

EXERCISE 19

SUMMARY FUNCTION REVIEW

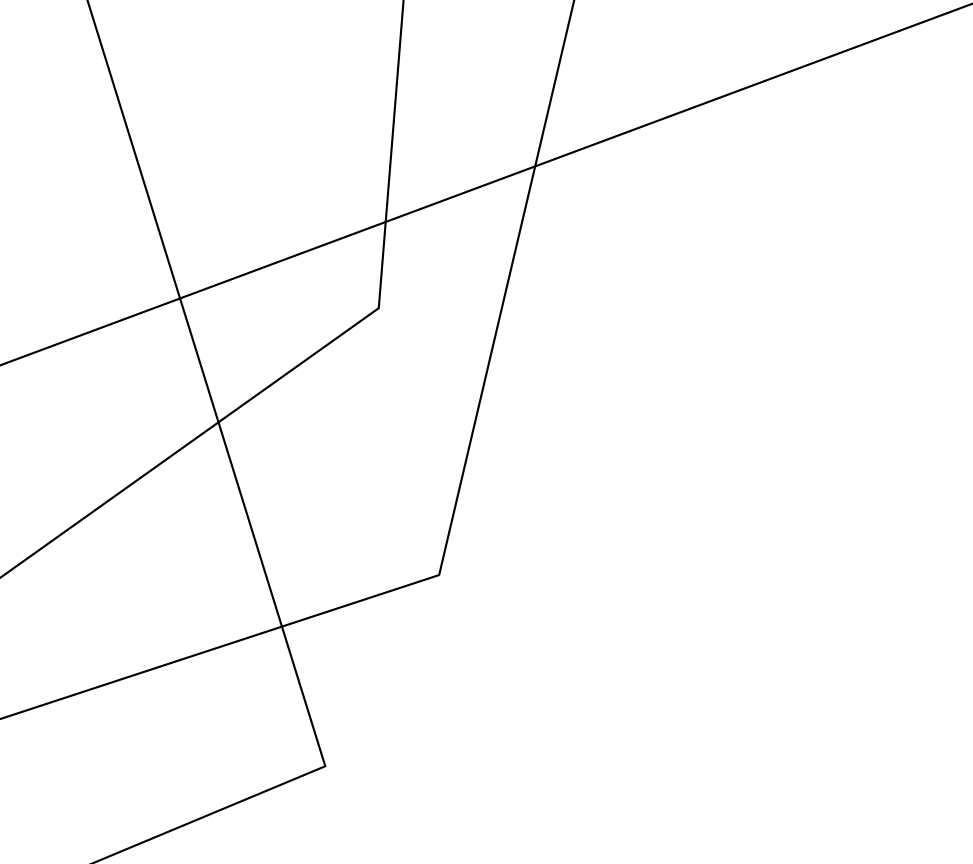
Write your name and answer the following on a piece of paper

