

EECS 583 – Class 9

Classic and ILP Optimization

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Announcements & Reading Material

- ❖ Hopefully everyone is making some progress on HW 2
- ❖ Today's class
 - » “Compiler Code Transformations for Superscalar-Based High-Performance Systems,” S. Mahlke, W. Chen, J. Gyllenhaal, W. Hwu, P. Chang, and T. Kiyohara, *Proceedings of Supercomputing '92*, Nov. 1992, pp. 808-817
- ❖ Next class (code generation)
 - » “Machine Description Driven Compilers for EPIC Processors”, B. Rau, V. Kathail, and S. Aditya, HP Technical Report, HPL-98-40, 1998. (long paper but informative)

Forward Copy Propagation

- ❖ Forward propagation of the RHS of moves

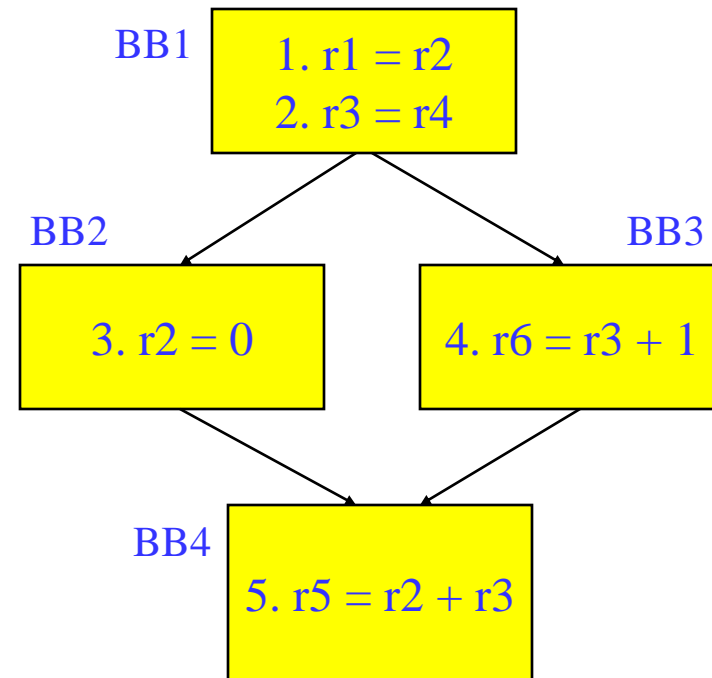
- » $r1 = r2$
- » ...
- » $r4 = r1 + 1 \rightarrow r4 = r2 + 1$

- ❖ Benefits

- » Reduce chain of dependences
- » Eliminate the move

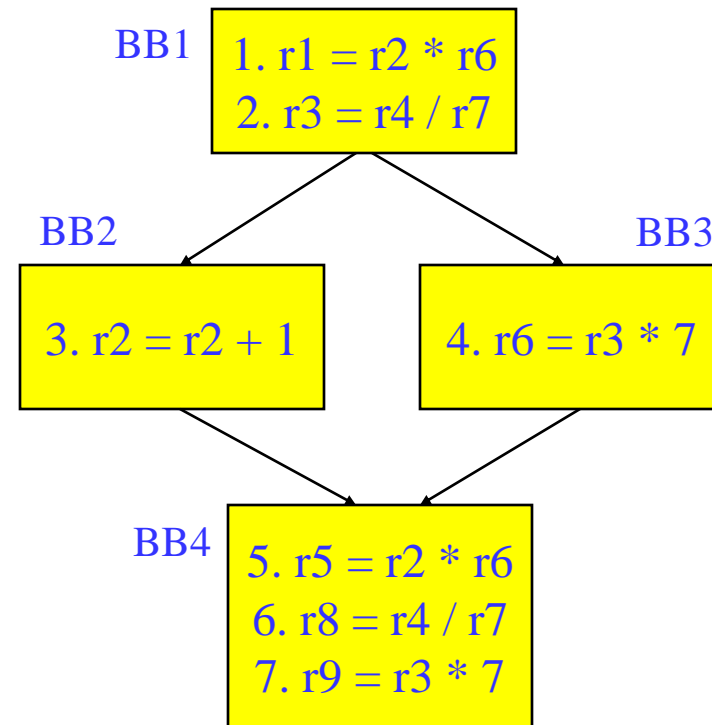
- ❖ Rules (ops X and Y)

- » X is a move
- » $\text{src1}(X)$ is a register
- » Y consumes $\text{dest}(X)$
- » $X.\text{dest}$ is an available def at Y
- » $X.\text{src1}$ is an available expr at Y



