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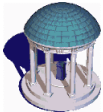
## Lecture 2: Compilation and Interpretation

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From Source Code to Executable Code

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program gcd(input, output);  
var i, j: integer;  
begin  
    read(i, j);  
    while i <> j do  
        if i > j then i := i - j;  
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    writeln(i)  
end.
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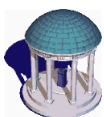


Compilation

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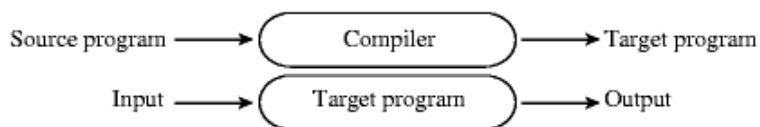
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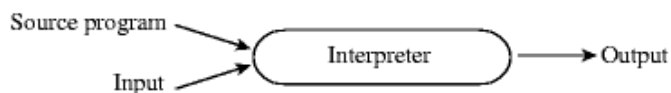


## Compilation and Interpretation

- A **compiler** is a *program* that **translates** high-level source programs into target program

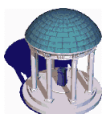


- An interpreter is a program that **executes** another program



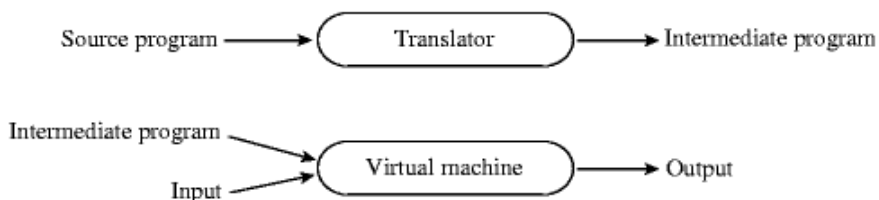
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## Mixing Compilation and Interpretation

- Fuzzy difference:
  - A language is **interpreted** when the initial translation is *simple*
  - A language is **compiled** when the translation process is *complicated*

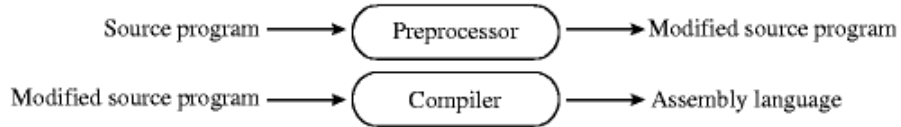


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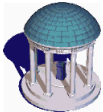


## Preprocessing



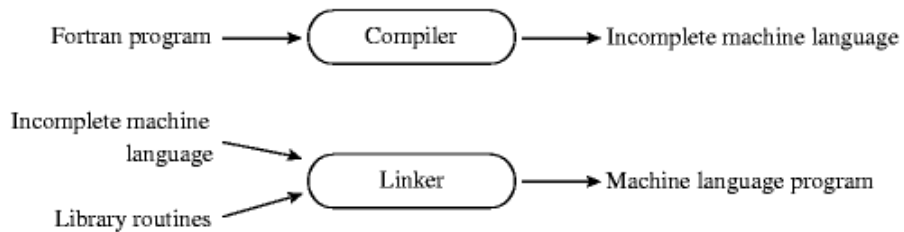
- Macros

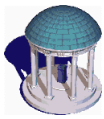
- #define <macro> <replacement name>
- #define FALSE 0
- #define max(A,B) ( (A) > (B) ? (A) : (B) )



