

# Lab 1: C

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CS 105

# Variables

- Declaration

```
int myVariable;
```

Diagram illustrating the components of a variable declaration:

- `int` is the **type**.
- `myVariable` is the **name**.
- `;` is the **semi-colon**.

- Assignment

```
myVariable = 47;
```

Diagram illustrating the components of a variable assignment:

- `myVariable` is the **name**.
- `=` is the **value**.
- `47` is the **value**.
- `;` is the **semi-colon**.

- Declaration and assignment

```
int myVariable = 47;
```

C Data Type	x86-64
char	1
unsigned short	2
unsigned int	4
unsigned long	8
short	2
int	4
long	8
float	4
double	8

# Operations

- Bitwise Operations: `&`, `|`, `^`, `~`

```
int x = 47;  
int y = ~x;  
y = x & y;
```

- Logical Operations: `&&`, `||`, `!`

```
int x = 47;  
int y = !x;  
y = x && y;
```

- Arithmetic Operations: `+`, `-`, `*`, `/`, `%`

```
int x = 47;  
int y = x + 13;  
y = (x * y) % 5;
```

- Boolean Operators: `==`, `!=`, `>`, `>=`, `<`, `<=`

```
int x = (13 == 47);
```

# Control Flow

## Conditionals

```
int x = 13;
int y;
if (x == 47){
    y = 1;
} else {
    y = 0;
}
```

## Do-While Loops

```
int x = 47;
do {
    x = x - 1;
} while (x > 0);
```

## While Loops

```
int x = 47;

while (x > 0){
    x = x - 1;
}
```

## For Loops

```
int x = 0;
for (int i=0; i < 47; i++){
    x = x + i;
}
```

# Functions

## Declaring a Function

```
int myFunction(int x, int y){  
  
    int z = x - 2*y;  
    return z * x;  
  
}
```

## Calling a Function

```
int a;  
  
a = myFunction(47, 13);
```

# Exercise 1

- Create a file called `part1.c` (don't worry about running it yet)
- In that file, define a function that takes two integers and returns an integer.
- If the second integer argument is greater than (or equal to) the first, it returns the sum of the integer values between those two numbers (inclusive).
- Otherwise, it returns -1.

# Hello World

```
#include<stdio.h>

int main(int argc, char** argv){
    printf("Hello world!\n");
    return 0;
}
```

# Aside: Printing

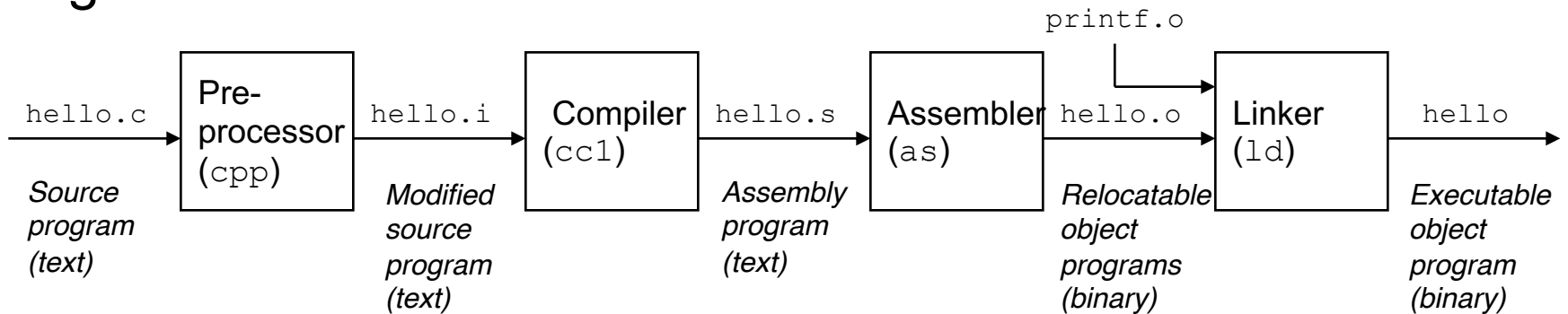
```
printf("Hello world!\n");  
  
printf("%d is a number\n", 13);  
  
printf("%d is a number greater than %f\n", 47, 3.14);
```