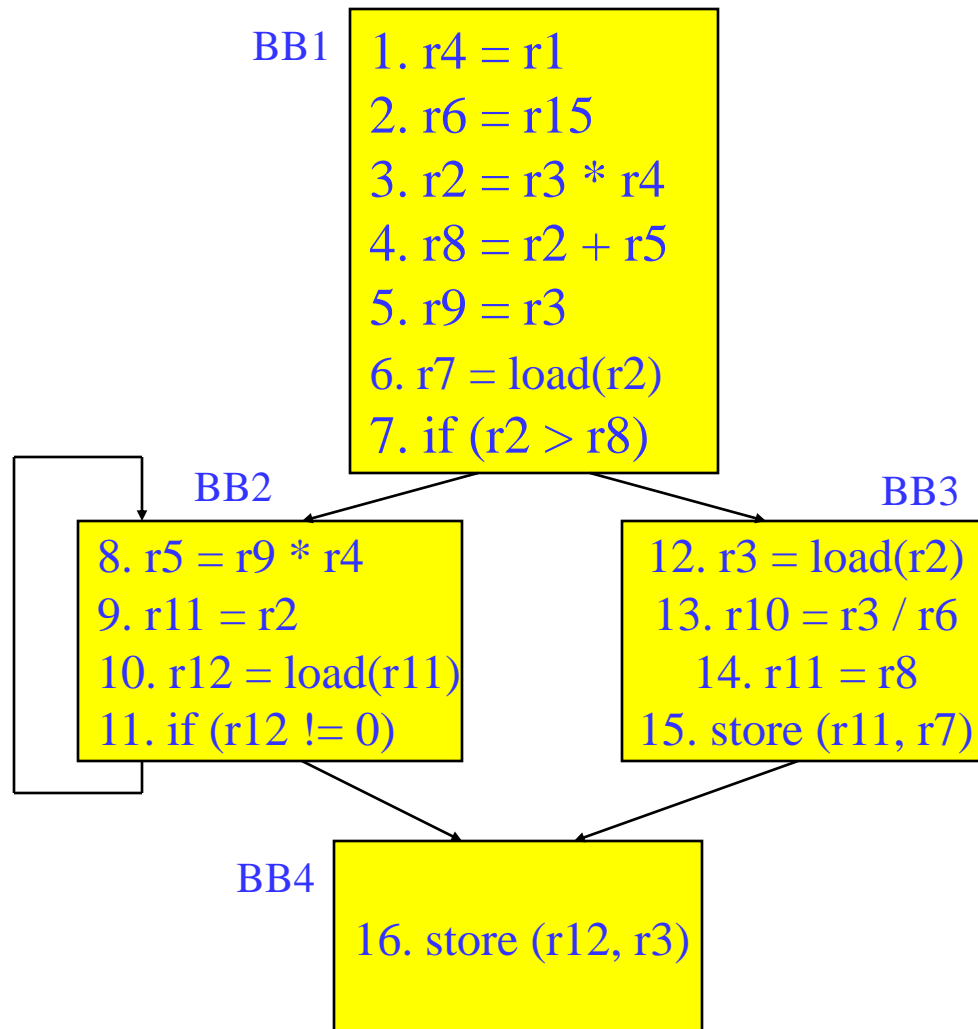
CSE – Common Subexpression Elimination

- ❖ Eliminate recomputation of an expression by reusing the previous result
 - » $r1 = r2 * r3$
 - » $\rightarrow r100 = r1$
 - » ...
 - » $r4 = r2 * r3 \rightarrow r4 = r100$
- ❖ Benefits
 - » Reduce work
 - » Moves can get copy propagated
- ❖ Rules (ops X and Y)
 - » X and Y have the same opcode
 - » $src(X) = src(Y)$, for all srcs
 - » $expr(X)$ is available at Y
 - » if X is a load, then there is no store that may write to $address(X)$ along any path between X and Y



if op is a load, call it redundant load elimination rather than CSE

Class Problem 1

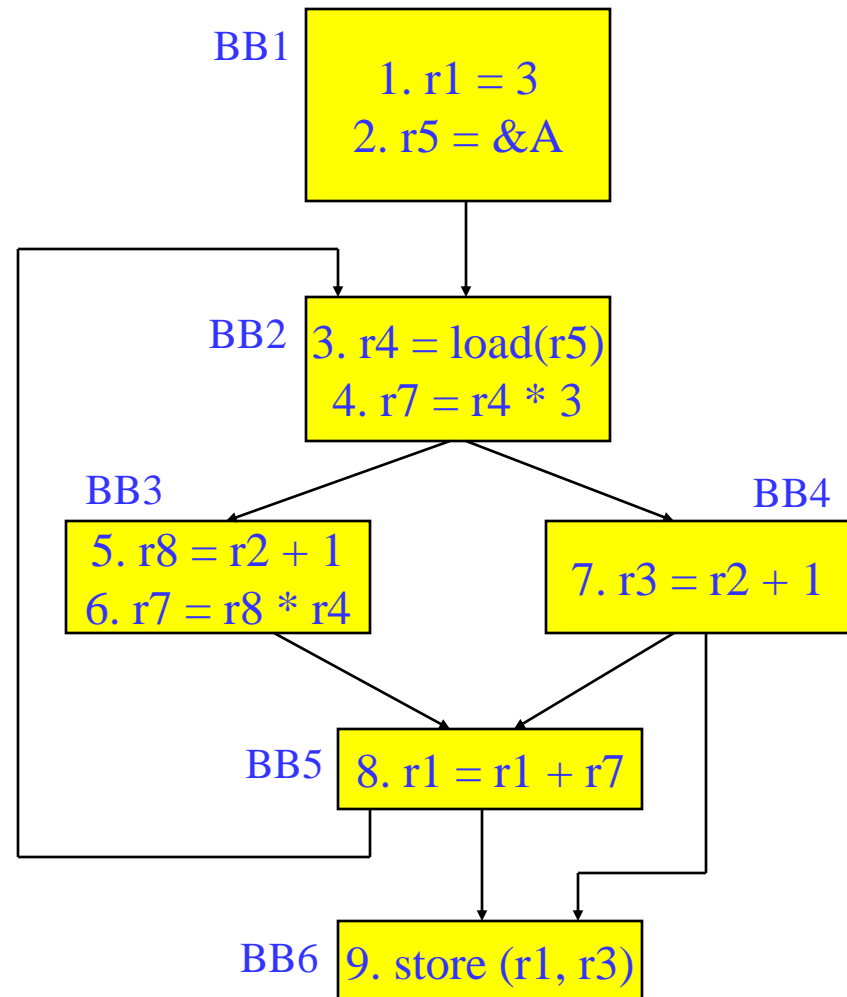


Optimize this applying

1. dead code elimination
2. forward copy propagation
3. CSE

Loop Invariant Code Motion (LICM)

