

Machine-Oriented Programming

C-Programming part 3

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Objectives

- Pointers to struct
- Port addressing with structs
- Function pointer
- Structs with function pointers
- Dynamic memory allocation
- Linked lists
- File operations

Pointers to struct / arrow notation

```
Course mop;  
Course *pmop; // Pointer to struct
```

```
pmop = &mop;
```

```
(*pmop).name = ...
```

```
// Or easier:
```

```
pmop->name = ...
```

The arrow notation simplifies the code, as it is common to have pointers for structs

Pointer to struct

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

char* coursename = "Machine Oriented Programming";

typedef struct {
    char* name;
    float credits;
    int   numberOfParticipants;
} Course;

int main() {
    Course *pmop; // Pointer to struct
    pmop = (Course*)malloc(sizeof(Course));

    //(*pmop).name = coursename;
    pmop->name     = coursename;
    pmop->credits   = 7.5;
    pmop->numberOfParticipants = 110;

    free(pmop);
    return 0;
}
```

```
// or
Course mop, *pmop;
pmop = &mop;
// and of course without free()
```

} Access to members (fields) via -> operator

In Java:

```
public class Course {
    String name;
    float  credits;
    int    numberOfParticipants;
}

Course mop = new Course();
mop.name = ...
mop.credits = 7.5;
...
```

Port addressing with structs

Instead of:

```
#define portModr      ((volatile unsigned int *) (PORT_DISPLAY_BASE))
#define portOtyper    ((volatile unsigned short *) (PORT_DISPLAY_BASE+0x4))
#define portOspeedr   ((volatile unsigned int *) (PORT_DISPLAY_BASE+0x8))
#define portPupdr     ((volatile unsigned int *) (PORT_DISPLAY_BASE+0xC))
#define portIdrLow    ((volatile unsigned char *) (PORT_DISPLAY_BASE+0x10))
#define portIdrHigh   ((volatile unsigned char *) (PORT_DISPLAY_BASE+0x11))
#define portOdrLow    ((volatile unsigned char *) (PORT_DISPLAY_BASE+0x14))
#define portOdrHigh   ((volatile unsigned char *) (PORT_DISPLAY_BASE+0x14+1))
```

Then we can use structs by writing :

```
typedef struct {
    uint32_t    moder;
    uint16_t    otyper;           // +0x4
    uint16_t    otReserved;
    uint32_t    ospeedr;         // +0x8
    uint32_t    pupdr;          // +0xc (12)
    uint8_t     idrLow;          // +0x10
    uint8_t     idrHigh;         // +0x11
    uint16_t     idrReserved;
    uint8_t     odrLow;          // +0x14
    uint8_t     odrHigh;         // +0x15
    uint16_t     odrReserved;
} GPIO;
```

```
#define GPIO_D (*(volatile GPIO*) 0x40020c00)
#define GPIO_E (*(volatile GPIO*) 0x40021000)
```

Example:

```
GPIO_E.moder    = 0x55555555;
GPIO_E.otyper   = 0x00000000;
GPIO_E.ospeedr  = 0x55555555;
GPIO_E.pupdr    &= 0x55550000;
```

GPIO

General Purpose Input Output

GPIO A: 0x40020000

GPIO B: 0x40020400

GPIO C: 0x40020800

GPIO D: 0x40020C00

GPIO E: 0x40021000

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Port addressing – individual bytes

We defined `idrLow` and `idrHigh` as bytes and `idrReserved` as 16-bit. But we could instead have defined all these three as just

```
uint32_t idr; i.e. 4 bytes and then address individual bytes
uint8_t x = *(uint8_t*)&GPIO_E.idr;           // idrLow
uint8_t y = *((uint8_t*)&GPIO_E.idr + 1);    // idrHigh
uint16_t z = *((uint16_t*)&GPIO_E.idr + 1);  // idrReserved
```

```
typedef struct {
    uint32_t    moder;
    uint16_t    otyper;           // +0x4
    uint16_t    otReserved;
    uint32_t    ospeedr;         // +0x8
    uint32_t    pupdr;           // +0xc
    uint8_t     idrLow;           // +0x10
    uint8_t     idrHigh;          // +0x11
    uint16_t    idrReserved;
    uint8_t     odrLow;           // +0x14
    uint8_t     odrHigh;          // +0x15
    uint16_t    odrReserved;
} GPIO;

typedef volatile GPIO* gpio_ptr;
#define GPIO_E (*((gpio_ptr) 0x40021000))
```



```
typedef struct _gpio {
    uint32_t    moder;
    uint32_t    otyper;           // +0x4
    uint32_t    ospeedr;         // +0x8
    uint32_t    pupdr;           // +0xc
    uint32_t    idr;              // +0x10
    uint32_t    odr;              // +0x14
} GPIO;

typedef volatile GPIO* gpio_ptr;
#define GPIO_E (*((gpio_ptr) 0x40021000))
```

Port addressing with structs

