CS 421 Spring 2010 Midterm 2

Wednesday, April 7, 2010

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- You have **75 minutes** to complete this exam
- This is a **closed book** exam.
- Do not share anything with other students. Do not talk to other students. Do not look at another student's exam. Do not expose your exam to easy viewing by other students. Violation of any of these rules will count as cheating.
- If you believe there is an error, or an ambiguous question, seek clarification from one of the TAs. You must use a whisper, or write your question out.
- Including this cover sheet, there are 17 pages to the exam. Please verify that you have all 17 pages.
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Question	**Value**	**Score**
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4	15	
5	22 + 5 XC	
6	15	
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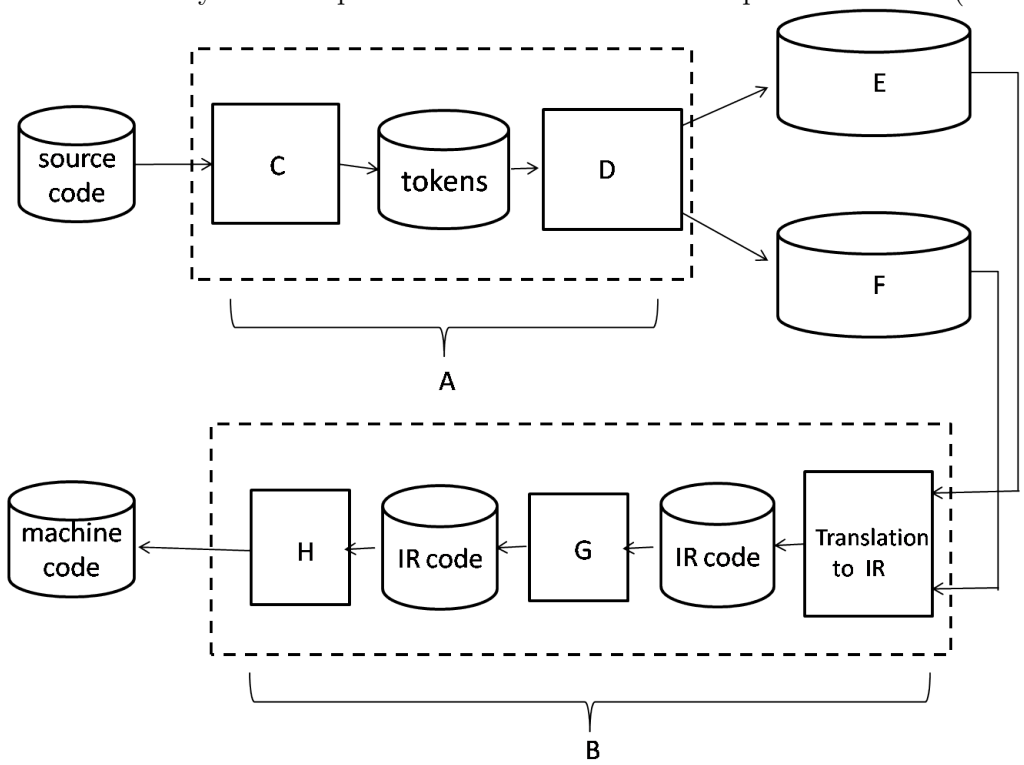
Total	**100 + 10**	

1. (8 pts) Fill in the blanks below, giving the names of the various parts of a compiler. (Recall that the cylinders represent data and the boxes represent actions (i.e. functions).)



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2. (22 pts)

   (a) Give the type of the following function: fun f -> fun g -> fun x -> g (f x) x

   (b) Write an OCaml function *update* such that update f a b is a function that returns b when given a as input but otherwise behaves the same as f.

   (c) Write an OCaml function *double* that duplicates each element of a list, using fold_right instead of explicit recursion. For example, double [1; 2; 3] = [1; 1; 2; 2; 3; 3]. Remember that fold_right has type (α -> β -> β) -> α list -> β -> β.

   (d) Write an OCaml function *sum_pairs* that takes a list of pairs and returns a list containing the sum of the elements of each pair, using map instead of explicit recursion. For example, sum_pairs [(1, 2); (3, 4); (5, 6)] = [3; 7; 11].

(e) (5 pts extra credit) Write an OCaml function *maxf* that takes a function f and a list lst and returns a pair (max, index), where *max* is the largest value produced by applying f to an element of lst, and *index* is the index in lst of the element x such that f x = max, where the first element of the list has index 0. If there are multiple such elements, you may return the index of any one of them. For example, maxf (fun x -> x + 2) [1; 2; 3] = (5, 2). You may assume that lst is never empty. You may also assume that f takes elements of lst and returns only positive integers. Your function should use fold_right instead of explicit recursion.

3. (15 pts) In homework 9, you defined multisets to be functions of type α -> int; in particular, you used the definition `type 'a multiset = 'a -> int`. In that homework, you defined functions add, member, union, disjointUnion, intersection, remove, filter, and fromList. Define the following additional functions on multisets:

   (a) fromSet: 'a set -> 'a multiset, such that fromSet s returns a multiset containing 1 copy of each element in s. Recall that the set type is defined by `type 'a set = 'a -> bool`.

   (b) count: 'a multiset -> 'a list -> int, such that count m lst returns the total number of occurrences of elements from lst in m. You may assume that lst contains no duplicate elements.

   (c) subtract: 'a multiset -> 'a multiset -> 'a multiset, such that subtract a b has n copies of the value x if a has p copies and b has q copies and n = p - q. If b has more copies of x than a, then subtract a b should have 0 copies of x.