

CS 42 Today: Beyond Binary



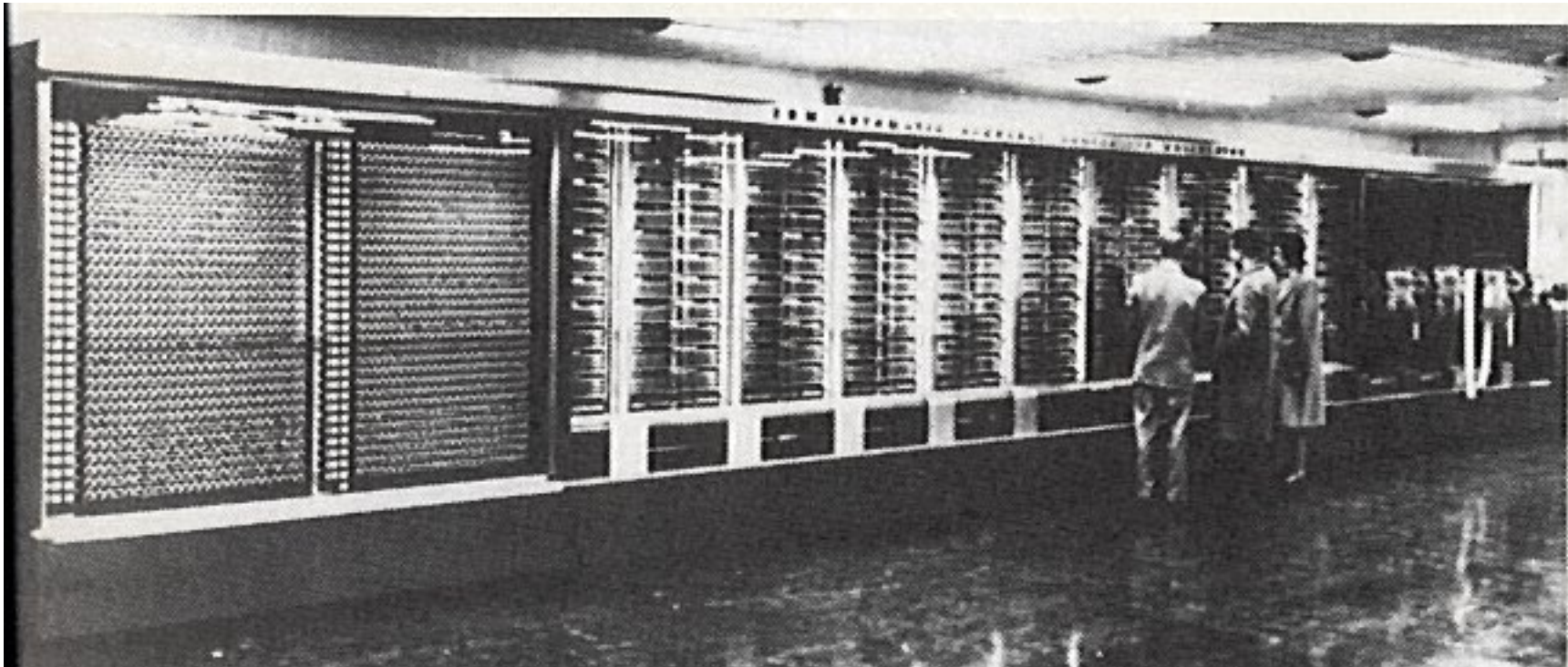
Midterm Logistics

- First Midterm: Next week.
- Review session on Thursday.
- A6 due Monday night
 - Extra credit accepted w/o euro through Friday
 - E-mail me if you turn it in “late”**
- We have to make a choice:
 - 75-minute in-class exam Tuesday
 - Or, longer (2-hour) take-home exam, taken sometime between Friday 5pm and Wednesday 9am.

The Mark 1

Howard Aiken, Grace Hopper at Harvard

relay-based computer



Pentium 0.00001 MHz

Addition: 0.6 seconds

Multiplication: 5.7 seconds

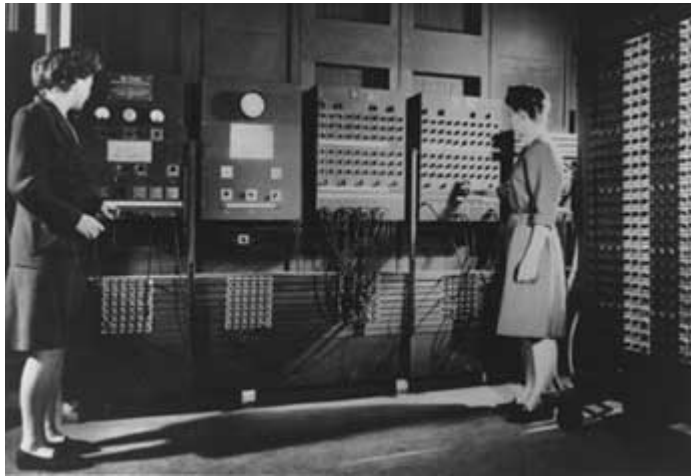
Division: 15.3 seconds

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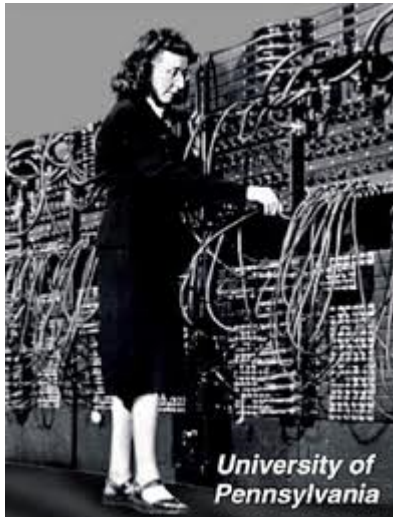
5 tons, 530 miles of wiring
765,299 distinct parts!

The Eniac, 1946

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Eniac's developers



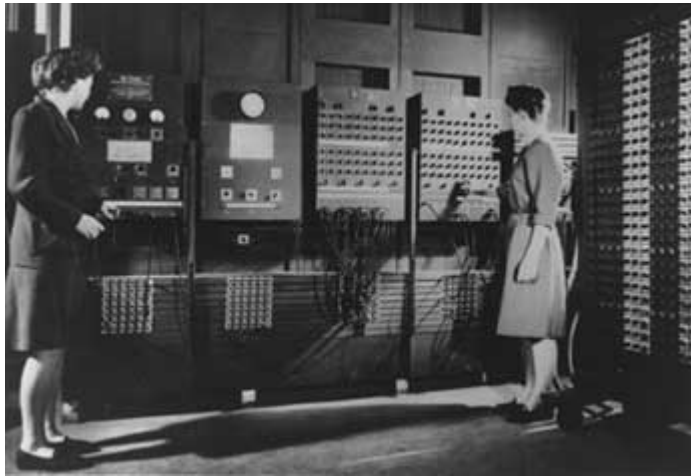
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John W. Mauchly

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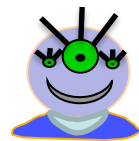
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Eniac's Programmers!



*Rear left to right: Kathy Kleiman (author),
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Kay Mauchly Antonelli Front: Betty Holberton.
Not pictured: Ruth Lichterman Teitelbaum and
Frances Bilas Spence*

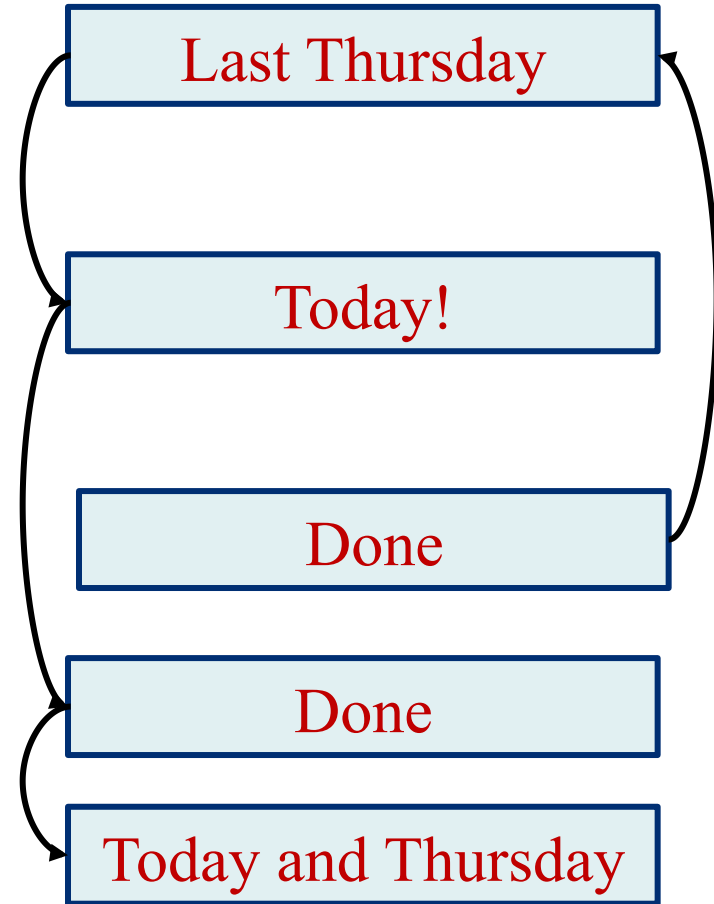
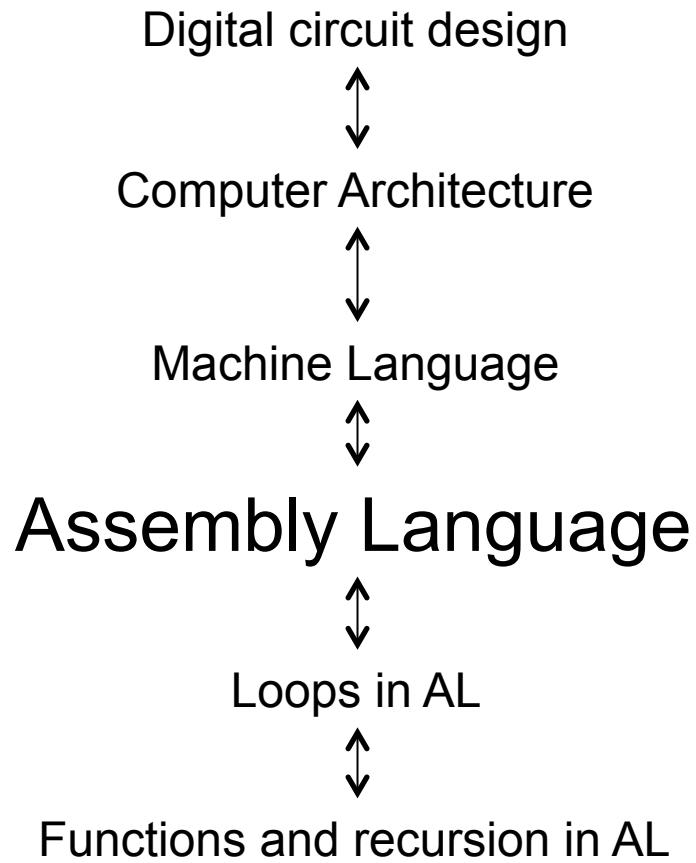


And I thought programming in
Hmmm was painful!

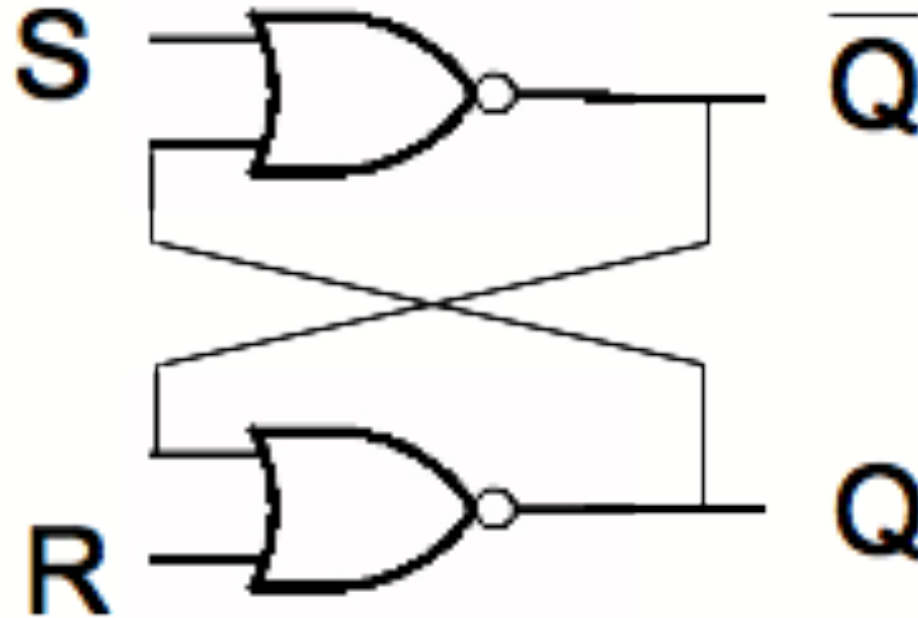
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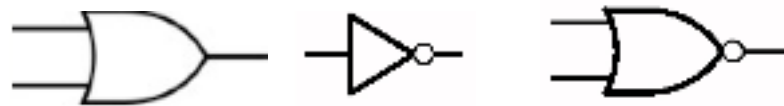
More abstract



A 1-bit Memory

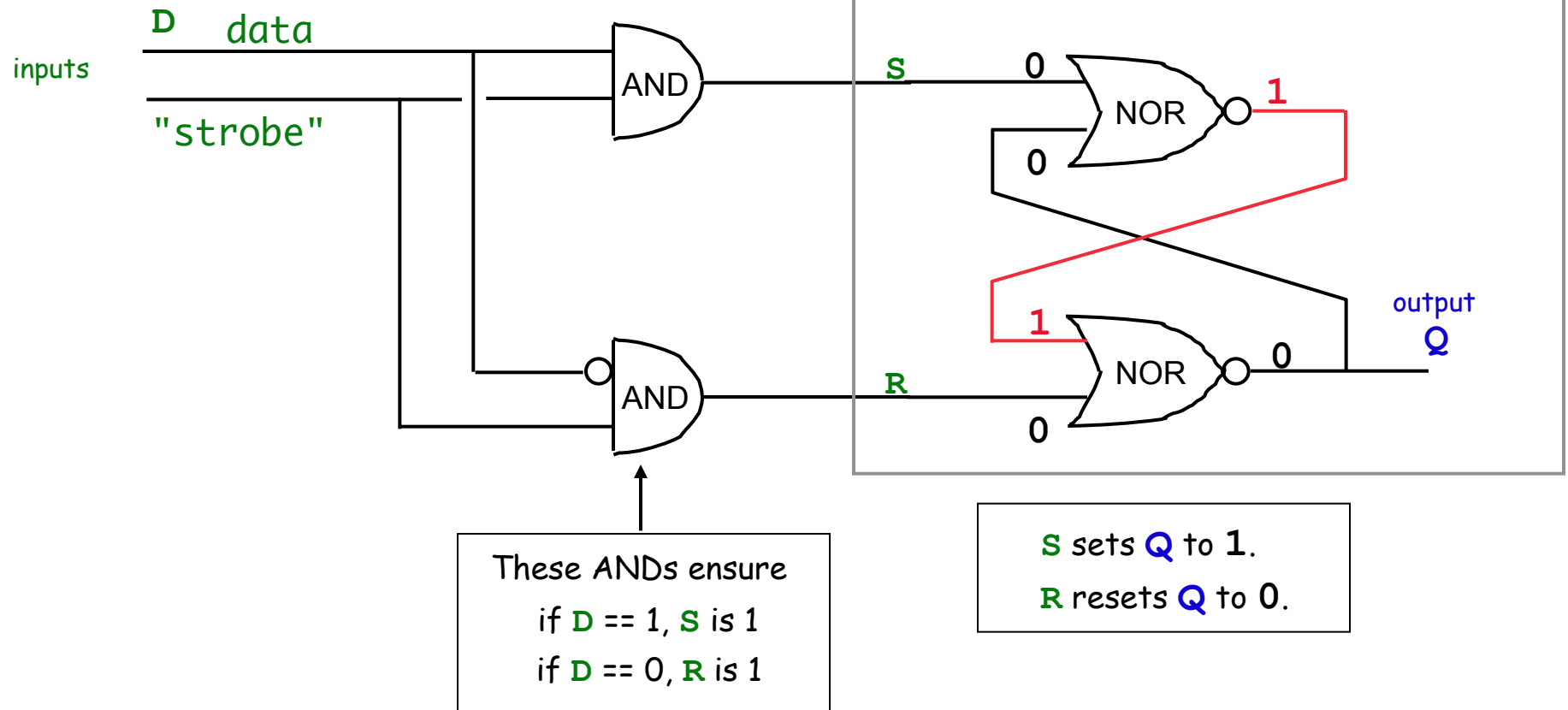


This stuff is truly
unforgettable!



