

1. What's that Size?

What will be printed after running from the following code-snippet?

```
1 typedef struct {
2     char Rumi;
3     int Mira;
4     char Zoey;
5     double Celine;
6 } Huntrx;
7
8 typedef union {
9     char Jinu;
10    int Mystery;
11    char Abby;
12    double Romance;
13 } SajaBoys;
14
15 int main(int argc, char** argv) {
16     Huntrx band1[7];
17     SajaBoys band2[7];
18     printf("%d\n", (int)sizeof(band1));
19     printf("%d\n", (int)sizeof(band2));
20     return 0;
21 }
```

For the Struct:

- $(1 + (3) + 4 + 1 + (7) + 8) * 7 = 168$
- Due to alignment, we need to add the numbers in parentheses

For the Union:

- $8 * 7 = 56$

2. Struct ordering and optimal size

What is the best ordering of the following data types if you want to have a **struct** that uses all of them? What is this optimal size? Assume a 64-bit architecture. The best ordering means the one that results in optimal space usage — there's more than one valid answer!

```
1 char tully;
2 long stark;
3 int greyjoy;
4 float* lannister;
5 float arryn;
6 double targaryen;
7
8 struct Westeros {
9     /* order the above variables here */
10    // Note:  this is one possible ordering
11    // There are many others that work as well!
12    float* lannister; // ALL pointers are 8 bytes
13    double targaryen; // doubles are 8 bytes
14    long stark; // longs are 8 bytes
15    float arryn; // floats are 4 bytes
16    int greyjoy; // ints are 4 bytes
17    char tully; // chars are 1 byte
18 };
```

One simple strategy (the one used above) is to order the fields from the largest size to smallest, as structs are x-aligned, where x is the size of the largest data type in the struct

3. Tricky Switch

Reverse engineer the assembly code on the previous page to figure out what each case of the switch-case statement is doing. Don't forget about “break” statements!

Source Code (C) (fill in blanks!)

```
1 int func(int x, int y, int r)
2 {
3     switch (x) {
4         case 0: return -4;
5
6         case 1:
7             return 5*(r+6);
8
9         case 2: return 5*r;
10
11        case 3: return r+(2*y);
12
13        case 4: return r+(2*y);
14
15        case 5: return r^y;
16    }
17    return return r;
18 }
```

Compiled Assembly

```
1 func(int, int, int):
2     cmpl    $5, %edi
3     ja     .L9
4     movl    %edi, %edi
5     jmp     *.L4(, %rdi, 8)
6
7 .L4:       #hint, this is the jump table!
8     .quad   .L8
9     .quad   .L7
10    .quad   .L6
11    .quad   .L5
12    .quad   .L5
13    .quad   .L3
14
15 .L7:
16     addl    $6, %edx
17
18 .L6:
19     leal    (%rdx,%rdx,4), %eax
20     ret
21
22 .L5:
23     leal    (%rdx,%rsi,2), %eax
24     ret
25
26 .L3:
27     movl    %edx, %eax
28     xorl    %esi, %eax
29     ret
30
31 .L8:
32     movl    $-4, %eax
33     ret
34
35 .L9:
36     movl    %edx, %eax
37     ret
```

There are multiple answers (break statements or continue to next case). To read the jump-table, you take the case index (i.e. 0) and jump to the label within the list. Thus at 2, you would jump to L6.

Note: This was Question 6 on Fall 2021 Midterm.

4. Fill in the missing C code

```
1 typedef struct {
2     char first;
3     int second;
4     short third;
5     int* fourth;
6 } stuff;
7
8 stuff array[5];
9
10 int func0(int index, int pos, long dist) {
11     char* ptr = (char*) &(array[index].first);
12     ptr += pos;
13     *ptr = index + dist;
14     return *ptr;
15 }
16
17 int func1() {
18     int x = func0(1, 4, 12);
19     return x;
20 }
```

Clearly some code is missing — your job is to fill in the blanks! Note that the size of the blanks is not significant. The two functions will be compiled using the following assembly code:

```
1 0000000000401106 <func0>:
2 401106: 48 63 c7 movslq %edi,%rax
3 401109: 48 8d 04 40 leaq (%rax,%rax,2),%rax
4 40110d: 48 63 f6 movslq %esi,%rsi
5 401110: 01 d7 addl %edx,%edi
6 401112: 40 88 bc c6 60 40 00 movb %dil, 0x404060(%rsi,%rax,8)
7 # 0x404060 <array>
8 40111a: 40 0f be c7 movsbl %dil, %eax
9 40111e: c3 retq
10
11 000000000040111f <func1>:
12 40111f: ba 0c 00 00 00 movl $0xc,%edx
13 401124: be 04 00 00 00 movl $0x4,%esi
14 401129: bf 01 00 00 00 movl $0x1,%edi
15 40112e: e8 d3 ff ff ff callq 401106 <func0>
16 401133: c3 retq
```

What operation does this function do?

The function replaces the char at (array[index] + pos) with the result of index + dist (which is 13 or 0xd). Thus, the array will be changed such that array[1].first would equal 13. The function returns this changed value.

First, we analyze the struct **stuff**. The size of stuff is equal to:

- $1 + (3) + 4 + 2 + (2) + 8 + (4) = 24$
- The $()$ numbers are additional padding. Note, that the struct must be aligned to the biggest data type size (8) within it, thus we have the (4) extra bytes of padding.

As there is an array, the total size of the array is $24 * 5 = 120$

Second, we start with Func1. Three values are loaded into argument registers before calling func0.

- `%edx` (or `dist`) is given value of `0xc` (12)
- `%esi` (or `pos`) is given value of `0x4` (4)
- `%edi` (or `index`) is given value of `0x1` (1)

Thus, we know the arguments to func0 (first part of solution).

Now, we will go line-by-line analyzing func0.

- `movslq %edi,%rax`
 - This moves `%edi` (or `index`) into the `%rax` register
- `leaq (%rax,%rax,2),%rax`
 - This performs the operation $\%rax + (\%rax * 2)$ or $\%rax * 3$
 - Thus, `%rax` now holds $index * 3$
- `movslq %esi,%rsi`
 - This sign-extends `%esi` (lower 32-bits of `%rsi`) in the `%rsi` register. This is done in preparation for addition operation below.
 - `%rsi` still holds the `pos` (sign-extended to 64 bits)
- `addl %edx, %edi`
 - This adds the `%edx` and `%edi` registers together and stores the result into the `edi` register.
 - Thus, $\%edi = \%edi \text{ (index)} + \%edx \text{ (dist)}$
- `movb %dil, 0x404060(%rsi,%rax,8)`
 - `%dil` is the lowest byte of the `edi` register.
 - `0x404060` is the start position of array.
 - This instruction takes `%dil` and places it into memory at the position of $array + \%rsi + \%rax * 8$
 - $\%rsi + \%rax * 8$ is equal to $pos + index * 24$ as `%rsi` stores `pos`, and `%rax` stores $index * 3$
 - Note that 24 is the size of `stuff`. Thus, `index` would start on the first item within each item of the array.
- `movsbl %dil, %eax`
 - This sign-extends the lowest byte of `edi` and places it into the `%rax` register.

Thus, based on these results we can see that the line 11 blank is first (as it starts on the first element within `stuff`) and line 13 blank is `index` as we are doing $index + dist$.