Functions:
Calling Conventions + Frames

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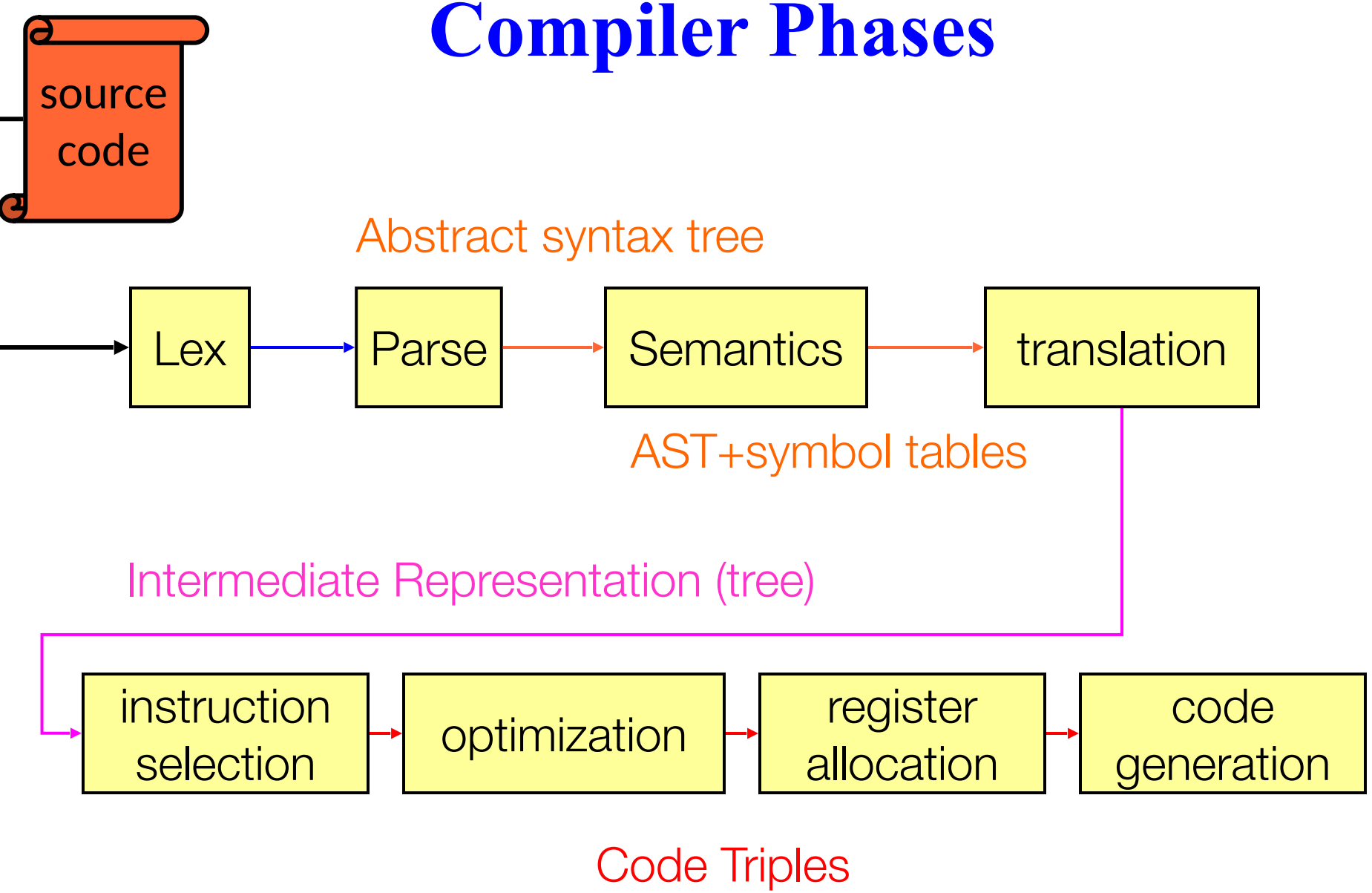
Compiler Phases



Today

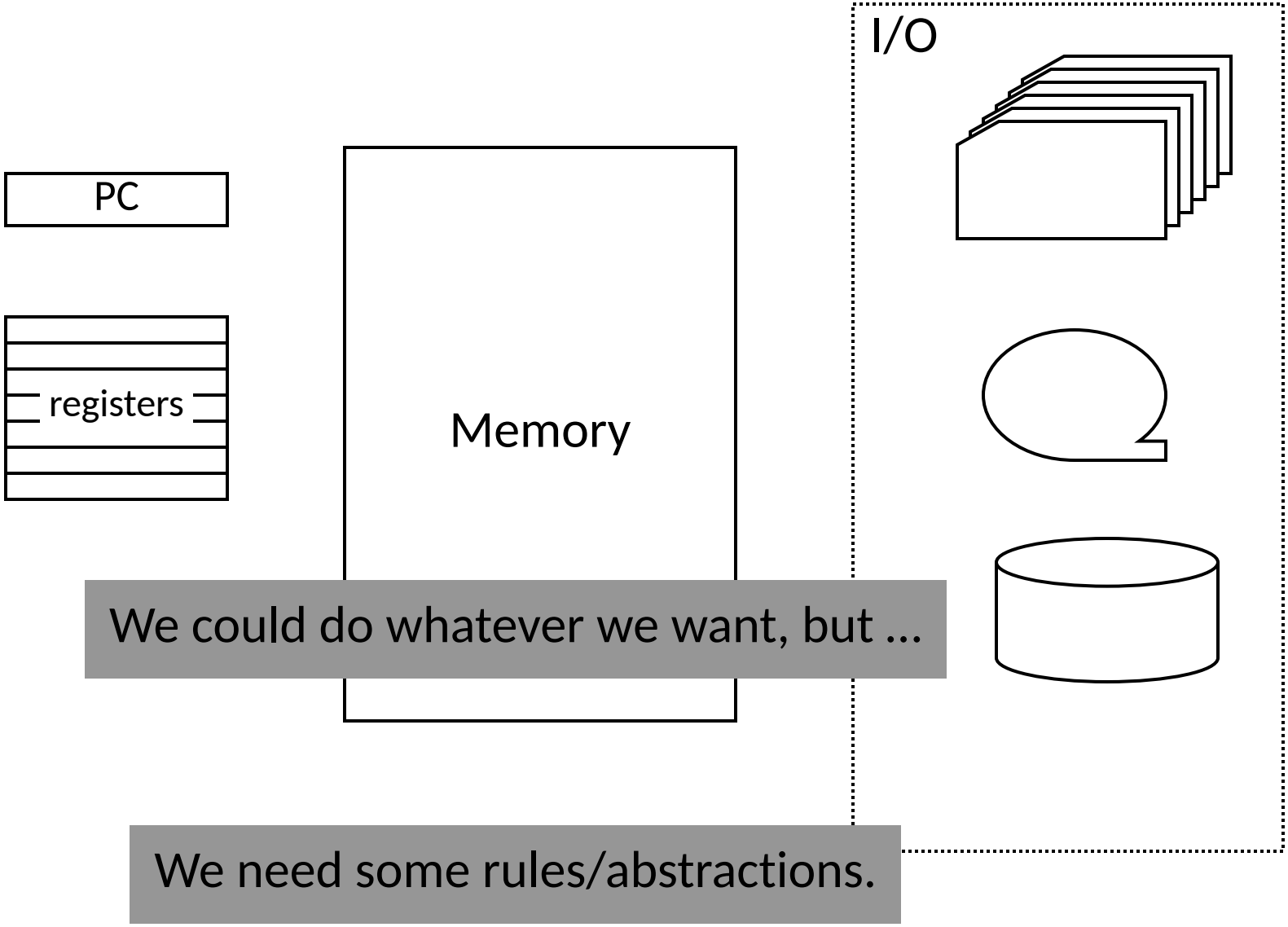
- Calling Conventions
- Activation Frames
- IR for Function Calls
- Putting it all together

Lab3

- Function declarations and calls
- Typedefs
- assert

Understanding functions is the key.

The Target



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Function as Contract

- Contract between
  - Architects
  - Compiler writers
  - Operating System
- Supports Interoperability
- Separate Compilation
- Plug-n-Play

Most Important part of the contract is between callers and callees.
The abstraction of the function is the key.

Benefits of "Function"

- Supports implementation and maintenance of large programs
  - Intellectual leverage (.e.g., decompose tasks)
  - Development efficiency (e.g., separate compilation)
- Supports cooperation of large independent systems (.e.g, O/S + Application)
- Supports Portability (e.g., libc)

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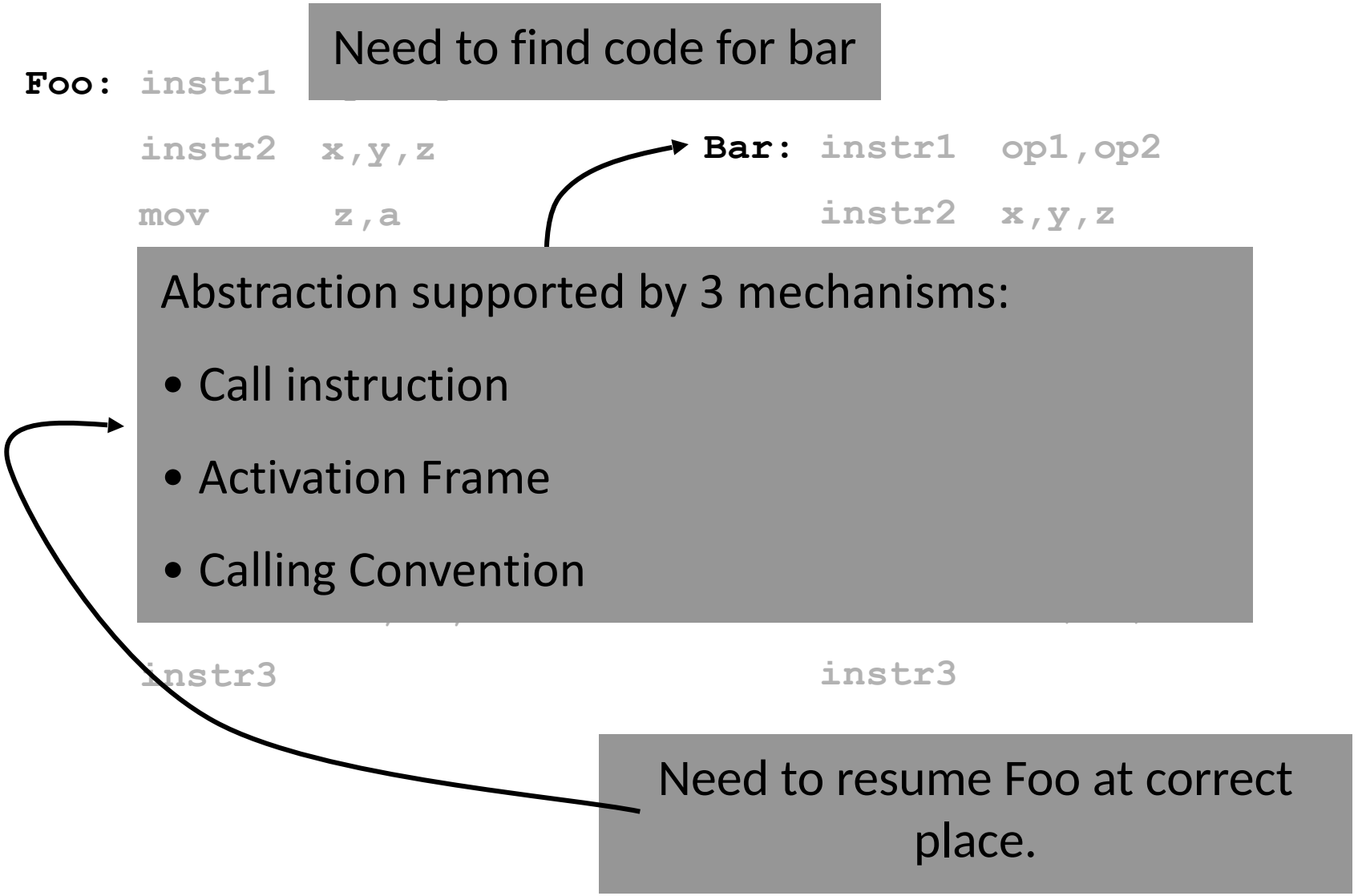
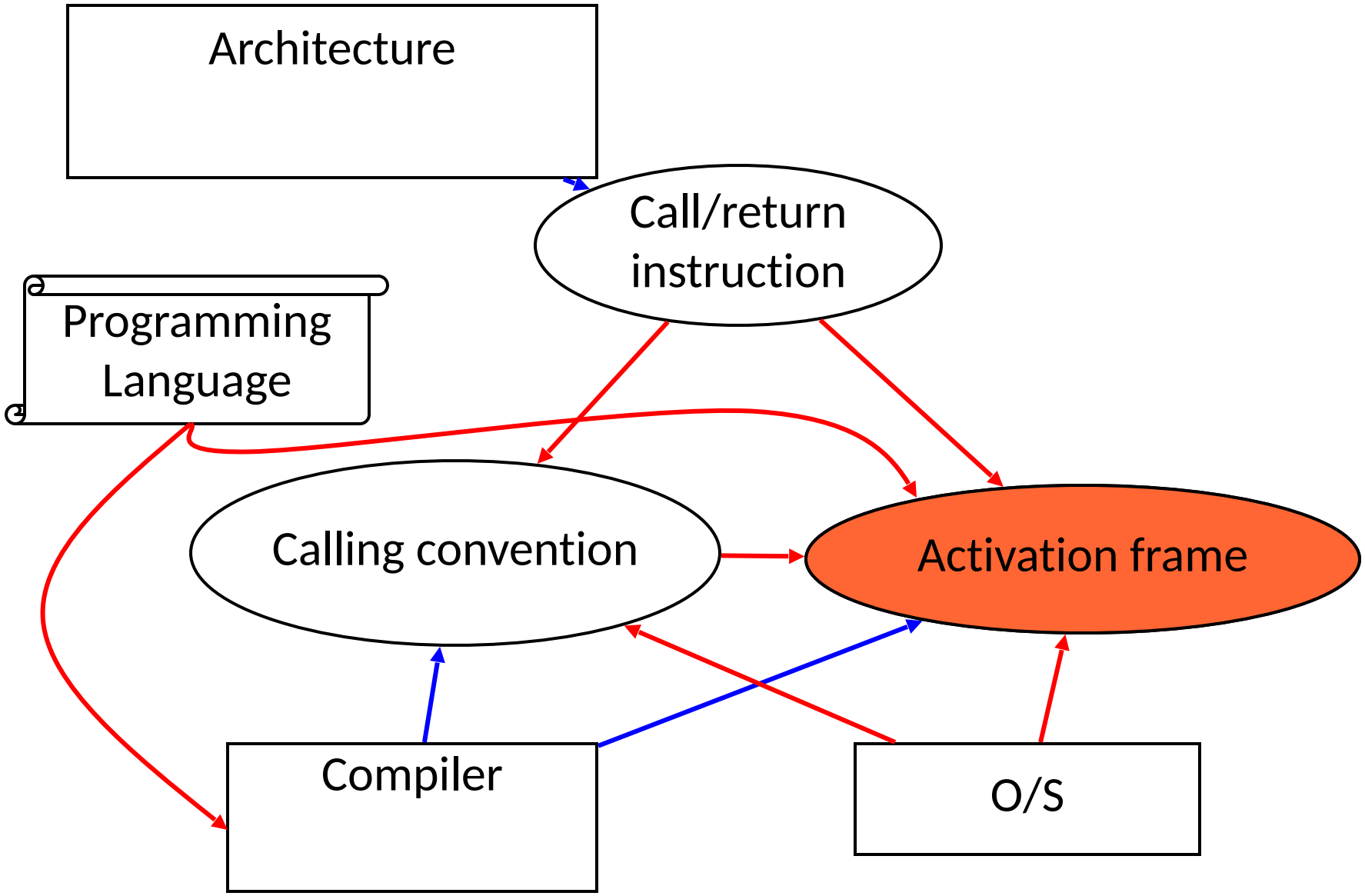
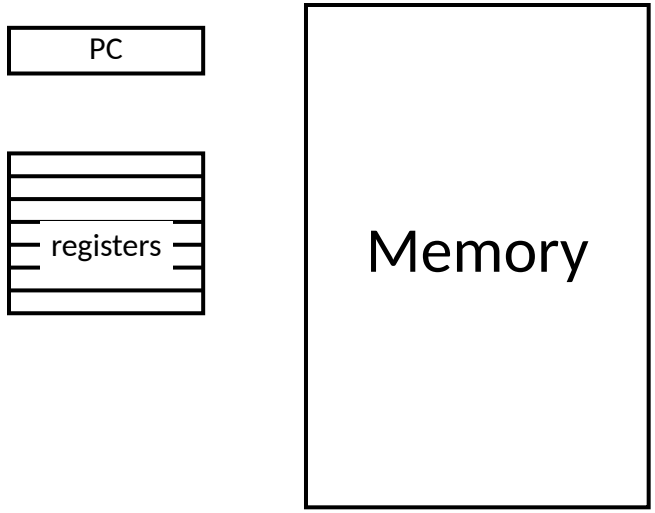


Implementing the Function



The Activation Frame

- Information to restore caller environment
  - Return address
  - registers
- Establishes local environment for function
  - Parameters
  - Locals
  - Temporaries
  - Dynamically allocated data?
- Support for non-locals?



