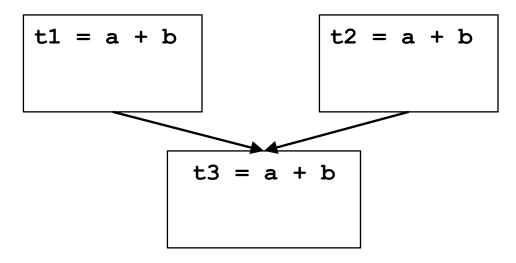
Partial Redundancy Elimination

- Global code motion optimization
 - Remove partially redundant expressions
 - Loop invariant code motion
 - Can be extended to do Strength Reduction
- No loop analysis needed
- Bidirectional flow problem

Redundancy

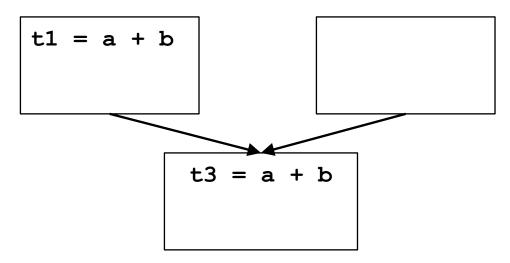
• A Common Subexpression is a Redundant Computation



- Occurrence of expression E at P is redundant if E is available there:
 - E is evaluated along every path to P, with no operands redefined since.
- Redundant expression can be eliminated

Partial Redundancy

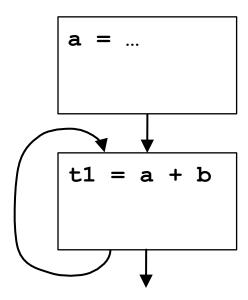
Partially Redundant Computation



- Occurrence of expression E at P is partially redundant if E is partially available there:
 - E is evaluated along at least one path to P, with no operands redefined since.
- Partially redundant expression can be eliminated if we can insert computations to make it fully redundant.

Loop Invariants are Partial Redundancies

• Loop invariant expression is partially redundant



- As before, partially redundant computation can be eliminated if we insert computations to make it fully redundant.
- Remaining copies can be eliminated through copy propagation or more complex analysis of partially redundant assignments.

Partial Redundancy Elimination

The Method:

- 1. Insert Computations to make partially redundant expression(s) fully redundant.
- 2. Eliminate redundant expression(s).

• Issues [Outline of Lecture]:

- 1. What expression occurrences are candidates for elimination?
- 2. Where can we safely insert computations?
- 3. Where do we want to insert them?
- For this lecture, we assume one expression of interest, a+b.
 - In practice, with some restrictions, can do many expressions in parallel.

Which Occurrences Might Be Eliminated?

- In CSE,
 - E is available at P if it is previously evaluated along every path to P, with no subsequent redefinitions of operands.
 - If so, we can eliminate computation at P.
- In PRE,
 - E is partially available at P if it is previously evaluated along at least one path to P, with no subsequent redefinitions of operands.
 - If so, we might be able to eliminate computation at P, if we can insert computations to make it fully redundant.
- Occurrences of E where E is partially available are candidates for elimination.

Finding Partially Available Expressions

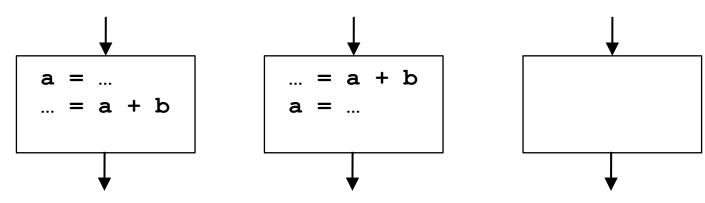
Forward flow problem

- Lattice = $\{0, 1\}$, meet is union (\cup) , Top = 0 (not PAVAIL), entry = 0
 - PAVOUT[i] = (PAVIN[i] KILL[i]) ∪ AVLOC[i]

• PAVIN[i] =
$$\begin{cases} 0 & i = entry \\ U & PAVOUT[p] & otherwise \\ p \in preds(i) \end{cases}$$

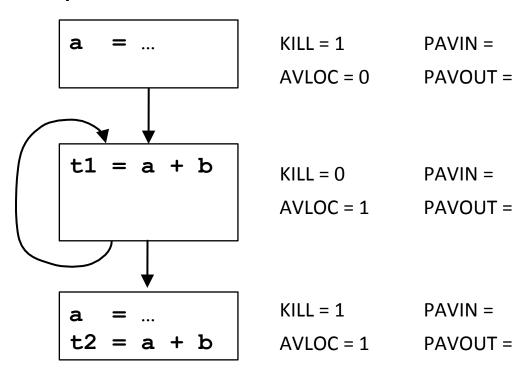
For a block,

- Expression is locally available (AVLOC) if downwards exposed.
- Expression is killed (KILL) if any assignments to operands.