## Linking

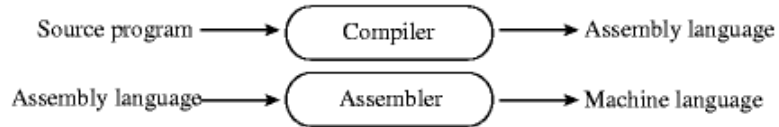
- Libraries of subroutines



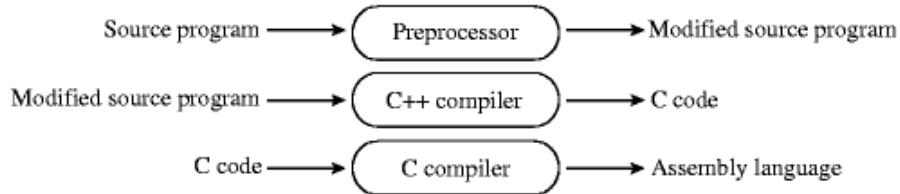


## Portability

- Assembly language instead of machine language

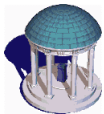


- Intermediate source code



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## Programming Environments

- Much more than compilers and interpreters
  - Assemblers, debuggers, preprocessors and linkers
  - Editors
  - Pretty printers
  - Style Checkers
  - Version management
  - Profilers
- Integrated environments
  - Beyond a simple *bus error*
  - *Emacs*

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## Overview of Compilation

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begin  
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    while i <> j do  
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    writeln(i)  
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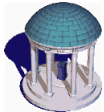


**Compilation**

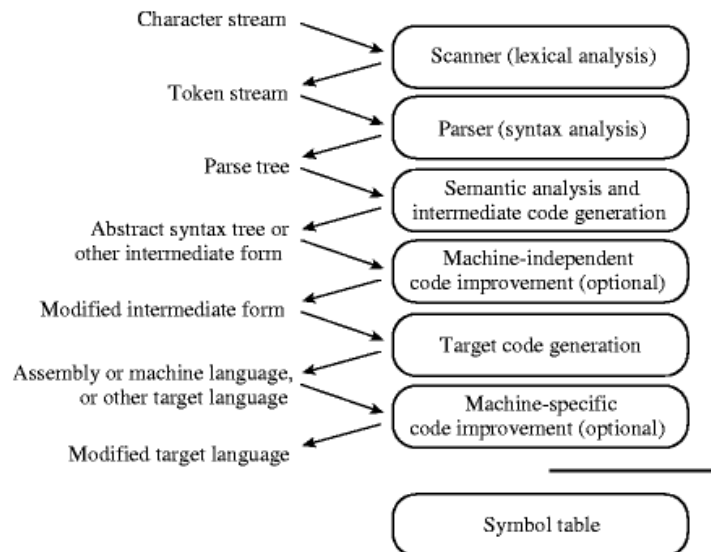
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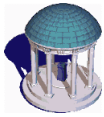
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## Phases of Compilation



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## Example

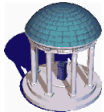
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- From Scott's class notes
- Desk calculator language
- Example program:

```
read A
read B
sum := A + B
write sum
write sum / 2
```

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## Lexical Analysis

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- Tokens:

*id* = letter ( letter | digit ) \* [ except "read" and "write" ]

*literal* = digit digit \*

":=", "+", "-", "\*", "/", "(", ")"

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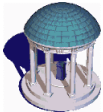
## Syntax Analysis

- Grammar in EBNF

```
<pgm>      -> <statement list> $$$  
<stmt list> -> <stmt list> <stmt> | E  
<stmt>     -> id := <expr> | read <id> | write <expr>  
<expr>     -> <term> | <expr> <add op> <term>  
<term>     -> <factor | <term> <mult op> <factor  
<factor>   -> ( <expr> ) | id | literal  
<add op>   -> + | -  
<mult op>  -> * | /
```

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## Code Generation

- Intermediate code:

```
read  
pop A  
read  
pop B  
push A  
push B  
add  
pop sum  
push sum  
write  
push sum  
push 2  
div  
write
```

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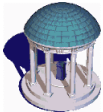
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- Target code:

```
.data
A:    .long 0
B:    .long 0
sum:  .long 0
.text
main: jsr read
      movl  d0,d1
      movl  d1,A
      jsr  read
      movl  d0,d1
      movl  d1,B
      movl  A,d1
```

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## Code Generation

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```
movl  B,d2
addl  d1,d2
movl  d1,sum
movl  sum,d1
movl  d1,d0
jsr  write
movl  sum,d1
movl  #2,d2
divsl d1,d2
movl  d1,d0
jsr  write
```

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