Compute GMOD / GREF for the below program

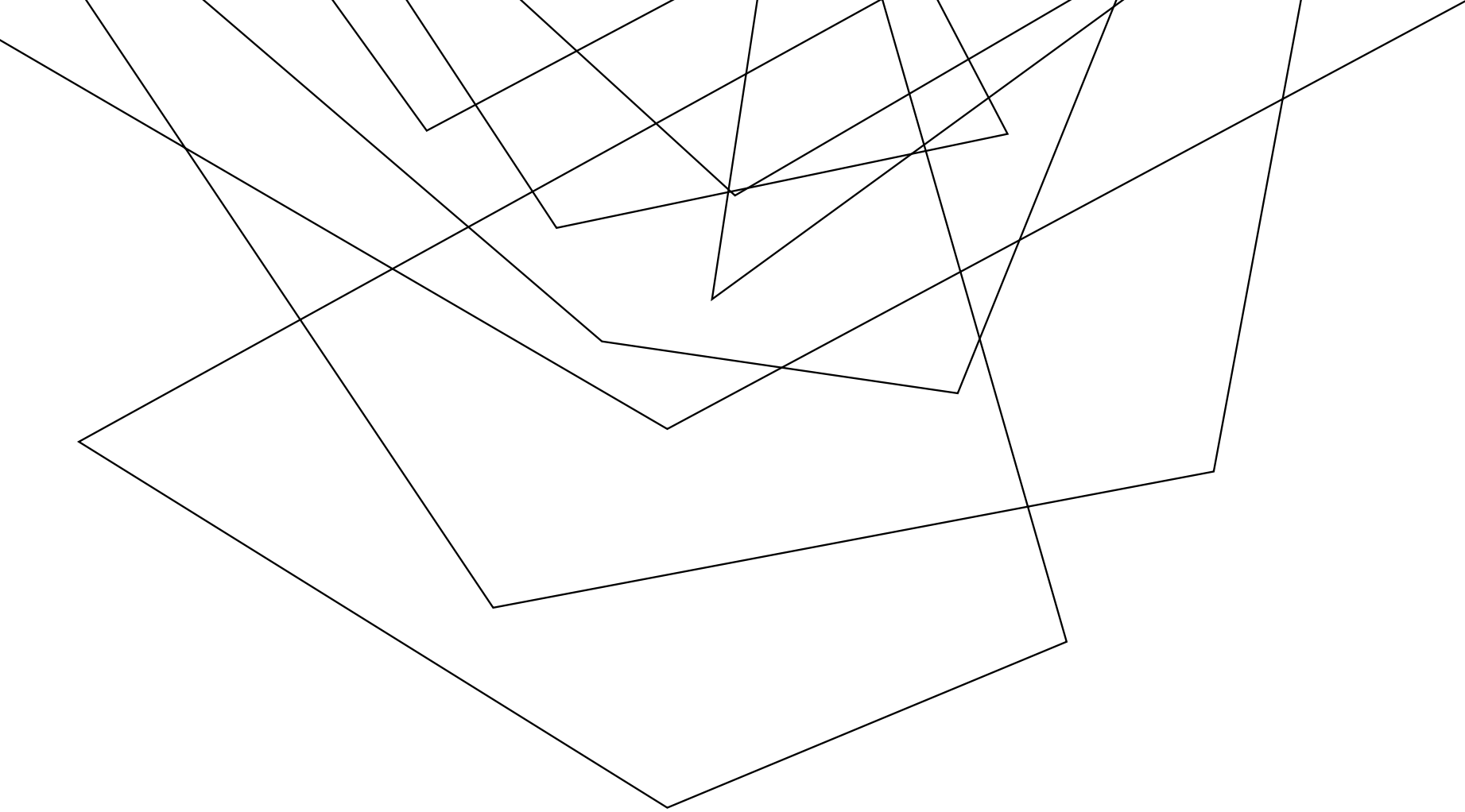
```
1: int A,B,C,D;
2: void baz() {
3:     D = B;
4:     A = C;
5:     foo();
6: }
7: void bar() {
8:     B = 2;
9:     baz();
10: }
11: void foo() {
12:     A = 1;
13:     bar();
14: }
15: int main() {
16:     foo();
17:     foo();
18: }
19:
```

EXERCISE 19 SOLUTION

SUMMARY FUNCTION REVIEW

Abstract geometric lines in the top left corner, consisting of several thin black lines that intersect and form various angles and shapes, creating a modern, minimalist design element.

ADMINISTRIVIA AND ANNOUNCEMENTS



CALL TARGETS

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LAST TIME: SUMMARY FUNCTIONS

REVIEW: LAST LECTURE

CAN WE OVER-APPROXIMATE A FUNCTION'S EFFECT WITHOUT BUILDING THE SUPERGRAPH?

Motivation

- Allows “quick”, modular analysis

Manifestations

- GMOD/GREF (what variables are touched?)
- Abstract transfer functions

MORE COMPLEX GMOD/GREF

REVIEW: LAST LECTURE

Init all node GREF sets to their IREF sets
 Init all call site GREF sets to empty
 Put all nodes and call sites on a worklist
 Iterate until the worklist is empty.