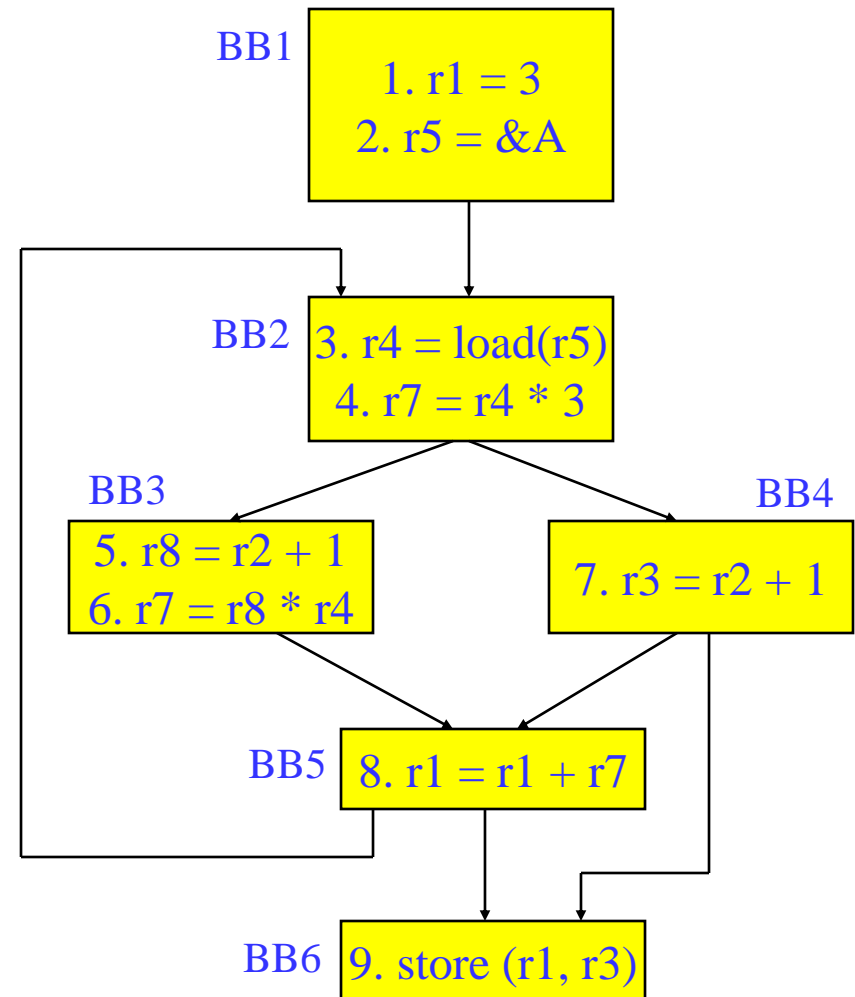
- ❖ Move operations whose source operands do not change within the loop to the loop preheader
 - » Execute them only 1x per invocation of the loop
 - » Be careful with memory operations!
 - » Be careful with ops not executed every iteration



LICM (2)

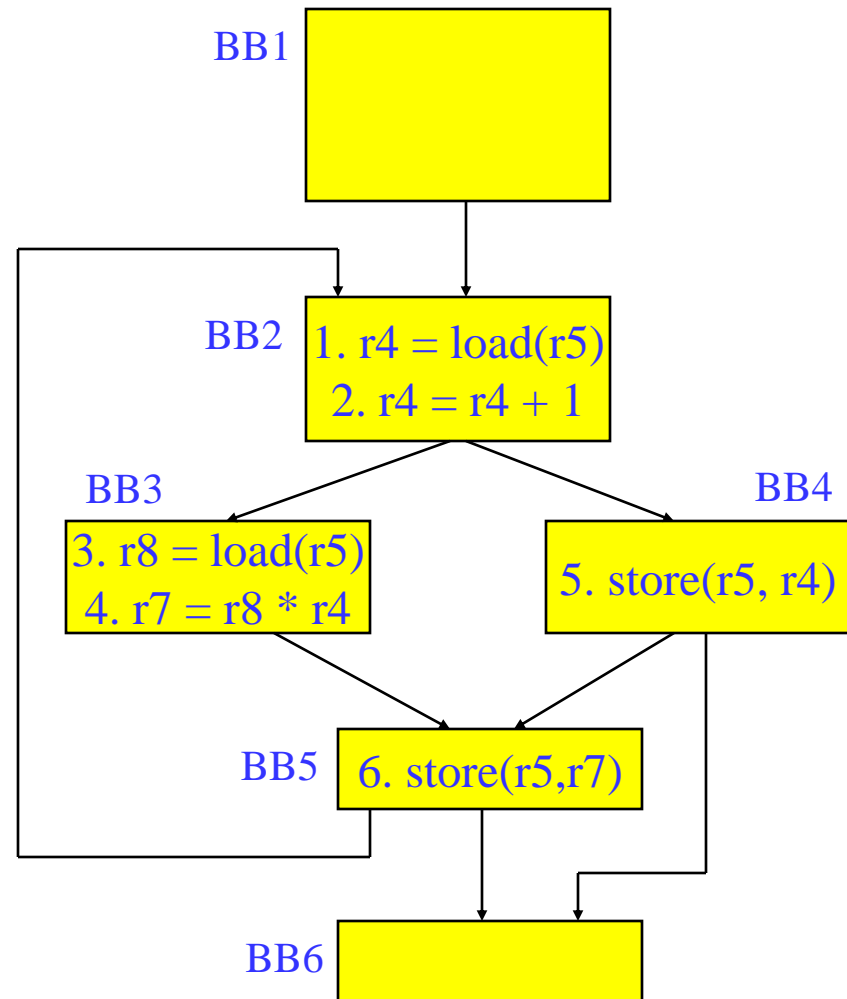
❖ Rules

- » X can be moved
- » $\text{src}(X)$ not modified in loop body
- » X is the only op to modify $\text{dest}(X)$
- » for all uses of $\text{dest}(X)$, X is in the available defs set
- » for all exit BB, if $\text{dest}(X)$ is live on the exit edge, X is in the available defs set on the edge
- » if X not executed on every iteration, then X must provably not cause exceptions
- » if X is a load or store, then there are no writes to $\text{address}(X)$ in loop