OR + NOT = NOR

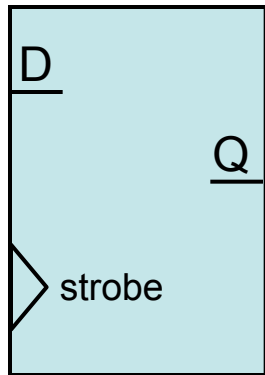
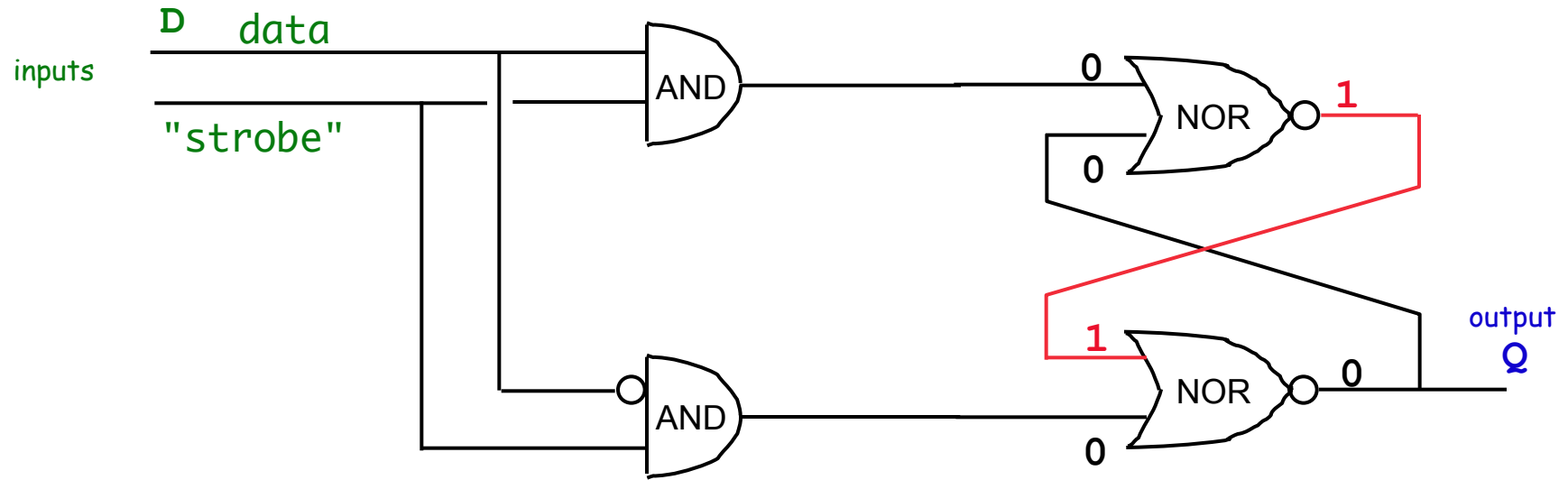
The D latch



1 bit of memory!

The D latch

The SR latch

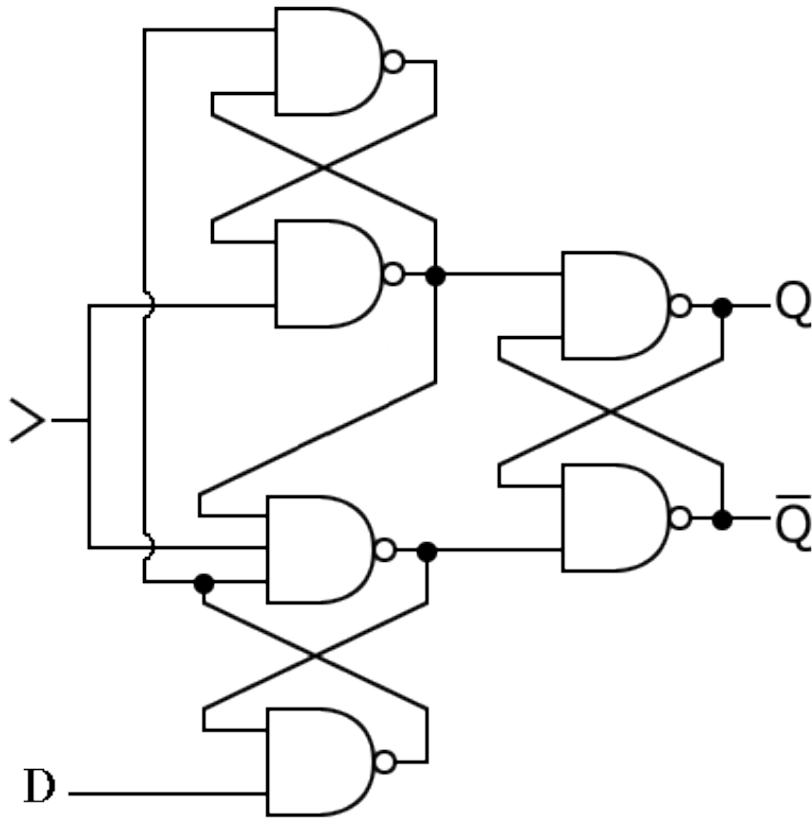


its circuit element

1 bit of memory!

Slightly Fancier Memory Elements

“Positive-edge-triggered D flip-flop ([http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Flip-flop_\(electronics\)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Flip-flop_(electronics)))”



"flip-flop"

Random Access Memory on-chip

"640K ought to be enough for anybody"

- not Bill Gates!



RAM!



A 512KB RAM
(About 4.2 million bits)



A 1GB RAM
(About 8.9 billion bits)

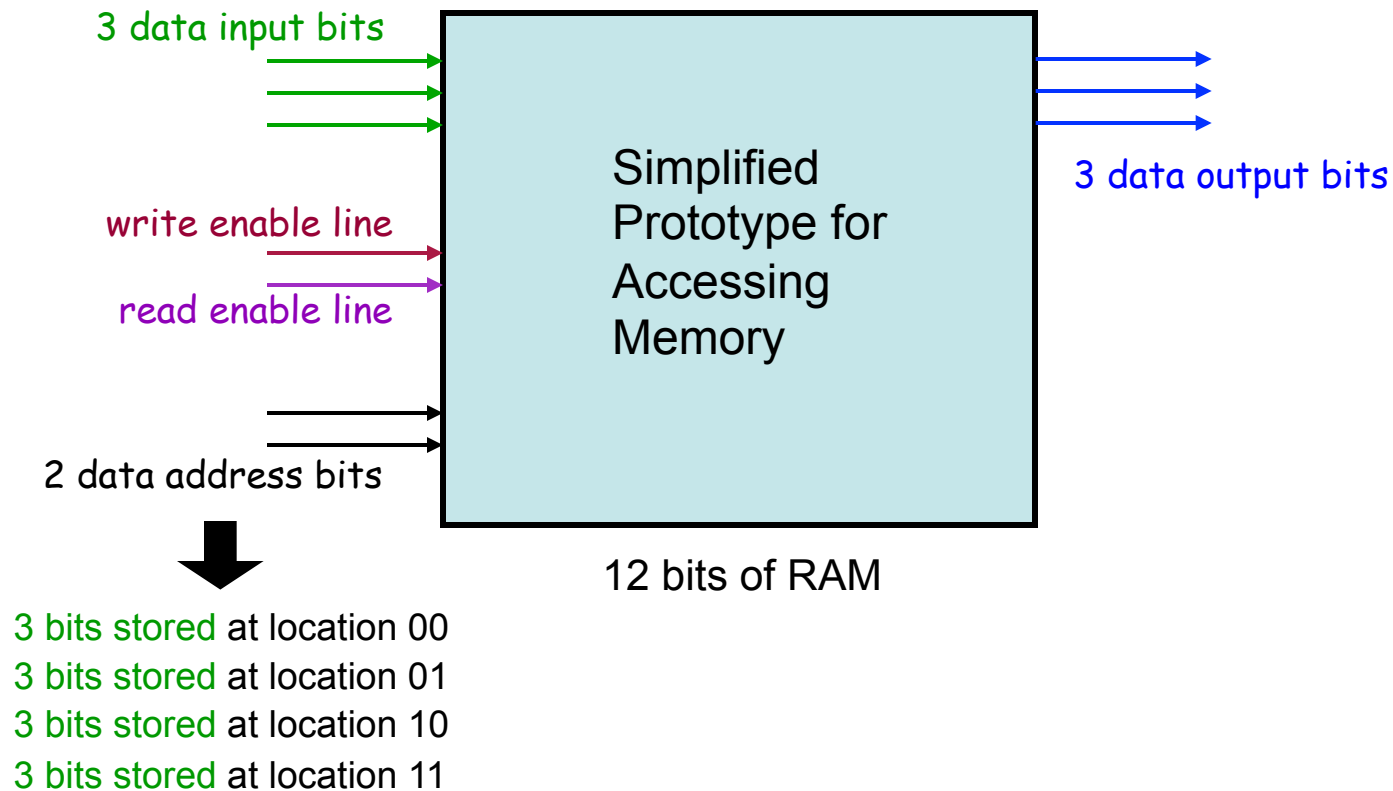
Random Access Memory on-chip"

We can use data latches to create a 12 nG bit RAM !



Inputs

Outputs

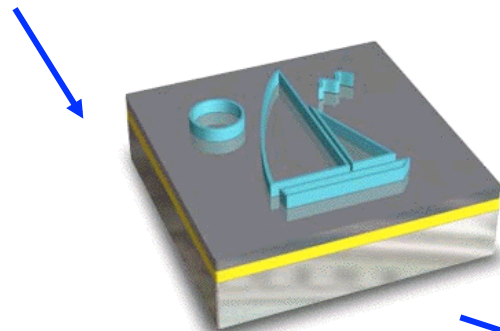
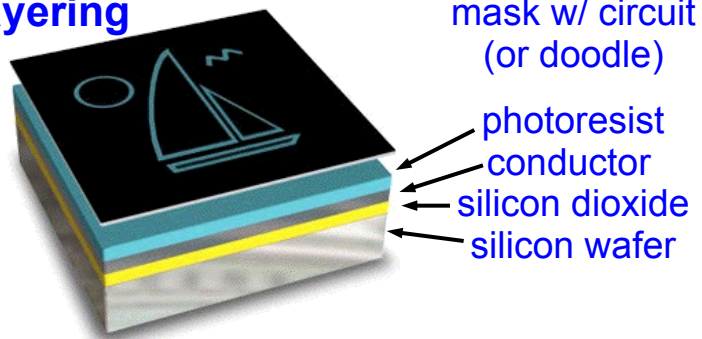


It's totally FAB

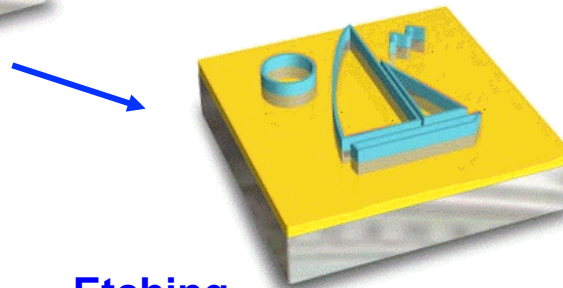
http://www.techfak.uni-kiel.de/matwis/amat/elmat_en/makeindex.html

How are all of these gates actually realized?