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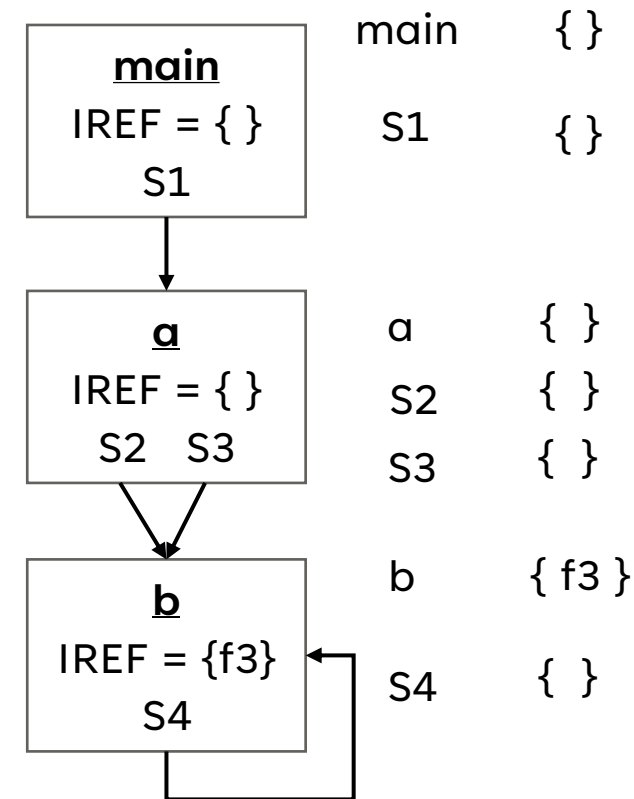
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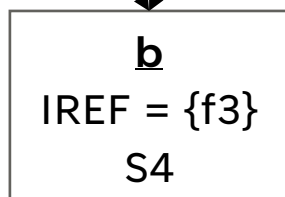
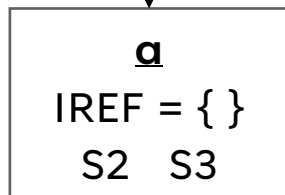
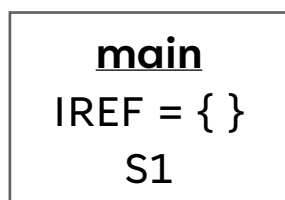
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main