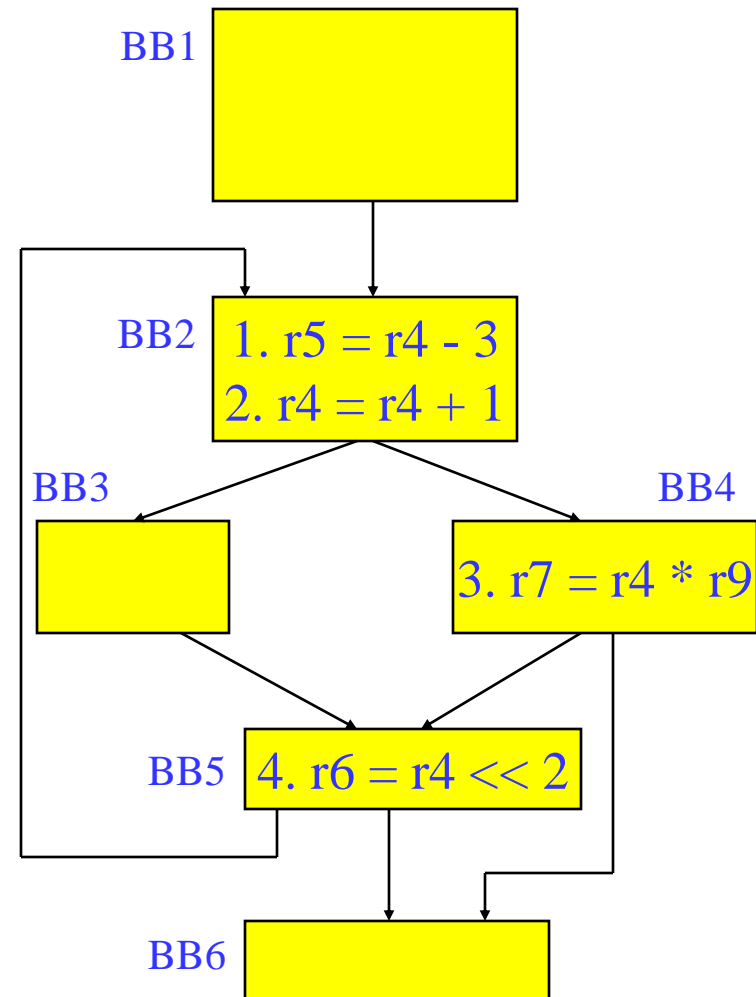
Global Variable Migration

- ❖ Assign a global variable temporarily to a register for the duration of the loop
 - » Load in preheader
 - » Store at exit points
- ❖ Rules
 - » X is a load or store
 - » address(X) not modified in the loop
 - » if X not executed on every iteration, then X must provably not cause an exception
 - » All memory ops in loop whose address can equal address(X) must always have the same address as X



Induction Variable Strength Reduction

- ❖ Create basic induction variables from derived induction variables
- ❖ Induction variable
 - » BIV ($i++$)
 - 0,1,2,3,4,...
 - » DIV ($j = i * 4$)
 - 0, 4, 8, 12, 16, ...
 - » DIV can be converted into a BIV that is incremented by 4
- ❖ Issues
 - » Initial and increment vals
 - » Where to place increments



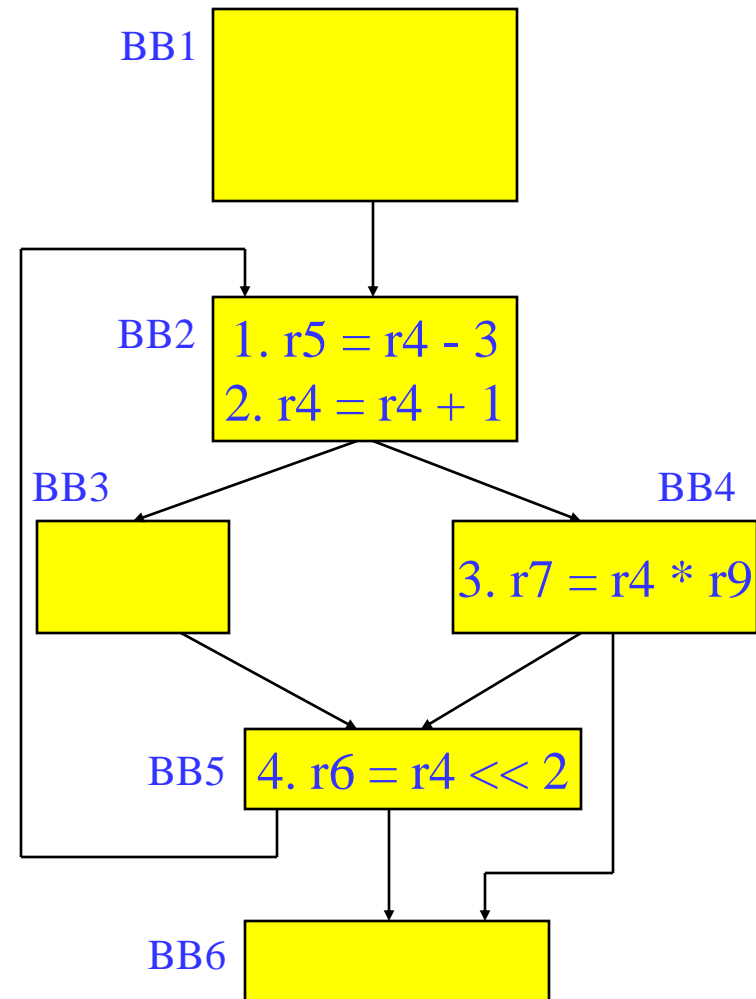
Induction Variable Strength Reduction (2)