Programming Language Issues

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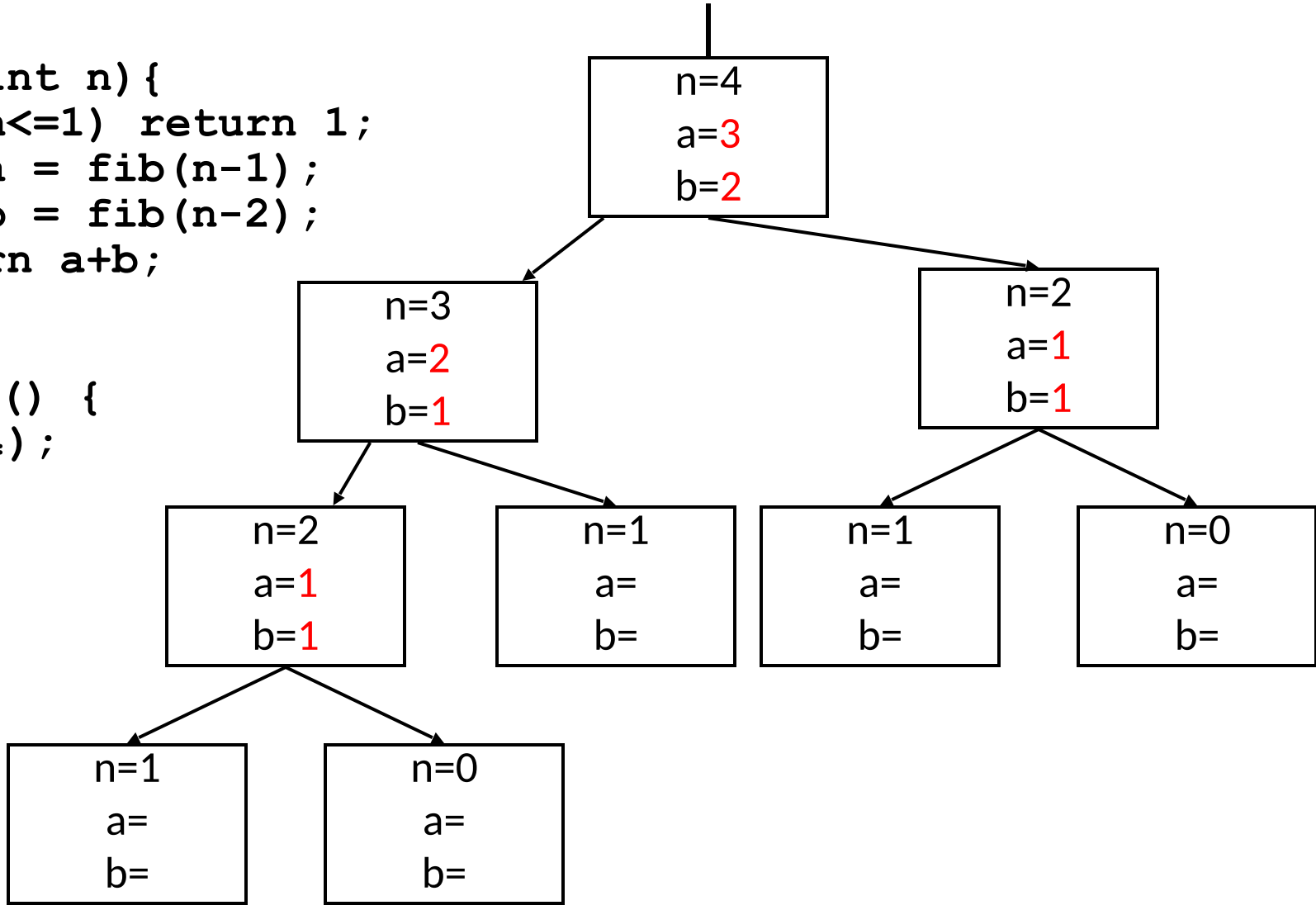
- What is Parameter passing mechanism?
  - Call-by-name
  - Call-by-value
  - Call-by-reference
- Can (and how) are non-local names referenced?
- What happens to local variables on return from function?
- Can storage be allocated locally and dynamically in a function?
- Are functions first-class objects?
- Can functions close over variables (i.e. be higher-order)?

An Activation Tree

```
int fib(int n){
    if (n<=1) return 1;
    int a = fib(n-1);
    int b = fib(n-2);
    return a+b;
}

int main() {
    fib(4);
}
```



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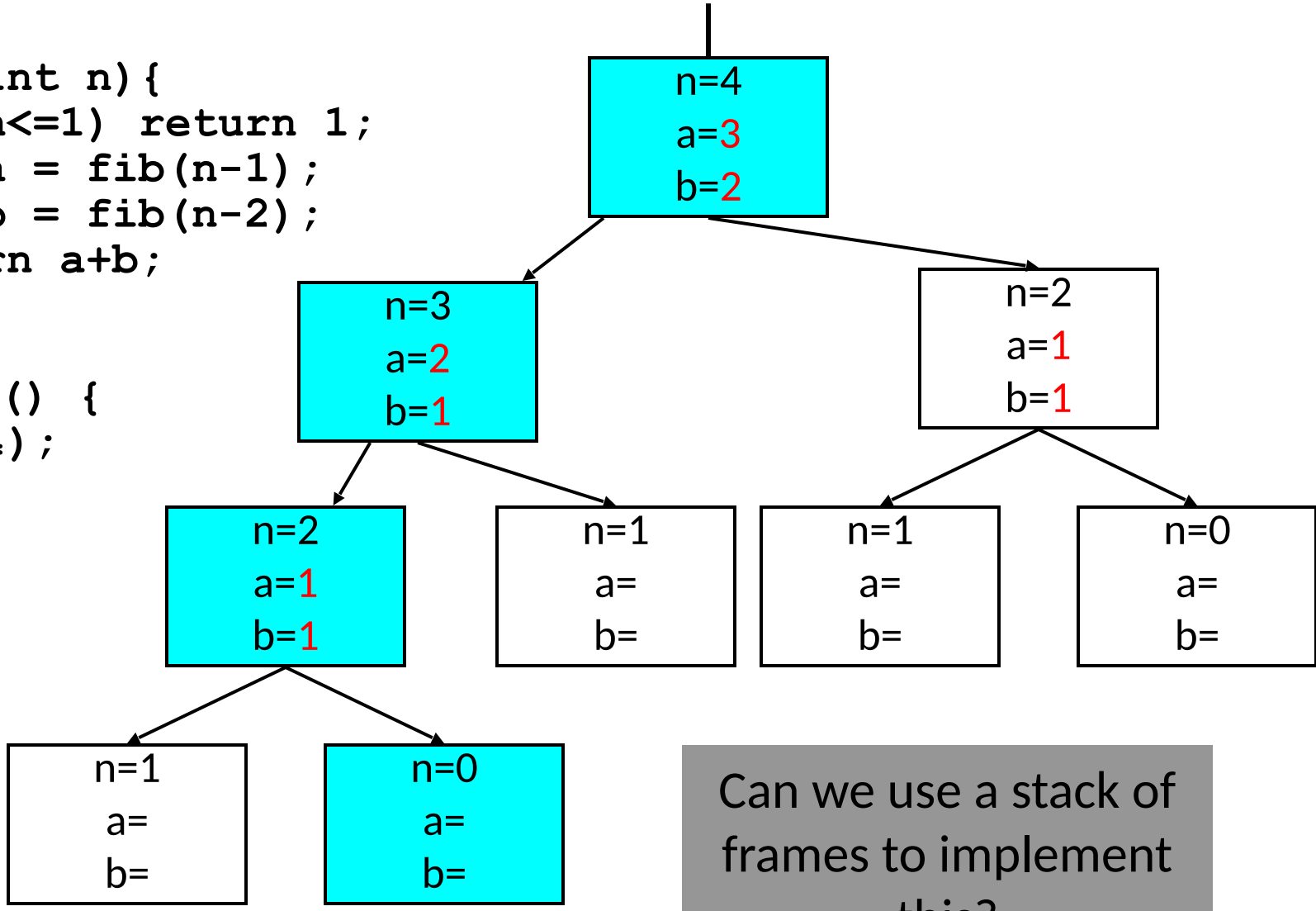

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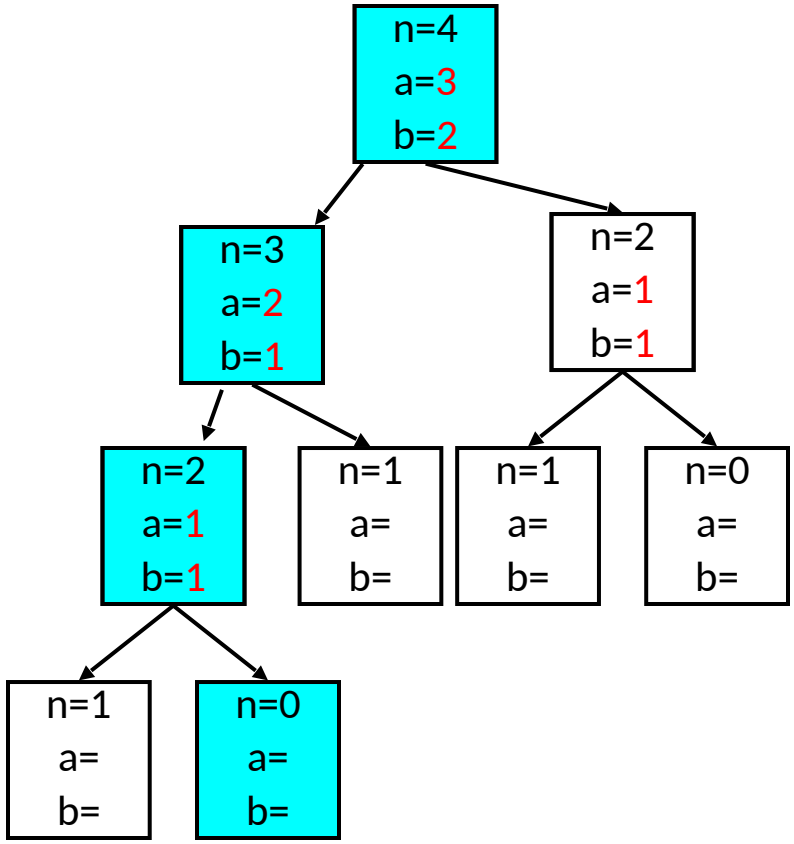

Returning references

- Can a function return a reference to a local variable?
- E.g.:

```
int* dangle() {
    int a;
    return &a;
}
```

- If so, can we use a stack of frames?

Returning Functions

- Can a function return a (higher-order) function?
- E.g.:

```
typedef int (*p2f)(int);
p2f hof(void) {
   int add5(int b) {
      return 5+b;
   }
   return &add5;
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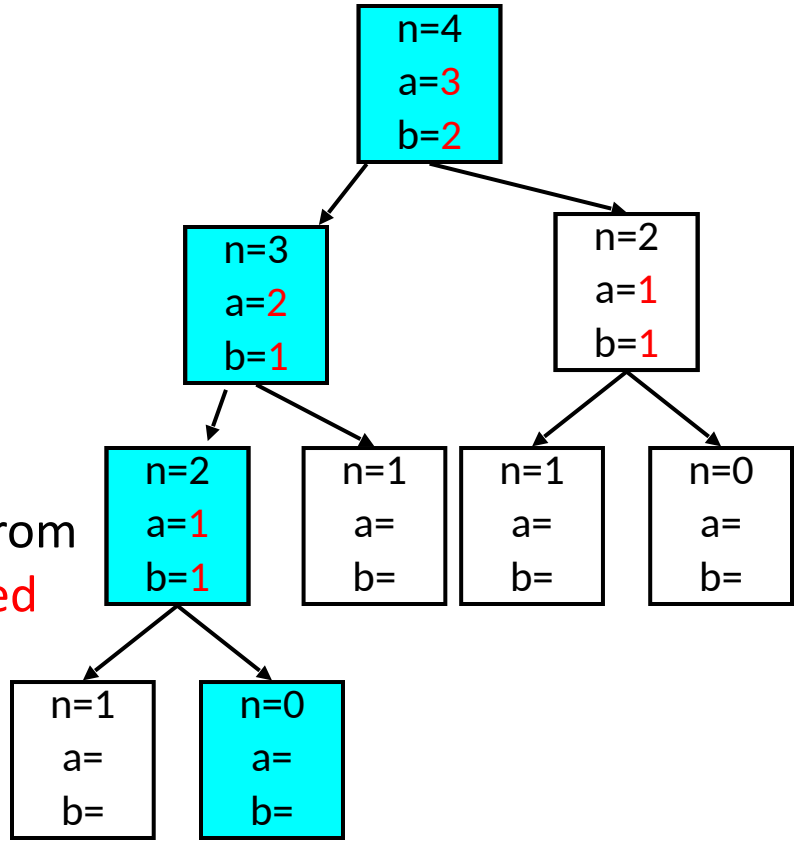

Non-local Access

- Can a function refer to variables in outer functions?
- E.g.:

```
int add2(int a, int c) {
   int add1(int b) {
      return a+b;
   }
   return add1(c);
}
```

- Stack of Frames ok?
- There are other issues however (deal with later)

Non-local Access vs. Global Access

```
int add2(int a, int c) {
   int add1(int b) {
      return a+b;
   }
   return add1(c);
}
```

```
int a;
int add2(int c) {
   int add1(int b) {
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   }
   return add1(c);
}
```

Allocating variables - Globals

- At Compile time
  - Create a new location in “memory”
  - Allocate space for the variables
  - Assign a name
  - tie this into the symbol table
  - potentially include initial data
- At link time
  - collect all global definitions into data segment
  - resolve addresses
- At run time
  - access is made by offset from global register or via address

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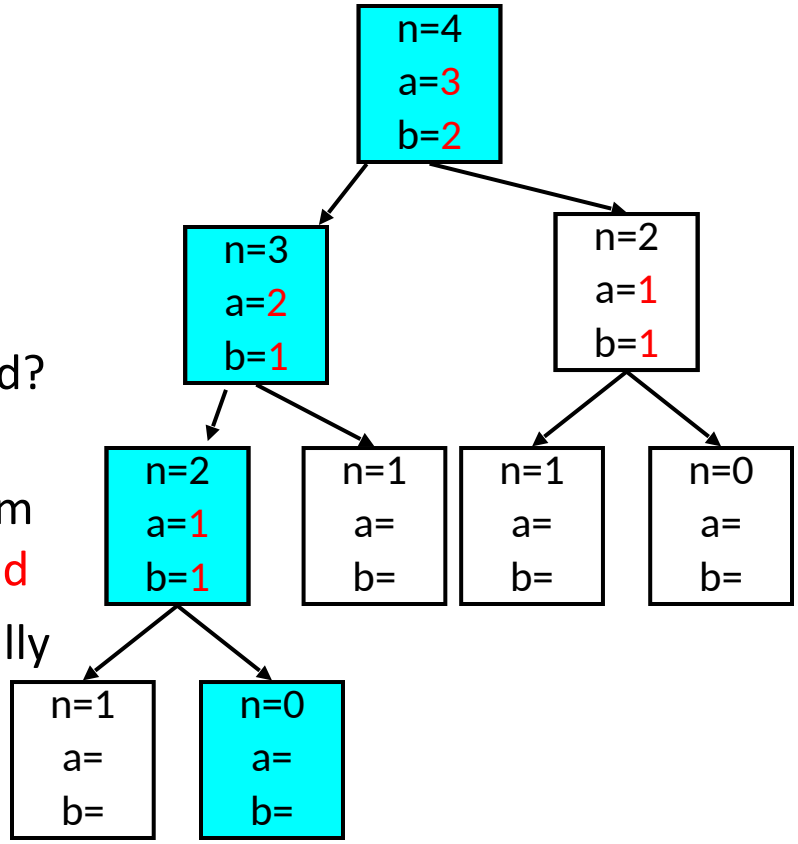

1st Class Functions&Non-local Access

- Can a function return a function?
- E.g.:

