

Compiler Construction (List 1)

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Aim of this task is that you are able to compile a program into LLVM using clang, and to get some basic understanding of LLVM, and how high-level constructs are translated into LLVM.

1. Implement the following functions, and compile them into LLVM:

```
char tolower( char c )
{
    return c >= 'A' && c <= 'Z' ? c - 'A' + 'a' : c;
}

char tolower( char c )
{
    if( c >= 'A' && c <= 'Z' )
        c += 'a' - 'A'; // replace capitalism by lowercasism.
    return c;
}
```

What does the `nsw` flag mean? Which translation uses Φ -functions?

2. Implement and compile to LLVM:

```
void tolower( char* s )
while( *s != '\0' )
{
    *s = tolower( *s );
    s ++ ;
}
```

What happens when you replace `s++` by `++s`?

3. Implement and compile to LLVM:

```
size_t length( char* s )
{
```

```
    size_t length = 0;
    while( *( s++ ))
        ++ length;
    return length;
}
```

4. Consider the following matrix multiplication function:

```
#define SIZE 3
void mult( double m1[SIZE][SIZE], double m2[SIZE][SIZE],
           double m3[SIZE][SIZE] )
{
    for( size_t i = 0; i < SIZE; ++ i )
        for( size_t j = 0; j < SIZE; ++ j )
            m3 [i][j] = 0.0;

    for( size_t i = 0; i < SIZE; ++ i )
        for( size_t j = 0; j < SIZE; ++ j )
            for( size_t k = 0; k < SIZE; ++ k )
                m3[i][k] += m1[i][j] * m2[j][k];
}
```

Translate this function with `clang` and make sure that you understand the resulting LLVM.