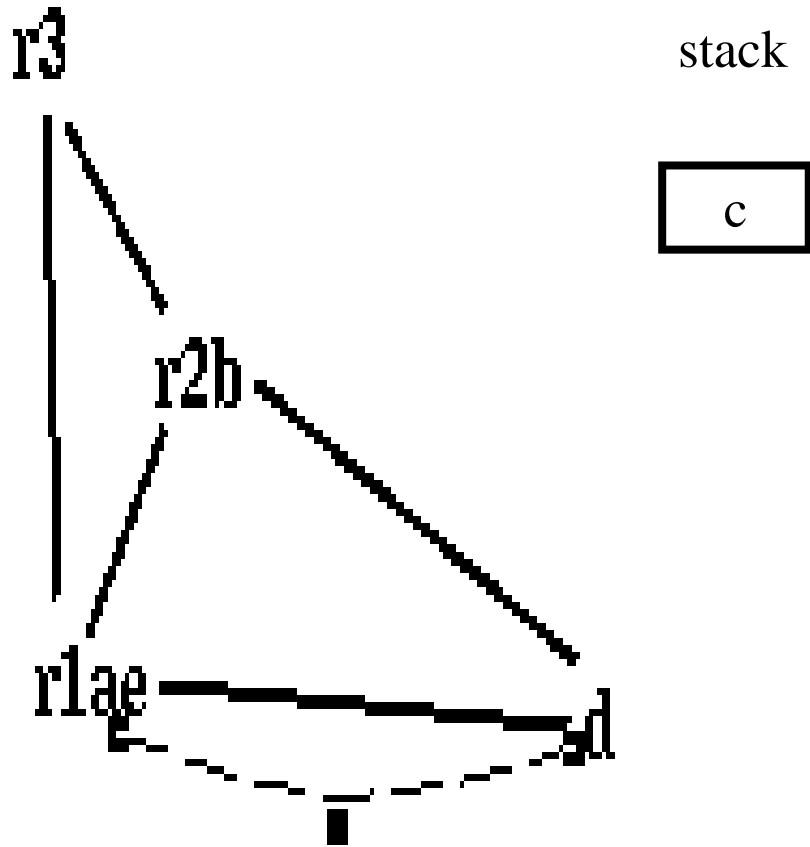


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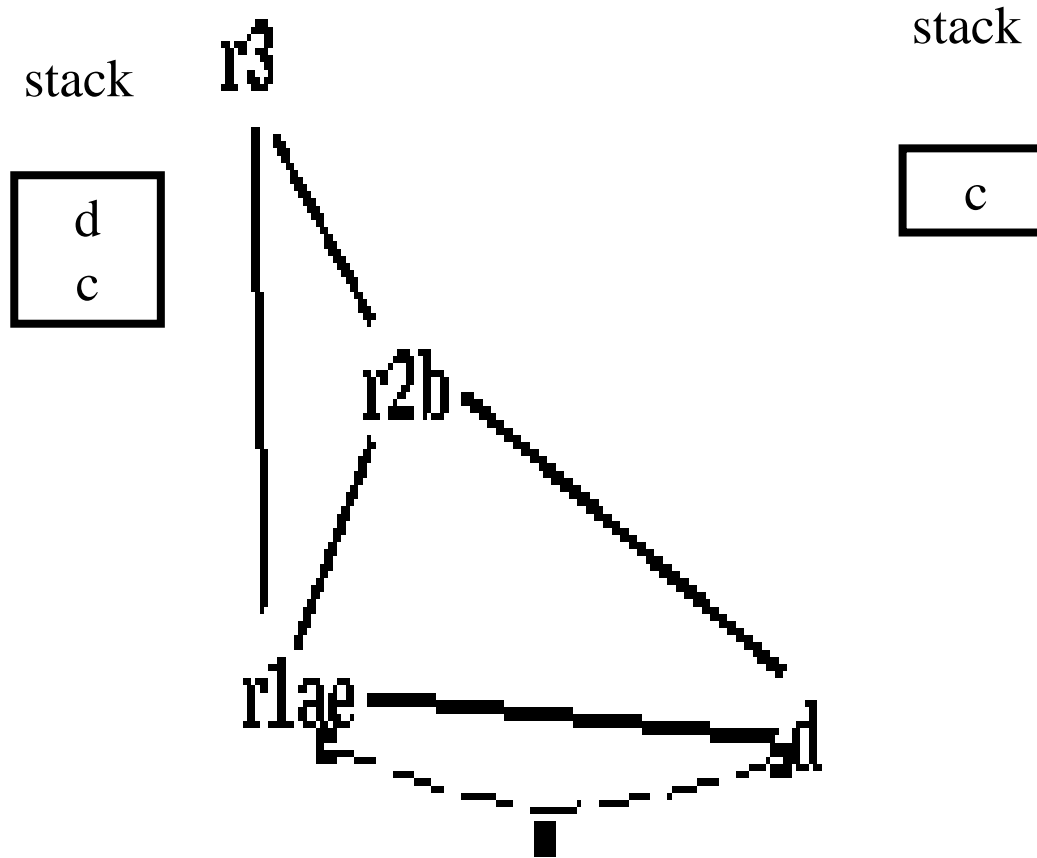
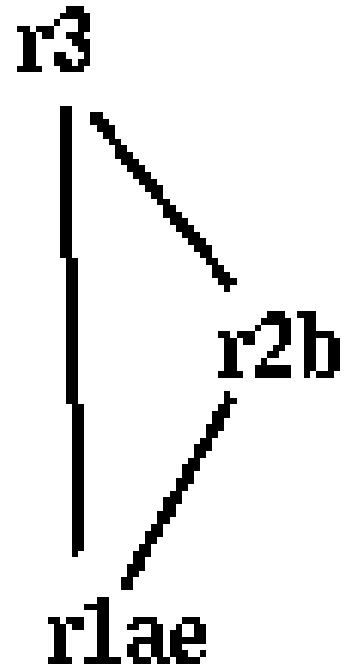