```
typedef int (*p2f)(int);
p2f hof(int a) {
   int adda(int b) {
      return a+b;
   }
   return &adda;
}
```

- What is going on here?
- Combination of
  - non-local access &
  - first-class functions.

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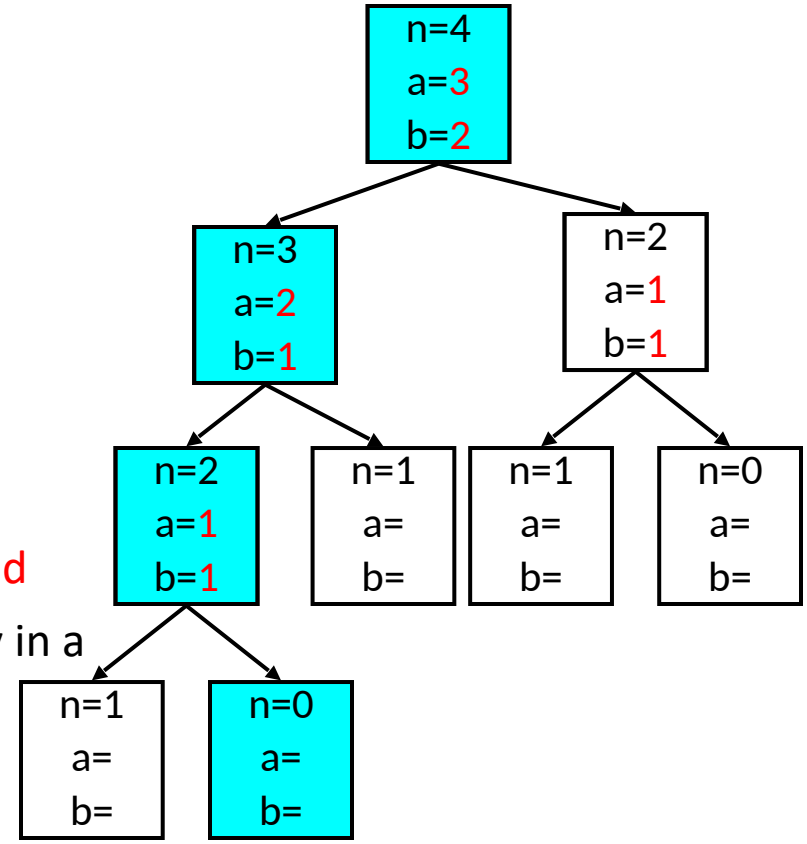
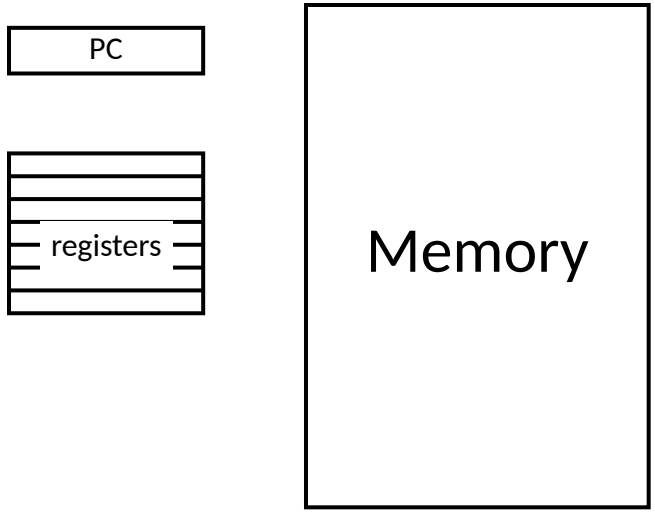


Use a stack of activation frames.

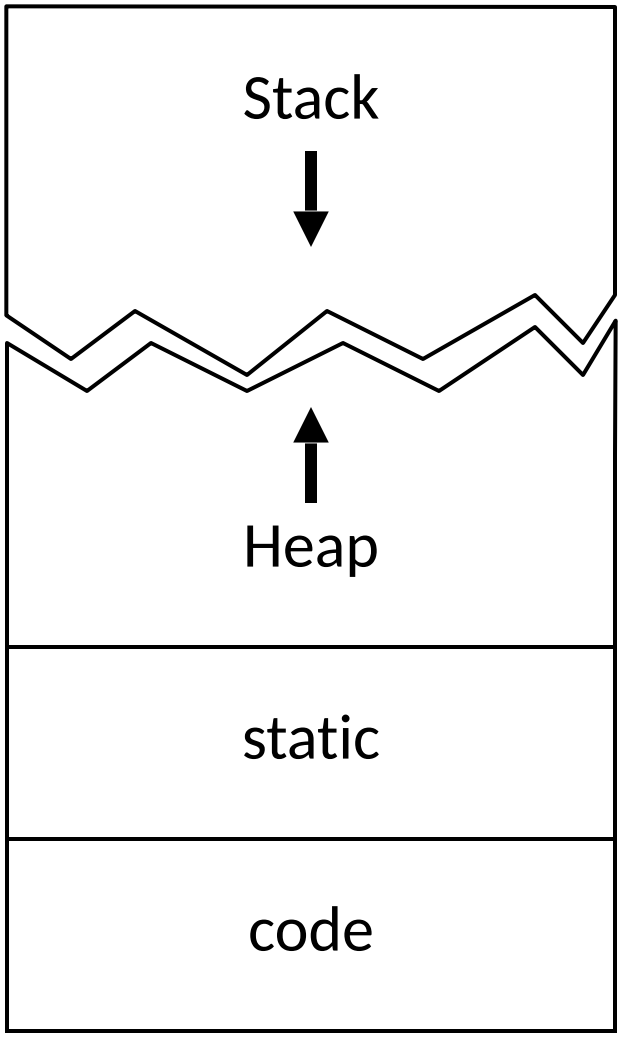
Memory Layout

- We went through this analysis to determine the interaction of frames
- We are assuming:
  - stack is good for storing frames
  - Allows “unlimited” recursion
- How does this interact with entire system?



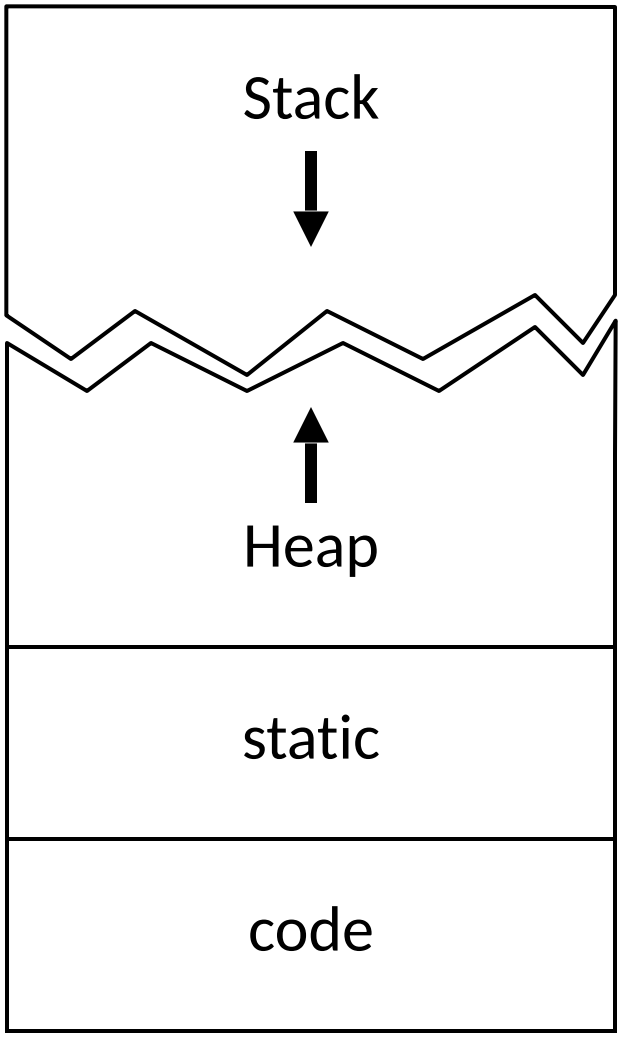
Memory Organization

- Instructions are (usually) static and go into code.
- Static data is allocated at compile time, resolved at link-time
- Stack grows down and holds activation frames
- Heap grows up



Memory Organization

- Code and static contain fixed size statically allocated information
- Stack and data contain dynamically sized and dynamically allocated information
- Stack and heap compete for memory.
- Relates to storage classes



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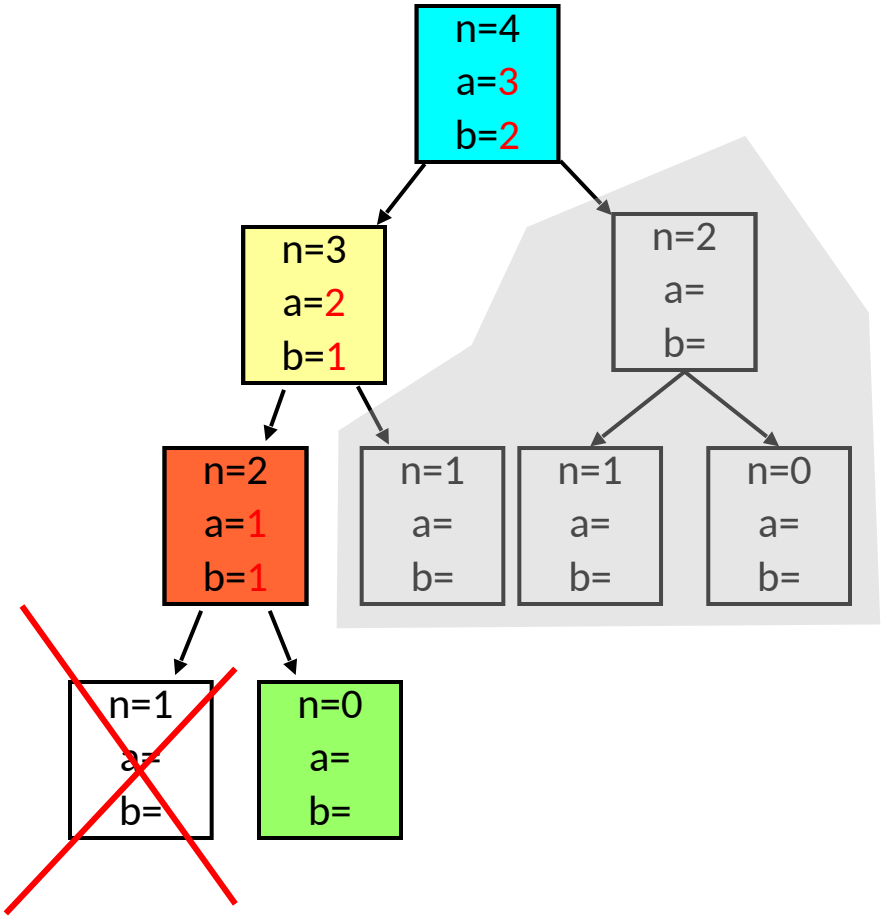

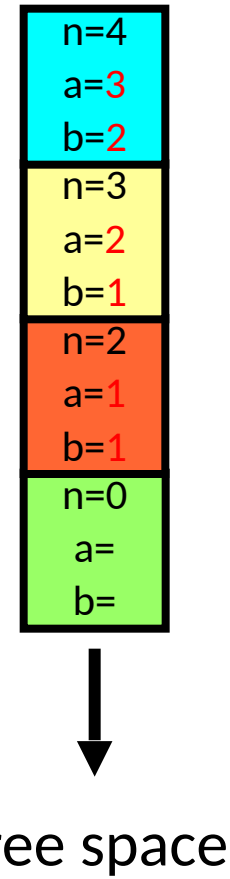

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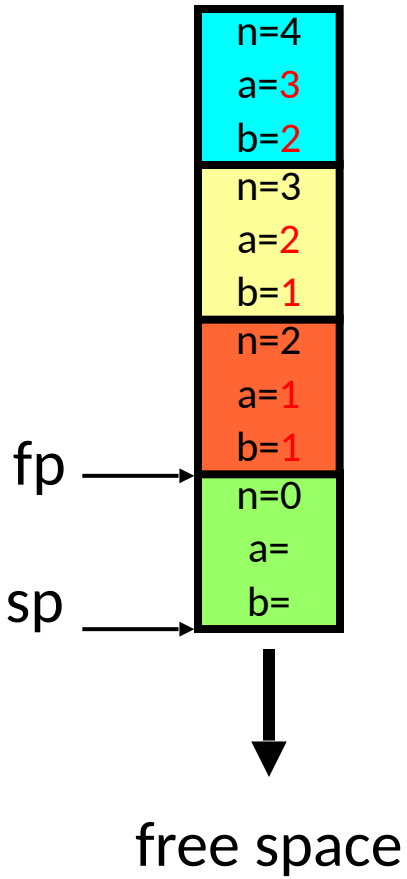
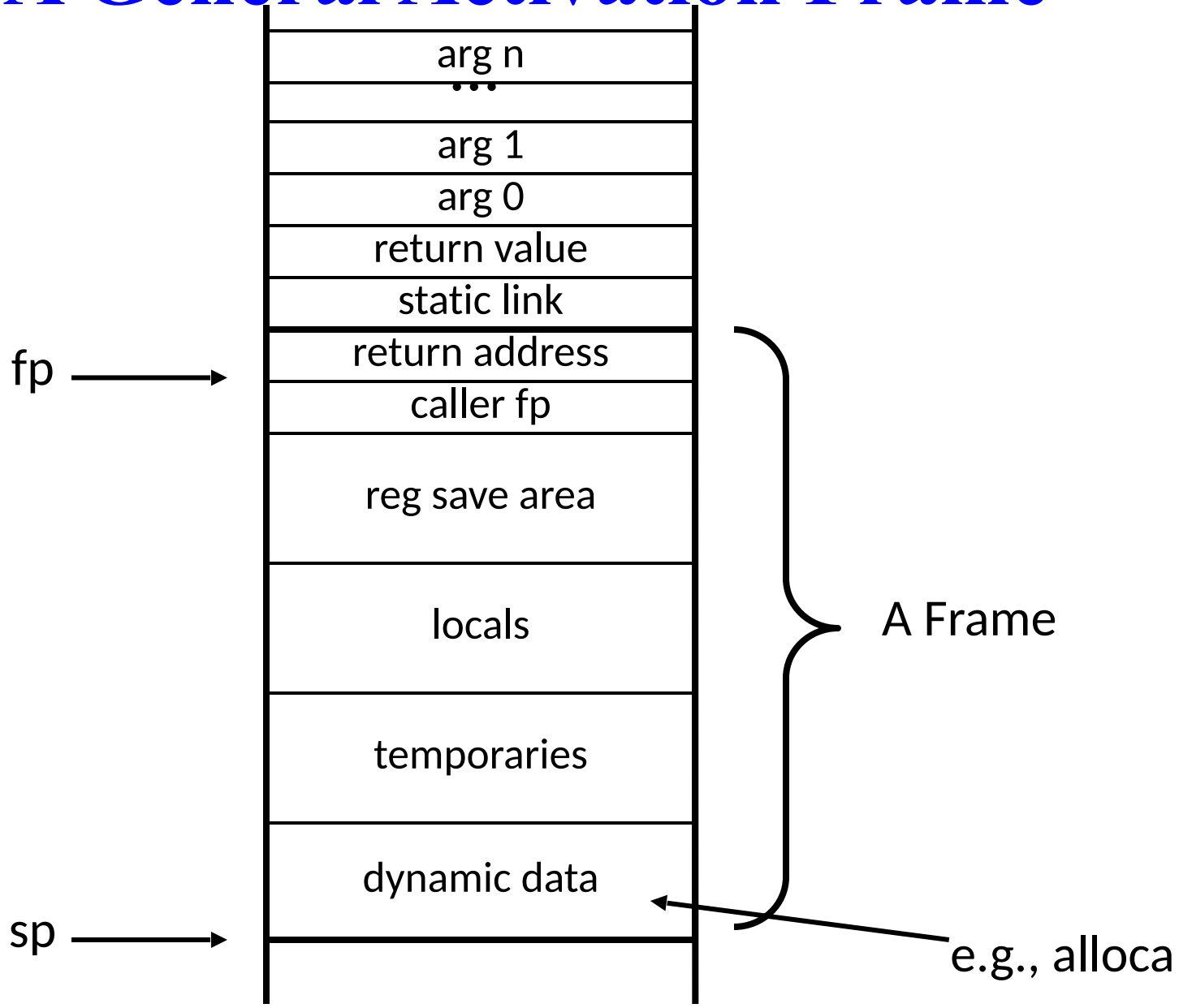


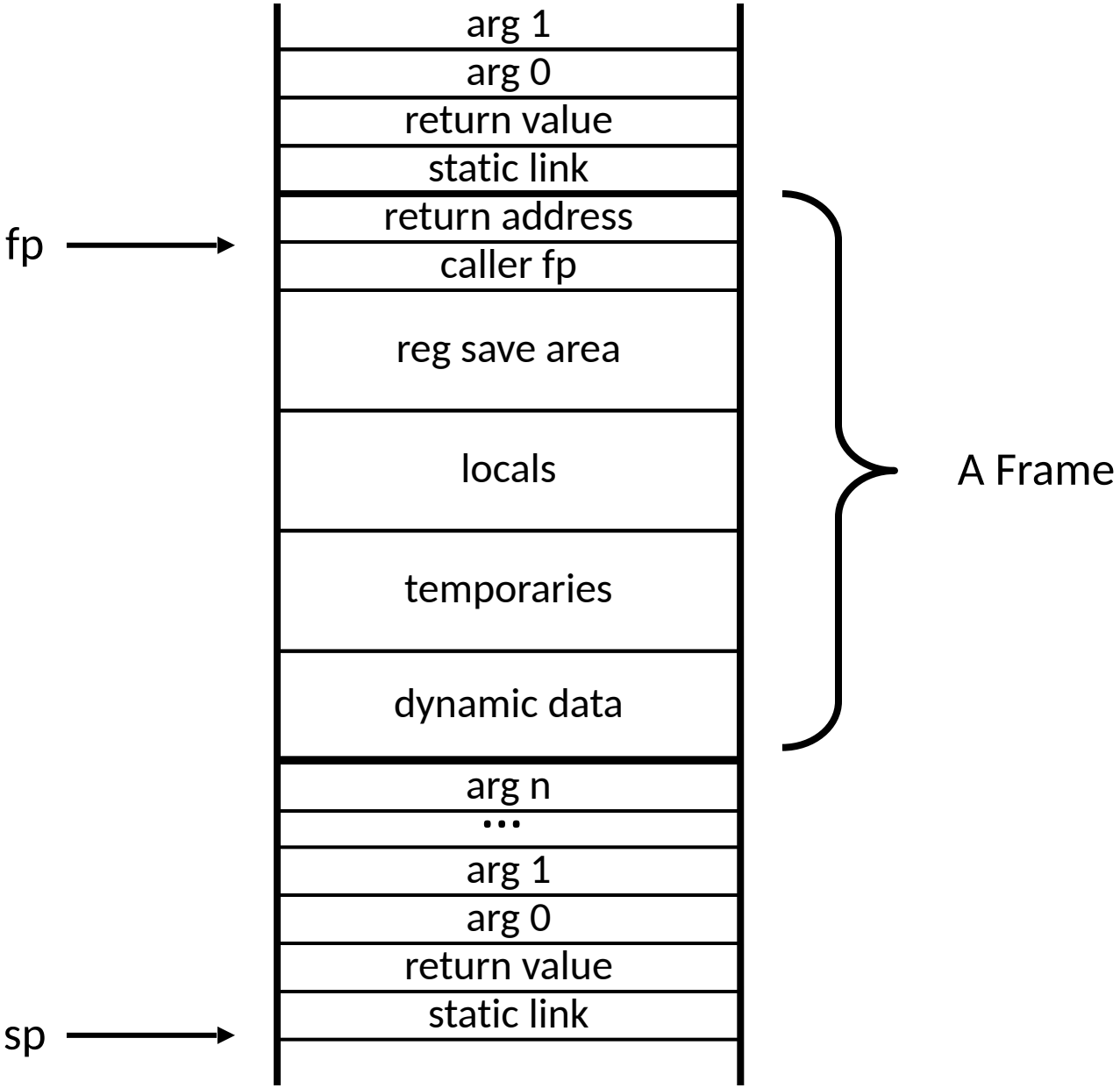
- How do we know where one frame starts and another stops?
- How do we track return address?
- How do we access local variables?
- How do we access non-local variables?
  - Frame Pointer (fp)
  - Stack Pointer (sp)

Why not just say `%rbp`?

A General Activation Frame



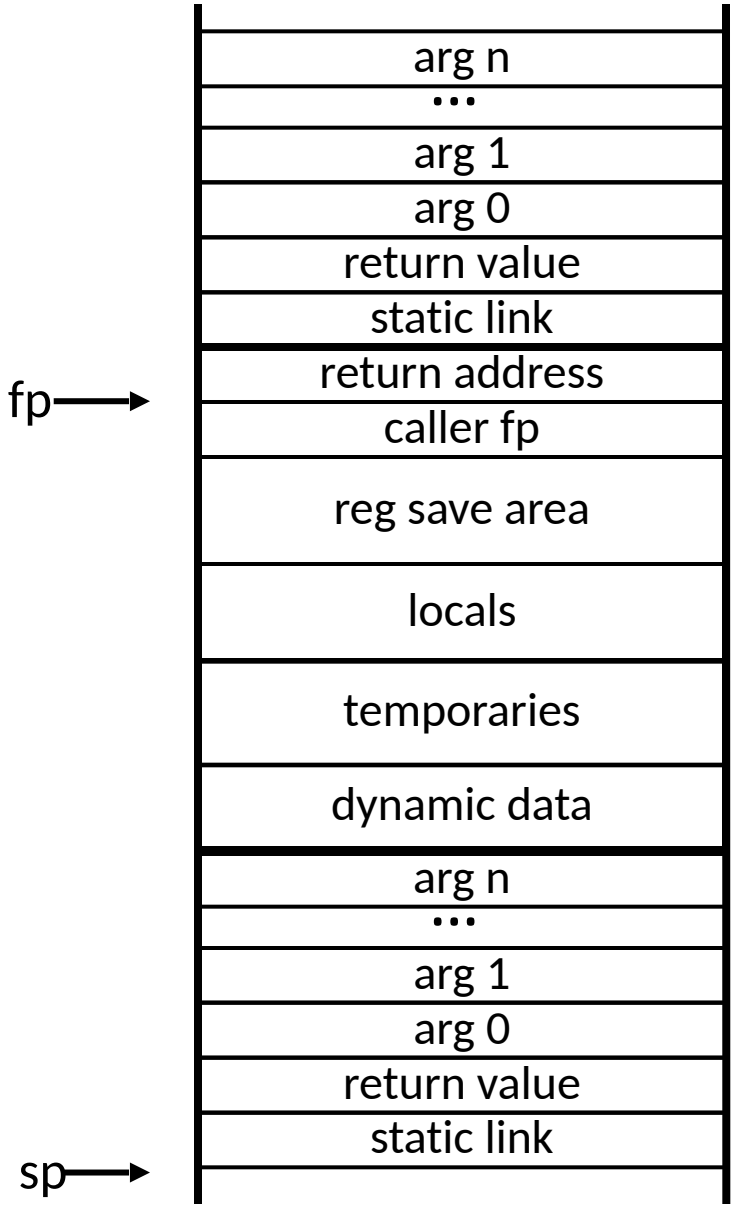
Right Before Next Call



Who does what?

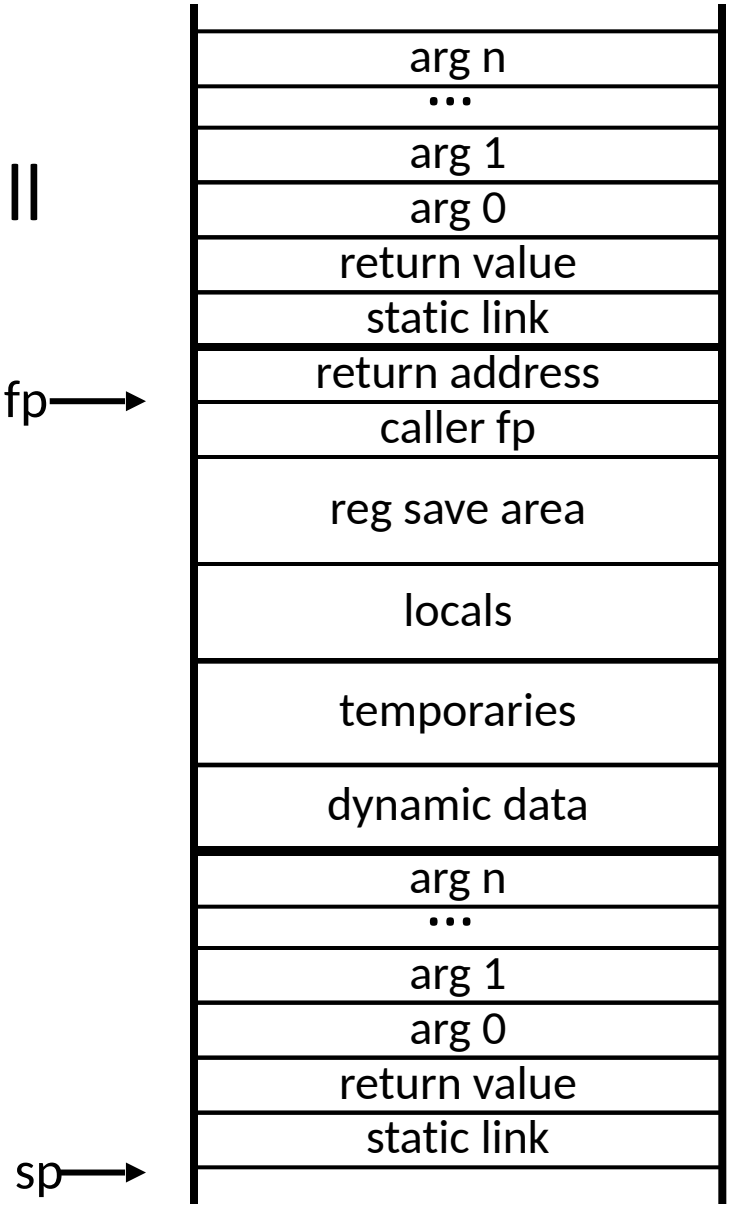
```
Foo:  Prologue
        instr1    op1,op2
        instr2    x,y,z
        mov       z,a
        add          r3,r1,r2
        setup for call
        call bar(a,b,c,d)