❖ Rules

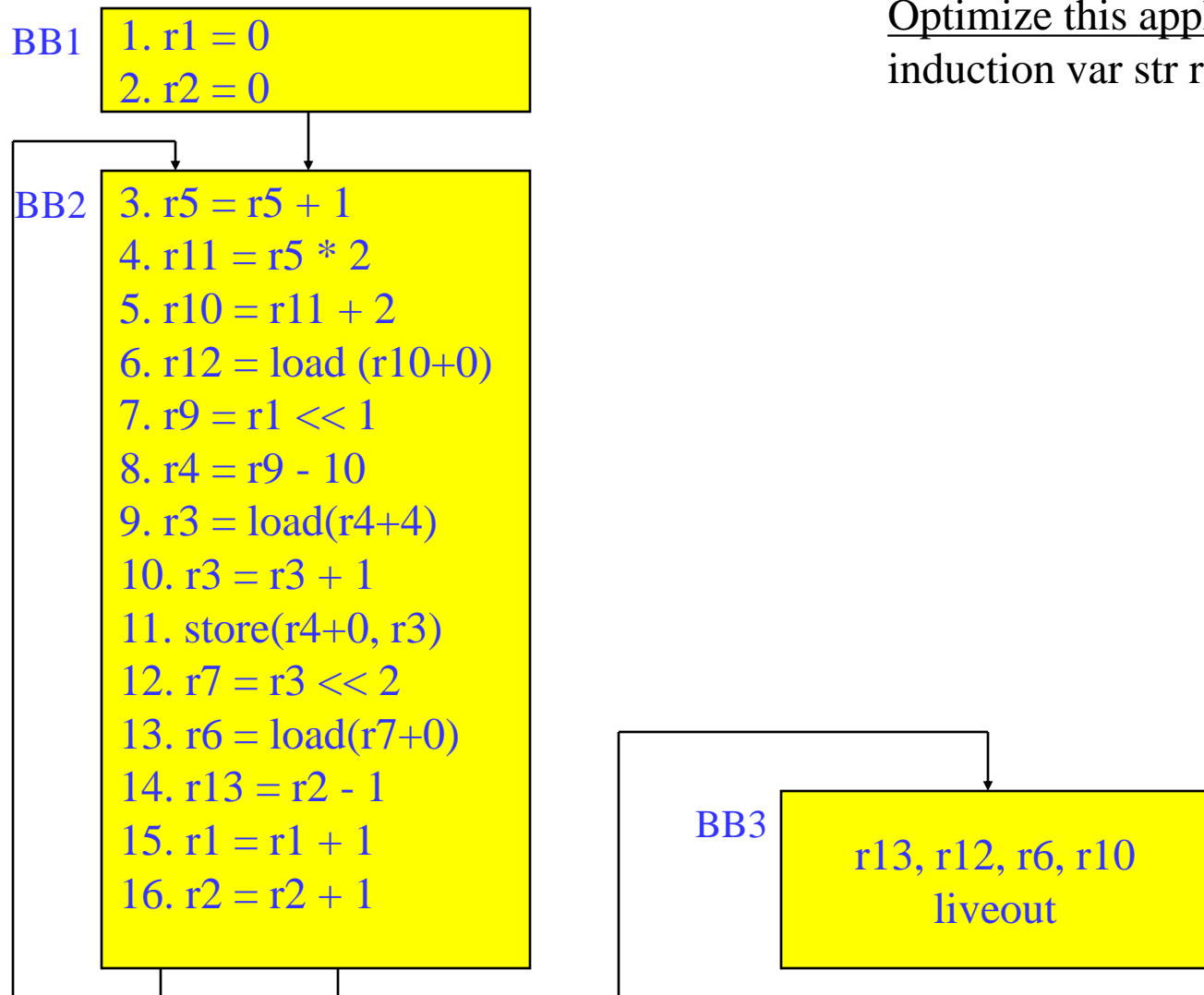
- » X is a $*$, \ll , $+$ or $-$ operation
- » $\text{src1}(X)$ is a basic ind var
- » $\text{src2}(X)$ is invariant
- » No other ops modify $\text{dest}(X)$
- » $\text{dest}(X) \neq \text{src}(X)$ for all srcs
- » $\text{dest}(X)$ is a register

❖ Transformation

- » Insert the following into the preheader
 - $\text{new_reg} = \text{RHS}(X)$
- » If $\text{opcode}(X)$ is not add/sub, insert to the bottom of the preheader
 - $\text{new_inc} = \text{inc}(\text{src1}(X)) \text{ opcode}(X) \text{ src2}(X)$
- » else
 - $\text{new_inc} = \text{inc}(\text{src1}(X))$
- » Insert the following at each update of $\text{src1}(X)$
 - $\text{new_reg} += \text{new_inc}$
- » Change $X \rightarrow \text{dest}(X) = \text{new_reg}$



Class Problem 2



Optimize this applying
induction var str reduction

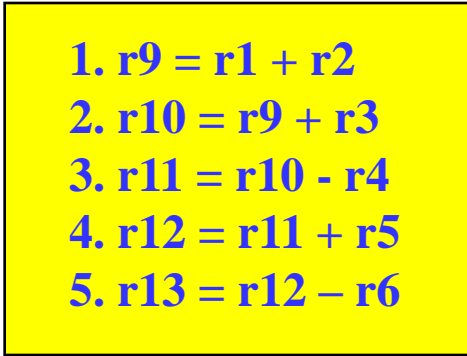
ILP Optimization

- ❖ Traditional optimizations
 - » Redundancy elimination
 - » Reducing operation count
- ❖ ILP (instruction-level parallelism) optimizations
 - » Increase the amount of parallelism and the ability to overlap operations
 - » Operation count is secondary, often trade parallelism for extra instructions (avoid code explosion)
- ❖ ILP increased by breaking dependences
 - » True or flow = read after write dependence
 - » False or (anti/output) = write after read, write after write

Back Substitution

- ❖ Generation of expressions by compiler frontends is very sequential
 - » Account for operator precedence
 - » Apply left-to-right within same precedence
- ❖ Back substitution
 - » Create larger expressions
 - Iteratively substitute RHS expression for LHS variable
 - » Note – may correspond to multiple source statements
 - » Enable subsequent optis
- ❖ Optimization
 - » Re-compute expression in a more favorable manner

$$y = a + b + c - d + e - f;$$



1. $r9 = r1 + r2$
2. $r10 = r9 + r3$
3. $r11 = r10 - r4$
4. $r12 = r11 + r5$
5. $r13 = r12 - r6$