$r1ae$ and d are constrained

Simplifying d

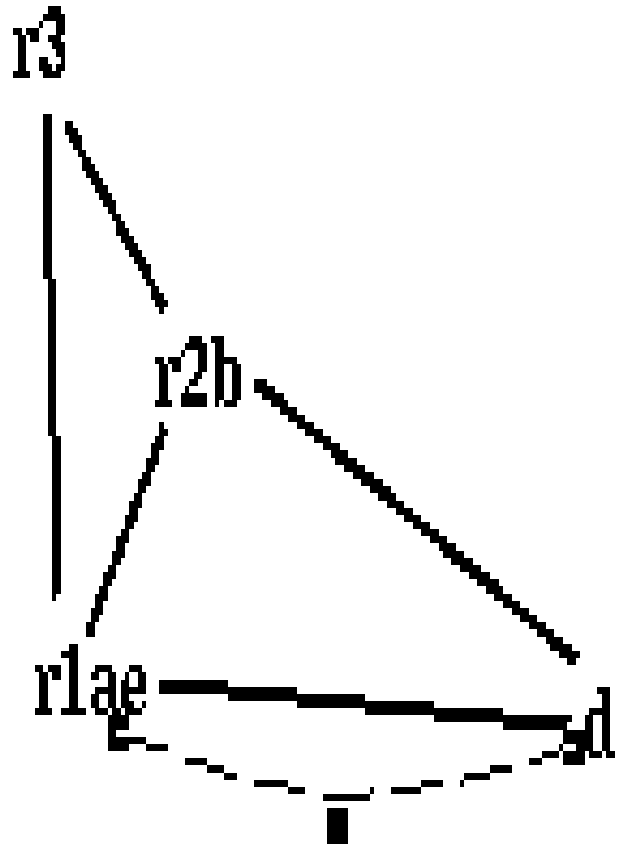


Pop *d*

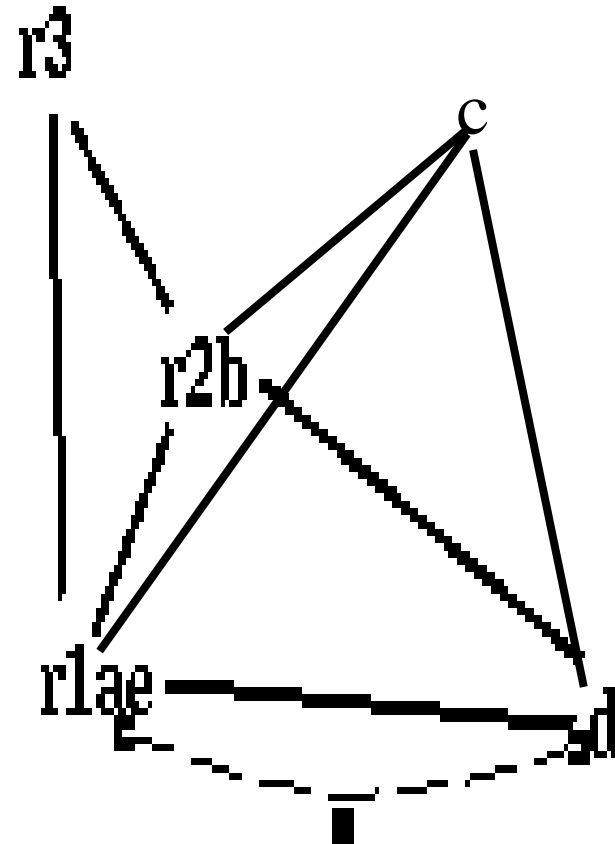


d is assigned to r3

Pop c



stack



stack



actual spill!

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                b := r2 /* a, c, b */
                d := 0  /* a, c, b, d */
                e := a  /* e, c, b, d */
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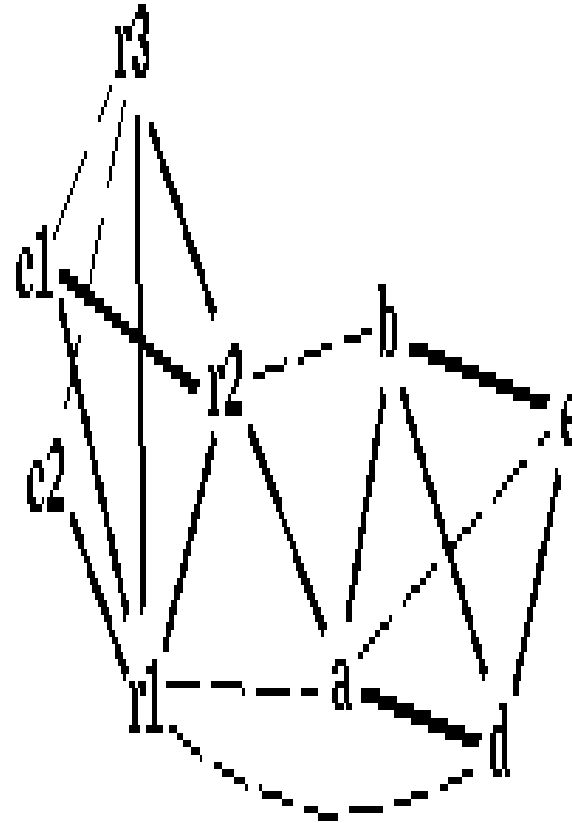
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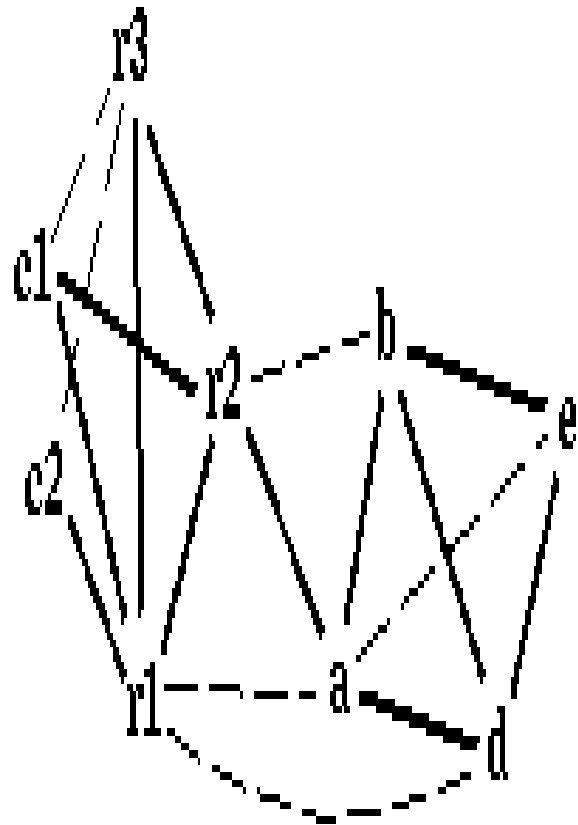
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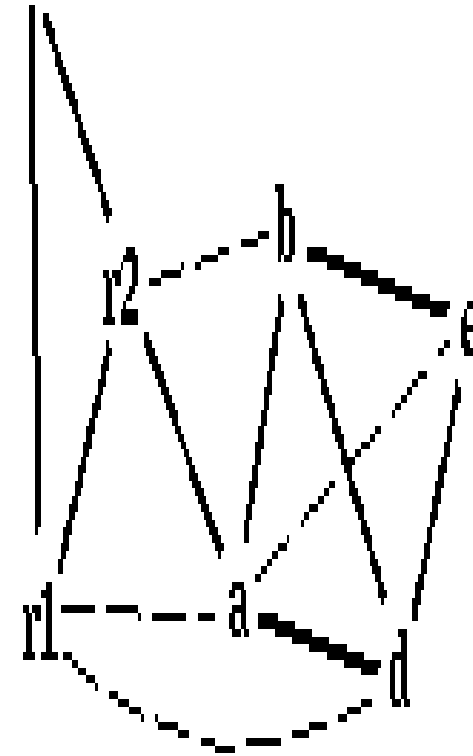
Coalescing $c1+r3$; $c2+c1r3$