        recover from call
        instr1    op1,op2
        instr2    x,y,z
        mov       z,a
        add          r3,r1,r2
        Epilogue
```

The answer is: it depends!



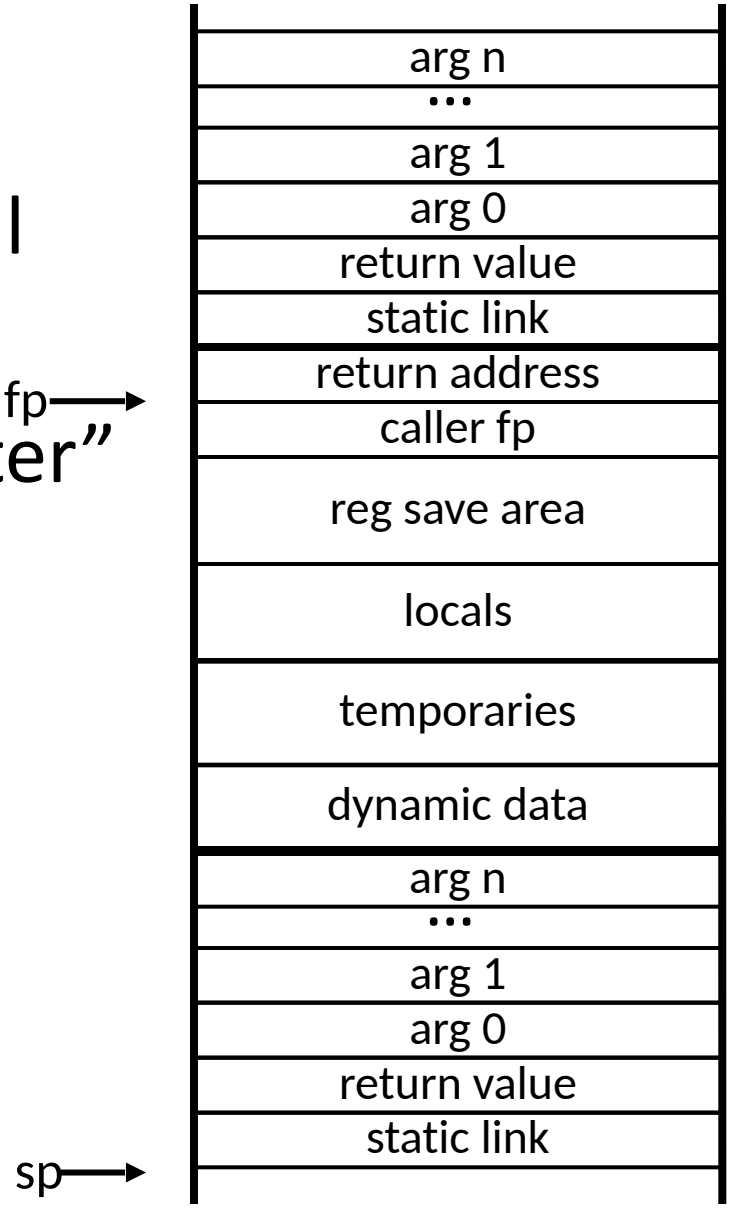
Frame Pointer

- Used as base for accessing all elements of frame.
- In Prologue:
  - [sp-x] = fp; save caller's fp
  - fp = sp
  - sp -= frameSize
- In Epilogue
  - sp = fp
  - fp = [sp-x]
- Do we always need fp?



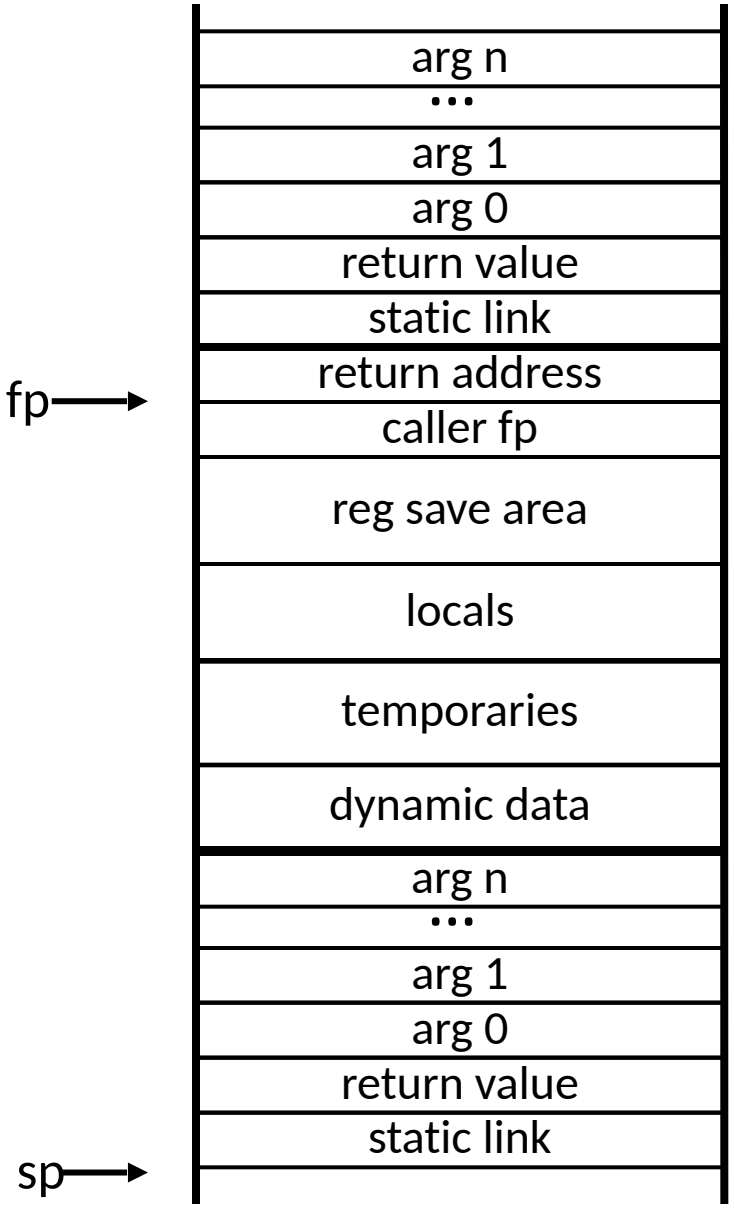
Frame Pointer

- Used as base for accessing all elements of frame.
- Many times a “fictional register”
- On Call
  - sp -= frameSize
  - fp = sp + frameSize
- On Return
  - sp += frameSize



Parameter Passing

- Caller puts parameters into stack starting at current sp
- Save space for return value
- Invoke Callee
- Actually we can do better!
  - Caller reserves space for first k params and return value
  - Why is this better?
  - Why bother to reserve space at all?



Registers

- One set of registers
- Callee might want to use same register as caller
- Caller can save all registers
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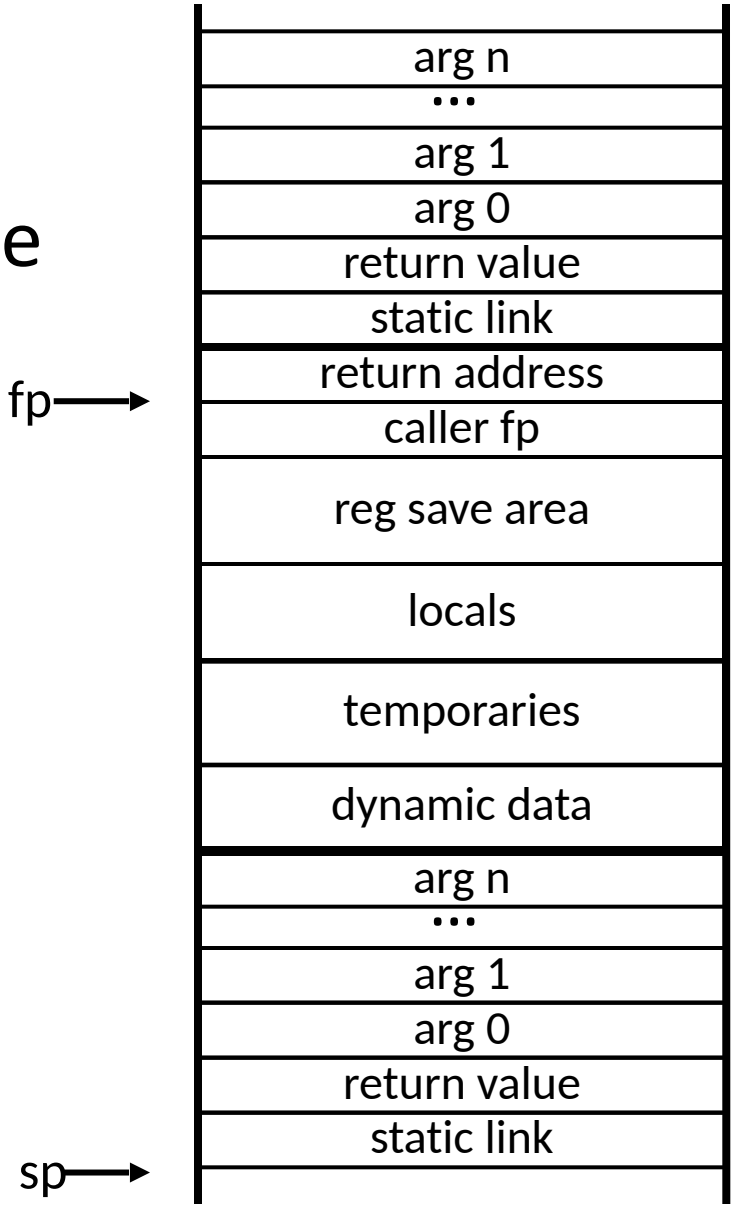
- Which is better?
- Issues:



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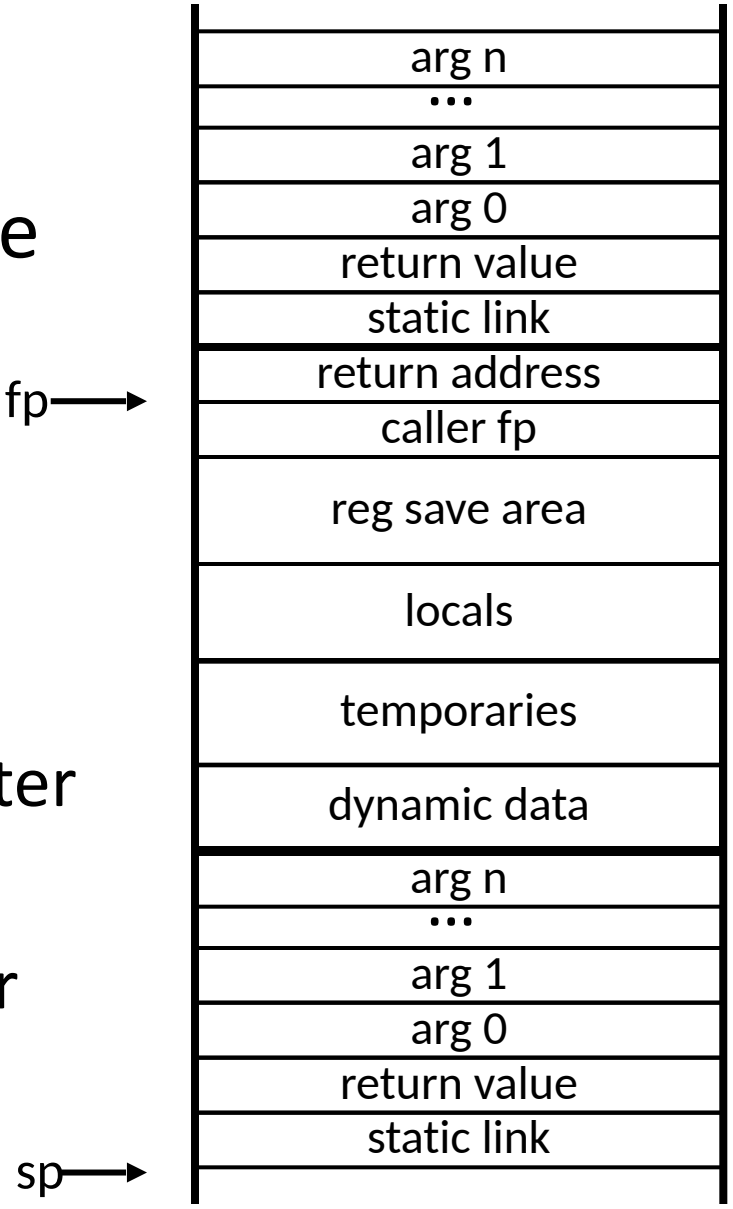
- Issues:
  - callee might not use your register
  - Extreme case is leaf procedure
  - caller might not have used your register



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- Make some registers
  - caller save
  - callee save
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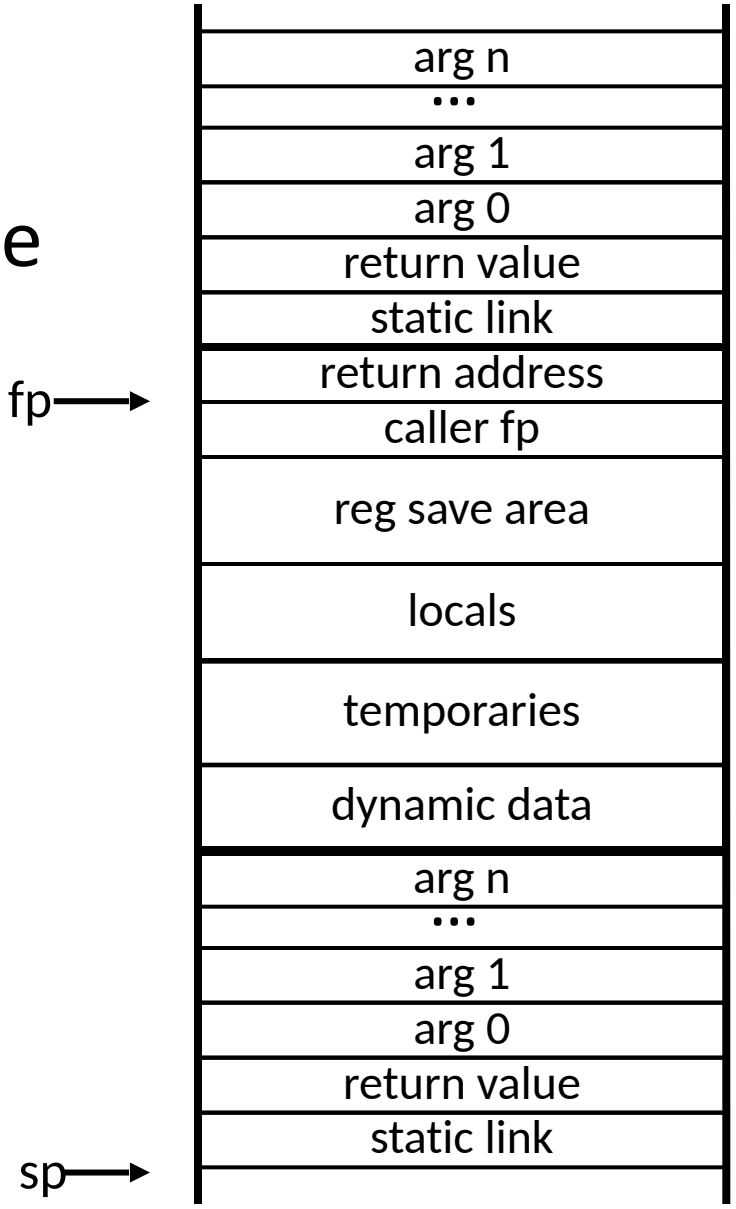
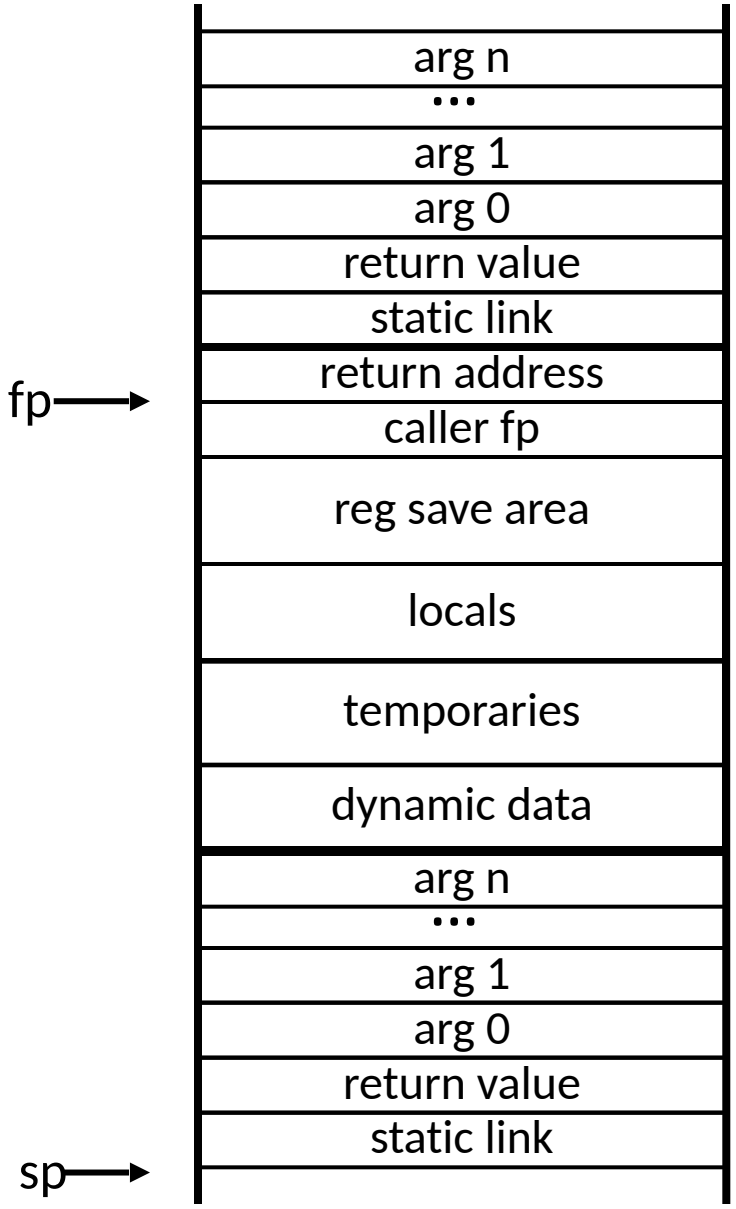


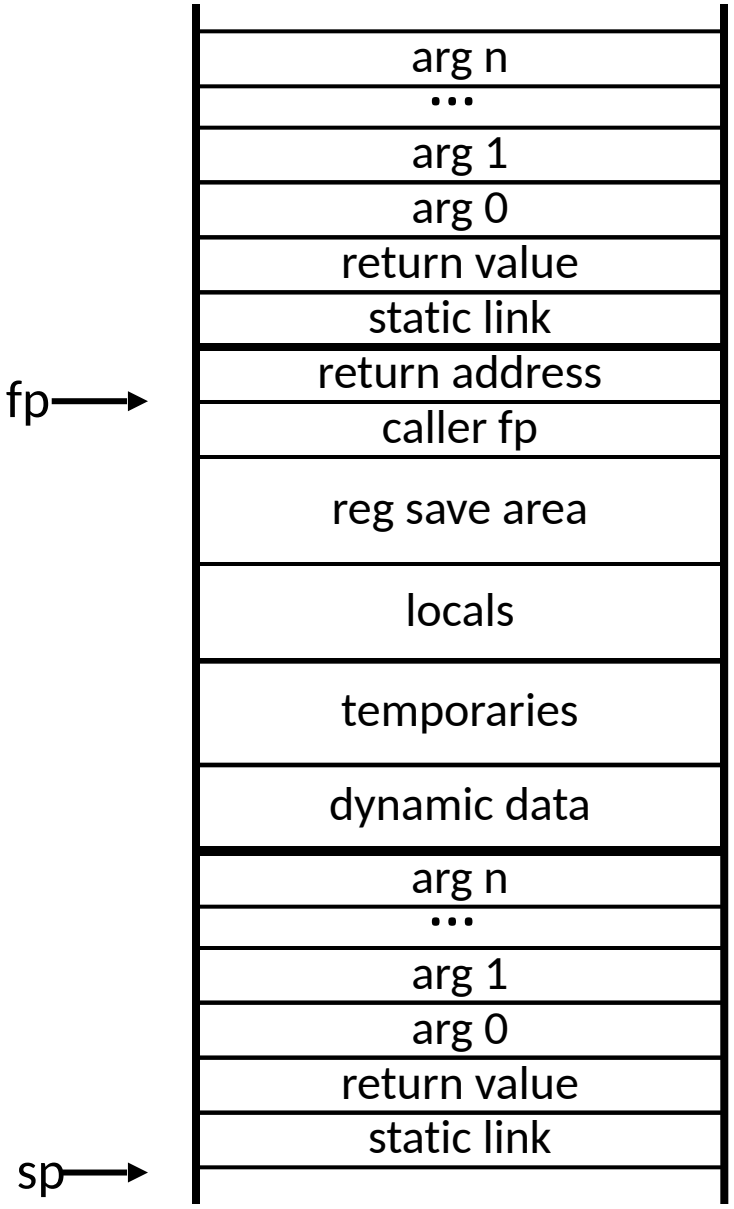
Return Address

- Who should save it?
- Should it be saved?



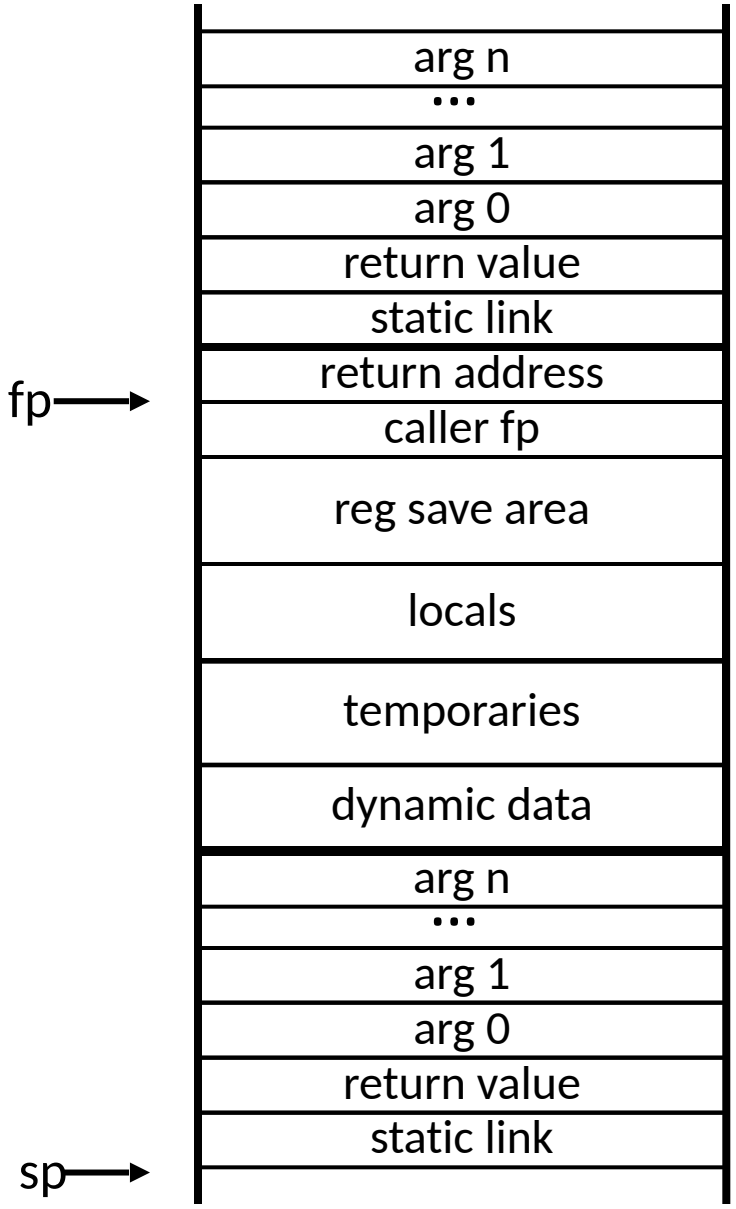
Locals/Temps/Dynamic

- Allocated by callee
- Dynamic data (e.g., alloca) requires fp and sp



The Static Link

- Static link used to access non-local variables for nested procedures.



Nested Functions*