Subs r12:

$$r13 = r11 + r5 - r6$$

Subs r11:

$$r13 = r10 - r4 + r5 - r6$$

Subs r10

$$r13 = r9 + r3 - r4 + r5 - r6$$

Subs r9

$$r13 = r1 + r2 + r3 - r4 + r5 - r6$$

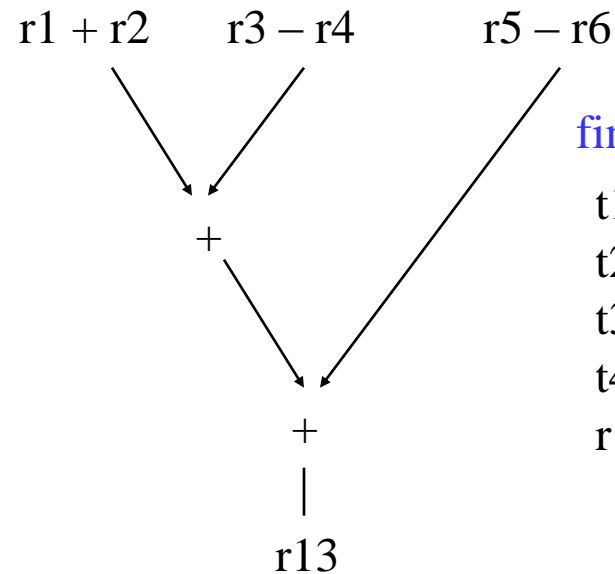
Tree Height Reduction

- ❖ Re-compute expression as a balanced binary tree
 - » Obey precedence rules
 - » Essentially re-parenthesize
 - » Combine literals if possible
- ❖ Effects
 - » Height reduced (n terms)
 - n-1 (assuming unit latency)
 - $\text{ceil}(\log_2(n))$
 - » Number of operations remains constant
 - » Cost
 - Temporary registers “live” longer
 - » Watch out for
 - Always ok for integer arithmetic
 - Floating-point – may not be!!

original: $r9 = r1 + r2$
 $r10 = r9 + r3$
 $r11 = r10 - r4$
 $r12 = r11 + r5$
 $r13 = r12 - r6$

after back subs:

$$r13 = r1 + r2 + r3 - r4 + r5 - r6$$



final code:

$t1 = r1 + r2$
 $t2 = r3 - r4$
 $t3 = r5 - r6$
 $t4 = t1 + t2$
 $r13 = t4 + t3$

Class Problem 3

Assume: $+ = 1$, $* = 3$

operand	0	0	0	1	2	0
arrival times	r1	r2	r3	r4	r5	r6

1. $r_{10} = r_1 * r_2$
2. $r_{11} = r_{10} + r_3$
3. $r_{12} = r_{11} + r_4$
4. $r_{13} = r_{12} - r_5$
5. $r_{14} = r_{13} + r_6$

Back substitute

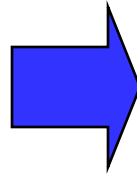
Re-express in tree-height reduced form

Account for latency and arrival times

Optimizing Unrolled Loops

```
loop: r1 = load(r2)
      r3 = load(r4)
      r5 = r1 * r3
      r6 = r6 + r5
      r2 = r2 + 4
      r4 = r4 + 4
      if (r4 < 400) goto loop
```

unroll 3 times



```
loop: r1 = load(r2)
      r3 = load(r4)
      r5 = r1 * r3
iter1 r6 = r6 + r5
      r2 = r2 + 4
      r4 = r4 + 4
      -----
      r1 = load(r2)
      r3 = load(r4)
iter2 r5 = r1 * r3
      r6 = r6 + r5
      r2 = r2 + 4
      r4 = r4 + 4
      -----
      r1 = load(r2)
      r3 = load(r4)
iter3 r5 = r1 * r3
      r6 = r6 + r5
      r2 = r2 + 4
      r4 = r4 + 4
      if (r4 < 400) goto loop
```

Unroll = replicate loop body
n-1 times.

Hope to enable overlap of
operation execution from
different iterations

Not possible!

Register Renaming on Unrolled Loop

```
loop: r1 = load(r2)
      r3 = load(r4)
      r5 = r1 * r3
iter1  r6 = r6 + r5
      r2 = r2 + 4
      r4 = r4 + 4
-----
      r1 = load(r2)
      r3 = load(r4)
iter2  r5 = r1 * r3
      r6 = r6 + r5
      r2 = r2 + 4
      r4 = r4 + 4
-----
      r1 = load(r2)
      r3 = load(r4)
iter3  r5 = r1 * r3
      r6 = r6 + r5
      r2 = r2 + 4
      r4 = r4 + 4
      if (r4 < 400) goto loop
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loop: r1 = load(r2)
      r3 = load(r4)
      r5 = r1 * r3
iter1  r6 = r6 + r5
      r2 = r2 + 4
      r4 = r4 + 4
-----
      r11 = load(r2)
      r13 = load(r4)
iter2  r15 = r11 * r13
      r6 = r6 + r15
      r2 = r2 + 4
      r4 = r4 + 4
-----
      r21 = load(r2)
      r23 = load(r4)
iter3  r25 = r21 * r23
      r6 = r6 + r25
      r2 = r2 + 4
      r4 = r4 + 4
      if (r4 < 400) goto loop
```

Register Renaming is Not Enough!

```
loop: r1 = load(r2)
      r3 = load(r4)
      r5 = r1 * r3
iter1  r6 = r6 + r5
      r2 = r2 + 4
      r4 = r4 + 4
-----
      r11 = load(r2)
      r13 = load(r4)
iter2  r15 = r11 * r13
      r6 = r6 + r15
      r2 = r2 + 4
      r4 = r4 + 4
-----
      r21 = load(r2)
      r23 = load(r4)
iter3  r25 = r21 * r23
      r6 = r6 + r25
      r2 = r2 + 4
      r4 = r4 + 4
      if (r4 < 400) goto loop
```