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$r3c1c2$

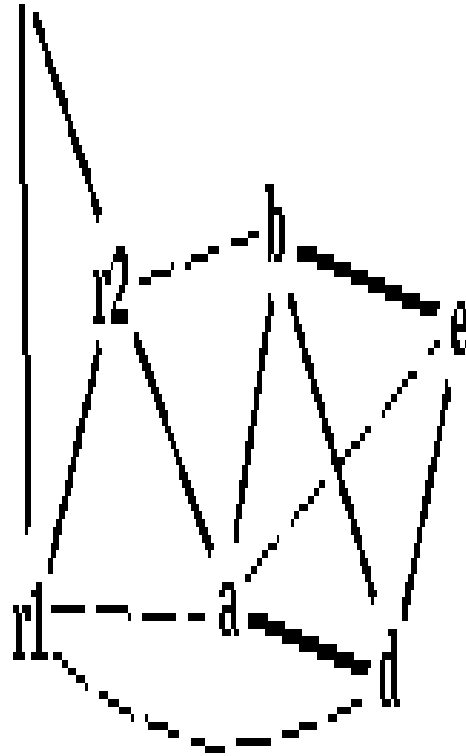


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Coalescing a+e; b+r2

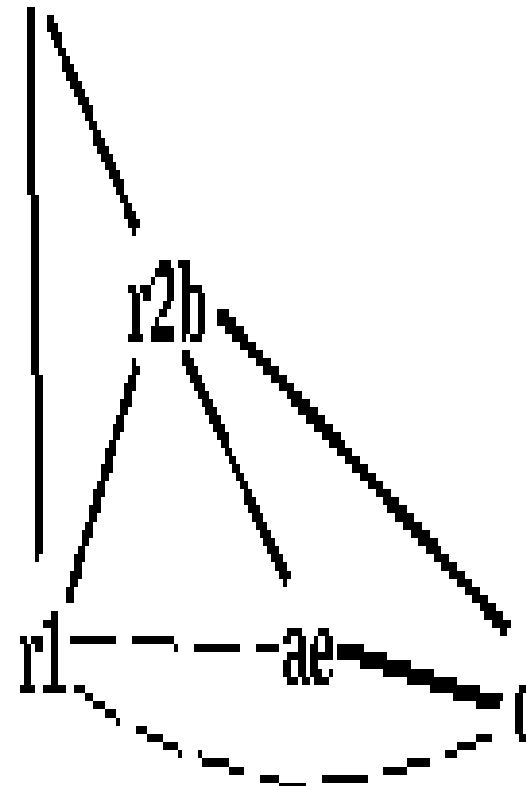
r3e1e2



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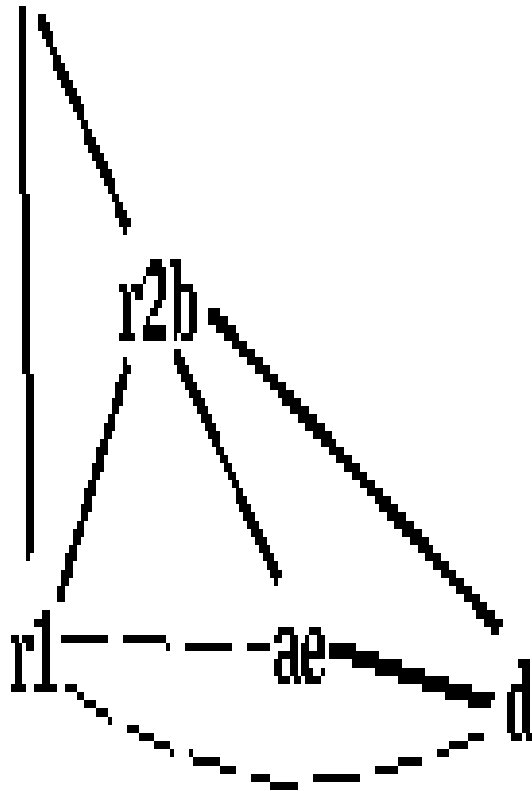


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Coalescing ae+r1

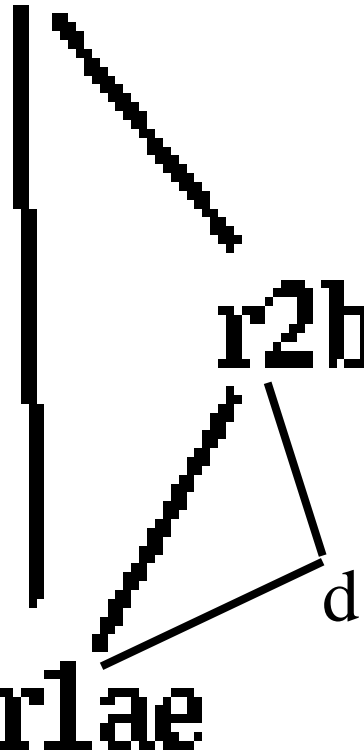
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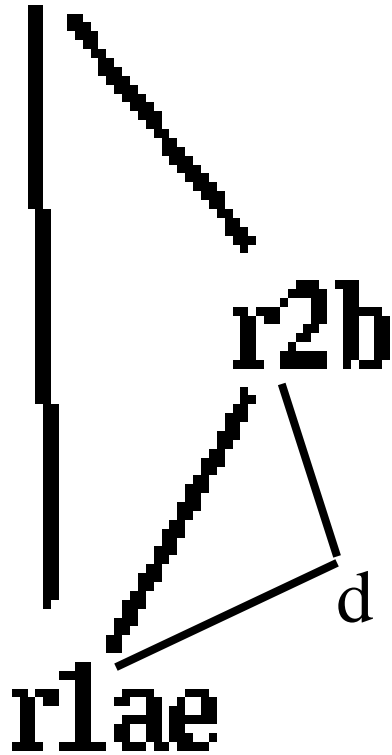


r1ae and **d** are constrained

Simplify d

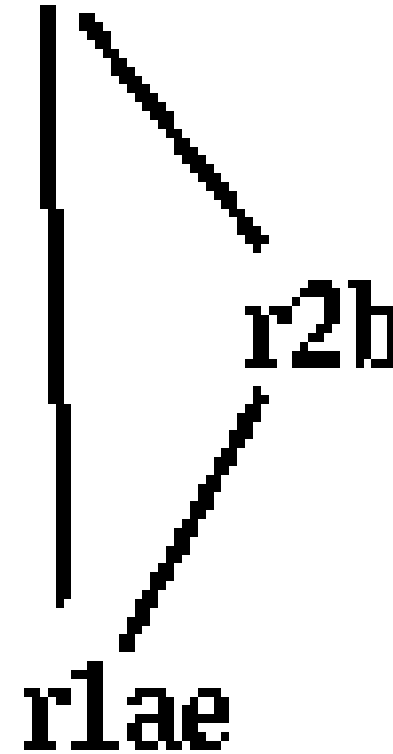
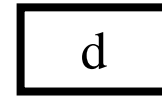
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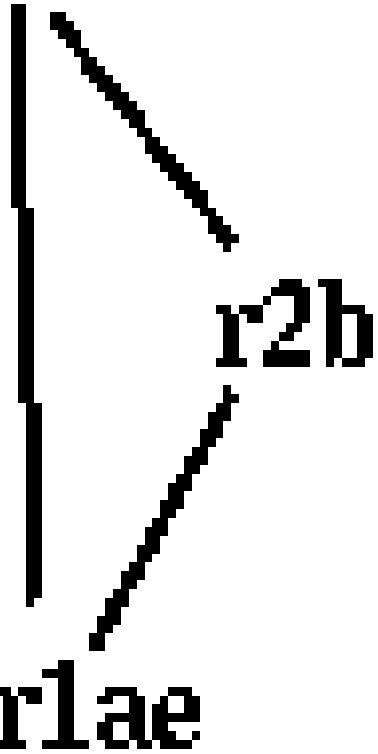
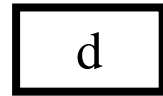
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Pop d

r3c1c2

stack



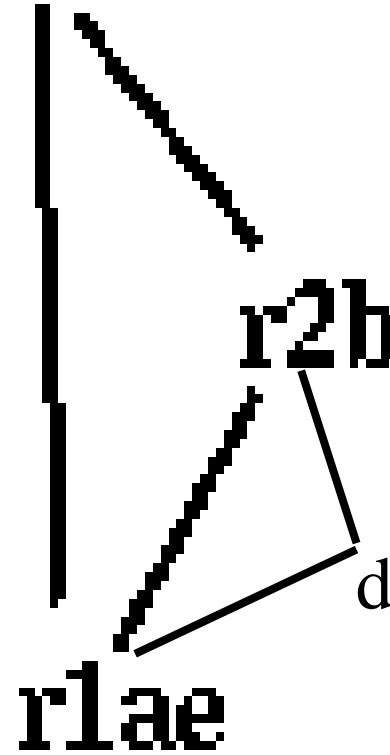
r3c1c2

stack



a
b
c1
c2
d
e

r1
r2
r3
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r1



enter:

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d := 0

e := a

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c1	r3
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d	r3
e	r1

loop:

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if e>0 goto loop

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r3 := c2

return /* r1,r3 */

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Interprocedural Allocation

- Allocate registers to multiple procedures
- Potential saving
 - caller/callee save registers
 - Parameter passing
 - Return values
- But may increase compilation cost
- Function inline can help

Summary (Register Allocation)

- Two Register Allocation Methods
 - Local of every expression tree
 - Simultaneous instruction selection and register allocation
 - Reorder computations
 - Optimal (under certain conditions)
 - Global of every function
 - Applied after instruction selection
 - Performs well for machines with many registers
 - Can handle instruction level parallelism
 - More symbolic names help
 - Simplifies the coloring problem
- Missing
 - Interprocedural allocation