```
void outer(void) {
    int N = 1;
    void show(void) {
      print(N);
      print(" ");
    }
    void two(void) {
      int N = 2;
      show();
    }
    show(); two();
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}
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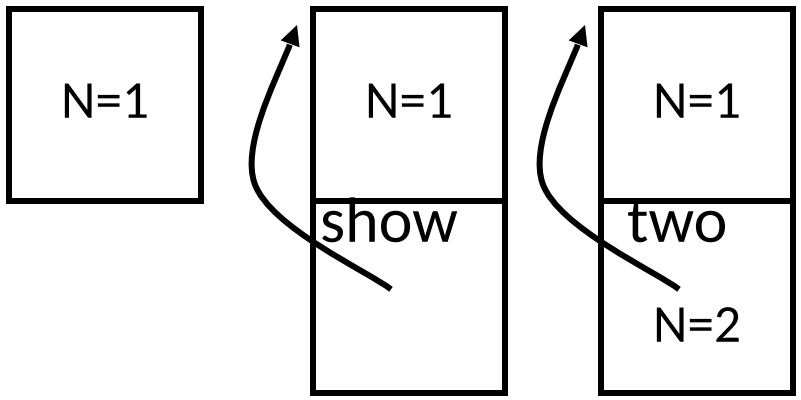
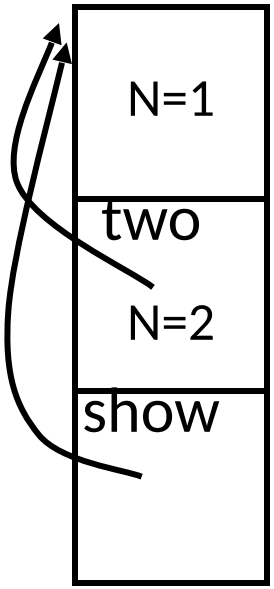




