CS 421 Spring 2011 Midterm 2

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1. (18 pts) In class, we gave the following translation schemes for translating source programs into an intermediate representation (IR). Each one maps an AST (expression or statement) to a sequence of IR instructions.

   $[S]$: translate statement S to IR
   $[e]_t$: translate expression e to code that stores value of e in variable t
   $[e]_{Lt,Lf}$: translate boolean expression e to code that branches to Lt if e is true, or Lf otherwise (the short-circuit evaluation scheme)

   The relevant instructions in our intermediate representation were: x = n; x = y; x = y + z (for any operation +); JUMP L; and CJUMP x,L1,L2.

   Here are some clauses of these translation schemes. Note that temporary variables (t_i) and program labels (L_i) are created fresh for each use of the translation scheme; we have omitted the calls to "newloc()" and "newlabel()". The last one is an "if-then;" in class, we gave a scheme for "if-then-else."

   $[x]_y$ = y = x, if y and x are different variables
   nothing, if y and x are the same variable

   $[e_1 < e_2]_{Lt,Lf}$ = $[e_1]_{t1}$
   $[e_2]_{t2}$
   t = t1 < t2
   CJUMP t, Lt, Lf

   $[e_1 \;\&\&\; e_2]_{Lt,Lf}$ = $[e_1]_{L1,Lf}$
   L1 : $[e_2]_{Lt,Lf}$

   [if (e) S] = $[e]_{L1,L2}$
   L1 : [S]
   L2 :

   (a) Translate this statement using short-circuit evaluation for the conditional; your answer will include "[S]":

   [if (x < y && y < z) S] =

   Solution: We will accept either of:

```
    t1 = x
    t2 = y
    t3 = t1<t2
    CJUMP t3,L3,L2
L3: t4 = y
    r5 = z
    t6 = t4<t5
    CJUMP t6,L1,L2
L1: [S]
L2:
```

```
    t1 = x<y
    CJUMP t1,L3,L2
L3: t2 = y<z
    CJUMP t2,L1,L2
L1: [S]
L2:
```

(b) Give these translation schemes:

Solution:

$$[\mathrm{e}_1 \mid\mid \mathrm{e}_2]_{\mathrm{Lt,Lf}} = \quad [\mathrm{e}_1]_{\mathrm{Lt,L1}} \quad \mathrm{L1}: \quad [\mathrm{e}_2]_{\mathrm{Lt,Lf}}$$

$$[!\mathrm{e}]_{\mathrm{Lt,Lf}} = \quad [\mathrm{e}]_{\mathrm{Lf,Lt}}$$

(c) Give a translation scheme for a "do-while" statement: `do` S `while(`e`)` executes S and tests e, in that order, until e becomes false.

do S while (e) =

Solution: We will accept either of:

L1:	[S]		L1:	[S]	
	$[\mathrm{e}]_{\mathrm{L1,L2}}$			$[\mathrm{e}]_{\mathrm{t}}$	
L2:				CJUMPt, L1, L2	
			L2:		

2. (18 pts)

(a) Write an OCaml function *double*, of type (int → int) → (int → int), such that `double f x` is a function that returns 2 times the result of applying `f` to `x`. For example, if `incr` is the function that increments an integer, then `double incr 3` = 8.

Solution:

```
let double f = fun x -> 2 * (f x)
```

(b) Write an OCaml function `cond_sum`, of type (int → bool) → int list → int, such that `cond_sum f l` returns the sum of the elements of `l` for which `f` is true. For example, `cond_sum (fun x -> x > 0) [1;2;-4] = 3`. You must use `fold_right` instead of explicit recursion. Remember that `fold_right` has type $(\alpha \to \beta \to \beta) \to \alpha$ list $\to \beta \to \beta$.

Solution:

```
let cond_sum f l = fold_right (fun x a -> if f x then x + a else a) l 0
```

(c) Write an OCaml function `apply_all` such that `apply_all [`f_1`; `f_2`; ...; `f_n`] arg` returns `[(`f_1 `arg); (`f_2 `arg); ...; (`f_n `arg)]`. For example, `apply_all [(fun x -> x * 2); (fun x -> x + 2)] 1 = [2; 3]`. You must use *map* instead of explicit recursion; recall that *map* has type $(\alpha \to \beta) \to \alpha$ list $\to \beta$ list .