Layering



Lithography



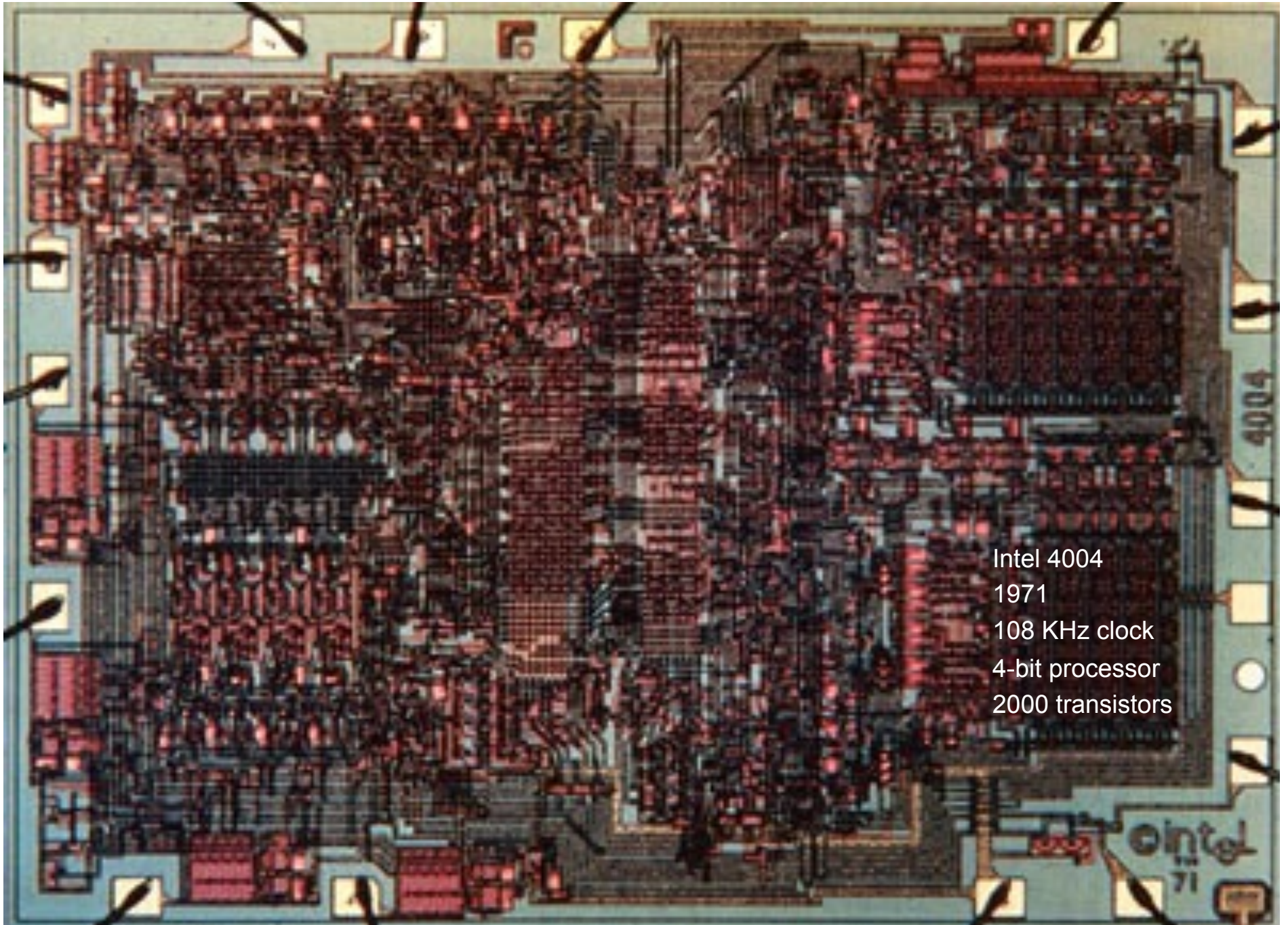
Etching



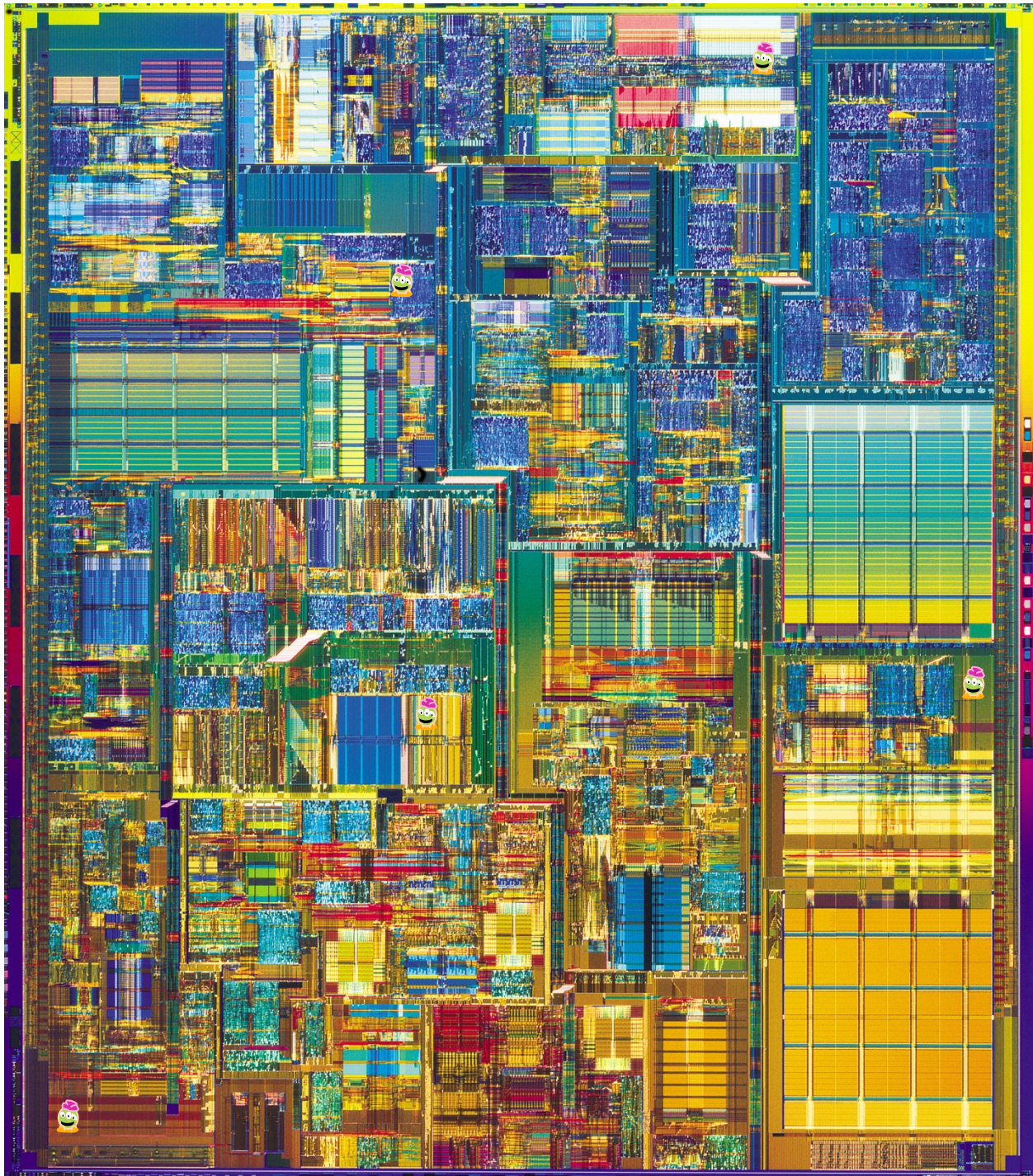
Cleaning



x 200 or so



Intel 4004
1971
108 KHz clock
4-bit processor
2000 transistors

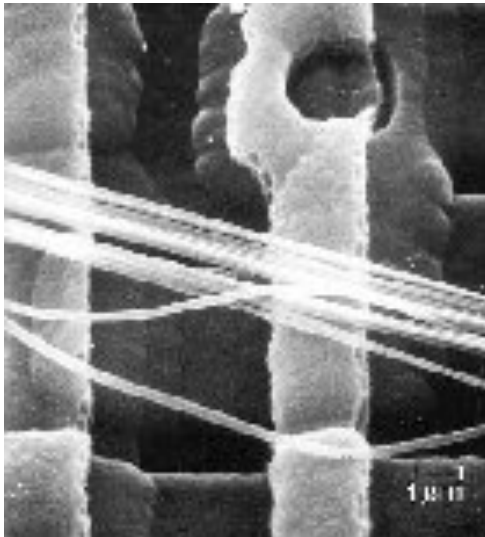
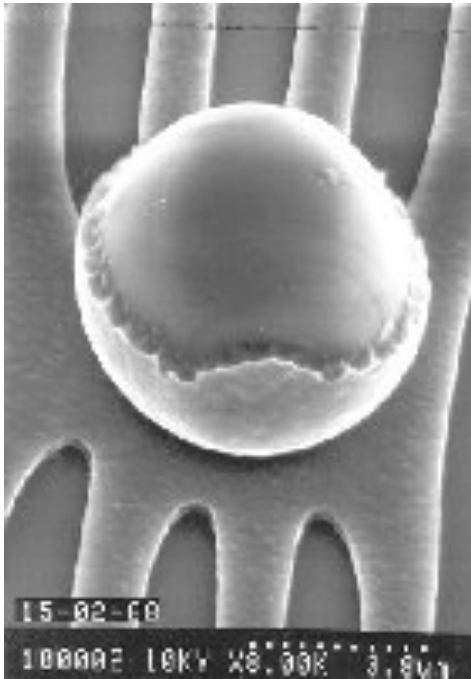


2000
Intel Pentium P4
1.5 GHz clock
32-bit processor
42 million transistors

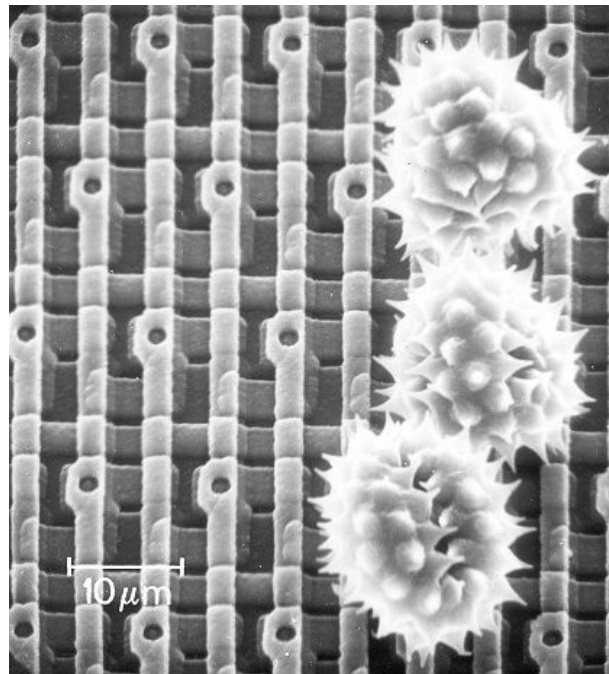
Ouch!

The enemy ...

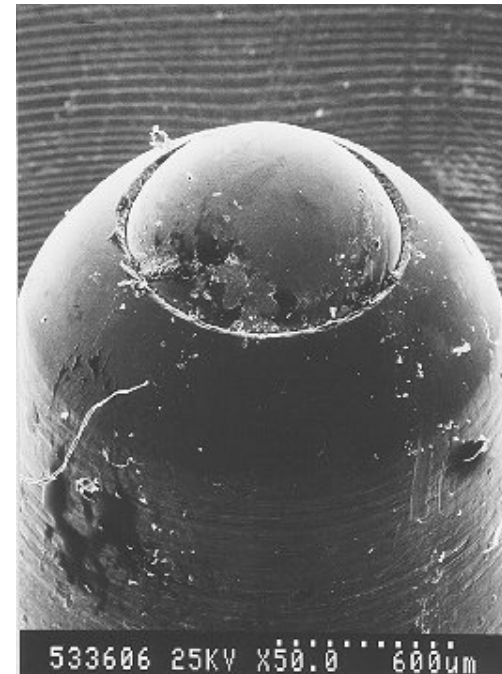
Keeping particles out of the fabrication process is paramount!



Nature still impresses...

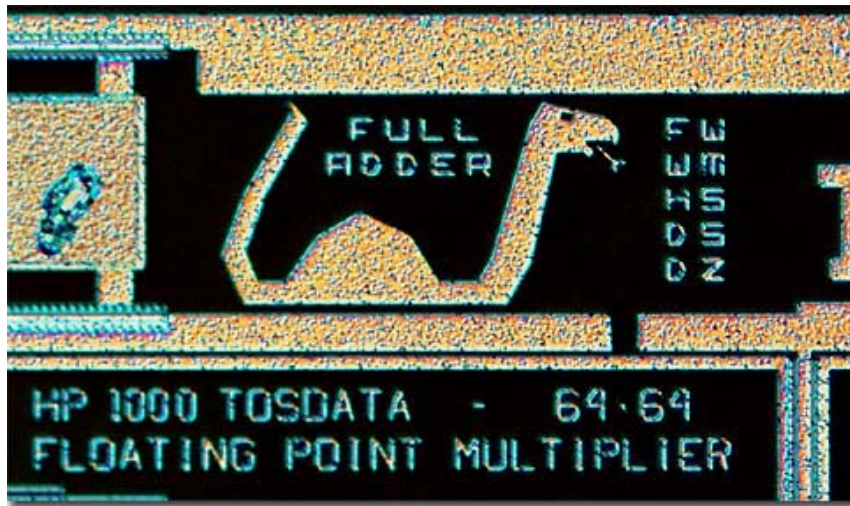
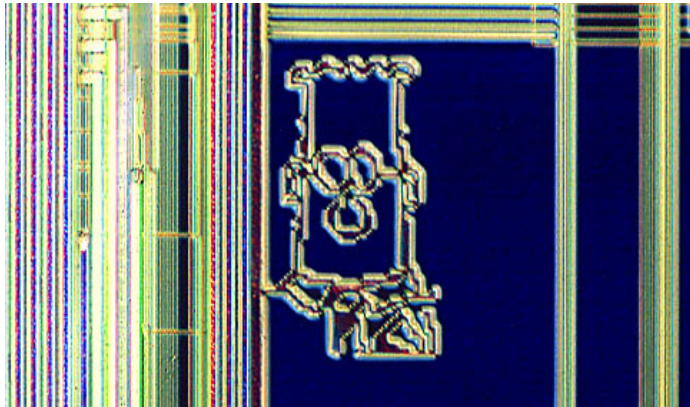


Pollen on a memory chip



A ruthless invader...

What to do with all that extra silicon?