*Lexically scoped

Implementing Nested Functions

- Non-local names are referenced by their level and offset.
  - level is lexical nesting depth
  - offset is offset into activation frame
- During compilation names must be translated into <level,offset> pair.
  - Use block structured symbol tables
  - Track difference between current function's nesting depth and referenced names nesting depth
- At runtime, either
  - static links
  - displays

Static Links

- Keep a link list which follows the lexical nesting depth (NOT THE SAME AS PARENT FP!)
- Can follow chain to find frame at level k
- On call/return setup and teardown chain
- Caller passes pointer to lexically enclosing frame of callee.
- Maintenance cost: store (on call)
- Access cost from frame at level l to one at level k: (k-l) extra loads

Display

- Maintain global table with size = maximum lexical nesting in program
- In prologue:
  - save k^{th} entry in display for call to function at level k.
  - Store FP in k^{th} entry in display
- In epilogue:
  - restore display
- On access: one load from display to get proper frame.

Activation Frame C0

- No nested functions, so no static link
- return value is not stored on stack:

  `%rax`
- First 6 arguments stored in registers:

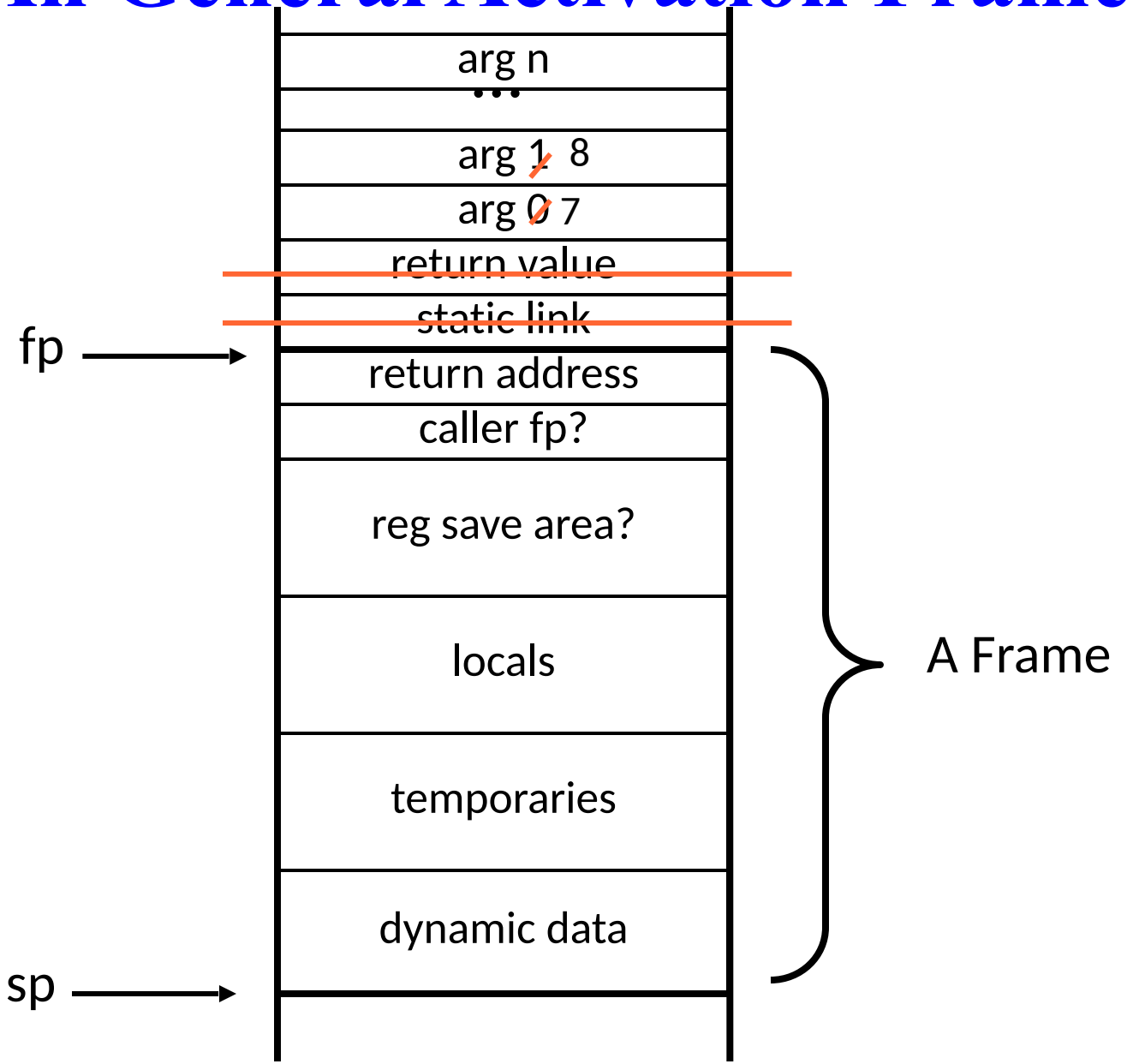
  `%rdi, %rsi, %rdx, %rcx, %r8, %r9`
- Divides registers into caller save:

  `%r10, %r11`
- And, callee save:

  `%rbx, %rbp, %r12, %r13, %r14, %r15`

This is a part of C's calling convention

An General Activation Frame



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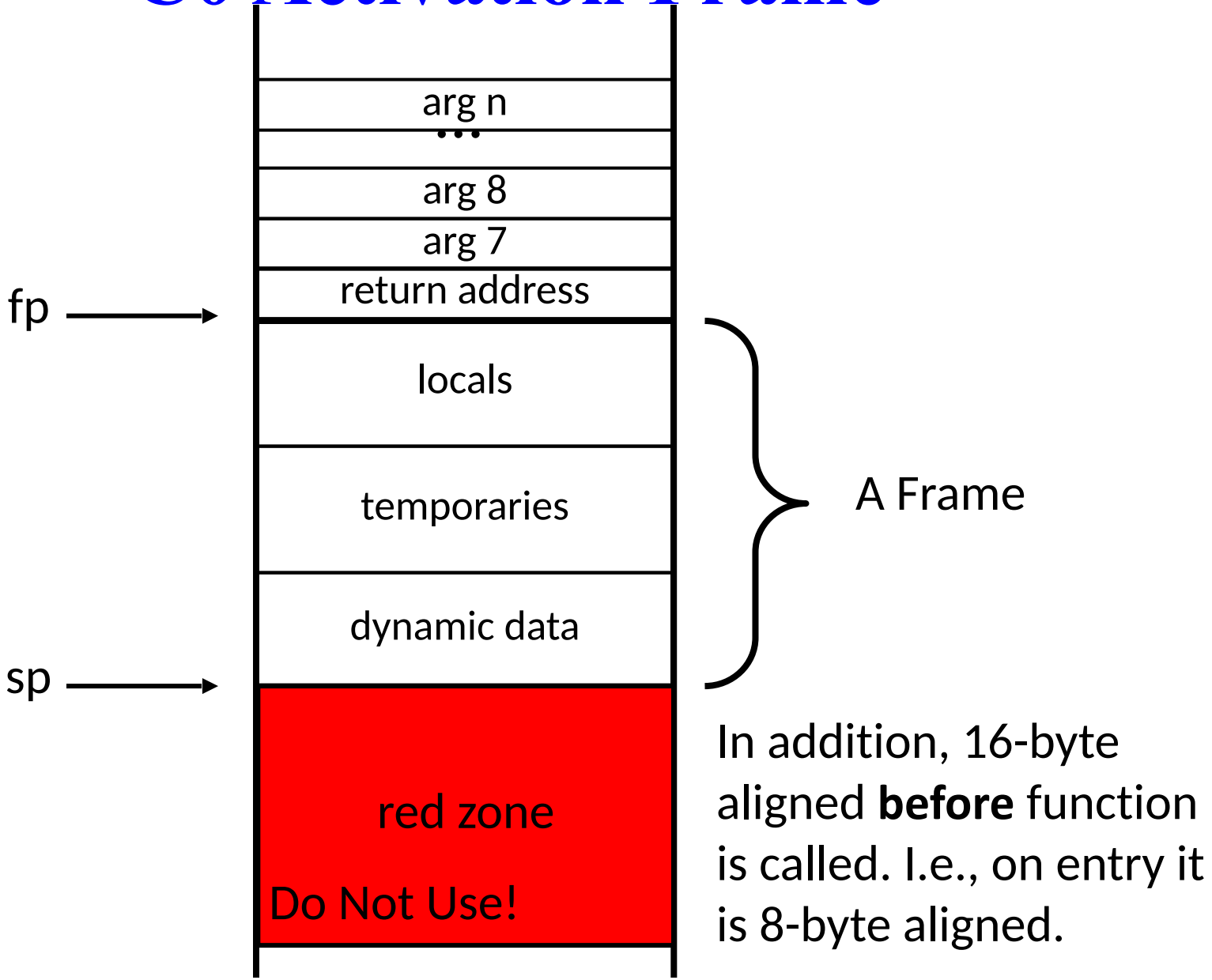

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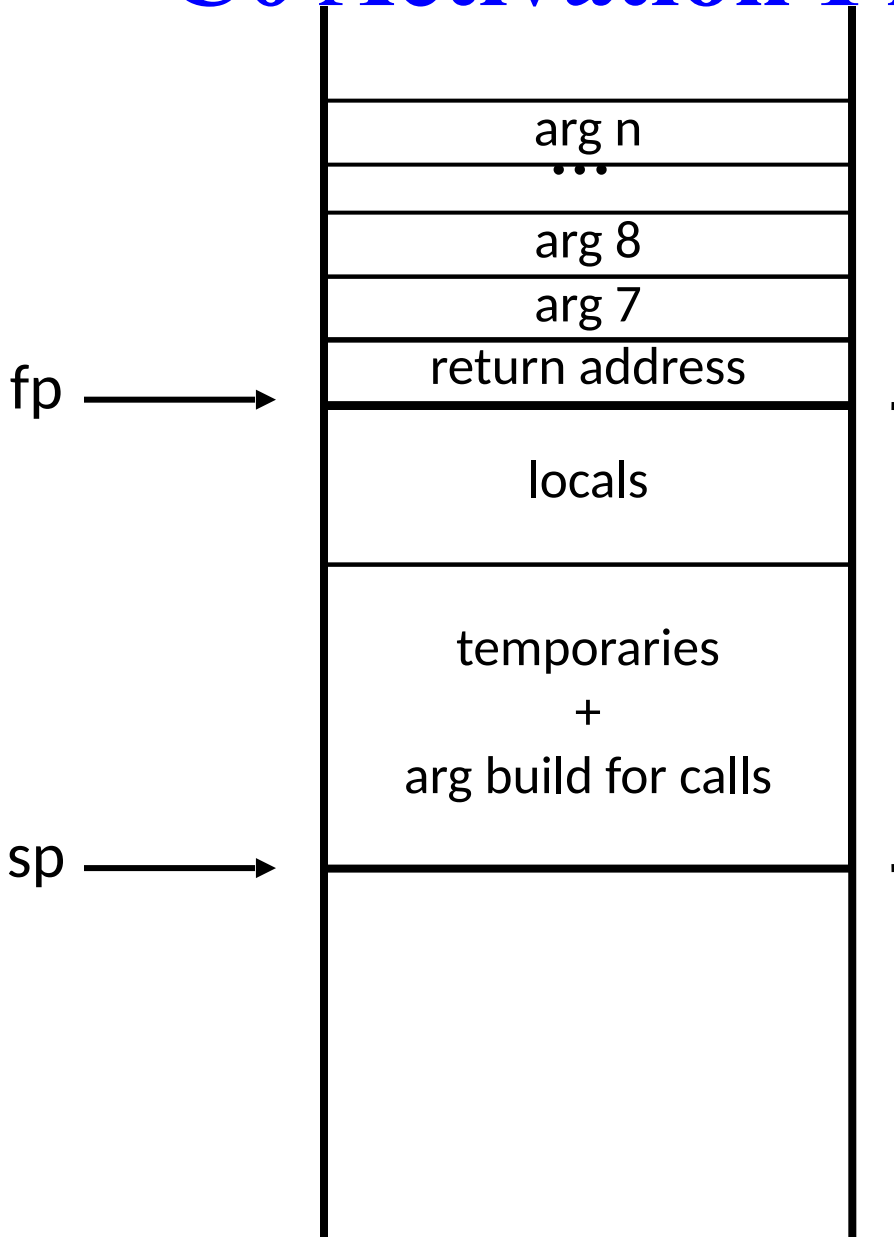

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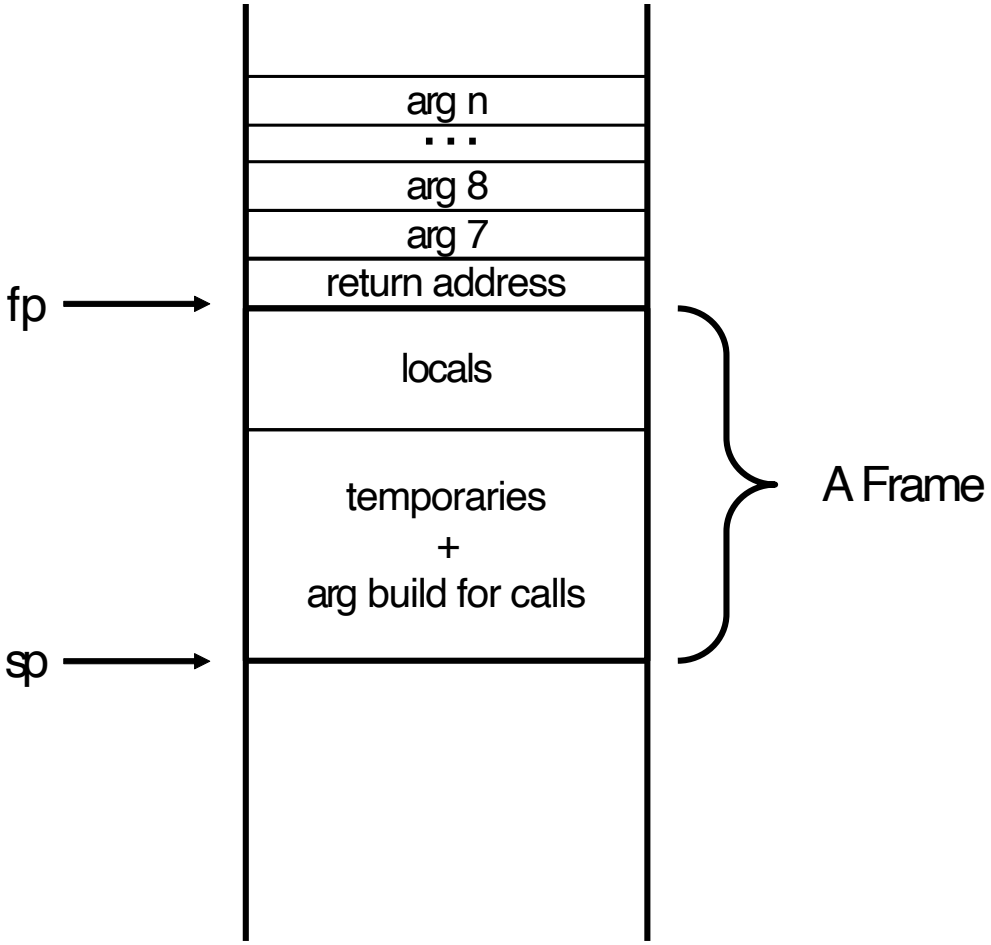
to `fp` or not to `fp`?