```
typedef struct tag_usart
{
    volatile unsigned short sr;
    volatile unsigned short Unused0;
    volatile unsigned short dr;
    volatile unsigned short Unused1;
    volatile unsigned short brr;
    volatile unsigned short Unused2;
    volatile unsigned short cr1;
    volatile unsigned short Unused3;
    volatile unsigned short cr2;
    volatile unsigned short Unused4;
    volatile unsigned short cr3;
    volatile unsigned short Unused5;
    volatile unsigned short gtpcr;
} USART;

#define USART1 ((USART *) 0x40011000)
```

Example:

```
while (( (*USART).sr & 0x80) == 0)
    ; // wait until it is ok to write
(*USART1).dr = (unsigned short)'a';
```

Or with the arrow notation:

```
while (( USART->sr & 0x80)==0)
    ;
USART1->dr = (unsigned short) 'a';
```

USART

Universal synchronous asynchronous receiver transmitter

USART1: 0x40011000

USART2: 0x40004400

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Function pointer

```
#include <stdio.h>

int square(int x)
{
    return x*x;
}

int main()
{
    int (*fp)(int);

    fp = square;

    printf("fp(5)=%i \n", fp(5));
    return 0;
}
```

A function pointer

fp(5)=25

Function pointer

```
int (*fp)(int);
```

A Function pointer type is defined by:

- Return type.
- Number of arguments and their types.

The value of a function pointer is an address.

```
LDR R4, =fp  
BLX R4
```

```
LDR R4, =foo  
BLX R4
```

Question:
What is the definition for a
function pointer that points
to function foo
char *foo(int *x, int y) {...}

Structs with function pointers

Programming object-oriented style in a non-object-oriented language!

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```
typedef struct tObj {  
    PGEOMETRY geo;  
    int dirx, diry;  
    int posx, posy;  
    void (*draw)(struct tObj *);  
    void (*clear)(struct tObj *);  
    void (*move)(struct tObj *);  
    void (*set_speed)(struct tObj *, int, int);  
} OBJECT, *POBJECT;
```

What are "draw",
"clear", "move",
"set_speed"?

Structs with function pointers

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```

How do you initialize them?

```
static OBJECT ball = {
    &ball_geometry,
    0, 0,
    1, 1,
    draw_object,
    clear_object,
    move_object,
    set_object_speed
};
```

How do you use them?

```
POBJECT p = &ball;
. . .
p->set_speed(p, 4, 1);
. . .
p->move(p);
```

Dynamic Memory Allocation

- `malloc()` Allocate memory
- `free()` De-allocate (free) memory

What happens if we do not call free?

Do you need to use some sort of free also in Java? Why?

Function prototypes available in:

```
#include <stdlib.h>
```

Dynamic Memory Allocation

```
#include <stdlib.h>
```

```
char s1[] = "This is a long string. It is even more than one sentence.";
```

```
int main()  
{
```

```
    char* p;
```

```
    // allocate memory dynamically
```

```
    p = (char*)malloc(sizeof(s1));
```

```
    // make something with the memory that we have reserved
```

```
    // free the memory space
```

```
    free(p);
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

Can you guess the
prototype for malloc?

After malloc ALWAYS do:

```
if( !p ) {  
    printf("ERROR: Could not allocate p\n");  
    exit(-1);  
}
```

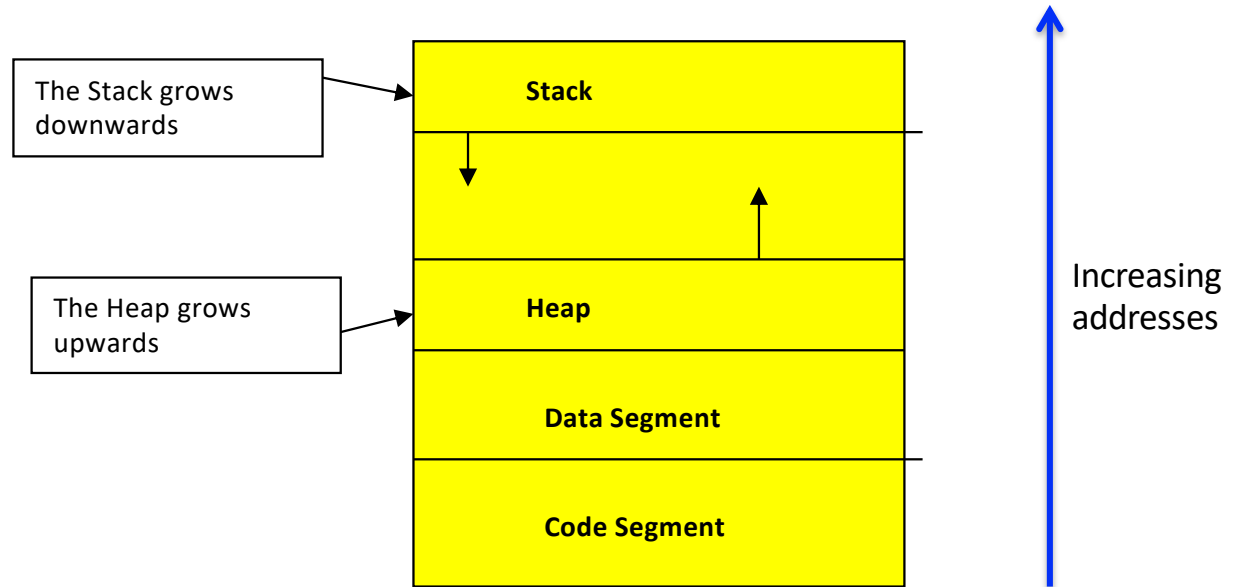
Number of bytes we want to allocate

OUT OF MEMORY

virtual address space is divided into pages swapped to the secondary storage (e.g. hard disk). Even this may end -> crash.

Address Space of a Program

- All programs as they execute, have some associated memory, which is typically divided into:
 - Code Segment
 - Data Segment (Holds Global Data)
 - Stack (where the local variables and other temporary information is stored)
 - Heap



Dynamic Memory Allocation Example

// Copy from s1 to the allocated memory pointed by p.

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
#include <stdlib.h>
```

```
char s1[] = "This is a long string. It is even more than one sentence.";
```

```
int main()
```

```
{
```

```
    char* p;
```

```
    int i;
```

```
    // allocate memory dynamically
```

```
    p = (char*)malloc(sizeof(s1));
```

Do I need to do something
between allocation and use?

```
    // make something with the memory that is allocated
```

```
    for( i=0; i<sizeof(s1); i++)
```

```
        *(p+i) = s1[i];
```

```
    printf("%s", p);
```

What happens if I do `*(p+1000) = 1024`

```
    // free memory
```

```
    free(p);
```

Why does `free(p)` not need
information about its size?

```
    return 0;
```

Dynamic Memory Allocation – other types

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

typedef struct {
    char *name;
    int   number;
} xyz;

int main() {
    int   *x;
    char  *y;
    double *z;
    xyz   *u;

    //allocate 100 int, char, double and xyz
}
```

```
x = (int*) malloc( sizeof(int)*100 );
if( !x ) exit(-1);
```

```
y = (char*) malloc( sizeof(char)*100 );
if( !y ) exit(-1);
```

```
z = (double*) malloc( sizeof(double)*100 );
if( !z ) exit(-1);
```

```
u = (xyz*) malloc( sizeof(xyz)*100 );
if( !u ) exit(-1);
```

Other dynamic memory allocation functions...

```
ptr = (int*) calloc(n, sizeof(int));
```

```
ptr = (int*) malloc(n1 * sizeof(int));  
.  
.  
.  
ptr = realloc(ptr, n2 * sizeof(int));
```

realloc()

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
```

```
int main() {
    int *ptr, i, n1, n2;
    printf("Enter size of array: ");
    scanf("%d", &n1);
    ptr = (int*) malloc(n1 * sizeof(int));
    printf("Addresses of previously allocated memory: ");
    printf("%u - %u\n", ptr, ptr + n1 * sizeof(int));
    printf("\nEnter new size of array: ");
    scanf("%d", &n2);
    ptr = realloc(ptr, n2 * sizeof(int));
    printf("Addresses of newly allocated memory: ");
    printf("%u - %u\n", ptr, ptr + n2 * sizeof(int));
    return 0;
}
```

Enter size of array: 10

Addresses of previously allocated memory: 1599078400 - 1599078436

Enter new size of array: 20

Addresses of newly allocated memory: 1599078400 - 1599078476

Enter size of array: 10000

Addresses of previously allocated memory: 2877292544 - 2877332540

Enter new size of array: 40000

Addresses of newly allocated memory: 84406272 - 84566268

Enter size of array: 10000

Addresses of previously allocated memory: 3313500160 - 3313540156

Enter new size of array: 2000

Addresses of newly allocated memory: 3313500160 - 3313508156



Memory Leaks

- A memory leak occurs when we do not free a memory item that we have dynamically allocated (with malloc()).
- Memory leaks can cause system crash if it runs out of memory.
- Memory leakage disappears when program terminates. (or it should...)