Generating LLVM Code

Variable Declarations

- Allocate space in the stack or data
- Use symbolic registers

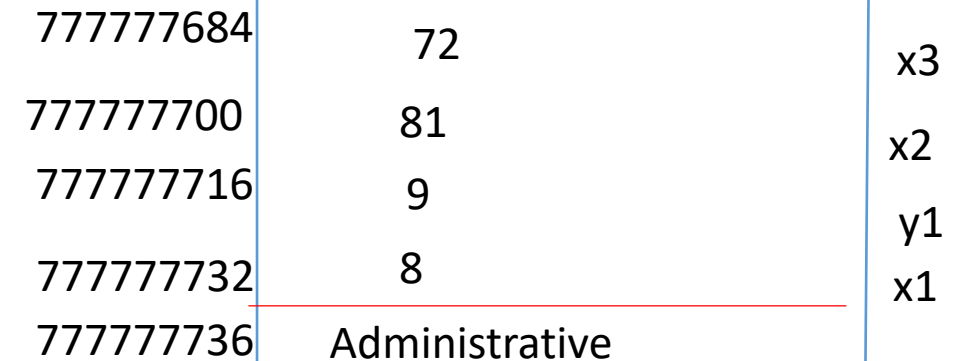
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int foo()
{
  int x;
  static int y=7;
  int z =5;
  x = y + z;
  return x;
}
```

```
@foo.y = interal global i32 7, align 4
define i32 @foo() #0 {
  %1 = alloca i32, align 4
  %2 = alloca i32, align 4
  store i32 5, i32* %2, align 4
  %3 = load i32, i32* @foo.y, align 4
  %4 = load i32, i32* %2, align 4
  %5 = add nsw i32 %3, %4
  store i32 %5, i32* %1, align 4
  %6 = load i32, i32* %1, align 4
  ret i32 %6
}
```

Code Blocks

- Programming languages provide code blocks

```
void foo()  
{  
  int x = 8 ; y=9;//1  
  { int x = y * y ;//2 }  
  { int x = y * 7 ;//3}  
    x = y + 1;  
}
```



L-values vs. R-values

- Assignment $x := \text{exp}$ is compiled into:
 - Compute the **address** of x
 - Compute the **value** of exp
 - Store the value of exp into the address of x
- Generalization
 - R-value
 - Maps program expressions into values
 - L-value
 - Maps program expressions into locations
 - Not always defined
 - Java has no small L-values

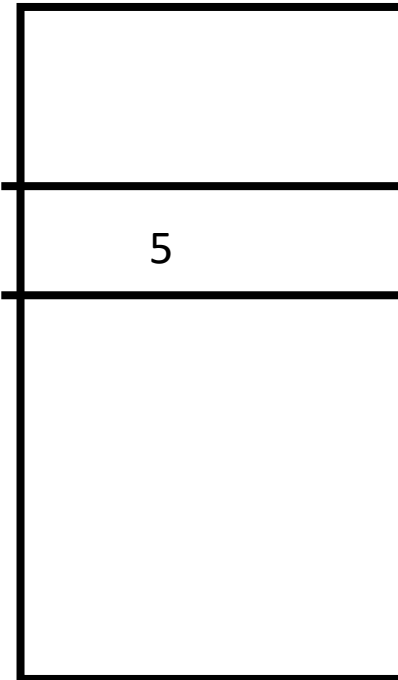
A Simple Example

```
int x = 5;
```

```
x = x + 1;
```

Runtime memory

17



A Simple Example

```
int x = 5;
```

```
lvalue(x)=17, rvalue(x) =5
```

```
lvalue(5)=⊥, rvalue(5)=5
```

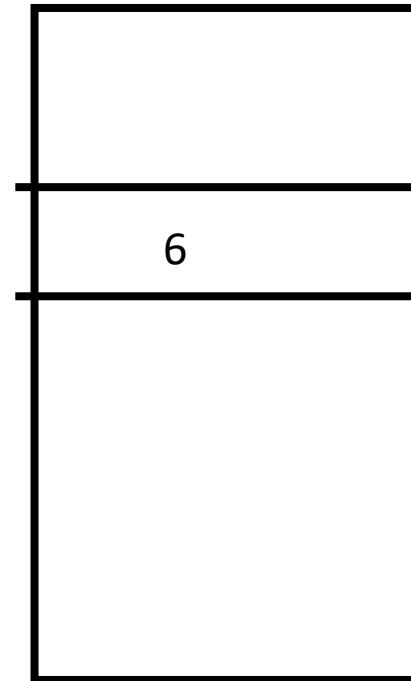
```
  x = x + 1;
```

```
lvalue(x)=17, rvalue(x) =6
```

```
lvalue(5)=⊥, rvalue(5)=5
```

Runtime memory

17



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Partial rules for Lvalue in C

- Type of e is pointer to T
- Type of e1 is integer
- lvalue(e2) ≠ undefined

```
{ int a[100];  
*(a + 5) = 8;  
}
```

exp	lvalue	rvalue
id	location(id)	content(location(id))
const	undefined	value(const)
*e	rvalue(e)	content(rvalue(e))
&e2	undefined	lvalue(e2)
e + e1	undefined	rvalue(e)+sizeof(T)*rvalue(e1)

Parameter passing

- Pass-by-reference
 - Place L-value (address) in activation record
 - Function can assign to variable that is passed
- Pass-by-value
 - Place R-value (contents) in activation record
 - Function cannot change value of caller's variable
 - Reduces aliasing (alias: two names refer to same loc)

Prolog Code Generation

- Store L-values of automatic variables in symbolic registers
- Initialize automatic variables