- Do we need a frame pointer?



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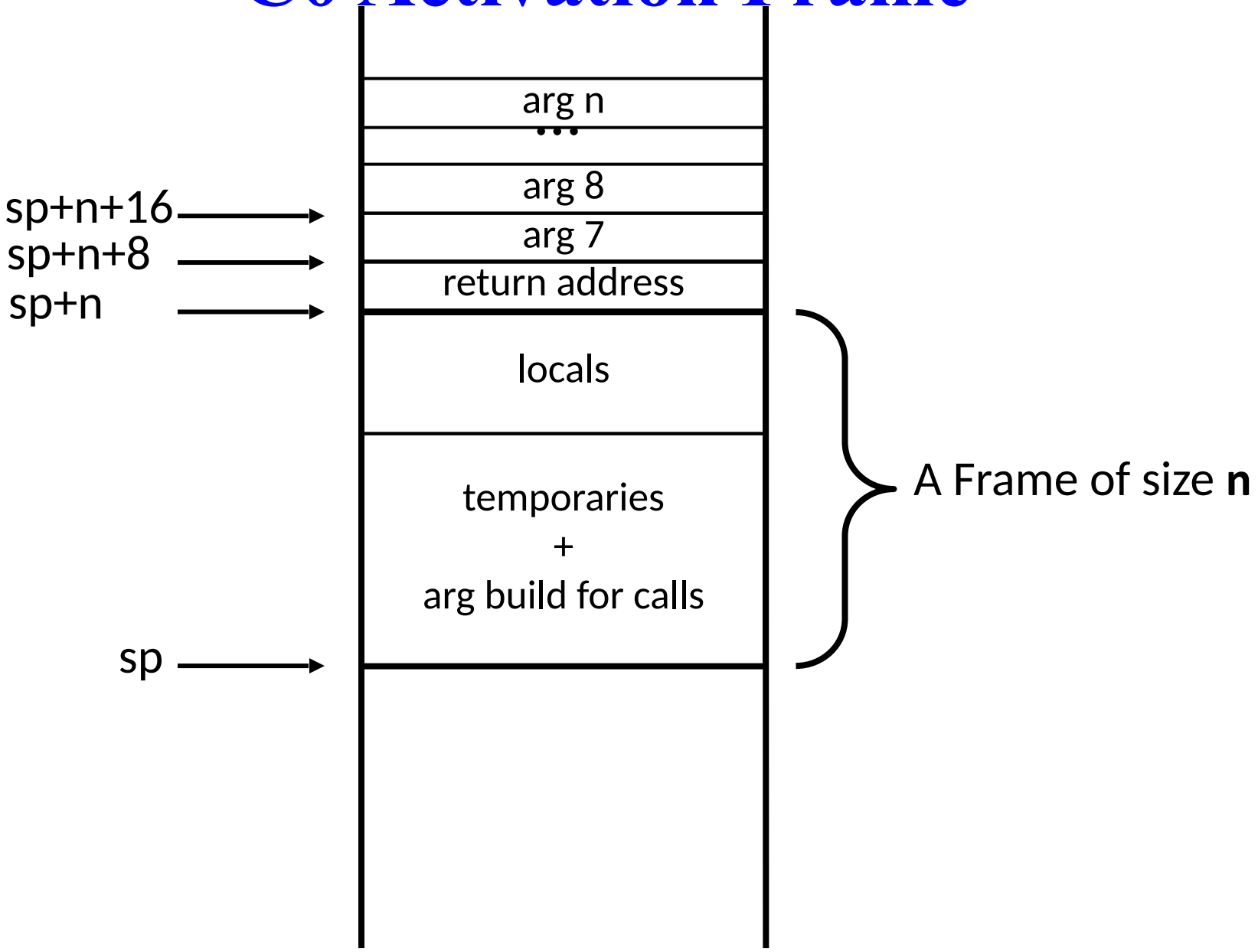

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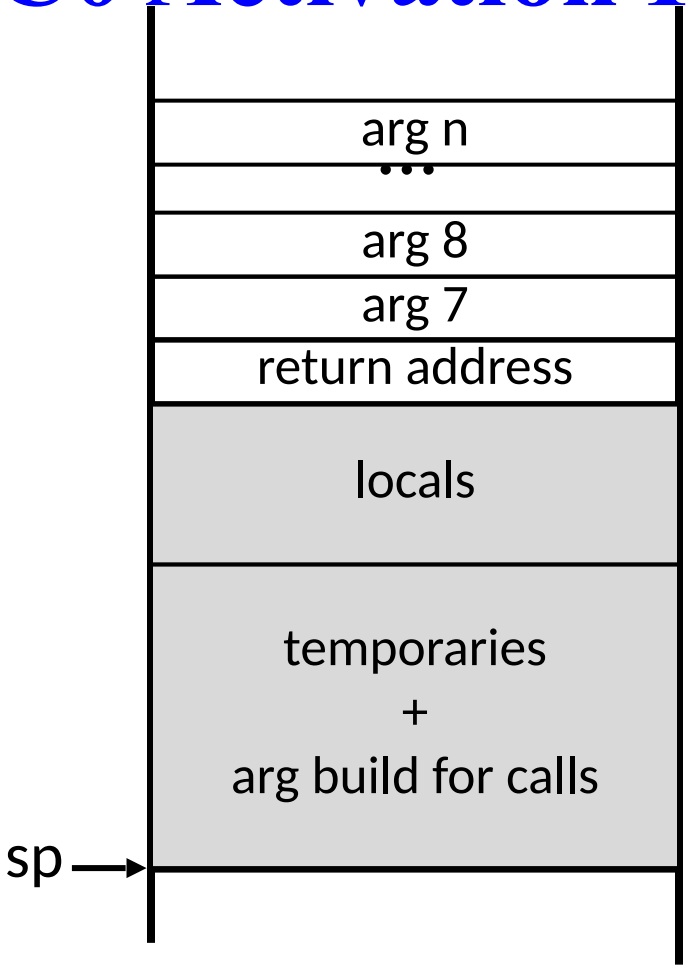

Who does what?