S1

a

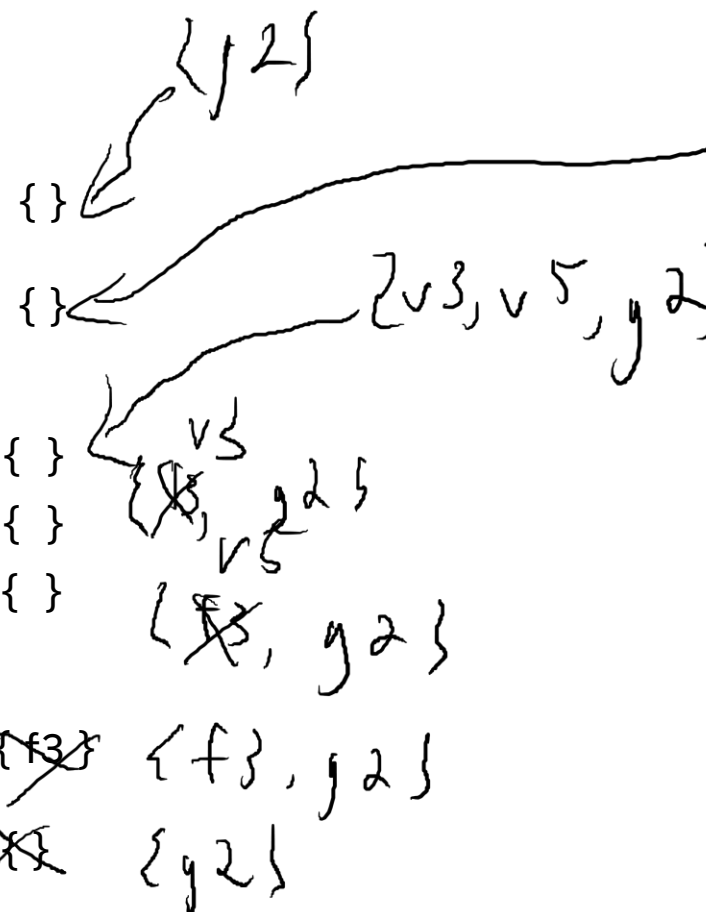
S2

S3

b

S4

Worklist: { ~~main~~, ~~S1~~, ~~a~~, ~~S2~~, ~~S3~~, ~~b~~, ~~S4~~ }



out of scope
 $\{f3, v5, g2\}$

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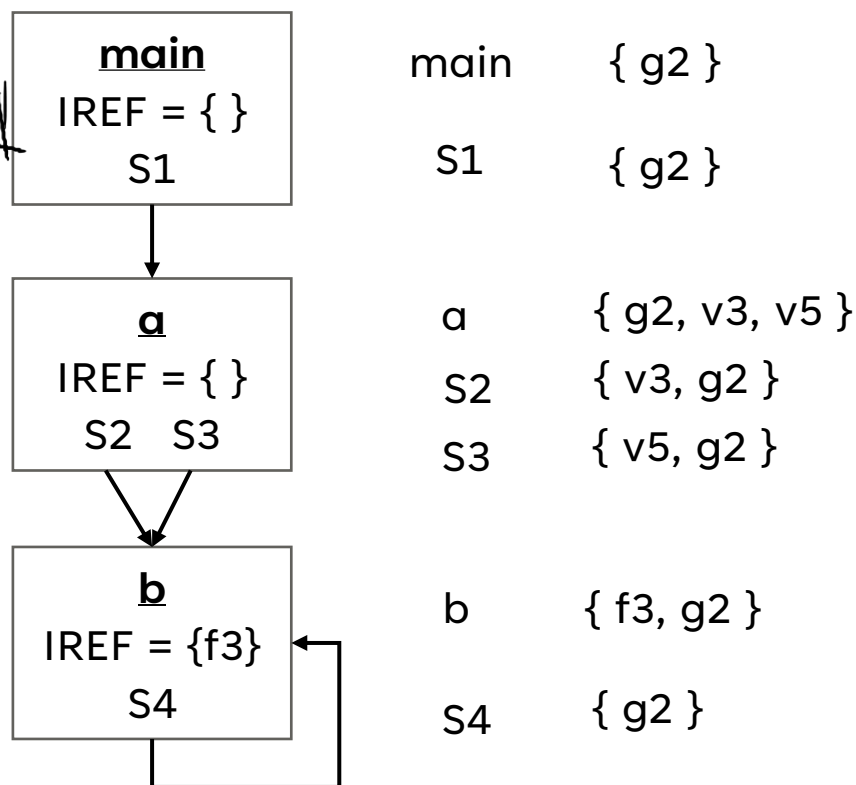
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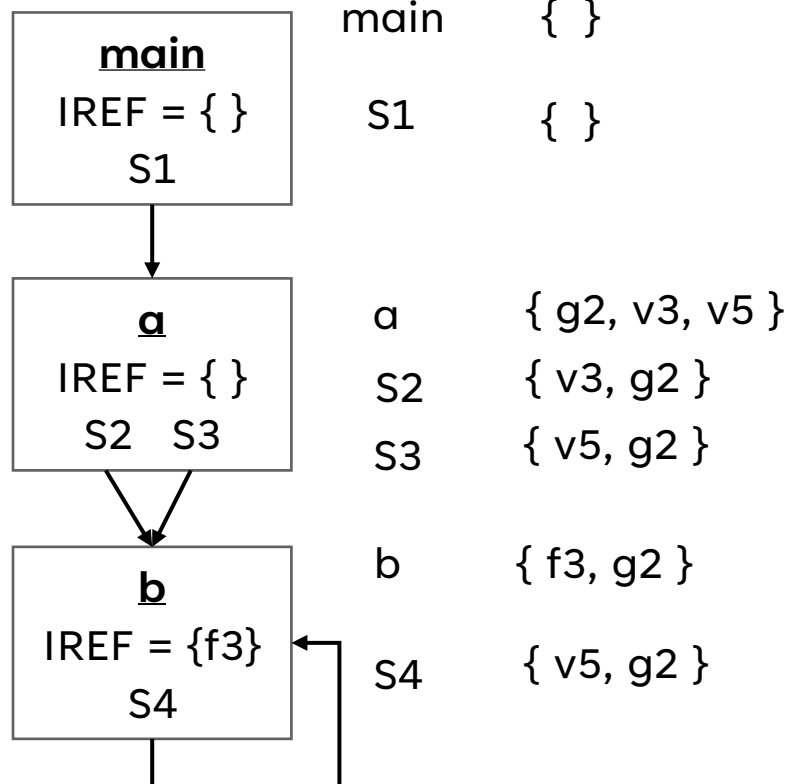
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ABSTRACT TRANSFER FUNCTIONS

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$$\text{plus}(+, +) \rightarrow +$$

$$\text{plus}(+, -) \rightarrow +$$

$$\text{plus}(0, +) \rightarrow +$$



main()

abs(n);

}

$$\begin{aligned} \text{abs}(-) &\rightarrow + \\ \text{abs}(0) &\rightarrow 0 \\ \text{abs}(+) &\rightarrow + \end{aligned}$$