The "silicon zoo": micro.magnet.fsu.edu/creatures/index.html

Assembly Language

```
loadn r0 42
add r2 r1 r0
sub r5 r4 r3
mul r11 r9 r8
div r6 r7 r12
halt
```

register-level programming

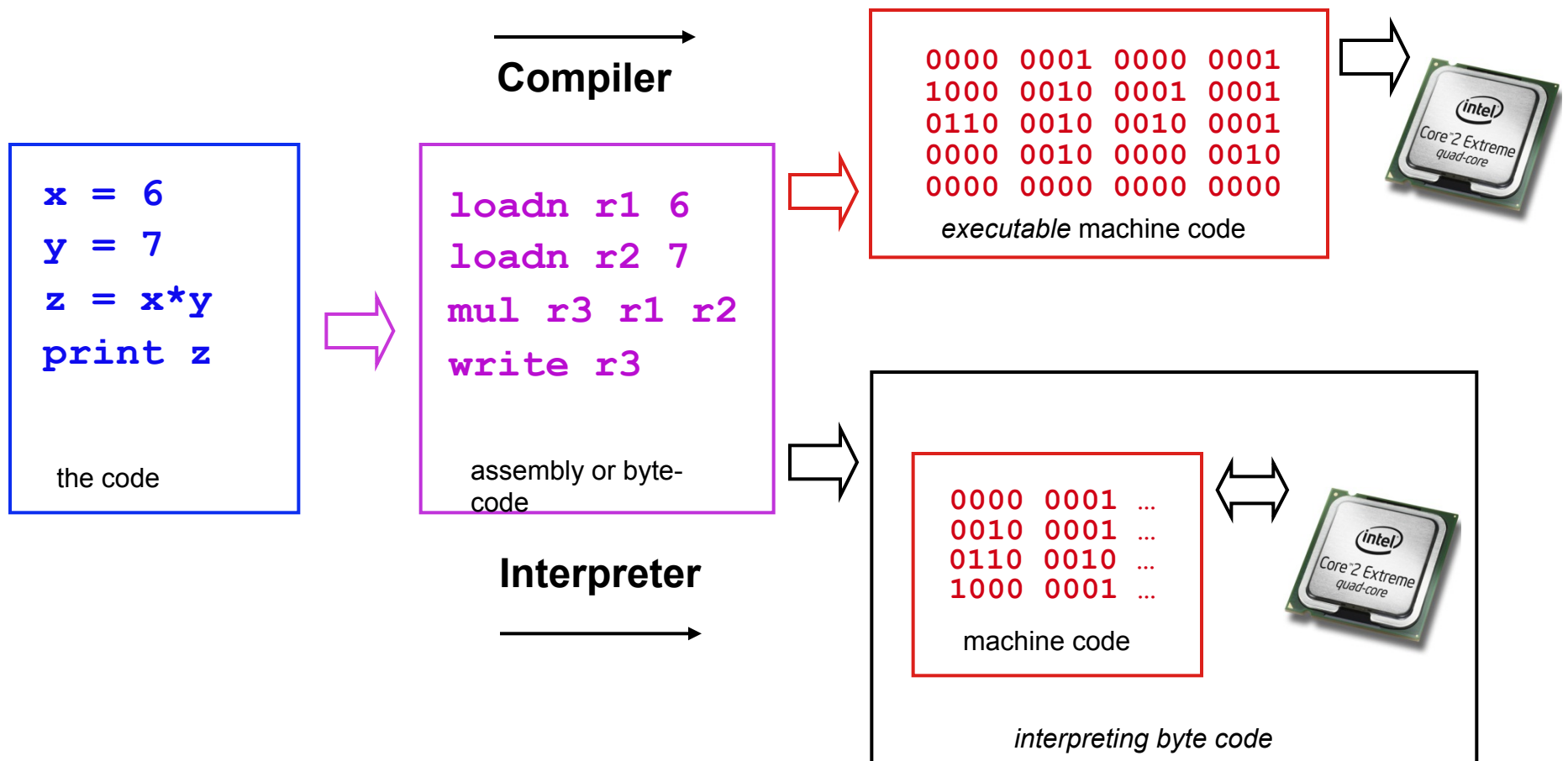
Machine Language

```
0011000000101010
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1000010101000011
1001101110011000
1010011001111100
0000000000000000
```

bit-level programming

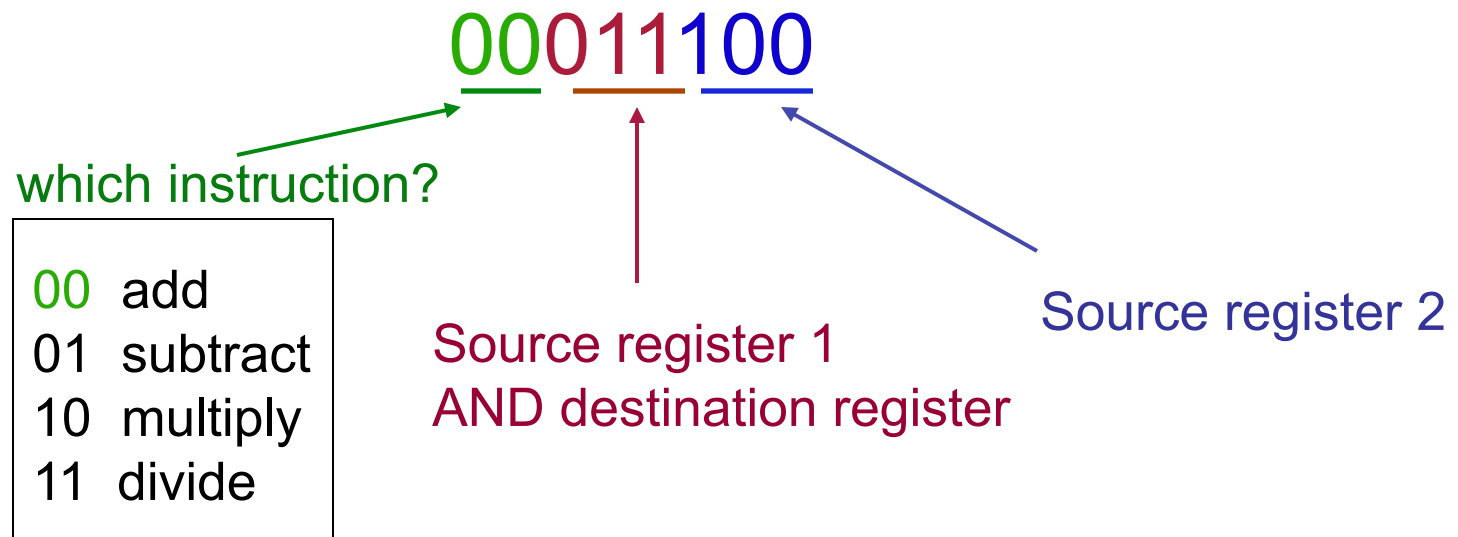
the compiler

a program that translates from human-usable language into assembly language and machine language



What's in an instruction

One possible (simplified, not Hmmm!) instruction set architecture

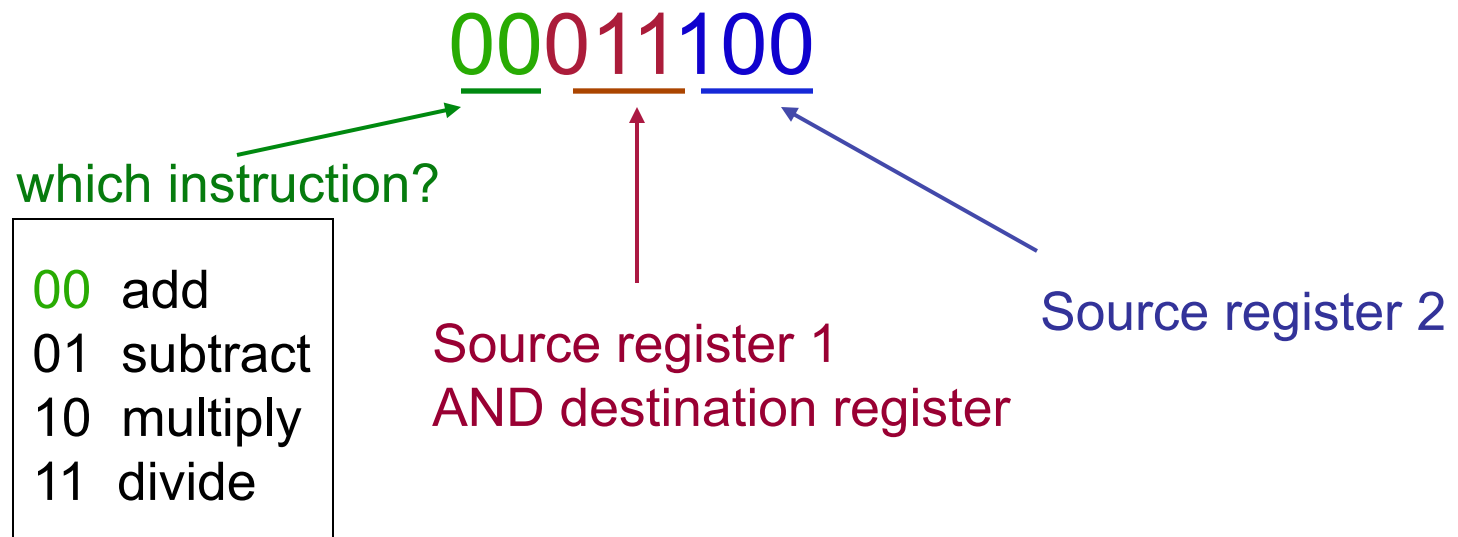


"Add the value in register 3 to the value in register 4 and put the result back in register 3"

Instructions are just 1s and 0s... it is up to the computer architect to give the 1s and 0s meaning.

What's in an instruction

One possible instruction set architecture



"Add the value in register 3 to the value in register 4 and put the result back in register 3"

The computer architect builds circuitry to make this computation happen... but what does that circuitry look like...?

A 4-instruction 2-bit ALU (Arithmetic-Logic Unit)

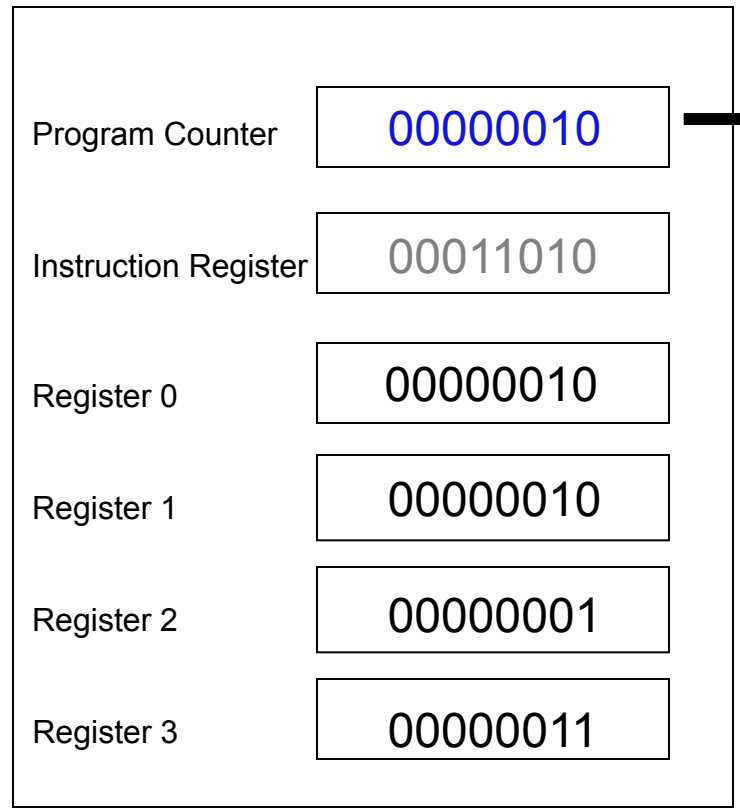
<u>op1</u>	<u>op2</u>	<u>x1</u>	<u>x2</u>	<u>y1</u>	<u>y2</u>	<u>out1</u>	<u>out2</u>
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
...							
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0
...							
0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
...							
1	0	1	1	1	0		
1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1

00	add
01	subtract
10	multiply
11	divide

A Computer!

00 add
 01 subtract
 10 multiply
 11 divide

The RAM (memory) contains the program
 (and possibly some data as well)



Central Processing Unit (CPU)