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      mov       z,a
      add          r3,r1,r2
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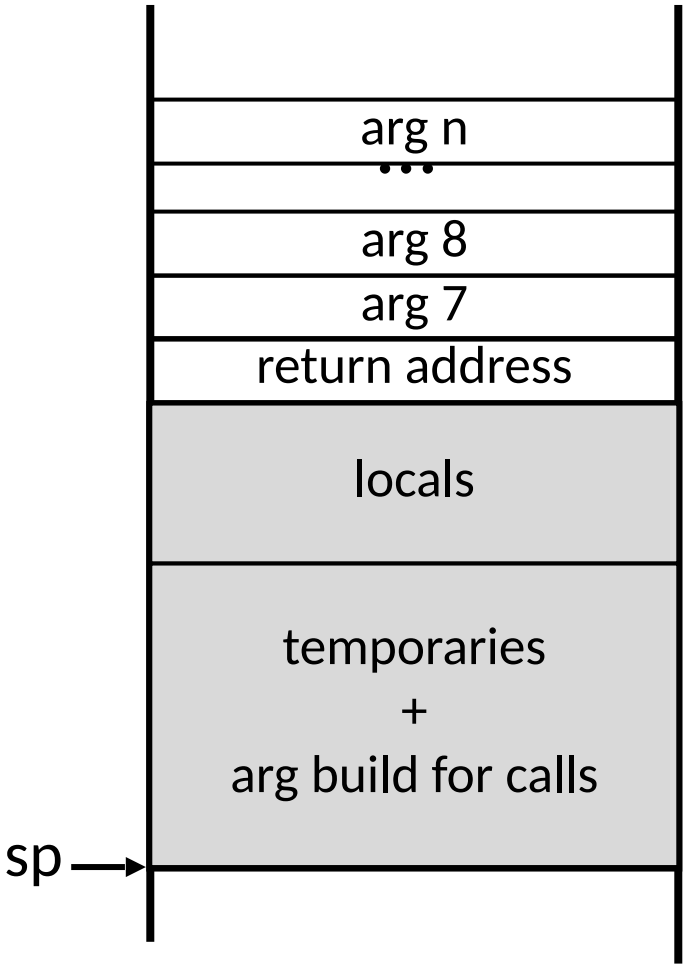
      Epilogue
```



The answer is: it depends!

Prologue

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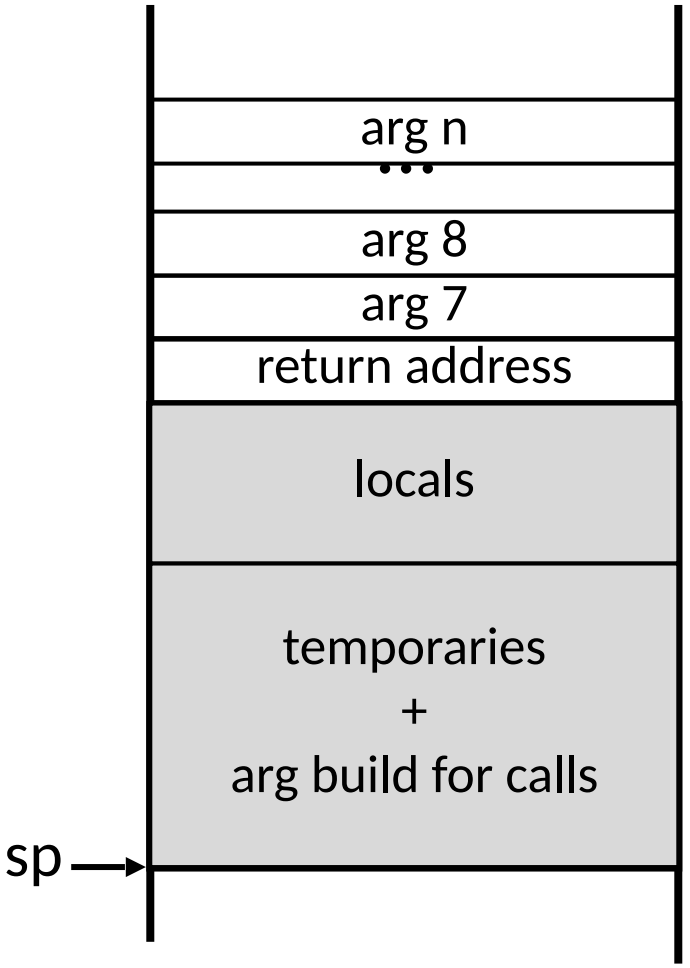

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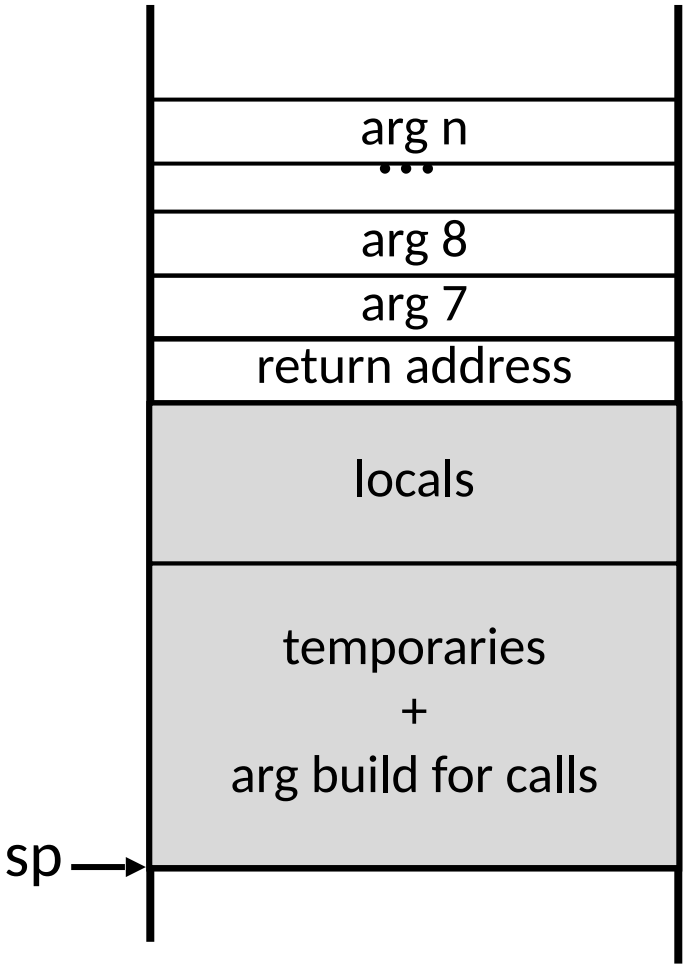

epilog: re-adjust sp
restore any saved callee-save registers

setup for call

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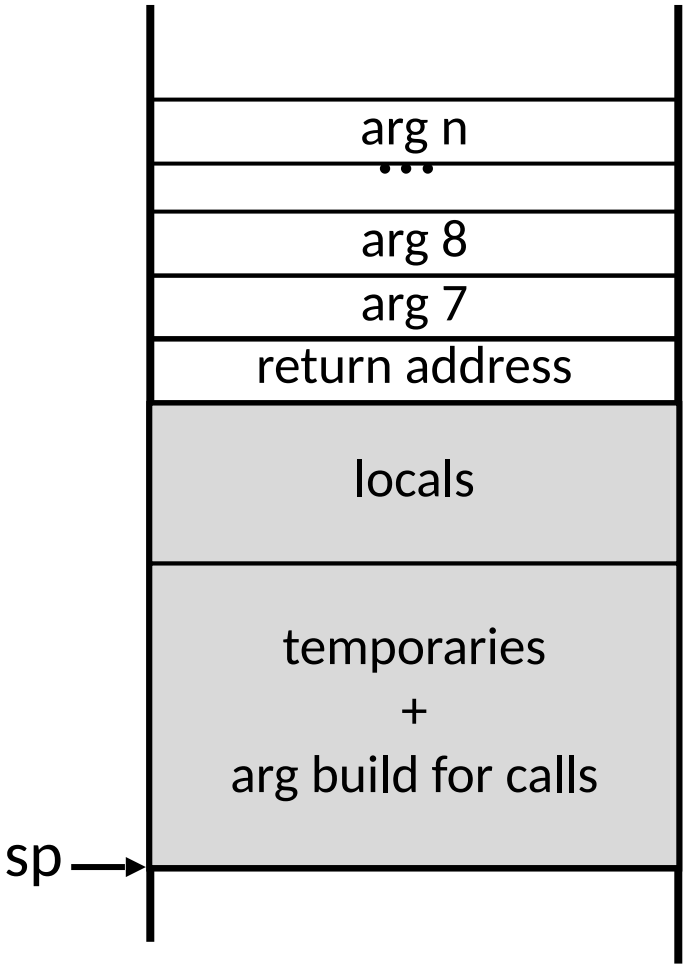

before call: save any necessary caller-save registers
setup arg registers
possibly store 7th, …., nth arg on stack

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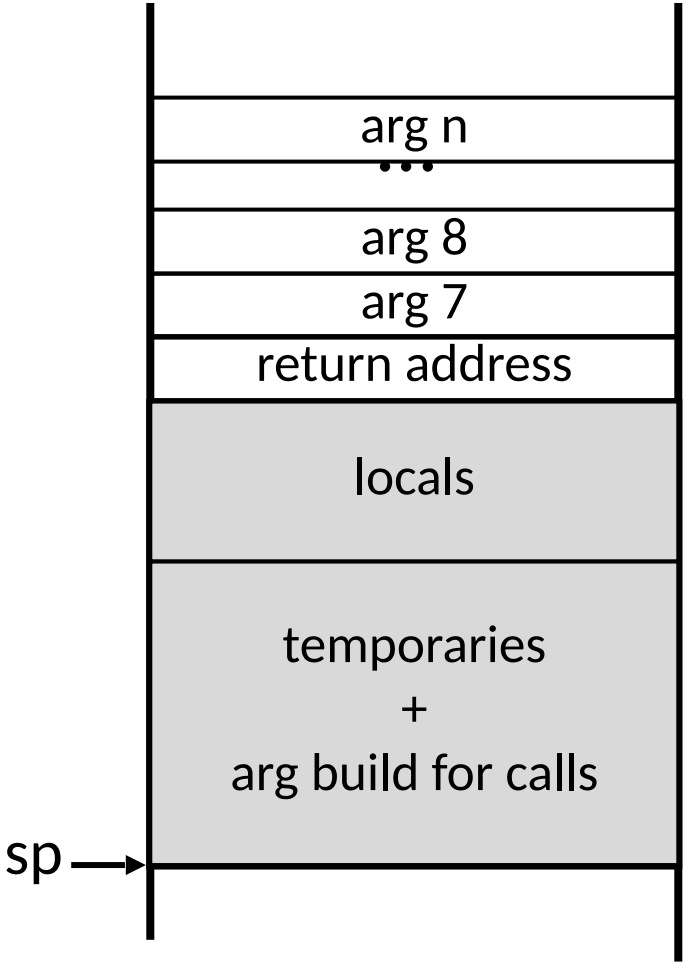

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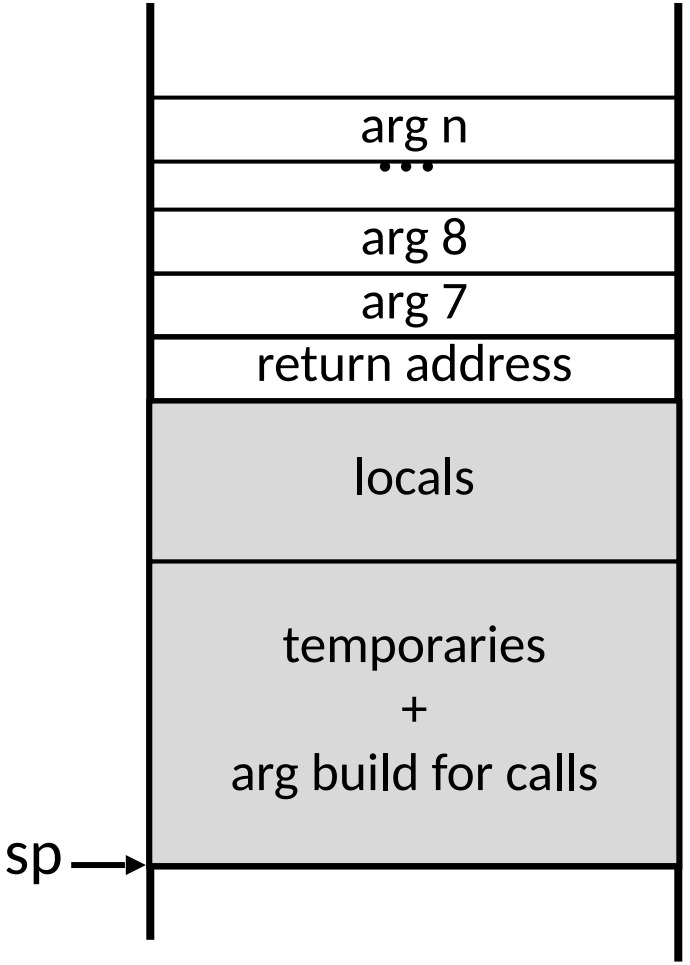

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  - address taken
  - passed by reference
  - Can determine at semantic analysis time with recursive walk of AST
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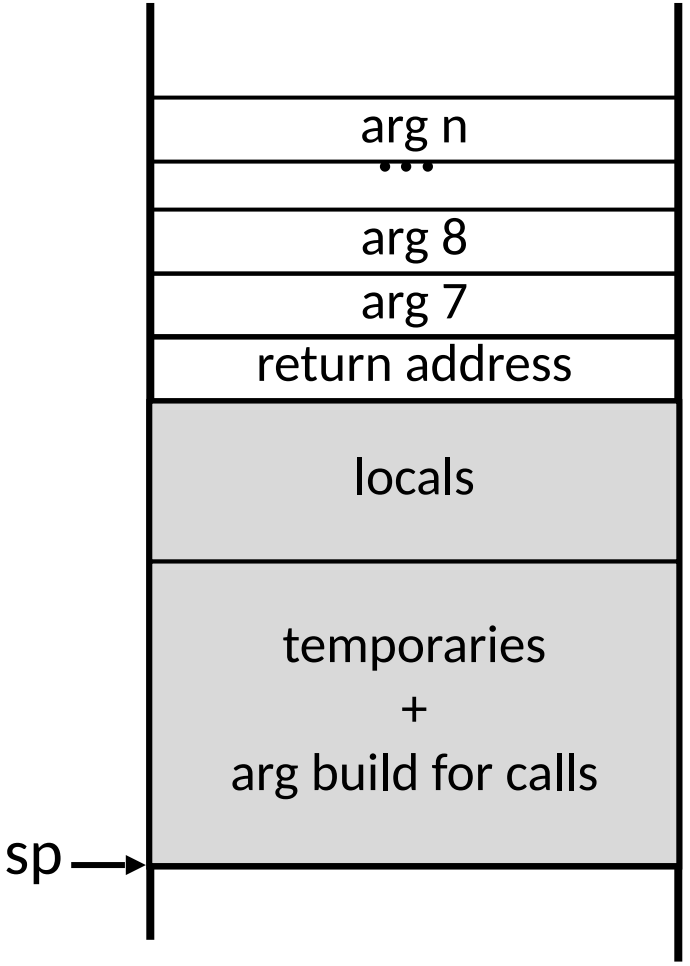

How to Represent locations

- Various kinds of locations
  - automatic variables: temp
  - parameters: temp
  - hard registers: register
  - spill: frame slot
  - global: memory?
  - static: memory?
- When do we know size of frame?
- When do we generate loads and stores?
- How do we simplify our compiler?

Variables

- Three kinds of variables
  - globals & statics
  - local variables
  - formal parameters
- Issues:
  - where are they stored
  - How much space do they
  - How are they accessed
- This is both
  - machine dependent
  - and, language dependent

- Use an abstract Access type to represent all variables.
- It will end up being:
  - a Temp
  - a HardReg
  - a Slot
  - a MemoryLocation

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- Evaluate all arguments first so we can use pure expressions in call.
- $f(e_1,\ldots,e_n) \mapsto t_1=e_1;\ldots;t_n=e_n;\ t_r \leftarrow f(t_1,\ldots,t_n))$
- treat call itself as a "statement" and assign (if needed) return value to a fresh temp

IR for a function call

- Choices:

$$d \leftarrow f(s_1,\ldots,s_n)$$

call f

%rax ← call f

- The latter two assume that $s_1,\ldots,s_n$ have either been moved to appropriate arg register or put in proper place on stack.
- Side note on SSA and precolored registers:
  - Explicitly representing **`%rax`** will mean not in SSA form. So, **`call f`** may be preferred (deal with %rax as with div/mult/etc.)

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  - It also defines all caller-save registers!
  - So, call defines: %rax, %rdi, %rsi, %rdx, %rcx, %r8, %r9, %r10, %r11

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arg_4	%rcx	argument 4	No
arg_5	%r8	argument 5	No
arg_6	%r9	argument 6	No
ler_7	%r10	caller-saved	No
ler_8	%r11	caller-saved	No
lee_9	%rbx	callee-saved	Yes
lee_{10}	%rbp	callee-saved*	Yes
lee_{11}	%r12	callee-saved	Yes
lee_{12}	%r13	callee-saved	Yes
lee_{13}	%r14	callee-saved	Yes
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  - if they are not used, they become nops
  - If there is register pressure, then they will be spilled. (assuming spilling cost is calculated right.)

f: $t1 \leftarrow lee_9$

$t2 \leftarrow lee_{10}$

…

$lee_{10} \leftarrow t2$

$lee_9 \leftarrow t1$

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%rax? %eax? %al

- So, far 32-bits in %eax
- Spilling callee-save registers, however, requires saving %rax.

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The power function

```
int pow(int b, int e)
//@requires e >= 0;
{
  if (e == 0)
    return 1;
  else
    return b * pow(b, e-1);
}
```

```
pow(b,e):
  if (e == 0) then done else recurse
done:
  ret 1
recurse:
  t0 <- e - 1
  t1 <- pow(b, t0)
  t2 <- b * t1
  ret t2
```

Initial Translation with def/use

program	def	use
pow(b, e) :	b, e	
if $(e == 0)$ then done else recurse		e
done :		
ret 1		
recurse :		
$t_0 \leftarrow e - 1$	t_0	e
$t_1 \leftarrow$ pow(b, t_0)	t_1	b, t_0
$t_2 \leftarrow b * t_1$	t_2	b, t_1
ret t_2		t_2

Calculating liveness

program	def	use	live-in
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Next: Arguments & retval explicit

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if $(e == 0)$ then done else recurse		e	b, e
done :			
ret 1			
recurse :			b, e
$t_0 \leftarrow e - 1$	t_0	e	b, e
$t_1 \leftarrow$ pow(b, t_0)	t_1	b, t_0	b, t_0
$t_2 \leftarrow b * t_1$	t_2	b, t_1	b, t_1
ret t_2		t_2	t_2

Making argument's Explicit

program	def	use
pow :	arg_1, arg_2	
$b \leftarrow arg_1$	b	arg_1
$e \leftarrow arg_2$	e	arg_2
if $(e == 0)$ then done else recurse		
done :		
$res_0 \leftarrow 1$	res_0	
ret		res_0
recurse :		
$t_0 \leftarrow e - 1$	t_0	e
$arg_2 \leftarrow t_0$	arg_2	t_0
$arg_1 \leftarrow b$	arg_1	b
call pow	$res_0, arg_1, arg_2,$ $arg_3, arg_4, arg_5,$ arg_6, ler_7, ler_8	arg_1, arg_2
$t_1 \leftarrow res_0$	t_1	res_0
$t_2 \leftarrow b * t_1$	t_2	b, t_1
$res_0 \leftarrow t_2$	res_0	t_2
ret		res_0

Missing a def

Where are callee save regs?

Liveness

program	def	use	live-in
pow :	arg_1, arg_2		
$b \leftarrow arg_1$	b	arg_1	
$e \leftarrow arg_2$	e	arg_2	
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done :			
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$t_2 \leftarrow b * t_1$	t_2	b, t_1	b, t_1
$res_0 \leftarrow t_2$	res_0	t_2	t_2
ret		res_0	res_0

Calculating Interference Graph

program	def	use	live-in
pow :	arg_1, arg_2		
$b \leftarrow arg_1$	b	arg_1	arg_1, arg_2
$e \leftarrow arg_2$	e	arg_2	b, arg_2
if $(e == 0)$ then done else recurse			b, e
done :			
$res_0 \leftarrow 1$	res_0		
ret		res_0	res_0
recurse :			b, e
$t_0 \leftarrow e - 1$	t_0	e	b, e
$arg_2 \leftarrow t_0$	arg_2	t_0	b, t_0
$arg_1 \leftarrow b$	arg_1	b	b, arg_2
call pow	$res_0, arg_1, arg_2, arg_3, arg_4, arg_5, arg_6, ler_7, ler_8$	arg_1, arg_2	b, arg_1, arg_2
$t_1 \leftarrow res_0$	t_1	res_0	b, res_0
$t_2 \leftarrow b * t_1$	t_2	b, t_1	b, t_1
$res_0 \leftarrow t_2$	res_0	t_2	t_2
ret		res_0	res_0

temp	interfering with
b	$res_0, arg_1, arg_2, arg_3, arg_4, arg_5, arg_6, ler_7, ler_8, e, t_0, t_1$
e	b
t_0	b
t_1	b
t_2	

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ret		res_0	res_0
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$res_0 \leftarrow t_2$	res_0	t_2	t_2
ret		res_0	res_0

b—arg_1—arg_2

b—e

b—res_0

b—t_0

b—arg_3—arg_4—arg_5

b—t_1 —arg_6—ler_7—ler_8

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t_0	b
t_1	b
t_2	

Where to put b?

program	def	use	live-in
pow :	arg_1, arg_2		
$b \leftarrow arg_1$	b	arg_1	arg_1, arg_2
$e \leftarrow arg_2$	e	arg_2	b, arg_2
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$t_2 \leftarrow b * t_1$	t_2	b, t_1	b, t_1
$res_0 \leftarrow t_2$	res_0	t_2	t_2
ret		res_0	res_0

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t_0	b
t_1	b
t_2	

Where to put b?

program	live-in
pow :	arg_1, arg_2, lee_9
push lee_9	arg_1, arg_2, lee_9
$b \leftarrow arg_1$	arg_1, arg_2
$e \leftarrow arg_2$	b, arg_2
if $(e == 0)$ then done else recurse	b, e
done :	
$res_0 \leftarrow 1$	
goto exitpow	res_0
recurse :	b, e
$t_0 \leftarrow e - 1$	b, e
$arg_2 \leftarrow t_0$	b, t_0
$arg_1 \leftarrow b$	b, arg_2
call pow	b, arg_1, arg_2
$t_1 \leftarrow res_0$	b, res_0
$t_2 \leftarrow b * t_1$	b, t_1
$res_0 \leftarrow t_2$	t_2
goto exitpow	res_0
exitpow :	res_0
pop lee_9	res_0
ret	lee_9, res_0

- We added epilogue
- save and restore lee_9
- Make all returns goto epilogue

Post coloring

pow :
  push lee_9
  $lee_9 \leftarrow arg_1$
  $res_0 \leftarrow arg_2$
  if $(res_0 == 0)$ then done else recurse
done :
  $res_0 \leftarrow 1$
  goto exitpow
recurse :
  $res_0 \leftarrow res_0 - 1$
  $arg_2 \leftarrow res_0$
  $arg_1 \leftarrow lee_9$ (redundant)
  call pow
  $res_0 \leftarrow res_0$ (redundant)
  $res_0 \leftarrow lee_9 * res_0$
  $res_0 \leftarrow res_0$ (redundant)
  goto exitpow
exitpow :
  pop lee_9
  ret

Final

pow :
  push lee_9
  $lee_9 \leftarrow arg_1$
  $res_0 \leftarrow arg_2$
  if $(res_0 == 0)$ then done else recurse
done :
  $res_0 \leftarrow 1$
  goto exitpow
recurse :
  $res_0 \leftarrow res_0 - 1$
  $arg_2 \leftarrow res_0$
  $arg_1 \leftarrow lee_9$
  call pow
  $res_0 \leftarrow res_0$
  $res_0 \leftarrow lee_9 * res_0$
  $res_0 \leftarrow res_0$
  goto exitpow
exitpow :
  pop lee_9
  ret

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pow:    pushq   %rbx
        movl    %edi, %ebx
        movl    %esi, %eax
        cmpl    $0, %eax
        jne L1
        movl    $1, %eax
        goto L2
L1:     subl    $1, %eax
        movl    %eax, %esi
        call    pow
        imull   %ebx, %eax
L2:     popq %rbx
        ret
```