Partial Availability Example

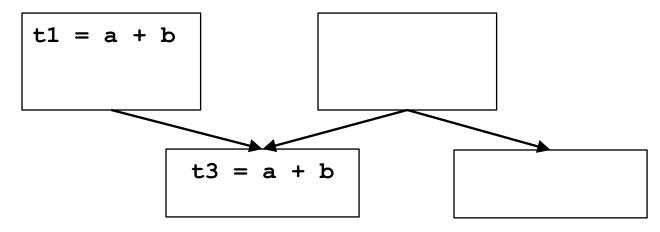
For expression a+b.



Occurrence in loop is partially redundant.

Where Can We Insert Computations?

Safety: never introduce a new expression along any path.



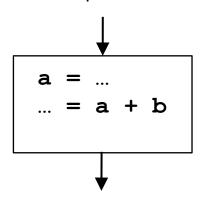
- Insertion could introduce exception, change program behavior.
- If we can add a new basic block, can insert safely in most cases.
- Solution: insert expression only where it is anticipated.
- Performance: never increase the # of computations on any path.
 - Under simple model, guarantees program won't get worse.
 - Reality: might increase register lifetimes, add copies, lose.

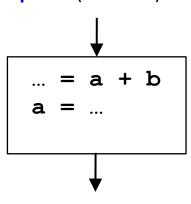
Finding Anticipated Expressions

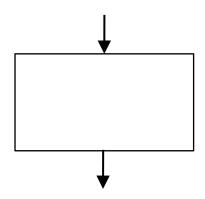
- Backward flow problem
 - Lattice = { 0, 1 }, meet is intersection (∩), top = 1 (ANT), exit = 0
 - ANTIN[i] = ANTLOC[i] ∪ (ANTOUT[i] KILL[i])

• ANTOUT[i] =
$$\begin{cases} 0 & i = exit \\ \bigcap & ANTIN[s] & otherwise \end{cases}$$

- For a block,
 - Expression locally anticipated (ANTLOC) if upwards exposed.

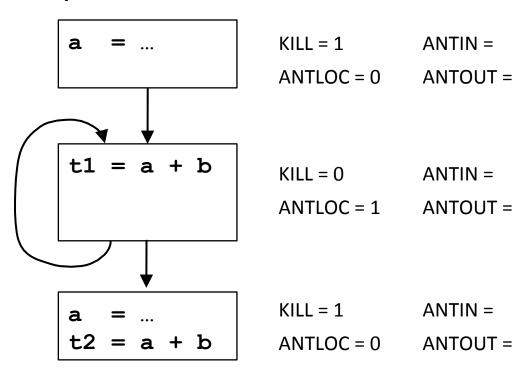






Anticipation Example

For expression a+b.

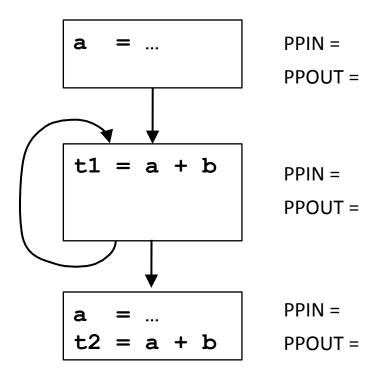


- Expression is anticipated at end of first block.
- Computation may be safely inserted there.

Where Do We Want to Insert Computations?

- Morel-Renvoise and variants: "Placement Possible"
 - Dataflow analysis shows where to insert:
 - PPIN = "Placement possible at entry of block or before."
 - PPOUT = "Placement possible at exit of block or before."
 - Insert at earliest place where PP = 1.
 - Only place at end of blocks,
 - PPIN really means "Placement possible or not necessary in each predecessor block."
 - Don't need to insert where expression is already available.
 - INSERT[i] = PPOUT[i] ∩ (¬PPIN[i] U KILL[i]) ∩ ¬AVOUT[i]
 - Remove (upwards-exposed) computations where PPIN=1.
 - DELETE[i] = PPIN[i] ∩ ANTLOC[i]

Where Do We Want to Insert? Example



Formulating the Problem

- PPOUT: we want to place at output of this block only if
 - we want to place at entry of all successors
- PPIN: we want to place at input of this block only if (all of):
 - we have a local computation to place, or a placement at the end of this block which we can move up
 - we want to move computation to output of all predecessors where expression is not already available (don't insert at input)
 - we can gain something by placing it here (PAVIN)
- Forward or Backward?
 - BOTH!
- Problem is bidirectional, but lattice {0, 1} is finite, so
 - as long as transfer functions are monotone, it converges.