```
int foo()
{
int x;
static int y=7;
int z =5;
x = y + z;
return x;
}
```

```
@foo.y = interal global i32 7, align 4
define i32 @foo() #0 {
  %1 = alloca i32, align 4
  %2 = alloca i32, align 4
  store i32 5, i32* %2, align 4
  %3 = load i32, i32* @foo.y, align 4
  %4 = load i32, i32* %2, align 4
  %5 = add nsw i32 %3, %4
  store i32 %5, i32* %1, align 4
  %6 = load i32, i32* %1, align 4
  ret i32 %6
}
```

Generating Code to Compute R-values

- Recursively traverse the tree
- Load R-values of variables and constants into new symbolic register
- Store each subtree into a new symbolic registers

Pseudocode R -Value

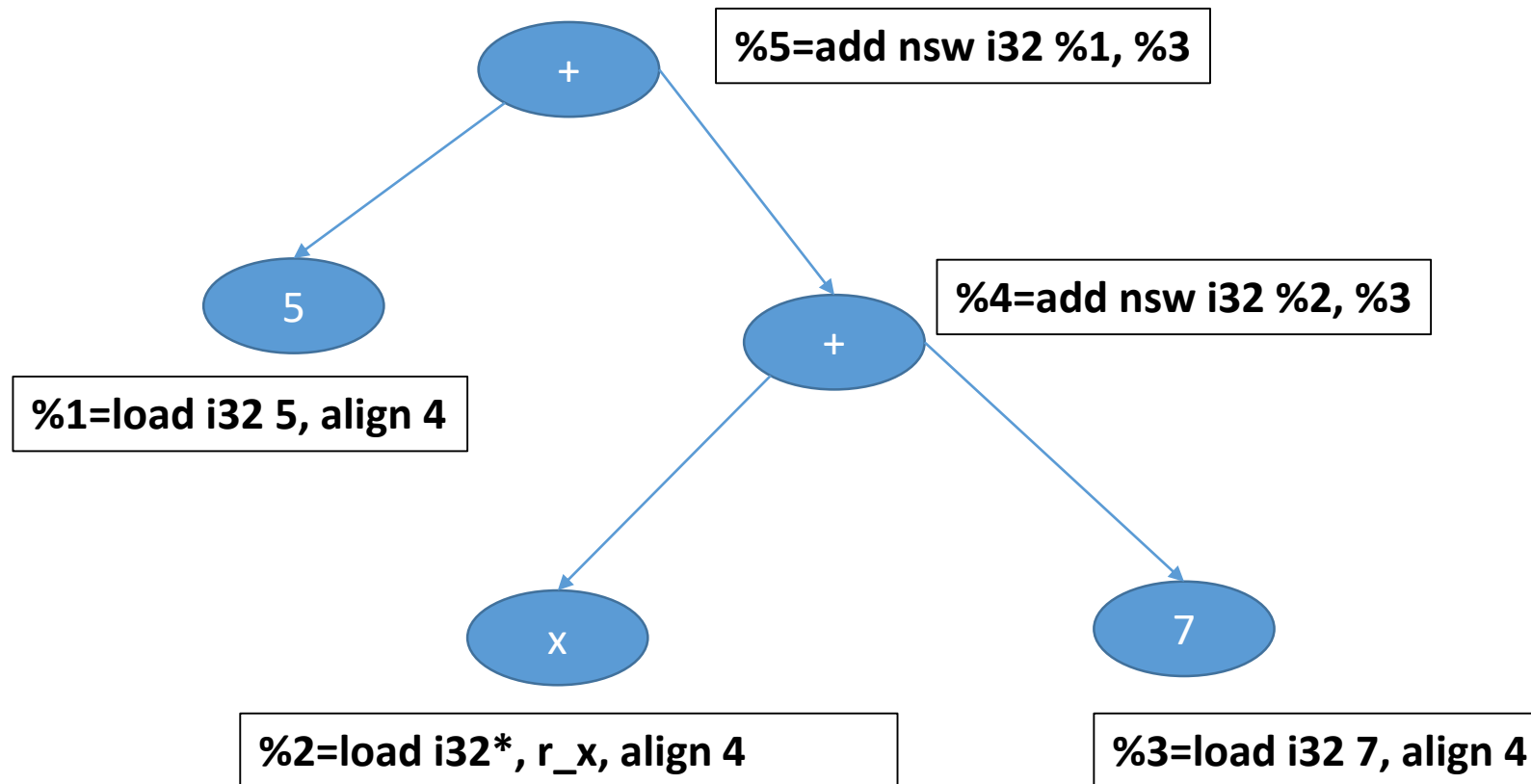
```
register rvalue(e: expression) {
new: register = newRegister()
switch e {
  case number(n: integer):
    { emit(%new = load i32 n, align 4)    }
  case localVariable(v: symbol): {
    r: register = registerOf(v)
    emit(%new= load i32* r, align 4)    }
  case e1: expression PLUS e2: expression: {
    l: register = rvalue(e1) // Generate code for lhs into l
    r: register = rvalue(e2) // Generate code for rhs into r
    emit(%new = add nsw i32 l, r)
  }
}
return new;
}
```

Simple Example

```
int foo()
{
  int x;
  static int y=7;
  int z =5;
  x = y + z;
  return x;
}
```

```
@foo.y = intenal global i32 7, align 4
define i32 @foo() #0 {
  %1 = alloca i32, align 4
  %2 = alloca i32, align 4
  store i32 5, i32* %2, align 4
  %3 = load i32, i32* @foo.y, align 4
  %4 = load i32, i32* %2, align 4
  %5 = add nsw i32 %3, %4
  store i32 %5, i32* %1, align 4
  %6 = load i32, i32* %1, align 4
  ret i32 %6
}
```

Example Compilation



Generating Code to Compute L-values

- Recursively traverse the tree
- Load L-values into new symbolic register
- Store each subtree into a new symbolic registers

Pseudocode L-Value (partial)

```
register lvalue(e: expression) {  
  switch e: {  
    case number(n: integer):  
      { exit("internal error no L-value"); }  
    case localVariable(v: symbol): {  
      r: register = registerOf(v)  
      return r ; }  
    case deref(de: expression): {  
      return ?  
    }  
  }  
}
```

Pseudocode L-Value (partial)

```
register lvalue(e: expression) {  
  switch e: {  
    case number(n: integer):  
      { exit("internal error no L-value"); }  
    case localVariable(v: symbol): {  
      r: register = registerOf(v)  
      return r ; }  
    case deref(de: expression): {  
      return rvalue(de)  
    }  
    ....  
  }  
}
```


Assignments

- Compute L value of LHS into a register
- Compute R value of RHS into a register
- Store result

```
assign(le: expression, re: expression) {  
l: register = lvalue(le);  
r: register = rvalue(re);  
emit(store i32 r, i32* l, align 4);  
}
```

Simple Example

```
int foo()
{
  int x;
  static int y=7;
  int z =5;
  x = y + z;
  return x;
}
```

rvalue(x+y)

```
@foo.y = intenal global i32 7, align 4
define i32 @foo() #0 {
  %1 = alloca i32, align 4
  %2 = alloca i32, align 4
  store i32 5, i32* %2, align 4
  %3 = load i32, i32* @foo.y, align 4
  %4 = load i32, i32* %2, align 4
  %5 = add nsw i32 %3, %4
  store i32 %5, i32* %1, align 4
  %6 = load i32, i32* %1, align 4
  ret i32 %6
}
```

Code Generation for Control Flow

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Motivating Example

```
void foo(int x) {  
    if (!(!(x >7) || (x <=9))) {  
        x = 5;  
    }  
}
```