- ❖ Still not much overlap possible
- ❖ Problems
 - » r2, r4, r6 sequentialize the iterations
 - » Need to rename these
- ❖ 2 specialized renaming optis
 - » Accumulator variable expansion (r6)
 - » Induction variable expansion (r2, r4)

Accumulator Variable Expansion

```
r16 = r26 = 0  
loop: r1 = load(r2)  
       r3 = load(r4)  
       r5 = r1 * r3  
iter1 r6 = r6 + r5  
       r2 = r2 + 4  
       r4 = r4 + 4  
-----  
       r11 = load(r2)  
       r13 = load(r4)  
       r15 = r11 * r13  
iter2 r16 = r16 + r15  
       r2 = r2 + 4  
       r4 = r4 + 4  
-----  
       r21 = load(r2)  
       r23 = load(r4)  
       r25 = r21 * r23  
iter3 r26 = r26 + r25  
       r2 = r2 + 4  
       r4 = r4 + 4  
       if (r4 < 400) goto loop  
r6 = r6 + r16 + r26
```

- ❖ Accumulator variable
 - » $x = x + y$ or $x = x - y$
 - » where y is loop variant!!
- ❖ Create $n-1$ temporary accumulators
- ❖ Each iteration targets a different accumulator
- ❖ Sum up the accumulator variables at the end
- ❖ May not be safe for floating-point values

Induction Variable Expansion

```

    r12 = r2 + 4, r22 = r2 + 8
    r14 = r4 + 4, r24 = r4 + 8
    r16 = r26 = 0
loop: r1 = load(r2)
      r3 = load(r4)
      r5 = r1 * r3
iter1  r6 = r6 + r5
      r2 = r2 + 12
      r4 = r4 + 12
-----
      r11 = load(r12)
      r13 = load(r14)
iter2  r15 = r11 * r13
      r16 = r16 + r15
      r12 = r12 + 12
      r14 = r14 + 12
-----
      r21 = load(r22)
      r23 = load(r24)
iter3  r25 = r21 * r23
      r26 = r26 + r25
      r22 = r22 + 12
      r24 = r24 + 12
      if (r4 < 400) goto loop

```

r6 = r6 + r16 + r26

- ❖ Induction variable
 - » $x = x + y$ or $x = x - y$
 - » where y is loop invariant!!
- ❖ Create $n-1$ additional induction variables
- ❖ Each iteration uses and modifies a different induction variable
- ❖ Initialize induction variables to $init$, $init+step$, $init+2*step$, etc.
- ❖ Step increased to $n*$ original step
- ❖ Now iterations are completely independent !!

Better Induction Variable Expansion

```
    r16 = r26 = 0
loop: r1 = load(r2)
      r3 = load(r4)
      r5 = r1 * r3
iter1 r6 = r6 + r5

-----

      r11 = load(r2+4)
      r13 = load(r4+4)
iter2 r15 = r11 * r13
      r16 = r16 + r15

-----

      r21 = load(r2+8)
      r23 = load(r4+8)
iter3 r25 = r21 * r23
      r26 = r26 + r25
      r2 = r2 + 12
      r4 = r4 + 12
      if (r4 < 400) goto loop
      r6 = r6 + r16 + r26
```

- ❖ With base+displacement addressing, often don't need additional induction variables
 - » Just change offsets in each iterations to reflect step
 - » Change final increments to n * original step

Homework Problem

loop:

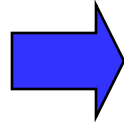
r1 = load(r2)

r5 = r6 + 3

r6 = r5 + r1

r2 = r2 + 4

if (r2 < 400) goto loop



loop:

r1 = load(r2)

r5 = r6 + 3

r6 = r5 + r1

r2 = r2 + 4

r1 = load(r2)

r5 = r6 + 3

r6 = r5 + r1

r2 = r2 + 4

r1 = load(r2)