Computing "Placement Possible"

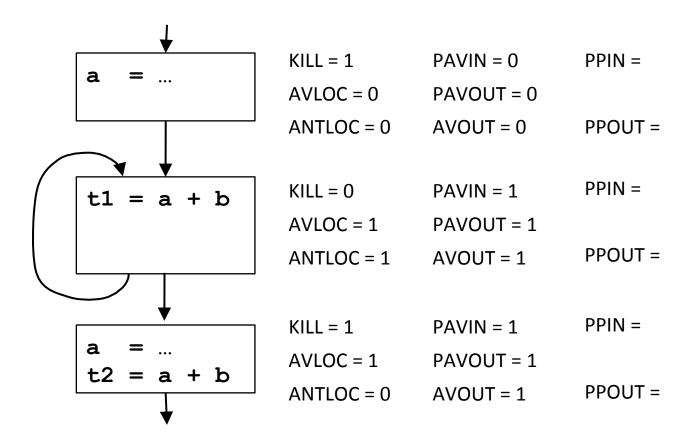
- PPOUT: we want to place at output of this block only if
 - we want to place at entry of all successors

• PPOUT[i] =
$$\begin{cases} 0 & i = entry \\ \bigcap_{s \in succ(i)} PPIN[s] & otherwise \end{cases}$$

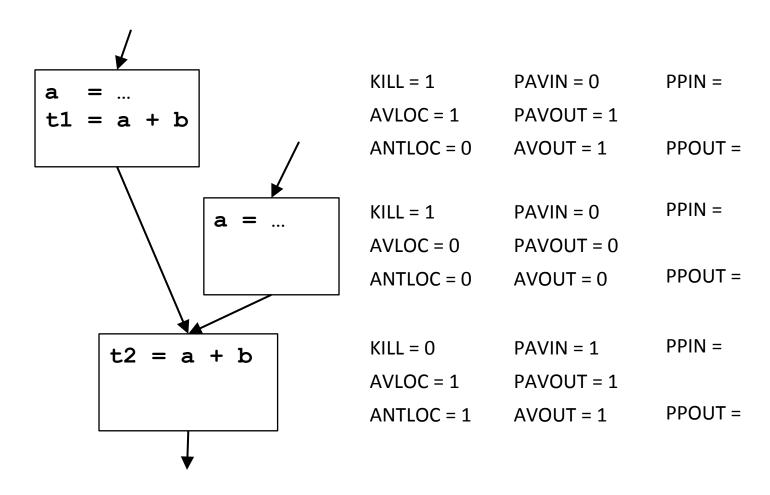
- PPIN: we want to place at start of this block only if (all of):
 - we have a local computation to place, or a placement at the end of this block which we can move up
 - we want to move computation to output of all predecessors where expression is not already available (don't insert at input)
 - we gain something by moving it up (PAVIN heuristic)

• PPIN[i] =
$$\begin{cases} 0 & i = exit \\ ([ANTLOC[i] \cup (PPOUT[i] - KILL[i]))] \\ \bigcap_{p \in preds(i)} (PPOUT[p] \cup AVOUT[p]) & otherwise \\ \bigcap_{p \in PAVIN[i]} (PAVIN[i]) \end{cases}$$

"Placement Possible" Example 1



"Placement Possible" Example 2



"Placement Possible" Correctness

- Convergence of analysis: transfer functions are monotone.
- Safety: Insert only if anticipated.

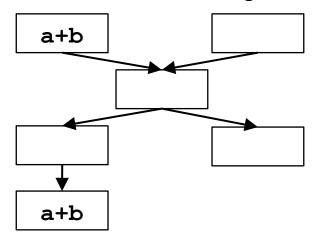
 $PPIN[i] \subseteq (PPOUT[i] - KILL[i]) \cup ANTLOC[i]$

$$PPOUT[i] = \begin{cases} 0 & i = exit \\ \bigcap_{s \in succ(i)} PPIN[s] & otherwise \end{cases}$$

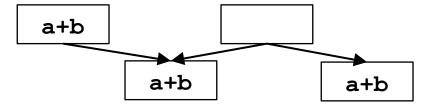
- INSERT \subseteq PPOUT \subseteq ANTOUT, so insertion is safe.
- Performance: never increase the # of computations on any path
 - DELETE = PPIN ∩ ANTLOC
 - On every path from an INSERT, there is a DELETE.
 - The number of computations on a path does not increase.

Morel-Renvoise Limitations

- Movement usefulness tied to PAVIN heuristic
 - Makes some useless moves, might increase register lifetimes:



– Doesn't find some eliminations:



Bidirectional data flow difficult to compute.

Related Work

Don't need heuristic

- Dhamdhere, Drechsler-Stadel, Knoop, et.al.
- use restricted flow graph or allow edge placements.

Data flow can be separated into unidirectional passes

Dhamdhere, Knoop, et. al.

Improvement still tied to accuracy of computational model

- Assumes performance depends only on the number of computations along any path.
- Ignores resource constraint issues: register allocation, etc.
- Knoop, et.al. give "earliest" and "latest" placement algorithms which begin to address this.

Further issues:

 more than one expression at once, strength reduction, redundant assignments, redundant stores.

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