```
define void @foo(i32) #0 {  
    %2 = alloca i32, align 4  
    store i32 %0, i32* %2, align 4  
    %3 = load i32, i32* %2, align 4  
    %4 = icmp sgt i32 %3, 7  
    br i1 %4, label %5, label %9  
; <label>:5:                                ; preds = %1  
    %6 = load i32, i32* %2, align 4  
    %7 = icmp sle i32 %6, 9  
    br i1 %7, label %9, label %8  
; <label>:8:                                ; preds = %5  
    store i32 5, i32* %2, align 4  
    br label %9  
; <label>:9:                                ; preds = %8, %5,  
%1  
    ret void  
}
```

Boolean Expressions

- In principle behave like arithmetic expressions
- But are treated specially
 - Different machine instructions
 - Used in control flow instructions
 - Shortcut computations
 - Negations can be performed at compile-time

if (a < b) goto l

Code for $a < b$ yielding a condition value

Conversion condition value into Boolean

Conversion from Boolean in condition value

Jump to l on condition value

Location vs. Value Computation

- Option 1: The value of expression is stored in a designated location or register
- Option 2: If $e = N$ to v then the code will reach a location l
 - If the value of e is true then the program will reach l
 - If the value of e is true then the program will reach l
 - used for Booleans

Shortcut computations

- Languages such as C define shortcut computation rules for Boolean
- Incorrect translation of $e1 \ \&\& \ e2$

Code to compute $e1$ in $loc1$

Code to compute $e2$ in $loc2$

Code for $\&\&$ operator on $loc1$ and $loc2$

Location Computation

- The result of a Boolean expression is pair of locations in the generated code
 - The **true** location corresponds to the target instruction when the condition holds
 - The **false** location corresponds to the target instruction when the condition does not hold

Code for $e1 \ \&\& \ e2$

Code for $e1$ into $r1$

if $r1$ then goto L11
br L12

true- $e1$

false- $e1$

L11:

Code for $e2$ into $r2$

if $r2$ then goto L21
br L22

true- $e2$

false- $e2$

L21: true- $e1 \ \&\& \ e2$

L12:

L22: false- $e1 \ \&\& \ e2$

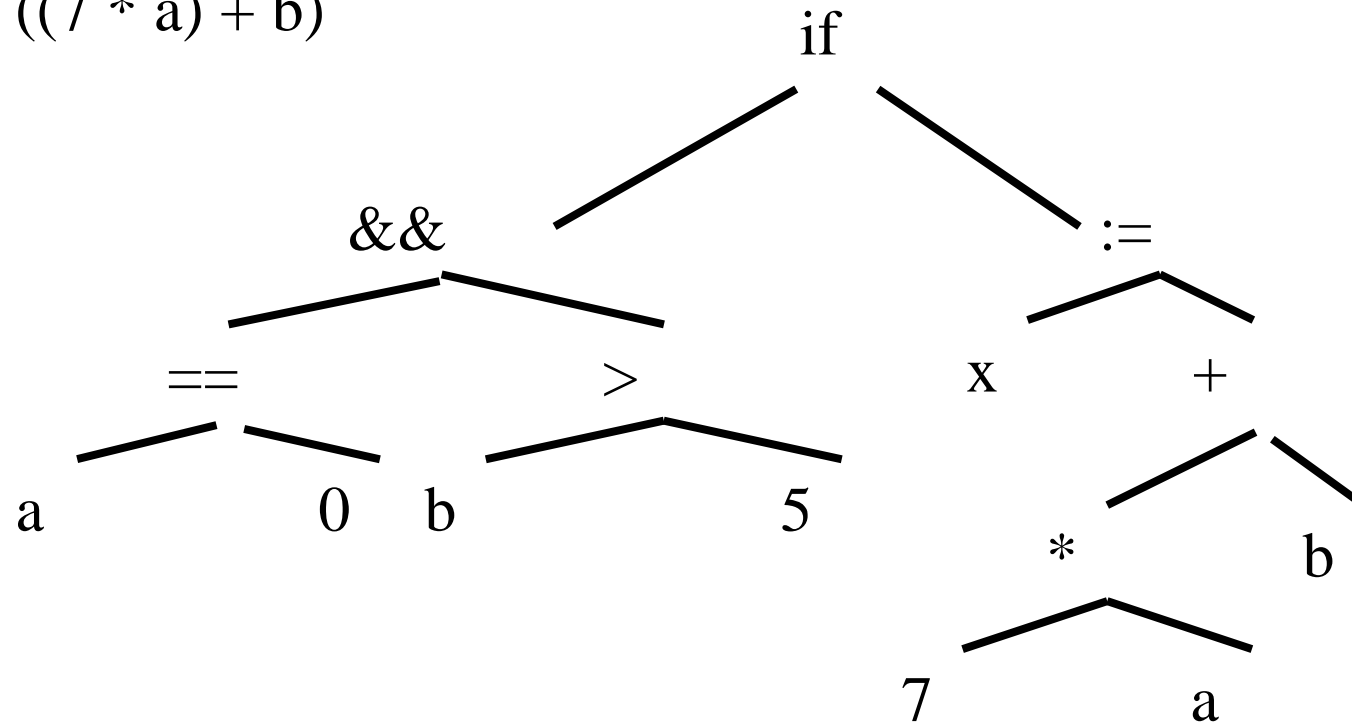
Code for Booleans (Location Computation)

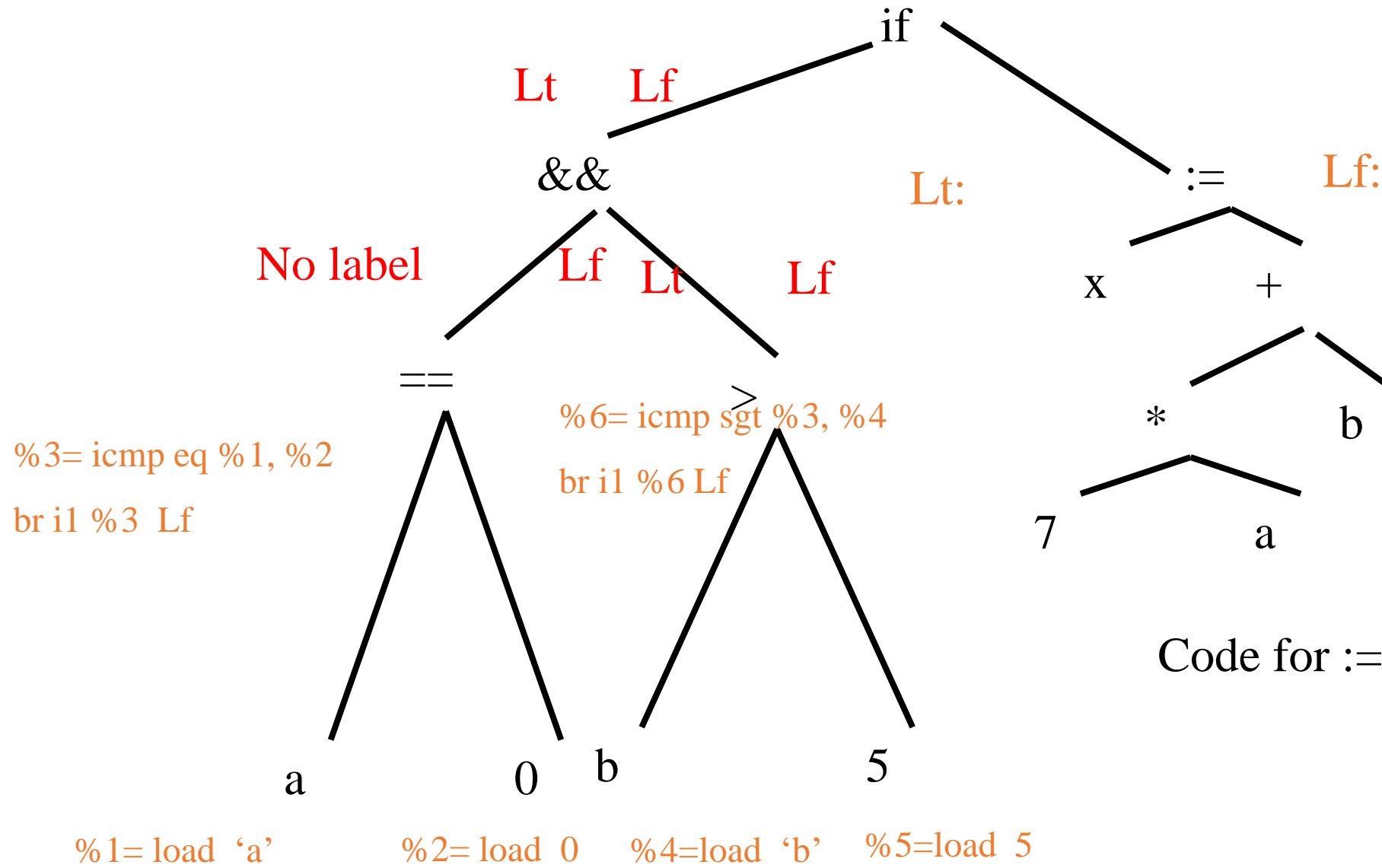
- Top-Down tree traversal
- Generate code sequences instructions
- Jump to a designated 'true' label when the Boolean expression evaluates to 1
- Jump to a designated 'false' label when the Boolean expression evaluates to 0
- The true and the false labels are passed as parameters

Example

if ((a==0) && (b > 5))

x = ((7 * a) + b)





Location Computation for Booleans

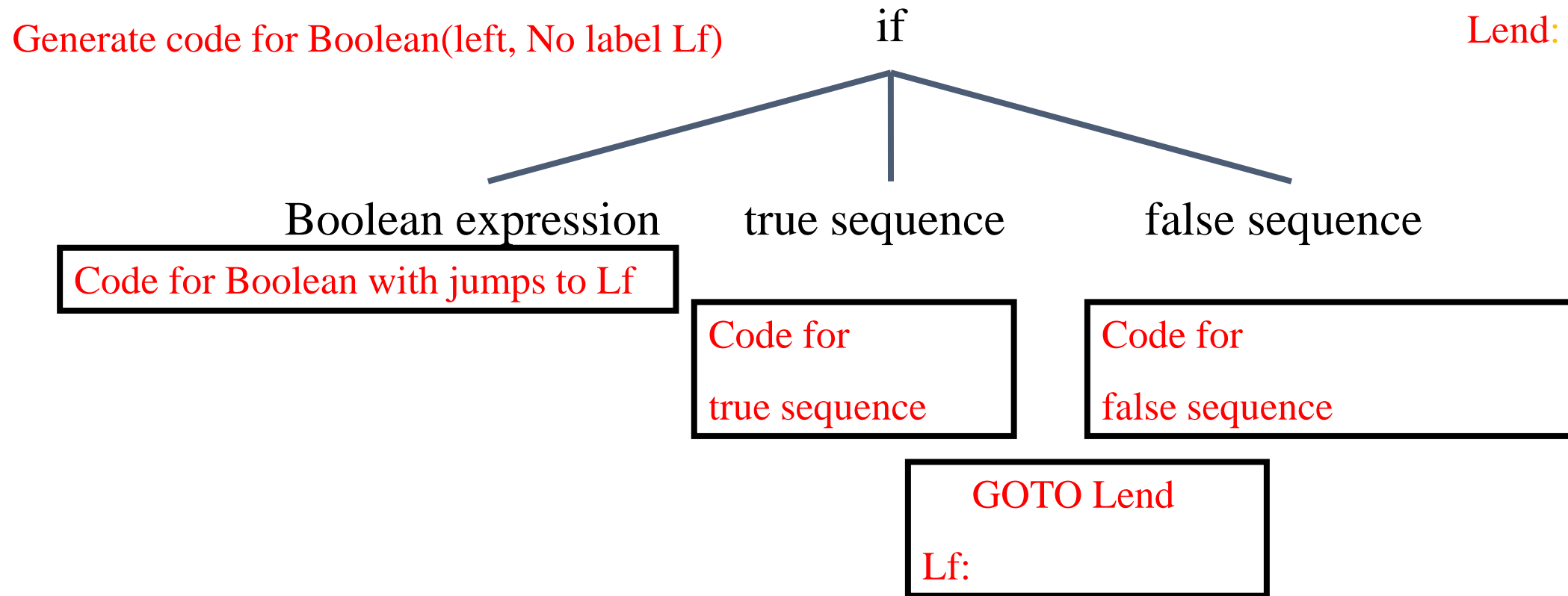
```
void location_value(e: expression, t: label, f: label) {
switch e {
  case e1: expression GT e2: expression: {
    l: register = rvalue(e1) // Generate code for lhs into l
    r: register = rvalue(e2) // Generate code for rhs into r
    if (t != no-label) {
      n: register = newRegister()
      emit(n= icmp gt i32 l, r); emit(br i1, n, t)
      if (f != no-label) {
        emit(br f)
      }
    }
    else if (f != no-label) {
      emit(icmp le i32 l, r, t)
    }
  } // similar for other relational operators
  case e1:expression LazyAnd e2:expression: { }
  case e1:expression LazyOr e2: expression: {}
  case not e1: expression: {}
}
```

Location Computation for Booleans(2)