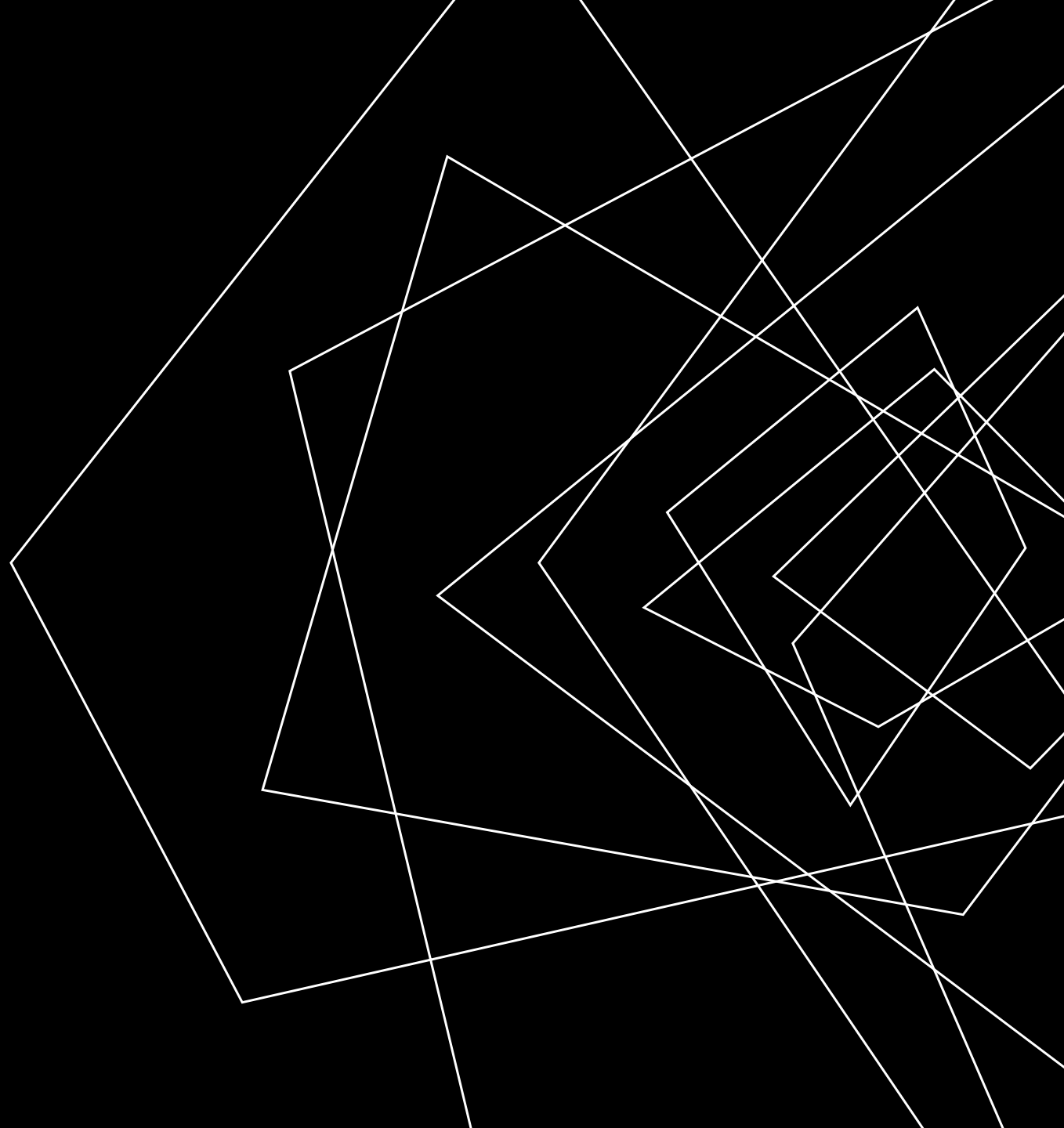
OVERVIEW

HOW DO WE FIGURE OUT CONTROL
TRANSFER TARGETS IN THE FIRST PLACE?