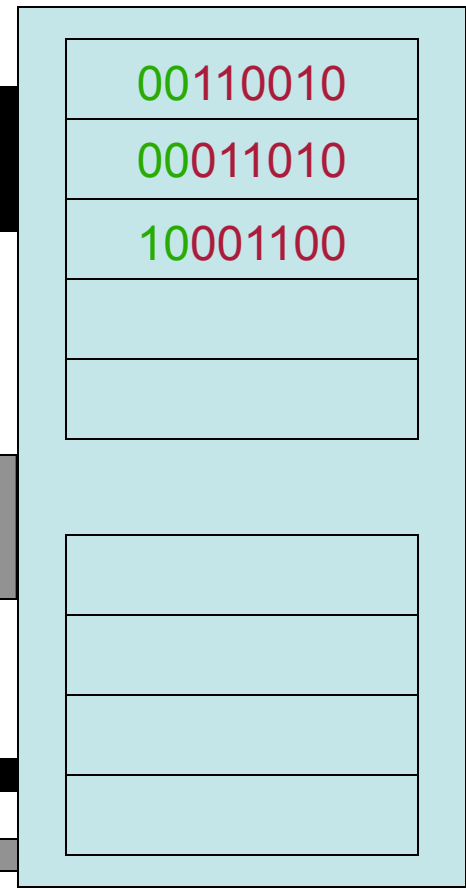
8 bit address

8 bit data in

1

Read

Write



Memory

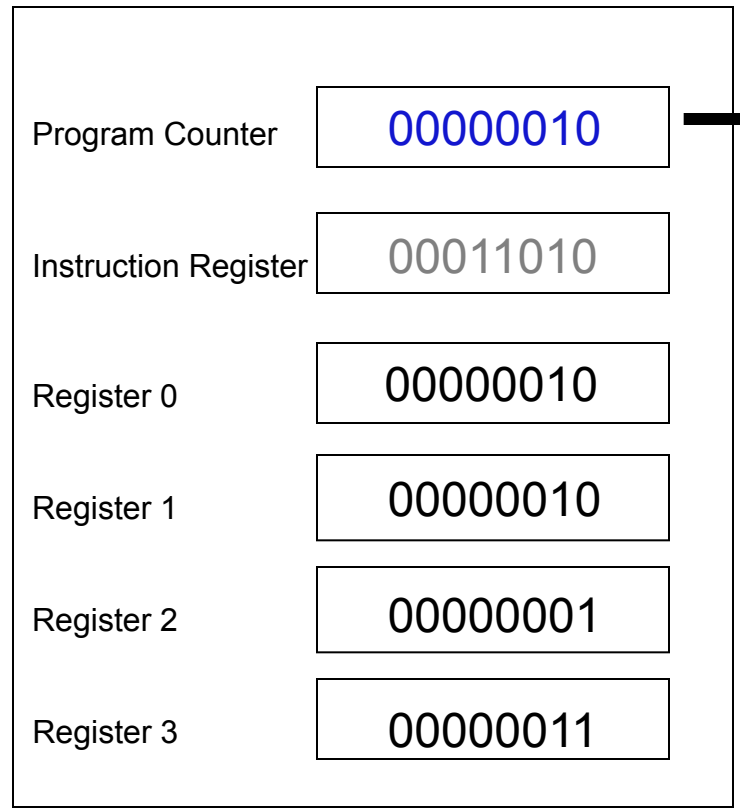
Memory Location	
Binary	Base 10
00000000	0
00000001	1
00000010	2
00000011	3
00000100	4
...	...
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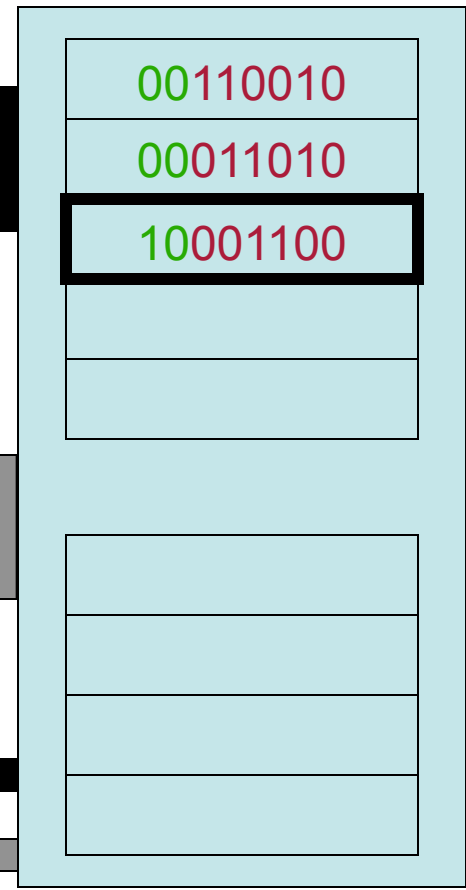
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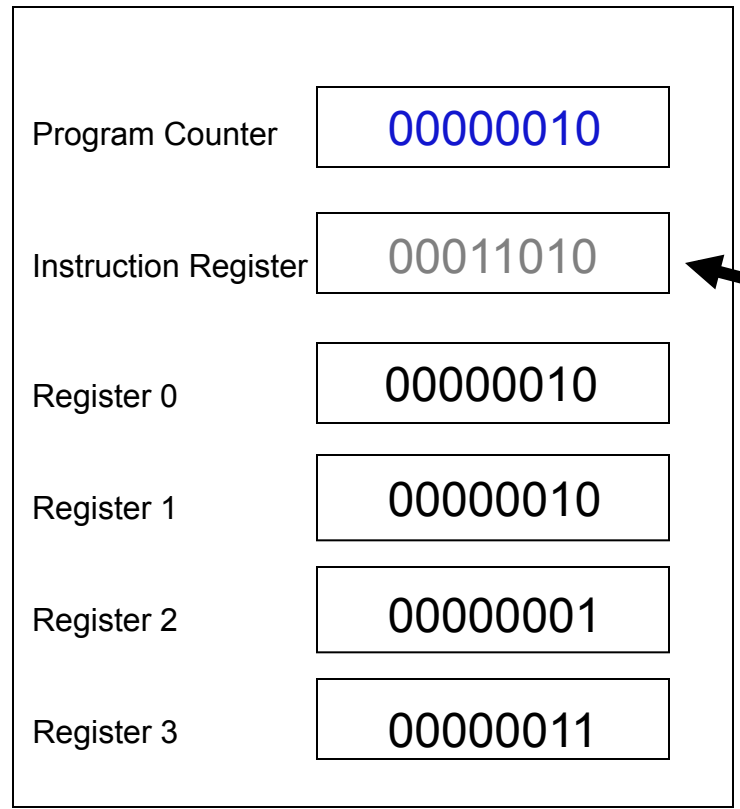
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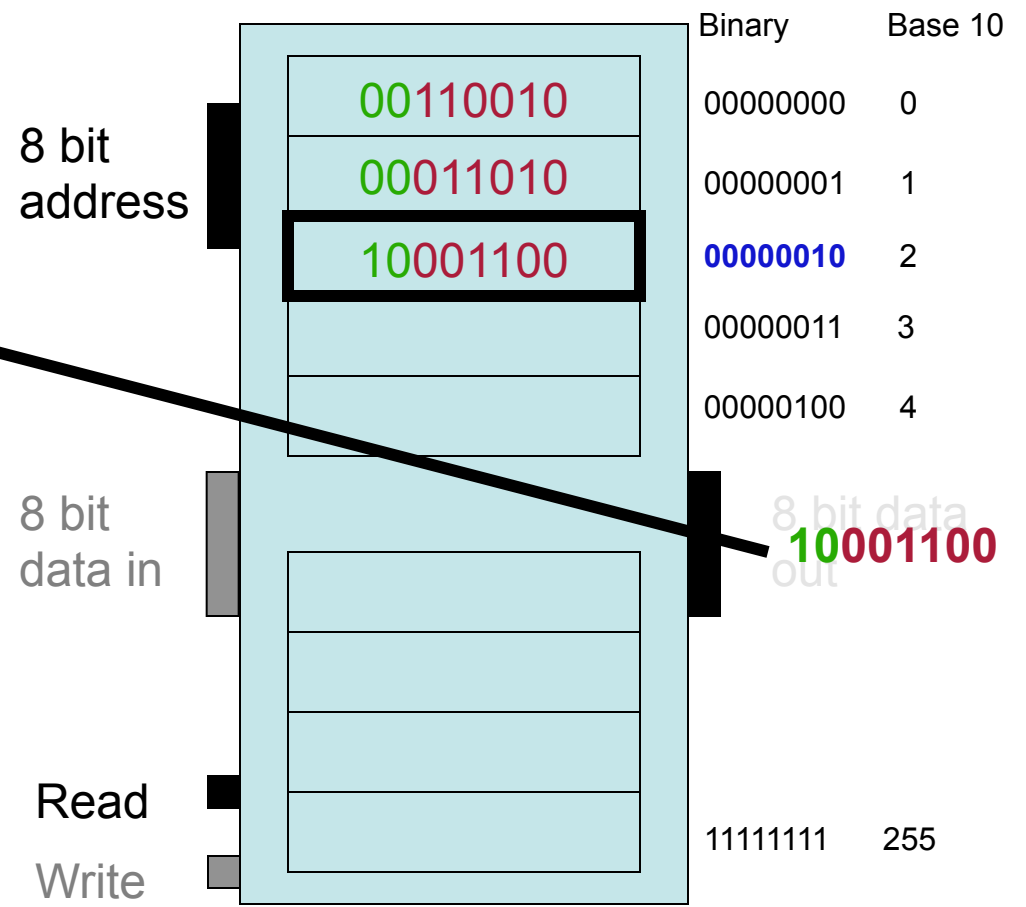
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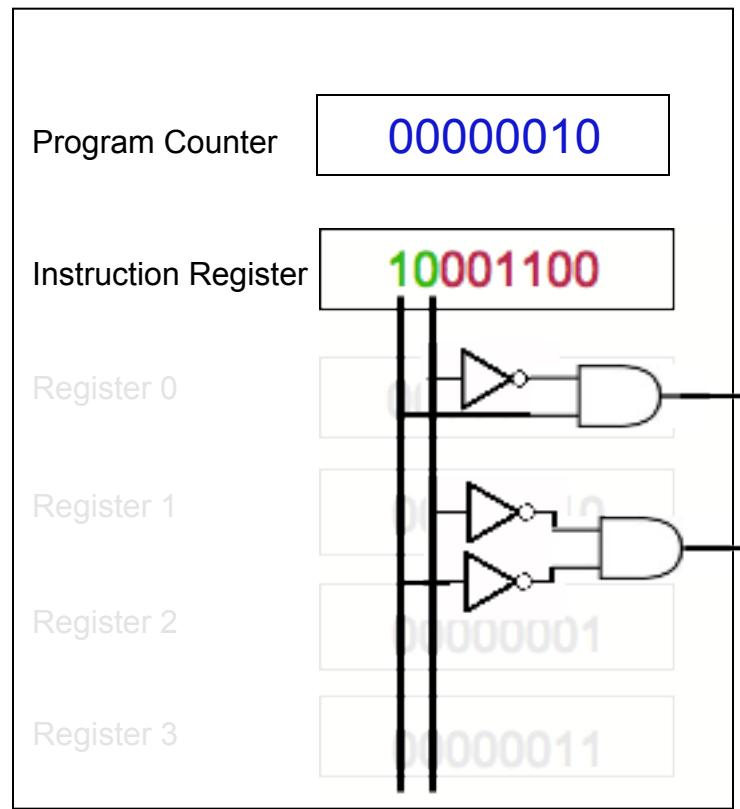


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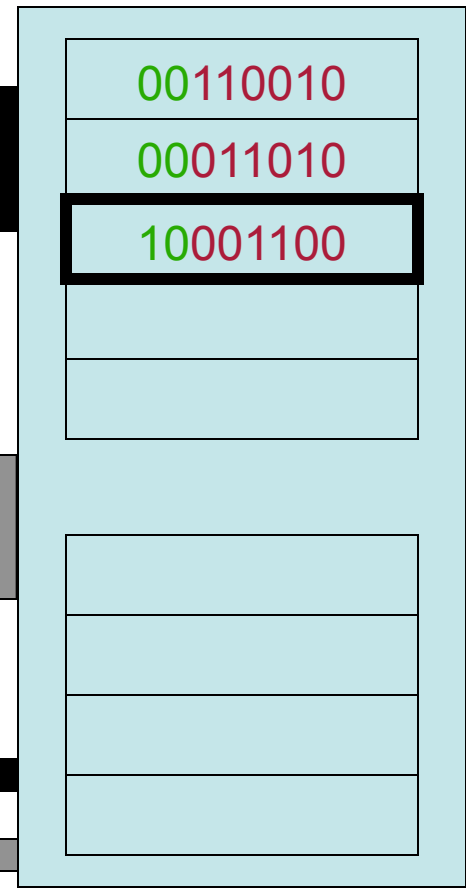


Central Processing Unit (CPU)

8 bit address

8 bit data in

Read
Write



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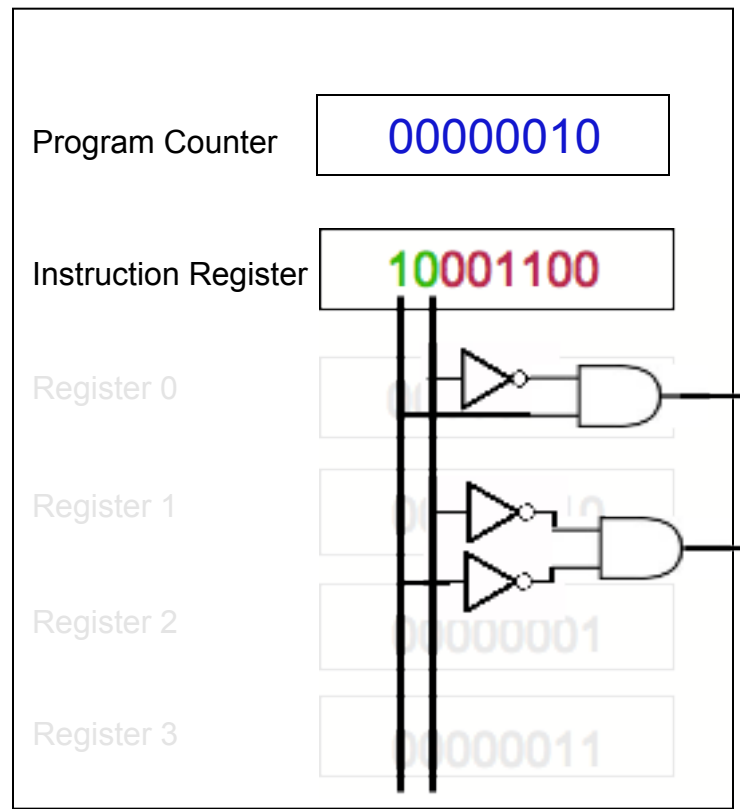
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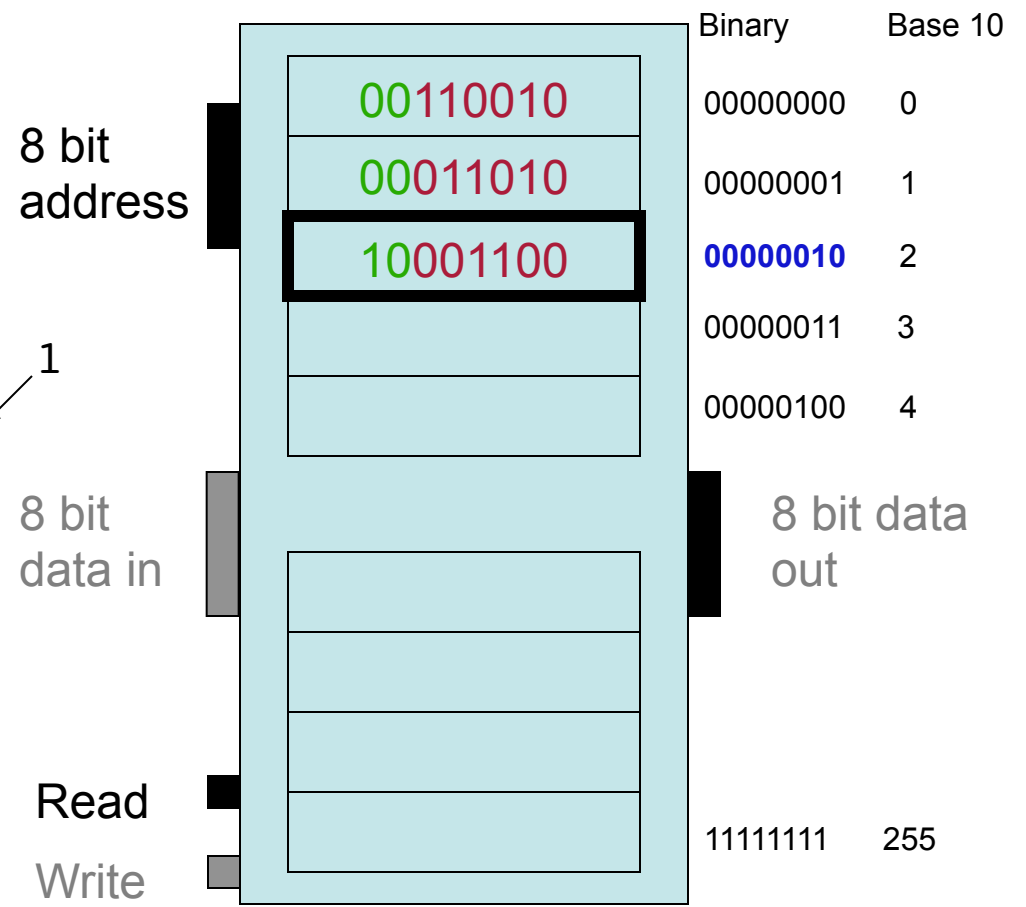
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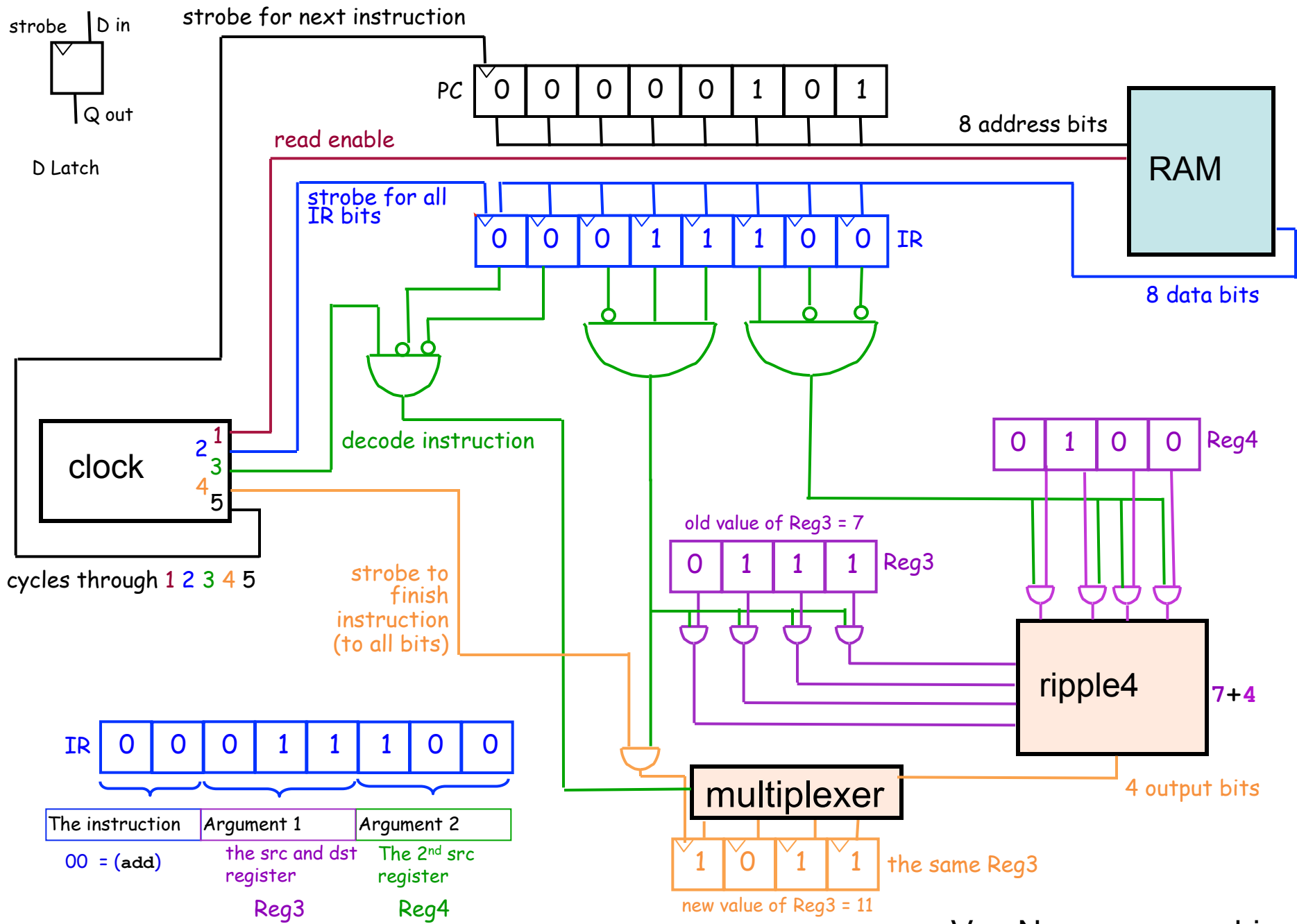
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The fetch-execute cycle