Solution:

```
let apply_all fl x = map (fun f -> f x) fl
```

3. (12 pts + 5XC) In homework 8, you defined sets to be functions of type `intset = int -> bool`. A *multiset* is a set that can contain multiple copies of an element. Just like sets, multisets are not ordered. We represent multisets with functions, just like sets. A multiset function returns the number of occurrences of the given element. `type multiset = int -> int`. Here are a few functions on multisets:

```
(* count: int -> multiset -> int - number of occurrences of an int in a multiset *)
let count n ms = ms n

(* add: int -> multiset -> multiset - adds another copy of an int to a multiset *)
let add n ms = fun x -> if x=n then ms n + 1 else ms x

(* member: int -> multiset -> bool - say whether an int occurs in a multiset *)
let member n ms = ms n > 0
```

Define these functions on multisets:

(a) `transform: (int->int) -> multiset -> multiset`. `transform f ms` is the multiset that contains the same elements as `ms`, but if `v` is in `ms`, in `transform f ms` `v` has `f (ms v)` elements. For example, `transform incr ms` adds one occurrence to every element of `ms`. (If `count x ms` is zero, it remains zero.)

Solution:

```
let transform f ms = fun x -> if member x ms then f (ms x) else 0
```

or

```
let transform f ms = let g x = if x=0 then 0 else f x
                     in fun x -> g (ms x)
```

(b) `filterout: (int -> bool) -> multiset -> multiset`. `filterout f ms` is the same multiset as `ms` except that for any value `v`, if `f v` is true, then it has one fewer occurrence of `v` than `ms` does.

Solution:

```
let filter f ms = fun v -> if ms v > 0 && f v then ms v - 1 else ms v
```

(c) (5 XC) `maxfromlist: int list -> multiset -> int*int`. `maxfromlist lis ms` returns the element of `lis` that has the most occurrences in `ms`, together with the number of occurrences; if `lis` or `ms` is empty, it returns `(0,0)`. *You must use* `fold_right`.

Solution:

```
let maxfromlist lis ms = fold_right
   (fun x (v,cnt) -> if ms x > cnt then (x, ms x) else (v, cnt))
   lis (0,0)
```

4. (8 pts) In class, we gave a definition of the higher-order function `map` in Java, i.e. using function objects. In the following, the final line should increment every element of array A. Fill in the blanks to make this work.

   Solution:

```
abstract class IntFun {
   abstract int apply(int x);
}

class Incr extends IntFun {

 int apply (int x) { return x+1; }

}

public class Map {
   static void map(IntFun f, int A[]){
      for(int i = 0; i < A.length; i++)

        A[i] = f.apply(A[i]);

   }

   public static void main(String[] args)
   {
      int[] A = {1,2,3,4};
      map(new Incr(), A);
   }
}
```

5. (10 pts + 5 XC) We write an interpreter for a language with the following abstract syntax:

```
type expr = ...
type stmt = Assign of id * expr    (* id = e *)
| Seq of stmt * stmt               (* s1; s2 *)
| If of expr * stmt * stmt         (* if e then s1 else s2 *)
| While of expr * stmt             (* while e do s *)
| Return                           (* halt the program *)
```

The interpreter consists of two functions: eval, which evaluates expressions, and exec, which executes statements. The interpreter keeps track of the current state:

```
type state = string -> int     (* function from identifier to it's value *)
```

To implement `return`, we need the interpreter to keep track of an extra bit of information, which indicates whether the code we are executing has returned — in which case, we shouldn't execute it. That is, if we have a sequence of statements `Seq(s1, s2)`, then if `s1` returns, `s2` should be ignored. Thus, `exec` has type: `exec: stmt -> state -> (state * bool)`; it executes `stmt` in state `rho` and returns a pair `(rho', returned)` of a new state `rho'` and a boolean `returned`, which is true when the program was ended by a `Return` statement. Here are the first two clauses:

```
let rec exec stmt rho = match stmt with
  | Assign(s, e)  -> (bind s (eval e rho) rho, false)
  | Return        -> (rho, true)
```

(a) (5 pts) Implement the sequencing operator.

Solution:

```
| Seq(s1, s2)   -> let rho', returned = exec s1 rho in
                     if returned then (rho', returned) else exec s2 rho'
```

(b) (5 pts) Implement the if operator. (Conditional expressions return 1 for true and 0 for false.)