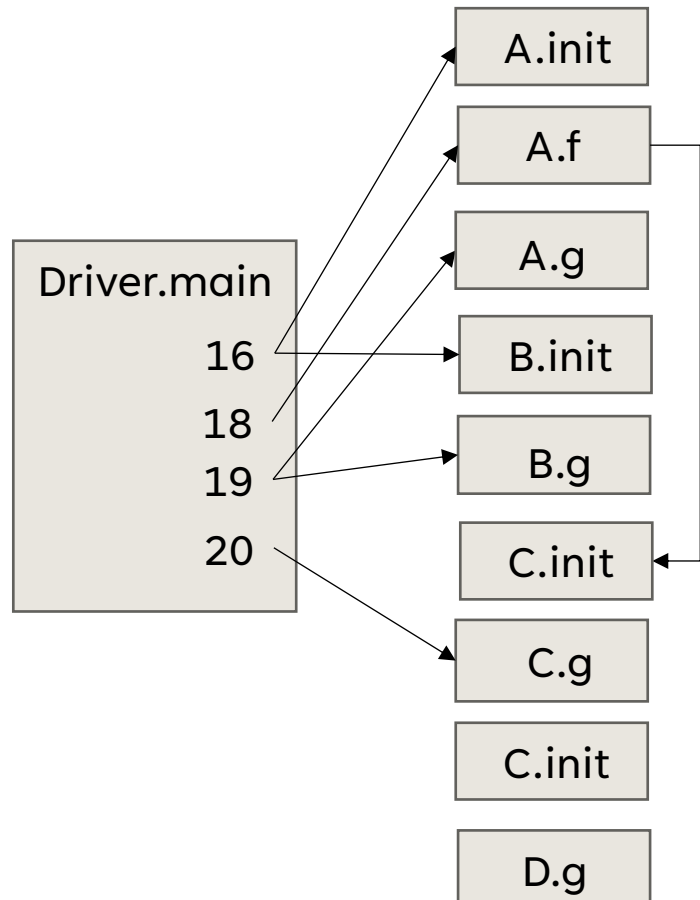
LECTURE OUTLINE

- Dynamic Dispatch
- Algorithms



DYNAMIC DISPATCH

A HISTORY OF COMPUTING



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11: class D : public A{
12:     public String g(){ return "D"; }
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16:         A[] aArr = {new A(), new B()};
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18:             A res = a.f();
19:             print(a.g());
20:             print(res.g());
21:         }
22:     }
23: };
  
```

Handwritten notes: A yellow '\$' and a yellow 'f' are written above line 11. A yellow scribble is written over the 'g()' in line 12.

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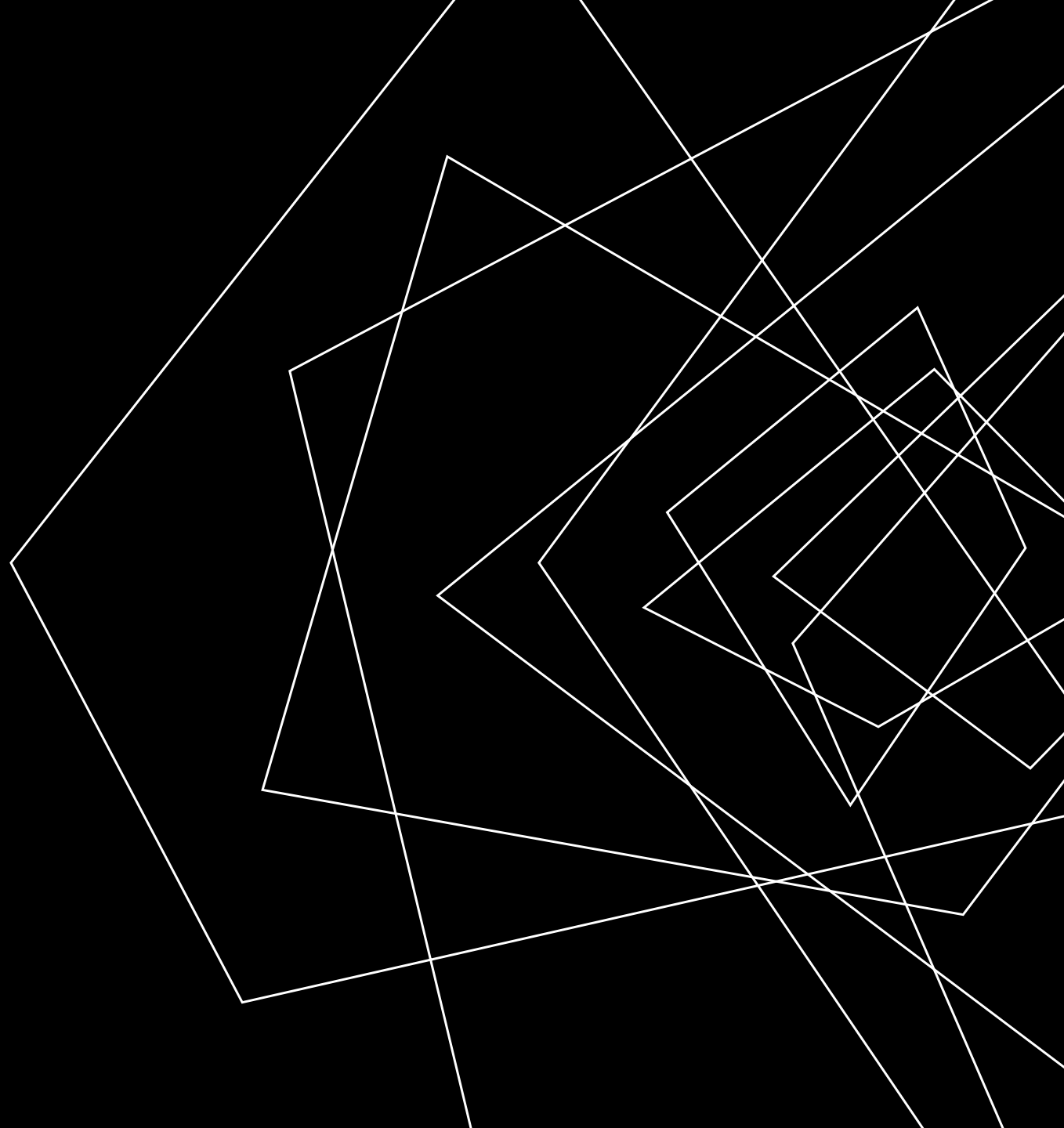
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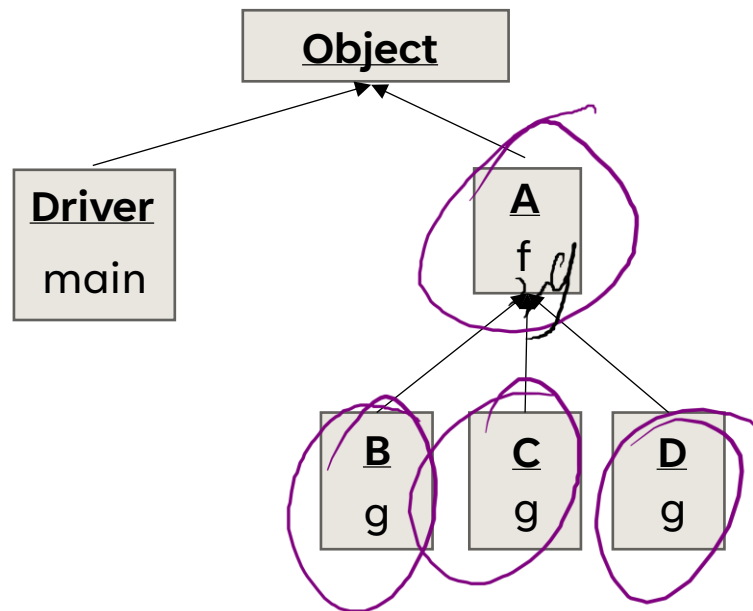


CLASS HIERARCHY ANALYSIS (CHA)

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CONSIDER THE SAFE OVER-APPROXIMATION

Treat call as declared type, or any subtype



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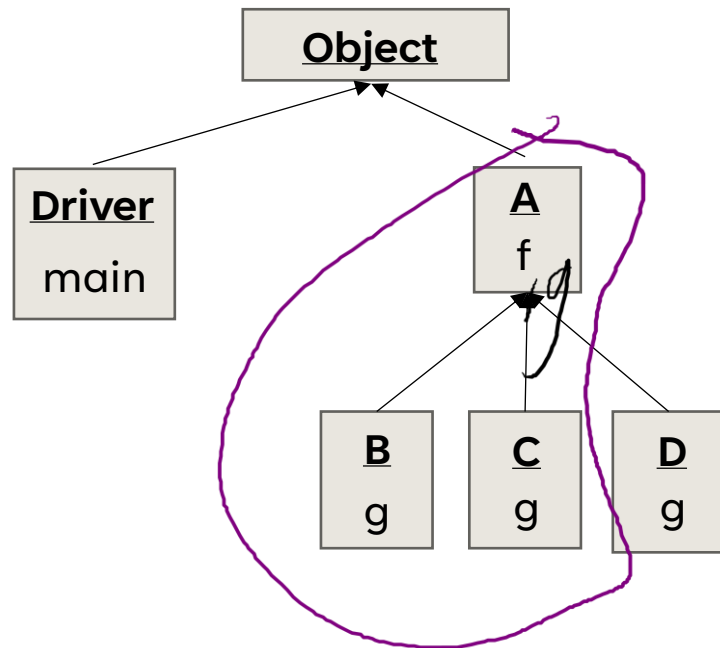