The instruction	Argument 1	Argument 2
00 = (add)	the src and dst register	The 2 nd src register
	Reg3	Reg4

Instruction Decoding Guide

a Von Neumann machine

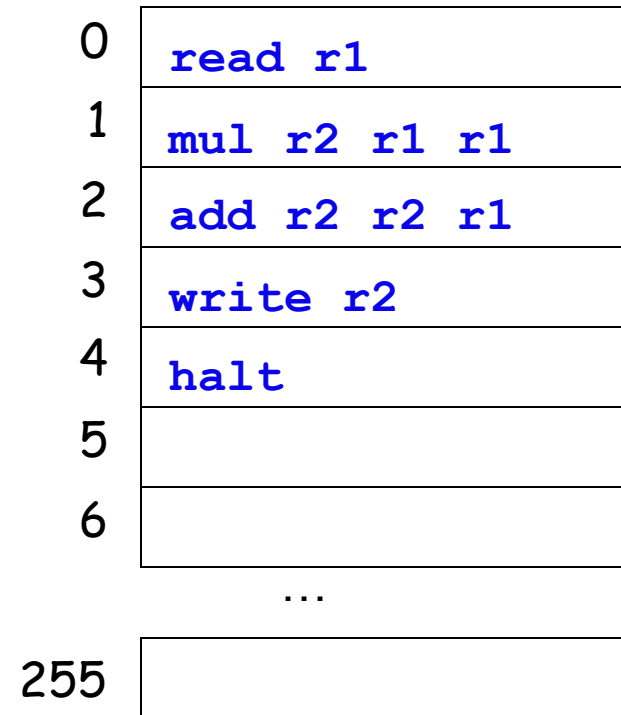
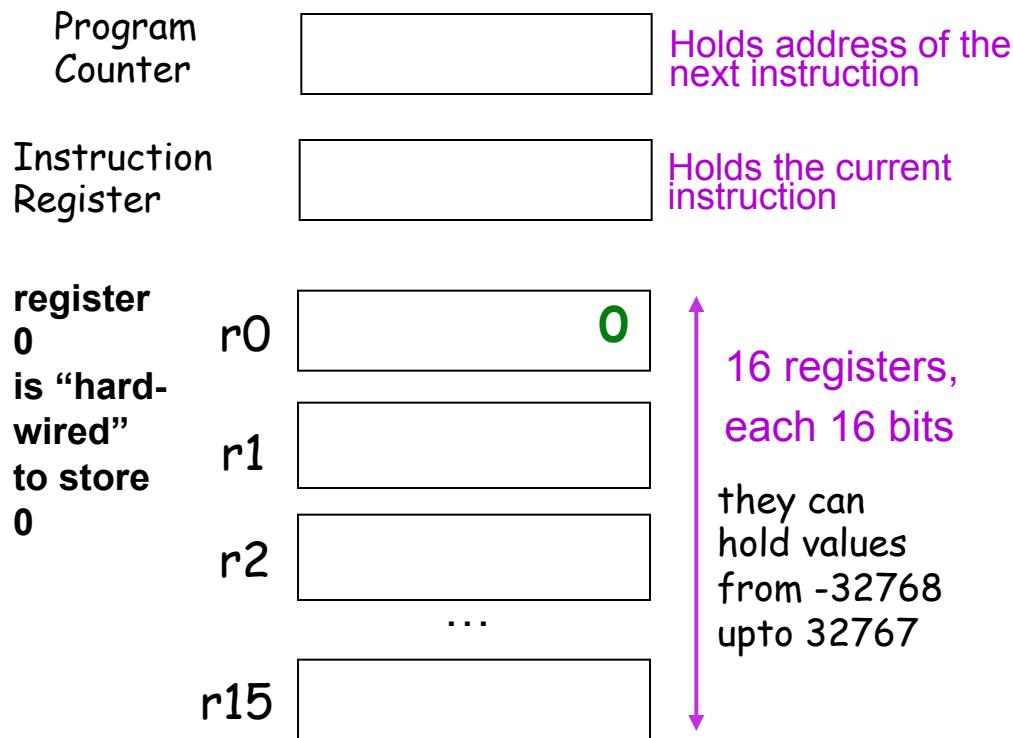
Hmmm

The Harvey Mudd Miniature Machine

CPU
central processing unit

← Von Neumann bottleneck →

RAM
random access memory



255 memory locations of 16 bits

Hmmm

NOTE:

The Hmmm "machine" is does not exist in hardware.

It exists in simulation only (in Python).

After next Monday,
it may also exist in Logisim...

Program Counter

Instruction Register

register 0 is "hard-wired" to store 0

r15



255



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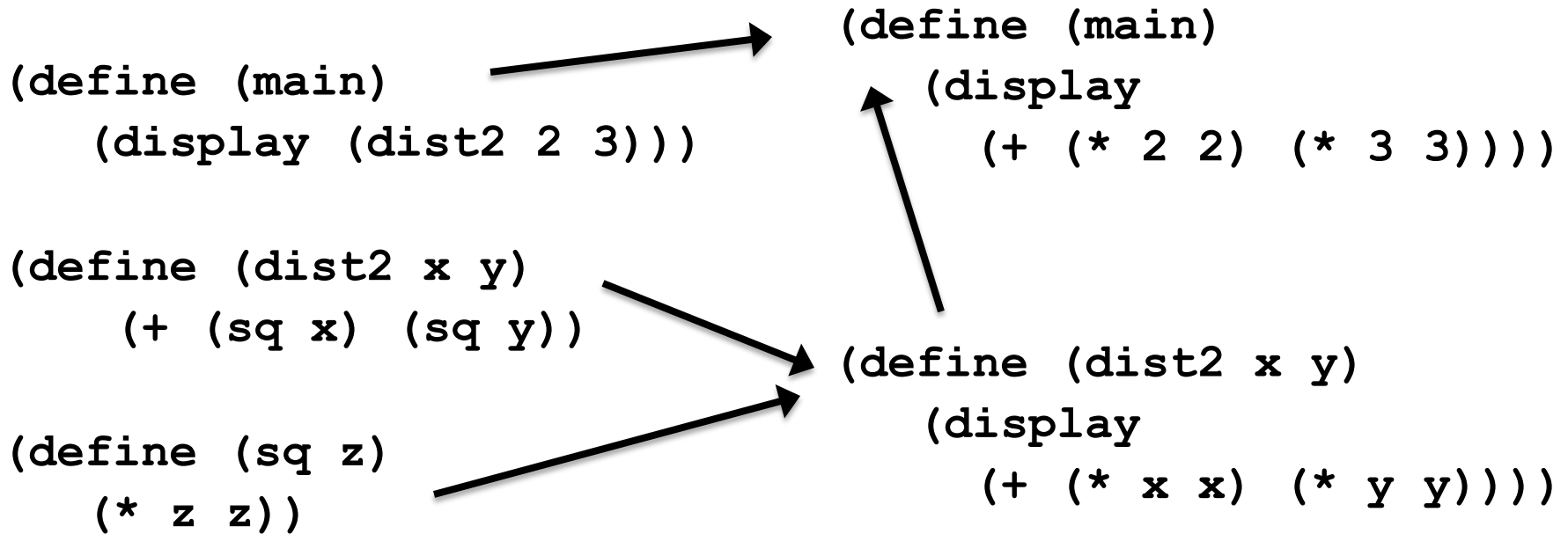
Function Calls in HMMM?

```
(define (main)
  (display (dist2 2 3)))
```

```
(define (dist2 x y)
  (+ (sq x) (sq y)))
```

```
(define (sq z)
  (* z z))
```

Option 1: Inlining



Option 2: Call And Return

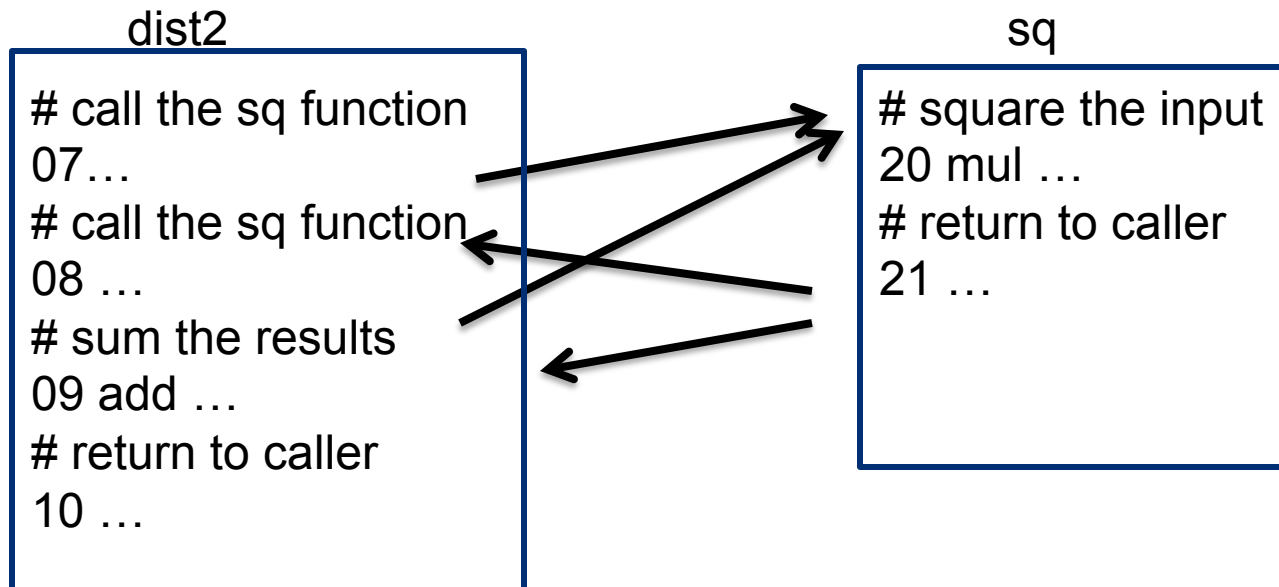
Each function is a single block of machine code

When dist2 calls sq:

code for dist2 jumps to the code for sq

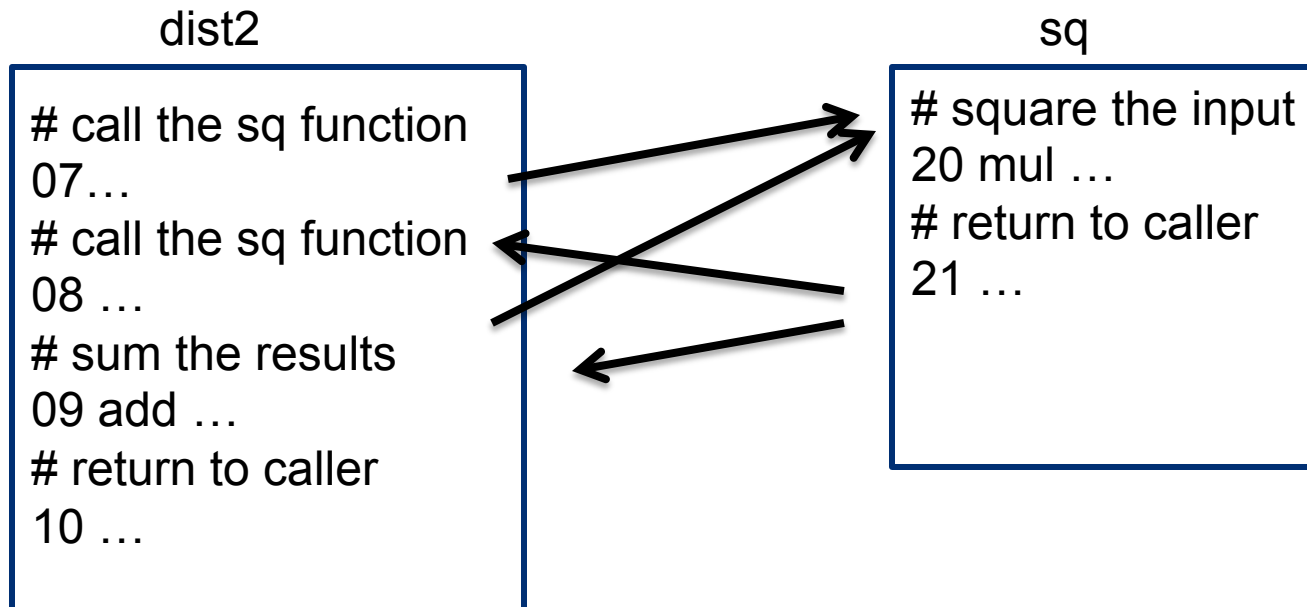
When sq is done:

jump back into the middle of dist2
(immediately after the jump to sq)



Calling Conventions

How does sq know what “the input” is?
How does dist2 know where to jump **to**?
How does sq know where to jump **back to**?
How do we keep sq from overwriting the registers that dist2 cares about?