```
void location_value(e: expression, t: label, f: label) {  
  switch e {  
    ...  
    case e1:expression LazyAnd e2:expression: {  
      locationValue(e1, no-label, f)  
      locationValue(e2, t, f)  
    }  
    case e1:expression LazyOr e2: expression: {  
      locationValue(e1, t, no-label)  
      locationValue(e2, t, f)  
    }  
    case not e1: expression:  
      locationValue(e1, f, t)
```

Code generation for IF

Allocate two new labels Lf, Lend



Code generation for IF (no-else)

Allocate new label Lend

Lend:

Generate code for Boolean(left, no-label, Lend)

if

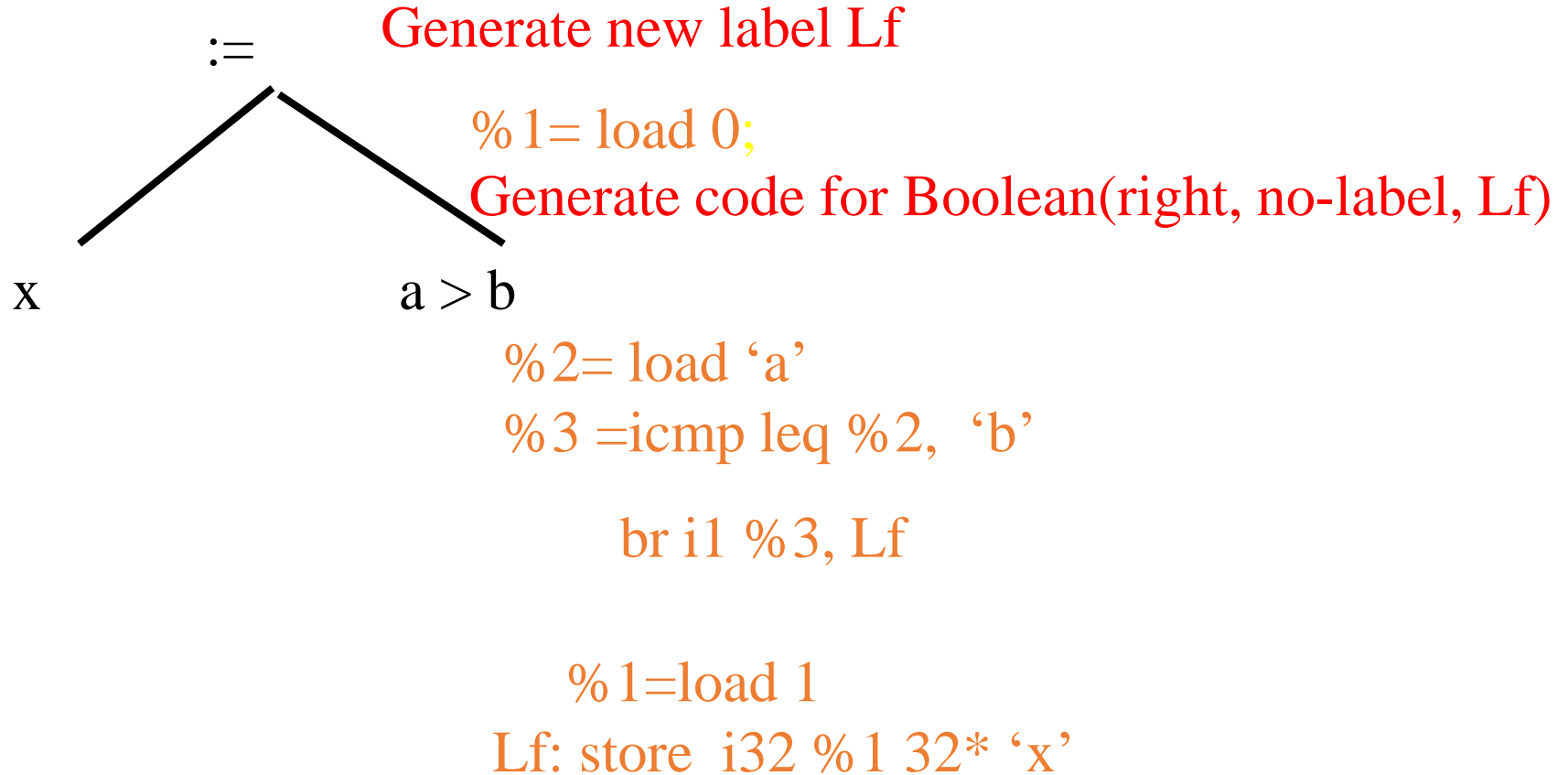
Boolean expression

true sequence

Code for Boolean with jumps to Lend

Code for
true sequence

Coercions into value computations



Effects on performance

- Number of executed instructions
- Unconditional vs. conditional branches
- Instruction cache
- Branch prediction
- Target look-ahead

Code for case statements

- Three possibilities
 - Sequence of IFs
 - $O(n)$ comparisons
 - Jump table
 - $O(1)$ comparisons
 - Balanced binary tree
 - $O(\log n)$ comparisons
- Performance depends on n
- Need to handle runtime errors

Simple Translation

```
tmp_case_value := case expression;  
IF tmp_case_value = l1 THEN GOTO label_1;  
IF tmp_case_value = l2 THEN GOTO label_2;  
...  
IF tmp_case_value = ln THEN GOTO label_n;  
GOTO label_else; // or insert the code at label else
```

label 1:

```
Code for statement sequence1  
GOTO label_next;
```

label 2:

```
Code for statement sequence2  
GOTO label_next;
```

...

label n:

```
Code for statement sequencen  
GOTO label_next;
```

label else:

```
Code for else-statement sequence
```

Balanced trees

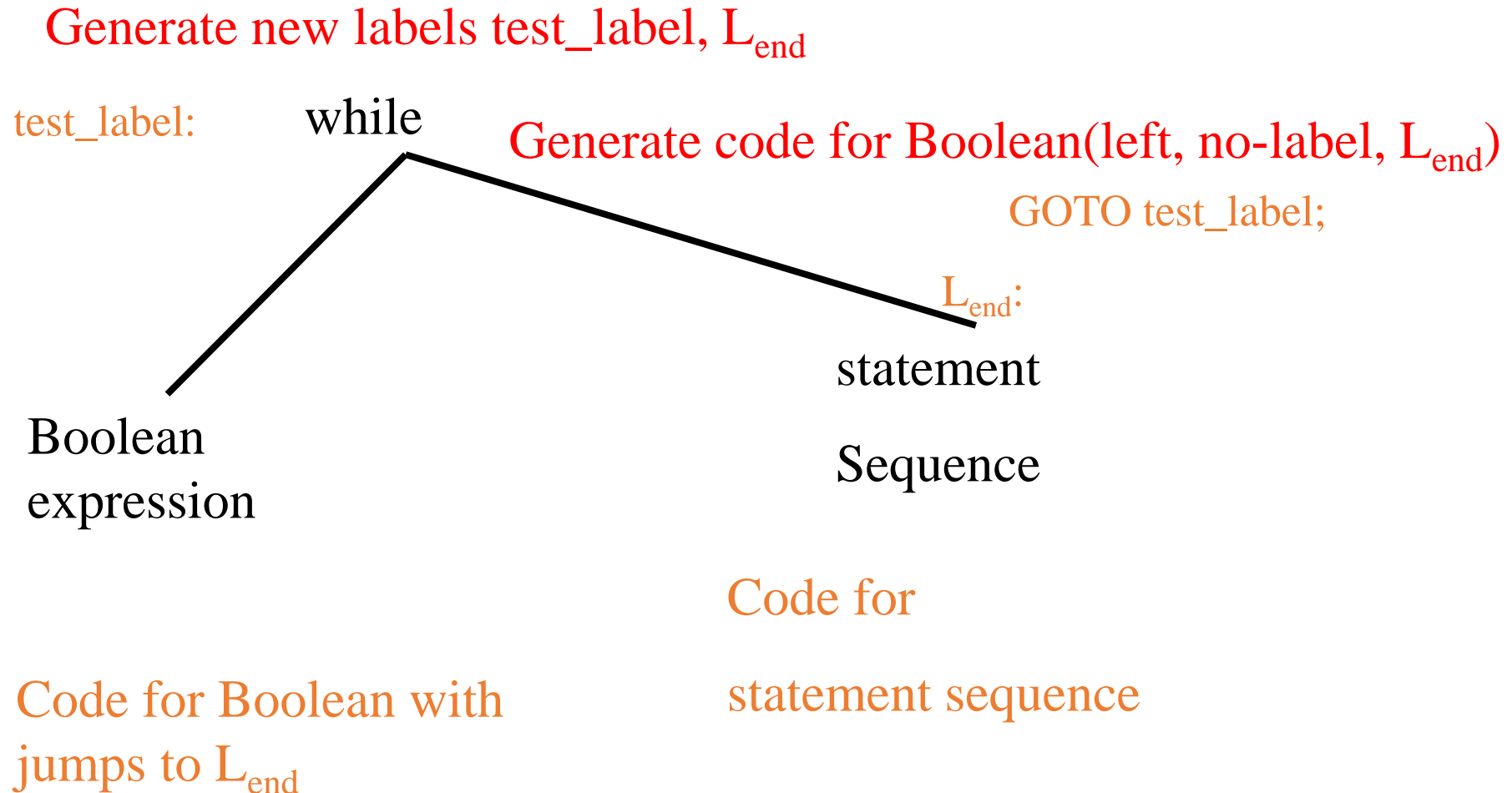
- The jump table may be inefficient
 - Space consumption
 - Cache performance
- Organize the case labels in a balanced tree
 - Left subtrees smaller labels
 - Right subtrees larger labels
- Code generated for node_k

```
label_k: IF tmp_case_value < Ik THEN  
        GOTO label of left branch ;  
        IF tmp_case_value > Ik THEN  
            GOTO label of right branch;  
        code for statement sequence;  
        GOTO label_next;
```

Repetition Statements (loops)

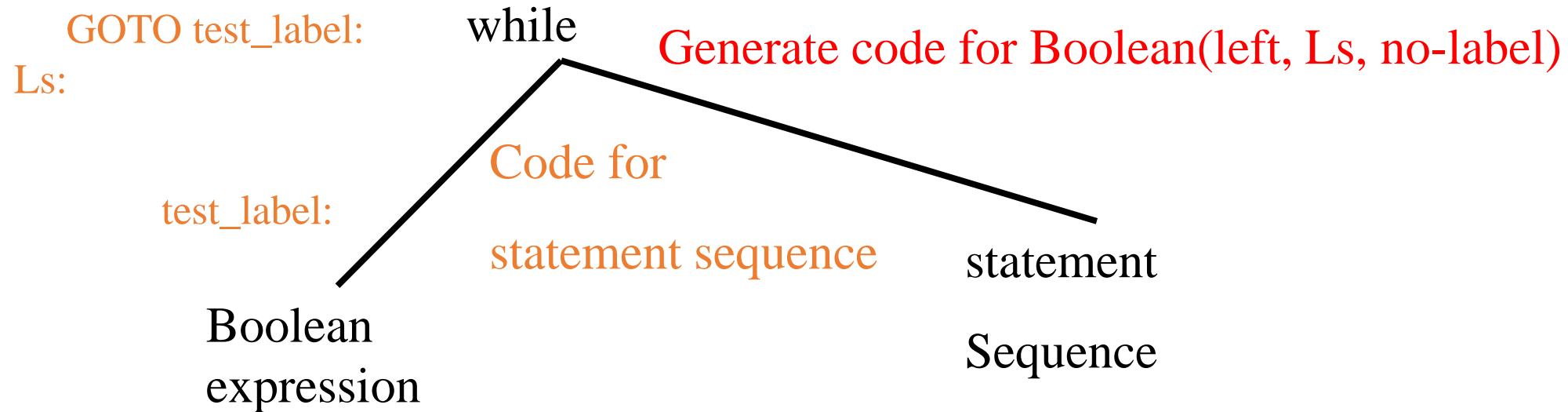
- Similar to IFs
- Preserve language semantics
- Performance can be affected by different instruction orderings
- Some work can be shifted to compile-time
 - Loop invariant
 - Strength reduction
 - Loop unrolling

while statements



while statements(2)

Generate labels test_label, Ls



Code for Boolean with jumps to L_s

Simple-minded translation

```
FOR i in lower bound .. upper bound DO  
    statement sequence  
END for
```



```
i := lower_bound;  
tmp_ub := upper_bound;  
WHILE i <= tmp_ub DO  
    code for statement sequence  
  
    i := i + 1;  
END WHILE
```

Correct Translation

```
FOR i in lower bound .. upper bound DO  
    statement sequence
```

```
END for
```



```
    i := lower_bound;
```

```
    tmp_ub := upper_bound;
```

```
    IF i >tmp_ub THEN GOTO end_label;
```

```
loop_label:
```

```
    code for statement sequence
```

```
    if (i==tmp_ub) GOTO end_label;
```

```
    i := i + 1;
```

```
    GOTO loop_label;
```

```
end_label:
```

Tricky question

```
for (exp1; exp2; exp3) {  
    body;  
}
```

```
exp1;  
while (exp2) {  
    body;  
    exp3;  
}
```

Summary

- Handling control flow statements is usually simple
- Complicated aspects
 - Routine invocation
 - Non local gotos
- Runtime profiling can help

Summary Code Generation

- Preserve the semantics with local transformations into intermediate language
 - Perform computations at compile-time
 - Much more can be done
- Every subtree is converted into an equivalent instruction sequences
- Uses unbounded registers and labels to simplify matters