Why and How?

Find a memory leak

- You can use a memory analyzer such as DrMemory (<http://www.drmemory.org/>) or Valgrind (<http://valgrind.org>)
- DrMemory replaces the default library, and analyzes calls to malloc() and free().
- It also finds accesses to uninitialized memory

DrMemory Example

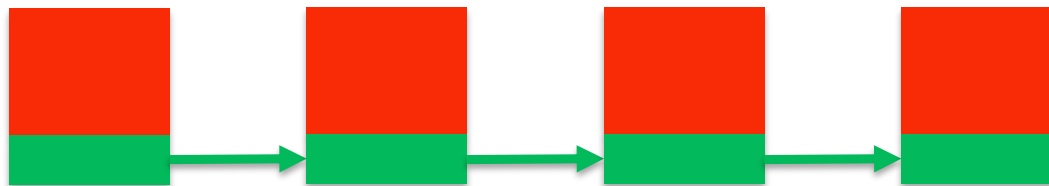
```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

void foo() {
    int *y;
    y = (int*) malloc( sizeof(int)*10 );
    //free(y);
}

int main() {
    char *x = "This is a long string";
    foo();
    foo();
    foo();
    foo();
}
```

```
$ gcc -m32 -g -fno-inline -fno-omit-frame-pointer t1.c -o t1
$ bin/drmemory -- ./t1
~~Dr.M~~ Error #3: POSSIBLE LEAK 40 direct bytes 0x005701c8-
0x005701f0 + 0 indirect bytes
~~Dr.M~~ # 0 replace_malloc
~~Dr.M~~ # 1 foo                                [/Users/t1.c:6]
~~Dr.M~~ # 2 main                                [/Users/t1.c:17]
~~Dr.M~~
~~Dr.M~~ ERRORS FOUND:
~~Dr.M~~ 0 unique, 0 total unaddressable access(es)
~~Dr.M~~ 0 unique, 0 total uninitialized access(es)
~~Dr.M~~ 0 unique, 0 total invalid heap argument(s)
~~Dr.M~~ 0 unique, 0 total warning(s)
~~Dr.M~~ 0 unique, 0 total, 0 byte(s) of leak(s)
~~Dr.M~~ 4 unique, 4 total, 160 byte(s) of possible leak(s)
~~Dr.M~~ ERRORS IGNORED:
~~Dr.M~~ 0 unique, 0 total, 0 byte(s) of still-reachable
allocation(s)
```

Linked Lists

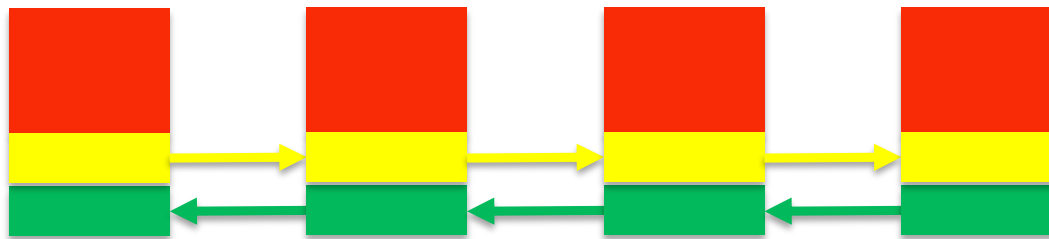


```
typedef struct node_t {  
    char firstName[100];  
    char lastName[100];  
    int idnumber;  
    struct node_t* next;  
} node_t;
```

```
int findInList(int num) {...}  
int insertInList(node_t* node) {}  
int removeFromList(int num) {}
```

```
int findInList(node_t* head, int num) {...}  
node_t* insertInList(node_t* head, node_t* node) {}  
node_t* removeFromList(node_t* head, int num) {}
```

Doubly Linked Lists



```
typedef struct node_t {  
    char firstName[100];  
    char lastName[100];  
    int idnumber;  
    struct node_t* next;  
    struct node_t* prev;  
} node_t;
```

```
int findInList(int num) {...}  
int insertInList(node_t* node) {}  
int removeFromList(int num) {}
```

File operations

```
#include <stdio.h>

#define MAX 100

int main(void) {
    FILE *fp;
    char *filename = "x1.c";
    char str[MAX];
    int linenum = 0;

    fp = fopen(filename, "r");
    if( fp == NULL ) {
        printf( "ERROR: Could not find file %s\n", filename );
    }
    while(!feof(fp)) {
        fgets( str, MAX, fp );
        printf("%d: %s", linenum++, str);
    }
    printf("\n");
    fclose(fp);
}
```