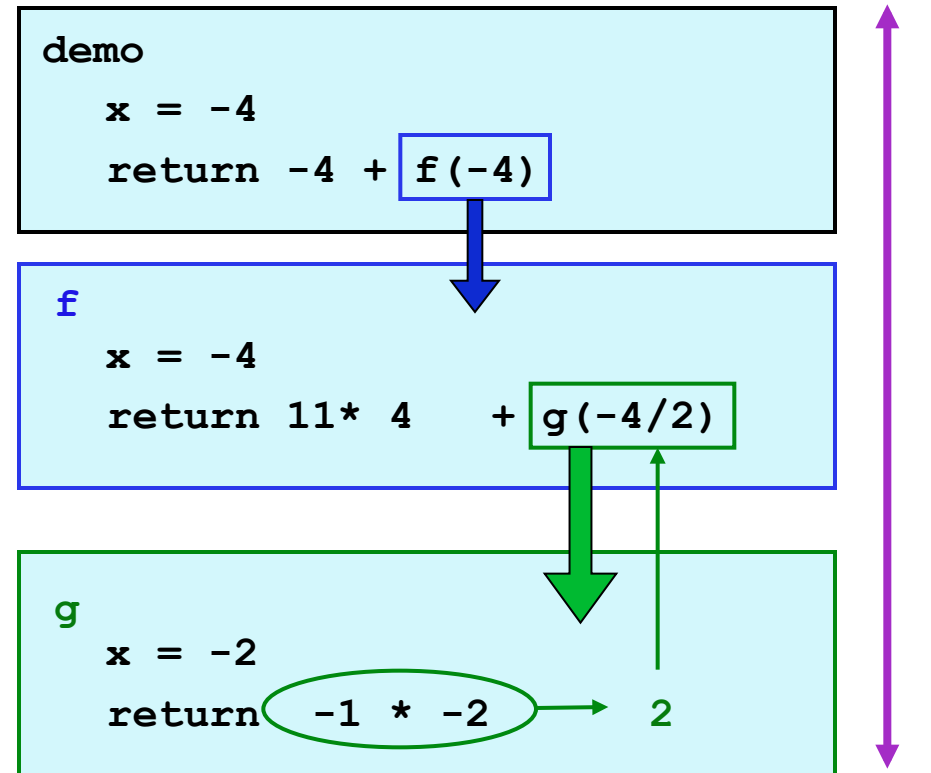
Remember function *stacking*?

```
(define (demo x)
  (+ x (f x)))
```

```
(define (f x)
  (+ (* 11 (g x))
     (g (/ x 2))))
```

```
(define (g x)
  (* -1 x))
```

What is `demo(-4)` ?



"The stack"

Remembers separate functions' values for variables...

Remembers where to send results back to...

HMMM Conventions

Register agreement + the STACK

OUR "agreements":

function inputs **r1, r2, ...**

return value **r13**

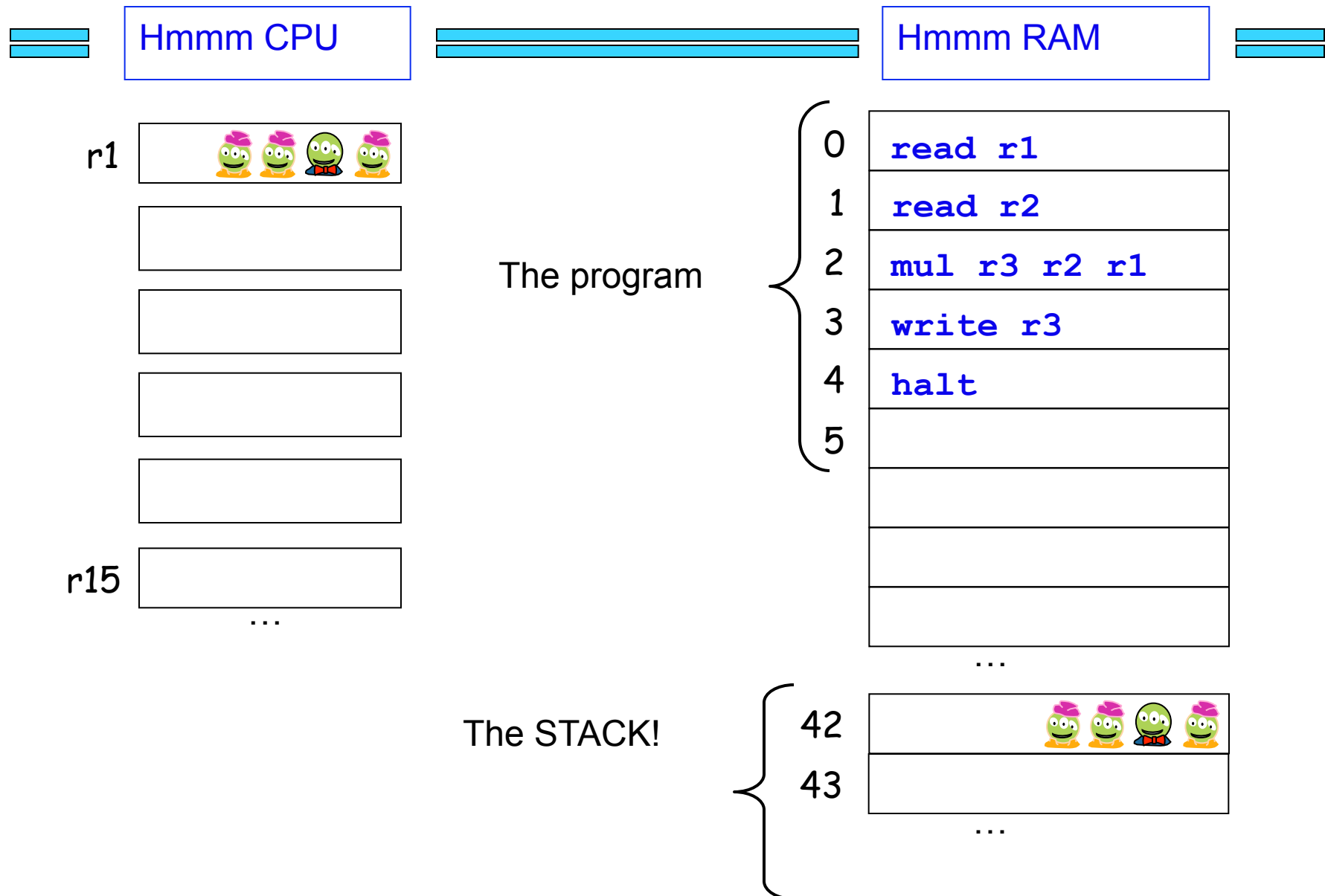
return address **r14**

stack pointer **r15**

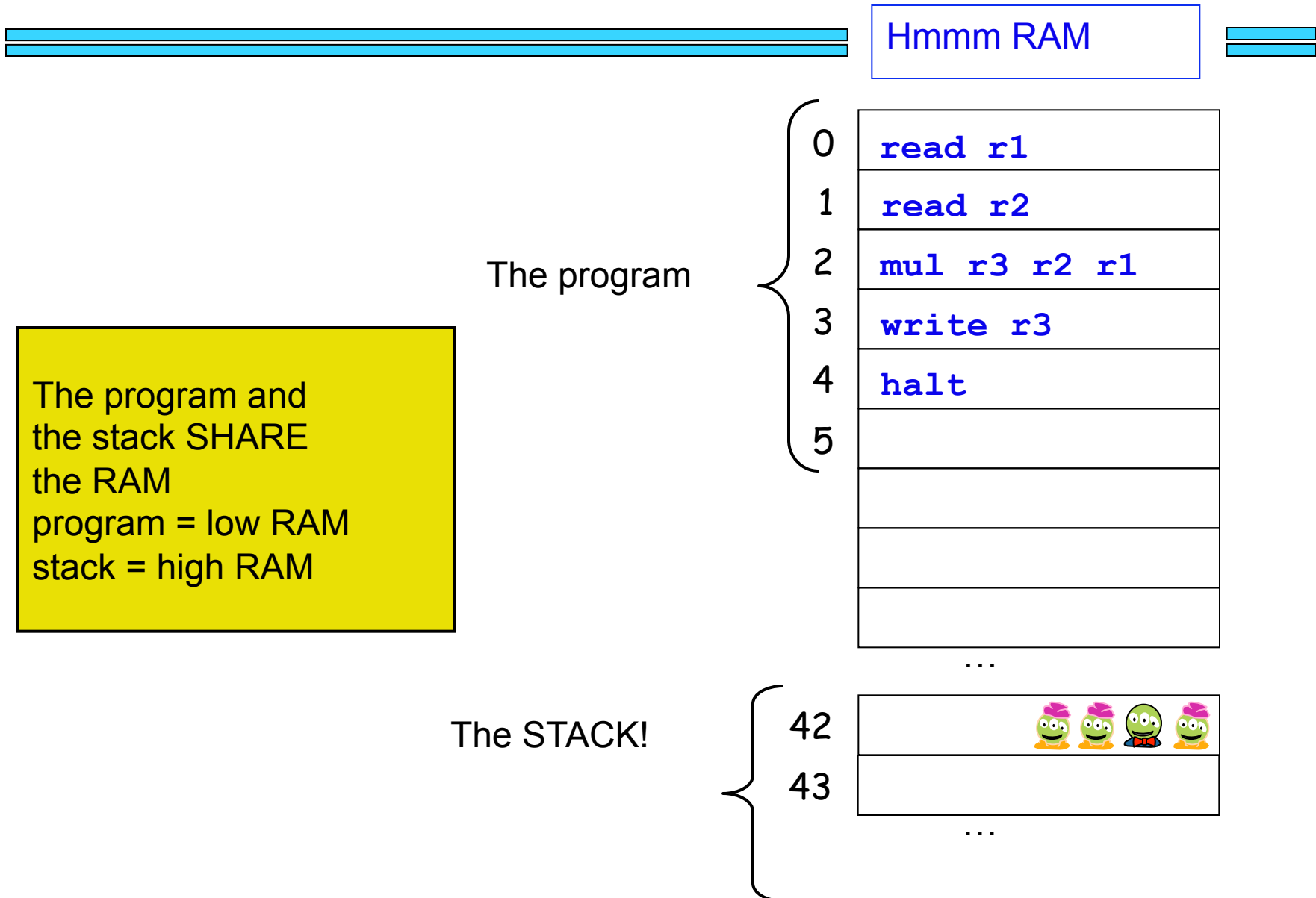
When a function calls another function it will...

1. Save all of its important data in the stack
2. Put the inputs in r1, r2, r3...
3. Call the function...
4. (automatically) storing its return address in r14
5. And expect the results in r13
6. Retrieve its data from the stack

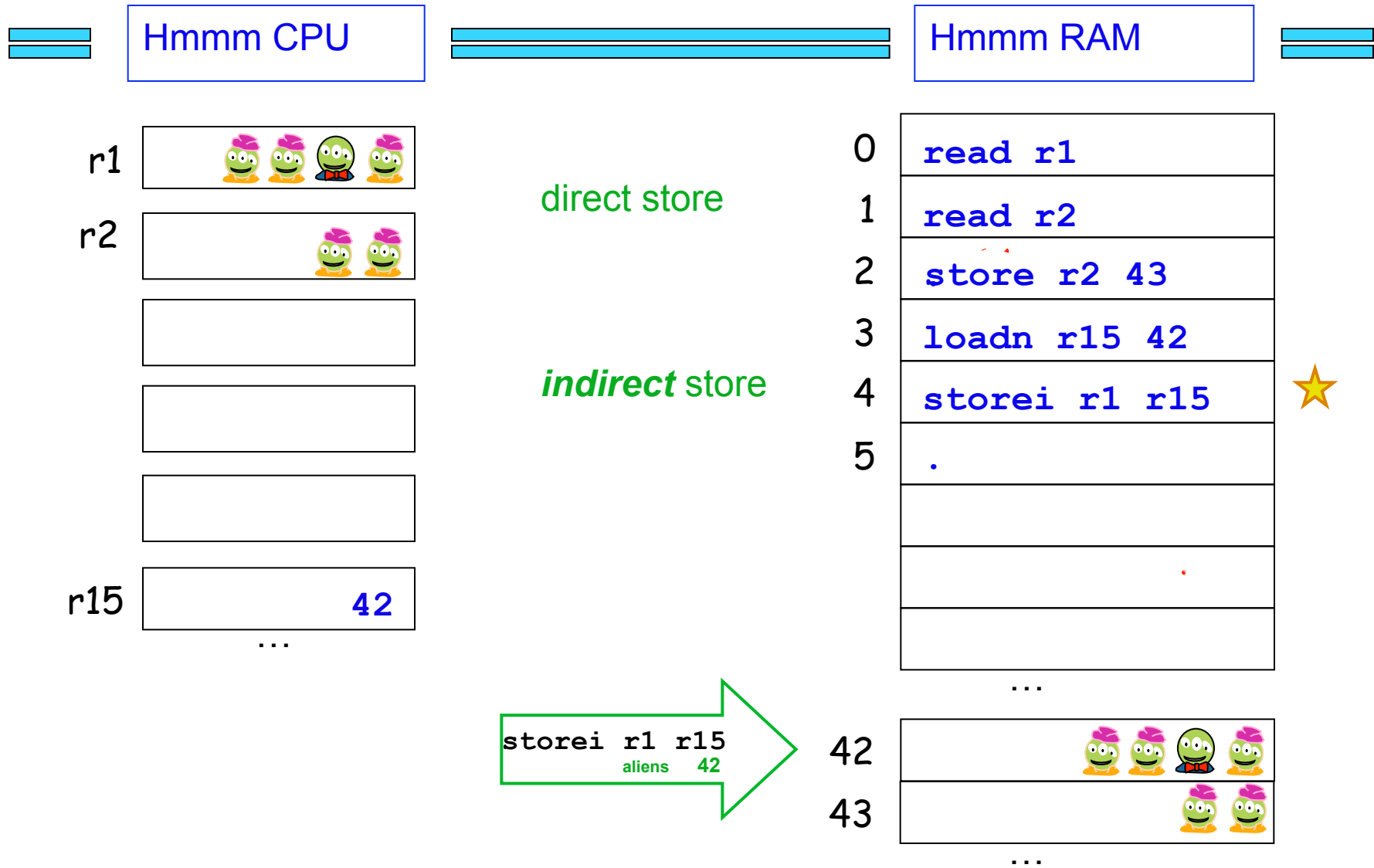
Where is the stack?