Solution:

```
| If(e, s1, s2) -> if (eval e rho = 1) then exec s1 rho else exec s2 rho
```

(c) (5 XC) Implement the while operator.

Solution:

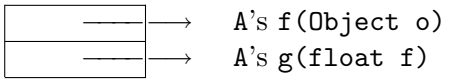
```
| While(e, s)   -> let rec aux rho' =
                     if istrue (eval e rho') then
                       let rho'', returned = exec s rho' in
                       if returned then (rho'', returned) else aux rho''
                     else (rho', false)
                   in aux rho
```

6. (12 pts) Consider the following Java classes:

```
class A
{
   public void f(Object o) { }
   public void g(float f) { }
}
```

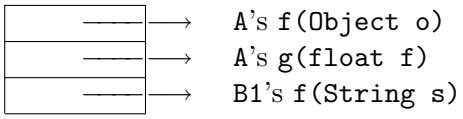
```
class B1 extends A
{
   public void f(String s) { }
}

class B2 extends A
{
   public void f(Object o) { }
   public void f(int i) { }
}
```

(a) (6 pts) A non-static method call goes through a table of pointers to methods, called a *virtual function table*, or simply *v-table*. For example, `A`'s *v-table* is the following:

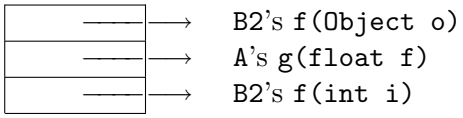


Draw `B1`'s *v-table* and `B2`'s *v-table*. Mention the method's enclosing class name and arguments as well to avoid ambiguity; e.g., "`B1`'s `f(String s)`" and "`B2`'s `f(int i)`".

`B1`'s *v-table*



`B2`'s *v-table*



(b) (6 pts) Assume the following variables are defined:

```
String strval = ...; Object objval = ...; int intval = ...;
A  v1 = new B1();
B1 v2 = new B1();
A  v3 = new B2();
B2 v4 = new B2();
```

For each of the following method calls, write which class's `f` is invoked at runtime. If a method call does not compile, say so.

`v1.f(strval);` A	`v3.f(objval);` B2
`v1.f(objval);` A	`v3.f(intval);` B2, or compile error
`v2.f(strval);` B1	`v4.f(strval);` B2

7. (12 pts) Use these simplification rules:

   (β) `(fun x -> e) v` $\Rightarrow$ `e[v/x]`
   (let) `let x=v in e` $\Rightarrow$ `e[v/x]`
   (δ) $1 + 1 \Rightarrow 2$, etc.

   to simplify the following expression to an integer. Label each simplification step with the rule used. Write out all expression in full — do not use "...".) There are eight steps. We have shown the first step.

```
     let f = fun g -> fun x -> g (g x)
     in let incr = fun y -> y+1
        in f incr 0

==>(let) let incr = fun y -> y+1
         in (fun g -> fun x -> g (g x)) incr 0

==>(let) (fun g -> fun x -> g (g x)) (fun y -> y+1) 0

==>(beta)  (fun x -> (fun y -> y+1) ((fun y -> y+1) x)) 0

==>(beta)  (fun y -> y+1) ((fun y -> y+1) 0)

==>(beta)  (fun y -> y+1) (0+1)

==>(delta)  (fun y -> y+1) 1

==>(beta)  1+1

==>(delta)  2
```

8. (10 pts) Fill in "true" or "false" for each statement:

   false 1. Object-oriented programming is characterized by the evaluation of expressions instead of executing commands.

   true 2. In Java, casting a value to an ancestor (i.e., up-casting) is always legal.

   false 3. In Java, casting a value to a descendant (i.e., down-casting) is always legal.

   false 4. Java objects are stored on the stack.

   true 5. Java uses "call-by-value".

   true 6. Function overloading in Java is determined statically.

   false 7. In Java, calls of the form `super.`$f()$ are dynamically bound.

   false 8. When non-compacting garbage collection is used, at all times, every heap cell is either reachable or on the free list.

   true 9. When using reference-counting, the counts must be updated whenever a pointer assignment is done.

   true 10. Compacting garbage collection can improve memory performance by increasing locality.