

Computer Architecture

Discussion 2

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GCC

- Preprocessing -E
- Compilation -S
- Assembly -c
- Linking

GDB-GNU Project Debugger

- Add debugger config to compilation `-g`
- Start debugging `gdb <program>`
- Gdb commands
 - `L b r p n step display finish bt`

Struct

- Declaration and definition

```
struct Info
```

```
{
```

```
    Char gender = 'M';    /* no initialization */
```

```
    Int age = 25;
```

```
    double height = 1.7
```

```
};
```

```
Struct Info bingbing; /* allocate memory */
```

```
sizeof(struct Info)    ?
```

Alignment

- First address
 - Divided by the size of the element with the largest size
- Offset with respect to first address
 - Divided by the size of the element
- Total size of the struct
 - Divided by the size of the element with the largest size

```
struct Info
```

```
{
```

```
    Int age;
```

```
    double height ;
```

```
    Char gender; /* no initialization */
```

```
};
```

Union

```
union Info
```

```
{
```

```
    Char gender = 'M';    /* no initialization */
```

```
    Int age = 25;
```

```
    double height = 1.7
```

```
};
```

Share memory

Find Problems

1. /* Increments all the letters in the string str, held in an array of length n.*/

```
Void increment (char * str, int n){  
    int i = 0;  
    for (i = 0; i < n; i++)  
        *(str + i)++;  
}
```

2. /* Copy the src to dst. */

```
Void copy(char *src, char *dst){  
    While (*dst++ = *src++)
```


THANKS