# Compilation

compiler output name filename

- gcc -o hello hello.c



```
#include<stdio.h>

int main(int argc,
        char ** argv){

    printf("Hello
           world!\n");
    return 0;
}
```

```
...
int printf(const char *
           restrict,
           ...)
    __attribute__((__format__
    (__printf__, 1, 2)));
...
int main(int argc,
        char ** argv){

    printf("Hello
           world!\n");
    return 0;
}
```

```
pushq    %rbp
movq     %rsp, %rbp
subq     $32, %rsp
leaq     L_.str(%rip), %rax
movl     $0, -4(%rbp)
movl     %edi, -8(%rbp)
movq     %rsi, -16(%rbp)
movq     %rax, %rdi
movb     $0, %al
callq    _printf
xorl     %ecx, %ecx
movl     %eax, -20(%rbp)
movl     %ecx, %eax
addq     $32, %rsp
popq     %rbp
retq
```

```
55
48 89 e5
48 83 ec 20
48 8d 05 25 00 00 00
c7 45 fc 00 00 00 00
89 7d f8
48 89 75 f0
48 89 c7
b0 00
e8 00 00 00 00
31 c9
89 45 ec
89 c8
48 83 c4 20
5d
c3
```

# Running a Program

- hello.c demo

# Exercise 1b

- Add a main function to your part1.c file that calls your function with some hardcoded arguments and prints the value it returns. Then compile and run your program.

# Arrays

- Contiguous block of memory
- Random access by index
  - Indices start at zero

- Declaring an array:

```
int array1[5]; // array of 5 ints named array1  
  
char array2[47]; // array of 47 chars named array2  
  
int array3[7][4]; // two dimensional array
```

- Accessing an array:

```
int x = array1[0];
```

- The array variable stores the address of the first element in the array

# Pointers

- Pointers are addresses in memory (i.e., indexes into the array of bytes)
- Most pointers declare how to interpret the value at (or starting at) that address

- Examples:

```
int * ptr = &myVariable;  
char * ptr2 = (char *) ptr;
```

- Dereferencing pointers:

```
int var2 = *ptr  
char c = *ptr2;
```

Pointer Types	x86-64
<b>void *</b>	8
<b>int *</b>	8
<b>char *</b>	8
<b>:</b>	8

**&** and **\*** are inverses of one another

# Pointer Arithmetic

```
int * ptr = &myVariable;  
ptr += 1;  
  
char * ptr2 = (char *) ptr;  
ptr2 += 1;
```

- Location of `ptr+k` depends on the type of `ptr`
- adding 1 to a pointer `p` adds `1*sizeof(*p)` to the address
- `array[k]` is the same as `*(array+k)`

# Strings

- Strings are just arrays of characters
- End of string is denoted by null byte `\0`
- generally declared as type `char *`

# Aside: Main Function Parameters

```
#include<stdio.h>

int main(int argc, char** argv){
    printf("Hello world!\n");
    return 0;
}
```



# Exercise 2

- Open a file called `part2.c`. In that file, write a program that computes the pair of unsigned integers `x`, `y` such that the array `[x, y]` has the same binary representation as the string “CS 105!”

Hint: you can do this entirely with pointer arithmetic and casts. You don't need to compute it by hand using the ASCII table (although you can!)

# Structs

- Heterogeneous records, like objects
- Typical linked list declaration:

```
typedef struct cell {  
    int value;  
    struct cell *next;  
} cell_t;
```

- Usage:

```
cell_t c;  
c.value = 42;  
c.next = NULL;
```

- Usage with pointers:

```
cell_t *p;  
p->value = 42;  
p->next = NULL;
```

`p->next` is an  
abbreviation for  
`(*p).next`

# Exercise 3

- Implement a linked list