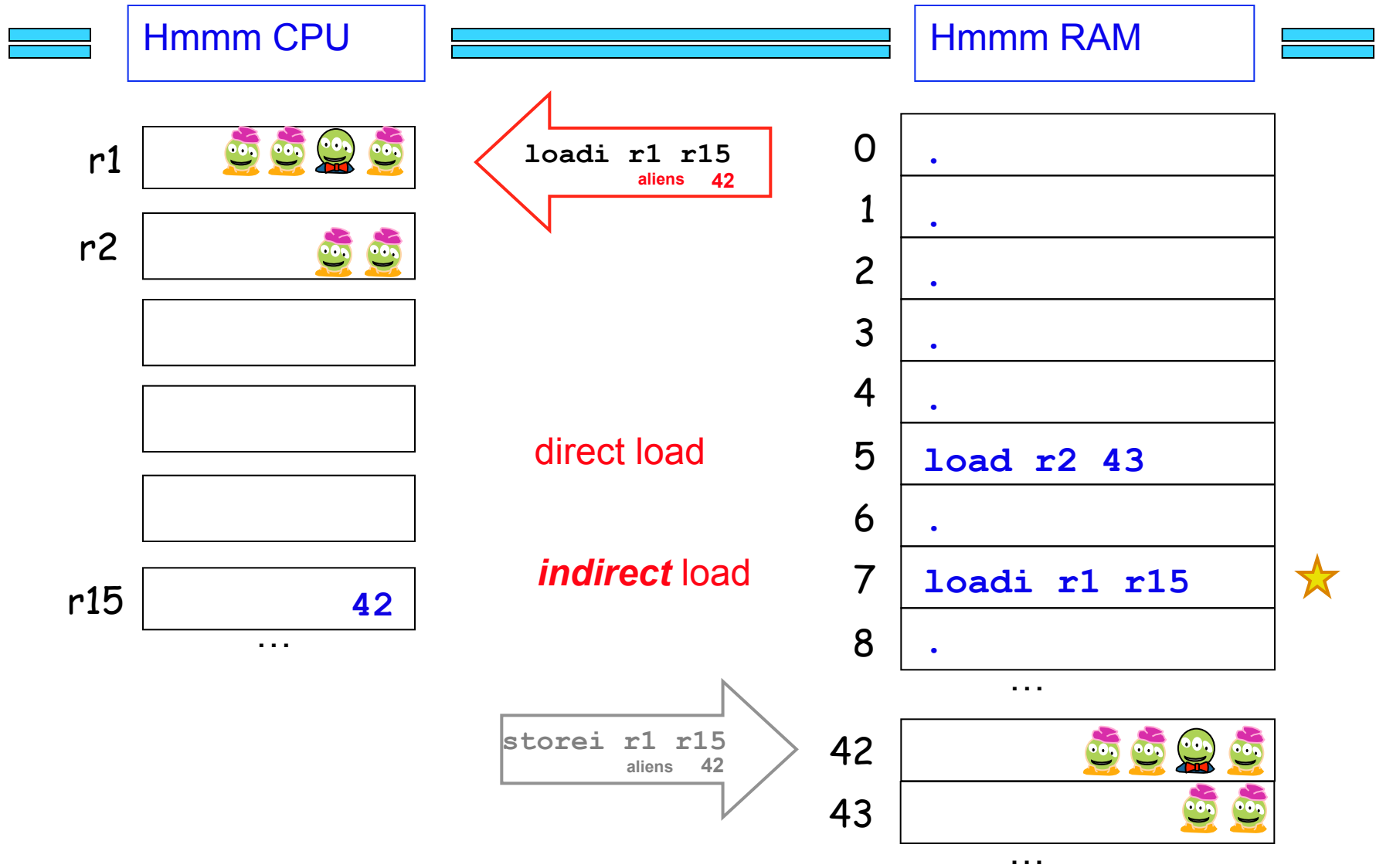
Key Idea: What's in RAM



store goes TO memory



load comes FROM memory



call

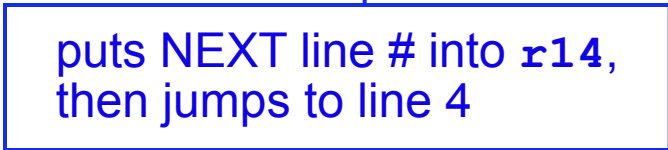
A function call in Racket:

```
(define (main)
  (let* ((r1 (read-line))
        (result (demo r1)))
    (display result)))
```

```
(define (demo x)
  (+ x (f x)))
```

Hmmm's `call`
operation:

```
call r14 4
```



puts NEXT line # into `r14`,
then jumps to line 4

How functions REALLY work...

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I want my input in **r1**, and I'll put my output in **r13**

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  (+ (* 11 (g x))
    (g (/ x 2))))
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03 write r13         # Demo has returned,
                    # so just write and halt
04 halt
```

TBD

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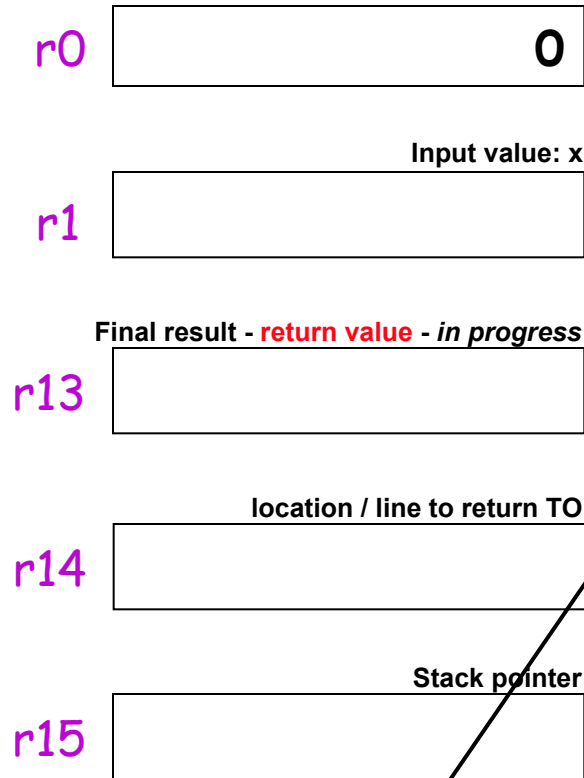
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# Prepare: store data
05 storei r1 r15     # Store x on the stack
06 addn r15 1        # Increment stack pointer
07 storei r14 r15    # Store our return address
08 addn r15 1        # increment the stack pointer
                    # Prepare input: r1 already
                    # contains x
09 call r14 F        # Call f(x)
10 addn r15 -1       # F has returned. decre sp
11 loadi r14 r15     # Get our return address
12 addn r15 -1       # decrement the stack pointer
13 loadi r1 r15      # Get x back
14 add r13 r13 r1    # r13 = f(x) + x
15 jumpi r14        # Demo is done so return
```

CPU (registers)



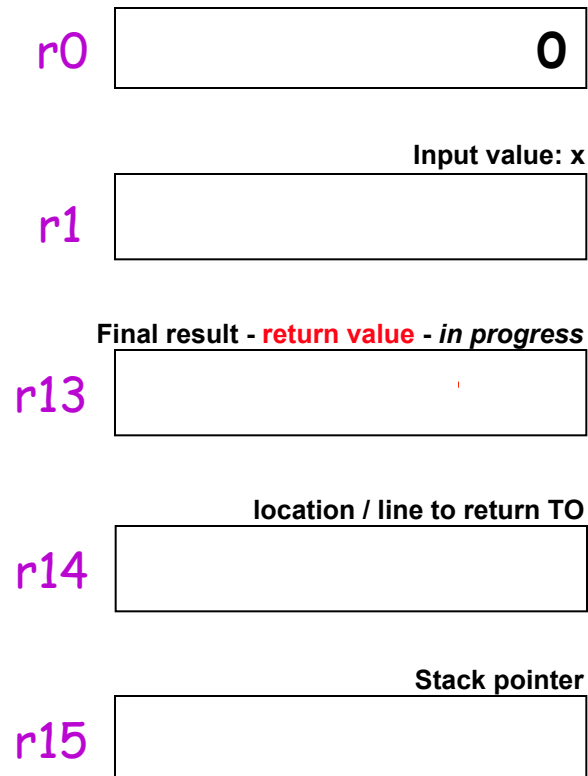
Main memory (RAM)

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# contains x
09 call r14 F # Call f(x)
10 addn r15 -1 # F has returned. decre sp
11 loadi r14 r15 # Get our return address
12 addn r15 -1 # decrement the stack pointer
13 loadi r1 r15 # Get x back
14 add r13 r13 r1 # r13 = f(x) + x
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```

Let's say SA is 50...
(We can't really know until we know
how much code we have)

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Main memory (RAM)

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02 call r14 5        # Call demo, starts at line 9
03 write r13         # Demo has returned,
                    # so just write and halt
04 halt

                    # ** demo begins here **
                    # First calculate f(x)
                    # Prepare: store data
05 storei r1 r15     # Store x on the stack
06 addn r15 1        # Increment stack pointer
07 storei r14 r15    # Store our return address
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Store data

Prepare data to pass

Call function

Restore data
(in REVERSE order)

```
(define (main)
  (let* ((r1 (read-line))
        (result (demo r1)))
    (display result)))
```

```
(define (demo x)
  (+ x (f x)))
```

```
(define (f x)
  (+ (* 11 (g x))
     (g (/ x 2))))
```

```
(define (g x)
  (* -1 x))
```

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07 storei r14 r15    # Store our return address
08 addn r15 1        # increment the stack pointer
                                # Prepare input: r1 already
                                # contains x
09 call r14 16       # Call f(x)
10 addn r15 -1       # F has returned. decr sp
11 loadi r14 r15     # Get our return address
12 addn r15 -1       # decrement the stack pointer
13 loadi r1 r15      # Get x back
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```

# ****f begins here
16 storei r1 r15 # store our x
17 addn r15 1 # increment the stack pointer
18 storei r14 r15 # store our return address
19 addn r15 1 # increment the stack pointer
# r1 already contains x
20 call r14 44 # Call g(x)
# g(x) has returned
21 addn r15 -1 # decrement the stack pointer
22 loadi r14 r15 # get our return address back
23 addn r15 -1 # decrement the stack pointer
24 loadi r1 r15 # get x back
25 loadn r5 11 # load 11 into r5
26 mul r5 r13 r5 # r5 = 11*g(x)
27 storei r1 r15 # store x, prep for g again
28 addn r15 1 # increment stack pointer
29 storei r5 r15 # store our intermediate calculation
30 addn r15 1 # increment stack pointer
31 storei r14 r15 # store our return address
32 addn r15 1 # increment stack pointer
33 loadn r6 2 # prepare input
34 div r1 r1 r6 # x = x / 2
35 call r14 44 # call g(x/2)
36 addn r15 -1 # g is back, decr sp
37 loadi r14 r15 # get the return address
38 addn r15 -1 # decrement sp
39 loadi r5 r15 # get our intermediate value
40 addn r15 -1 # decrement the stack
41 loadi r1 r15 # get x back
42 add r13 r13 r5 # return g(x/2) + 11*g(x) (r13 + r5)
43 jumpi r14 # F is done!

# *** g starts here ***
44 loadn r5 -1 # prepare to multiply
45 mul r13 r1 r5 # return -1 * x
46 jumpi r14 # done, so return
```

Implementing functions

non-destructively!



(0) Use `r15` as the *stack pointer*.

```
loadn r15 42
```

or some other large-enough value

(1) Before the function call,

Store all valuable data to the stack

```
storei r1 r15  
addn r15 1
```

store the return address `r14`
and the inputs: `r1`, `(r2)`, `(r3)`

(2) Get `r1`, `(r2)`, `(r3)`, ... ready as function "inputs."

There may or may not be some lines of code necessary to do this.

(3) Make the function call.

The result, if any, will be in `r13`.

```
call r14 #
```

line # of the function

(4) After the function call,

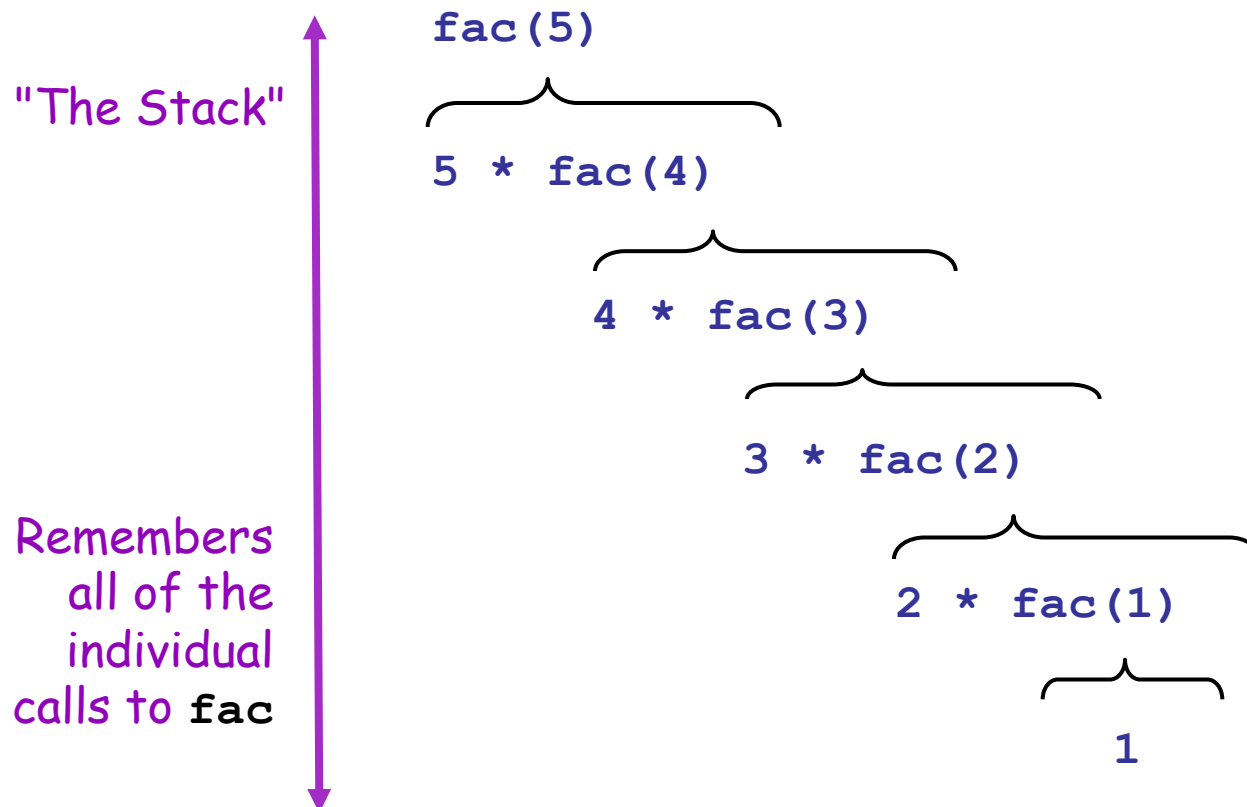
Load valuable data back from the stack

```
addn r15 -1  
loadi r1 r15
```

for each item stored

Recursion?

```
def fac(N) :  
    if N <= 1:  
        return 1  
  
    else:  
        return N * fac(N-1)
```



Factorial via Recursion...

Python

```
x = input()
y = fac(x)
print y

def fac(x):
    """ recursive
        factorial! """
    if x == 0:
        return 1
    else:
        REC = fac(x-1)
        return x*REC
```

Hmmm

```
00 read r1
01 loadn r15 42
02 call r14 5
03 jump 21
04 nop
05 jnez r1 8
06 loadn r13 1
07 jumpi r14
08 storei r1 r15
09 addn r15 1
10 storei r14 r15
11 addn r15 1
12 addn r1 -1
13 call r14 5
14 addn r15 -1
15 loadi r14 r15
16 addn r15 -1
17 loadi r1 r15
18 mul r13 r13 r1
19 jumpi r14
20 nop
21 write r13
22 halt
```



This is same as `return x*f(x-1)`
but done in 2 steps...