r5 = r6 + 3

r6 = r5 + r1

r2 = r2 + 4

if (r2 < 400) goto loop

Optimize the unrolled
loop

Renaming

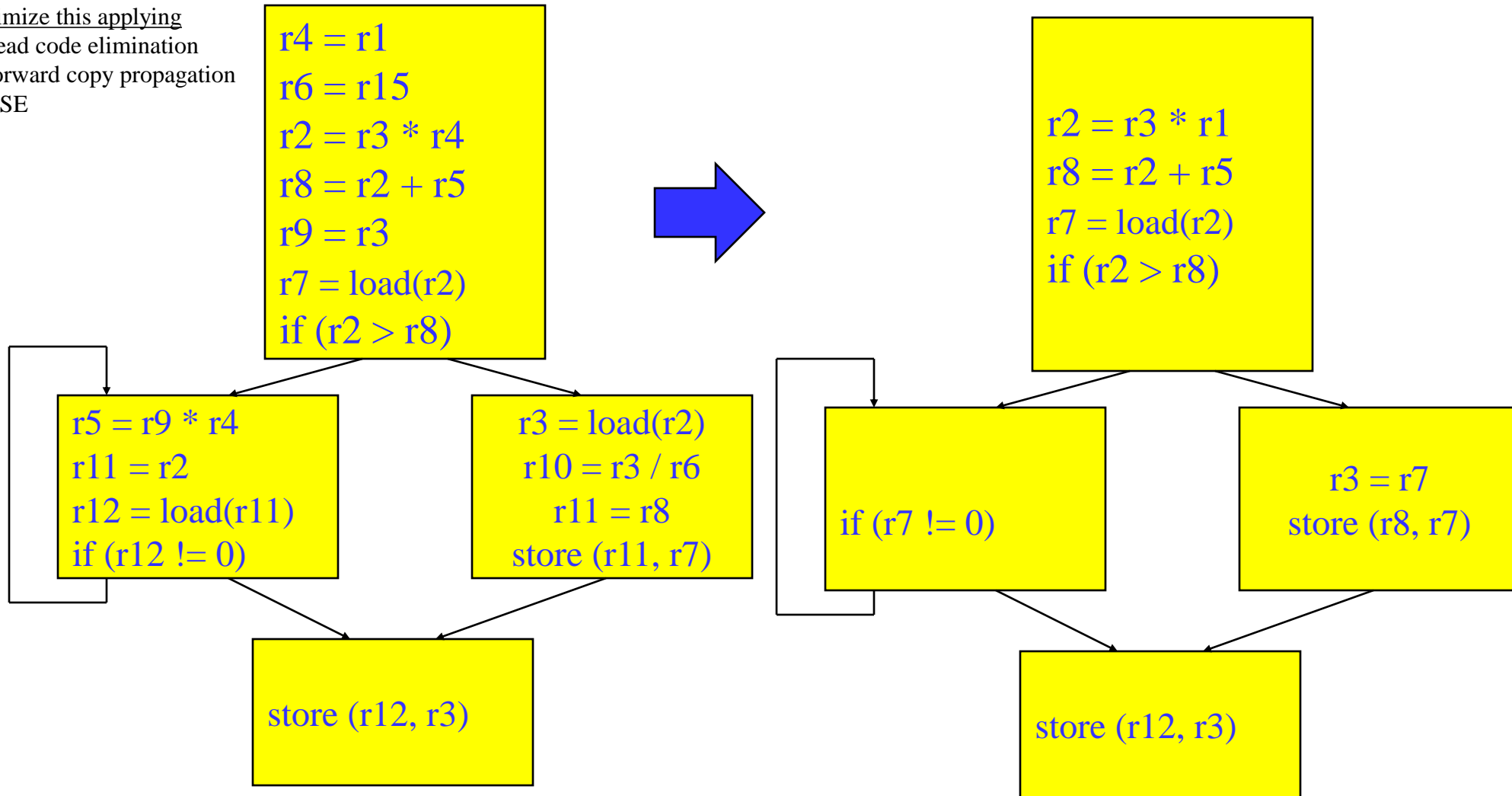
Tree height reduction

Ind/Acc expansion

Class Problem 1 Solution

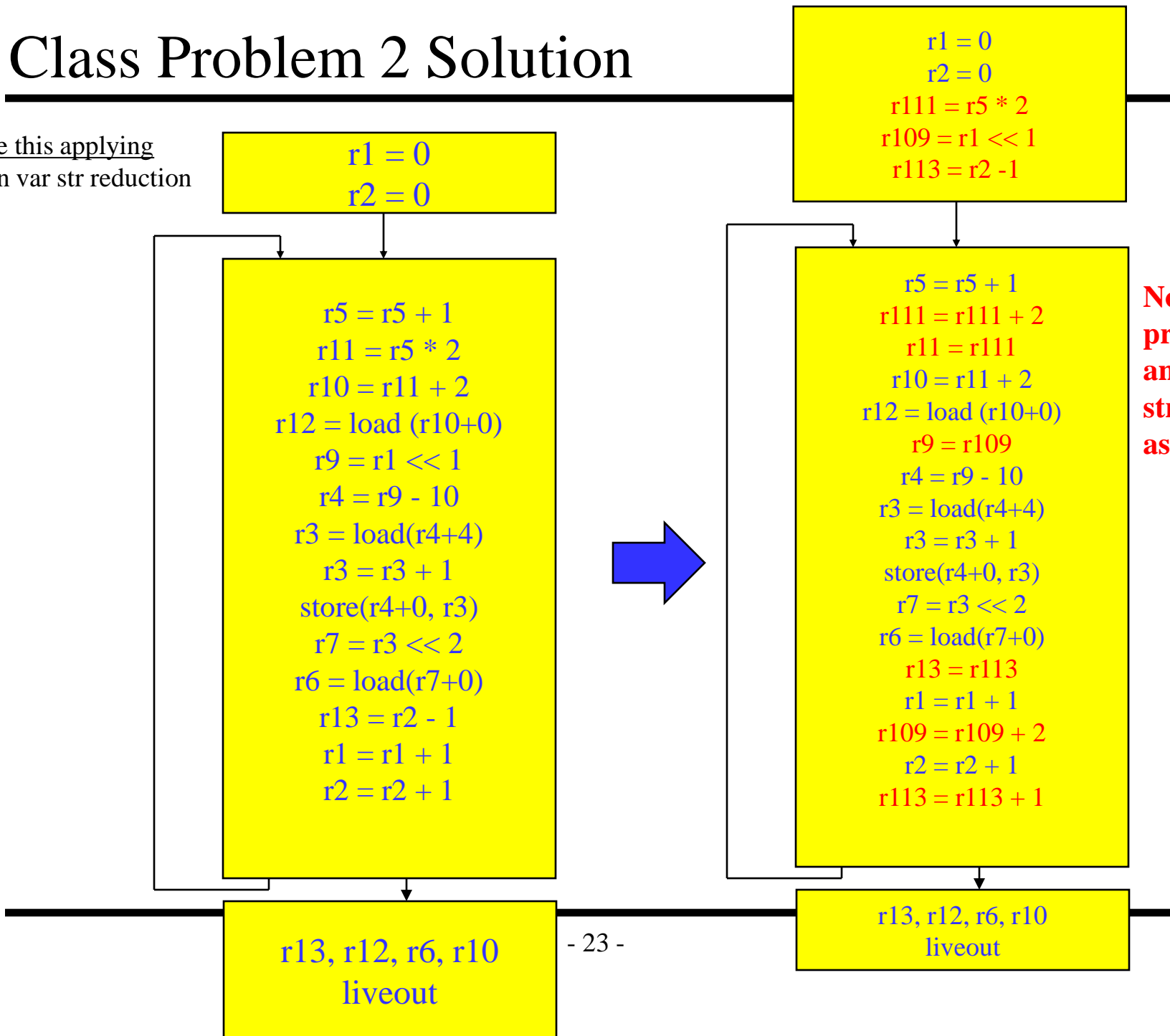
Optimize this applying

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2. forward copy propagation
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Class Problem 2 Solution

Optimize this applying
induction var str reduction



Note, after copy propagation, r10 and r4 can be strength reduced as well.