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Orange arrows indicate the flow of execution and reachability: from line 2 (A.f()) to line 18 (a.f()), from line 3 (A.g()) to line 19 (a.g()), from line 6 (B.g()) to line 19 (a.g()), and from line 9 (C.g()) to line 20 (res.g()). A pink oval highlights the entire code block, indicating that only reachable code is considered in RTA.

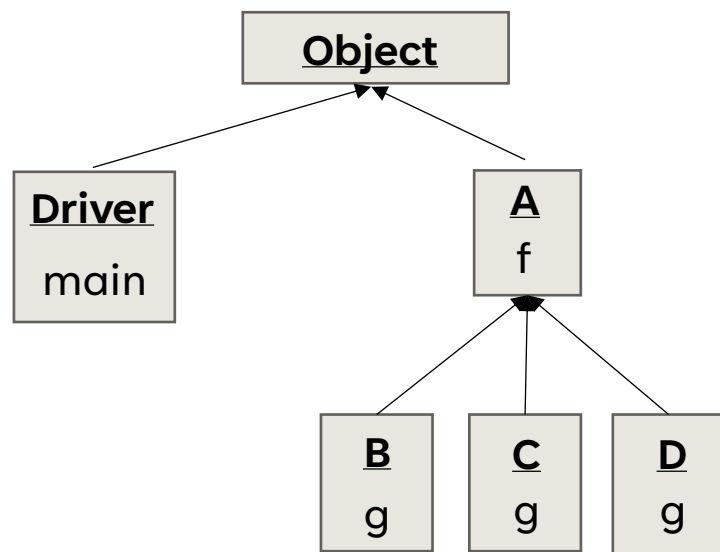
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Annotations on the code:

- A pink arrow points from the `new C()` expression in line 2 to the `g` method of class `C` in line 9.
- Three orange arrows point from the `f` method of class `A` in line 2 to the `g` methods of classes `B` (line 6), `C` (line 9), and `D` (line 12).

RAPID TYPE ANALYSIS (RTA)

A HISTORY OF COMPUTING

RTA = call graph of functions (initially edgeless)

CHA = call graph via class hierarchy analysis

W = worklist

W.push(main)

while not W.empty:

 M = pop W

 T = allocated types in M

 T = T U allocated types in RTA callers of M

 foreach callsite(C) in M

 if C is statically-dispatched:

 add edge C to C's static target

 else:

 M' = methods called from M in CHA

 M' = M' intersect functions declared in T or T-supertypes

 add edge from M to each M'

 W.pushAll(M')

RAPID TYPE ANALYSIS (RTA)

A HISTORY OF COMPUTING

AN UNSOUND ANALYSIS!

```
1: public static Object gbl;  
2:  
3: public static void main(String[] args) {  
4:     foo();  
5:     bar();  
6: }  
7:  
8: public static void foo() {  
9:     Object o = new A();  
10:    gbl = o;  
11: }  
12:  
13: public static void bar() {  
14:    gbl.toString();  
15: }
```

RTA will not include an edge from bar to toString because neither bar or its callers (main) allocated any instance that toString could be called on

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5:     bar(o);  
6: }  
7:  
8: public static Object foo() {  
9:     return new A();  
10:    gbl = o;  
11: }  
12:  
13: public static void bar(Object o) {  
14:     o.toString();  
15: }
```

Call edge to A's toString missing!

Neither bar or its callers (main) allocated a type of A

BEYOND RTA

A HISTORY OF COMPUTING

ASSUMPTIONS TO STRENGTHEN ANALYSIS

Type safety?

Might not be a safe assumption

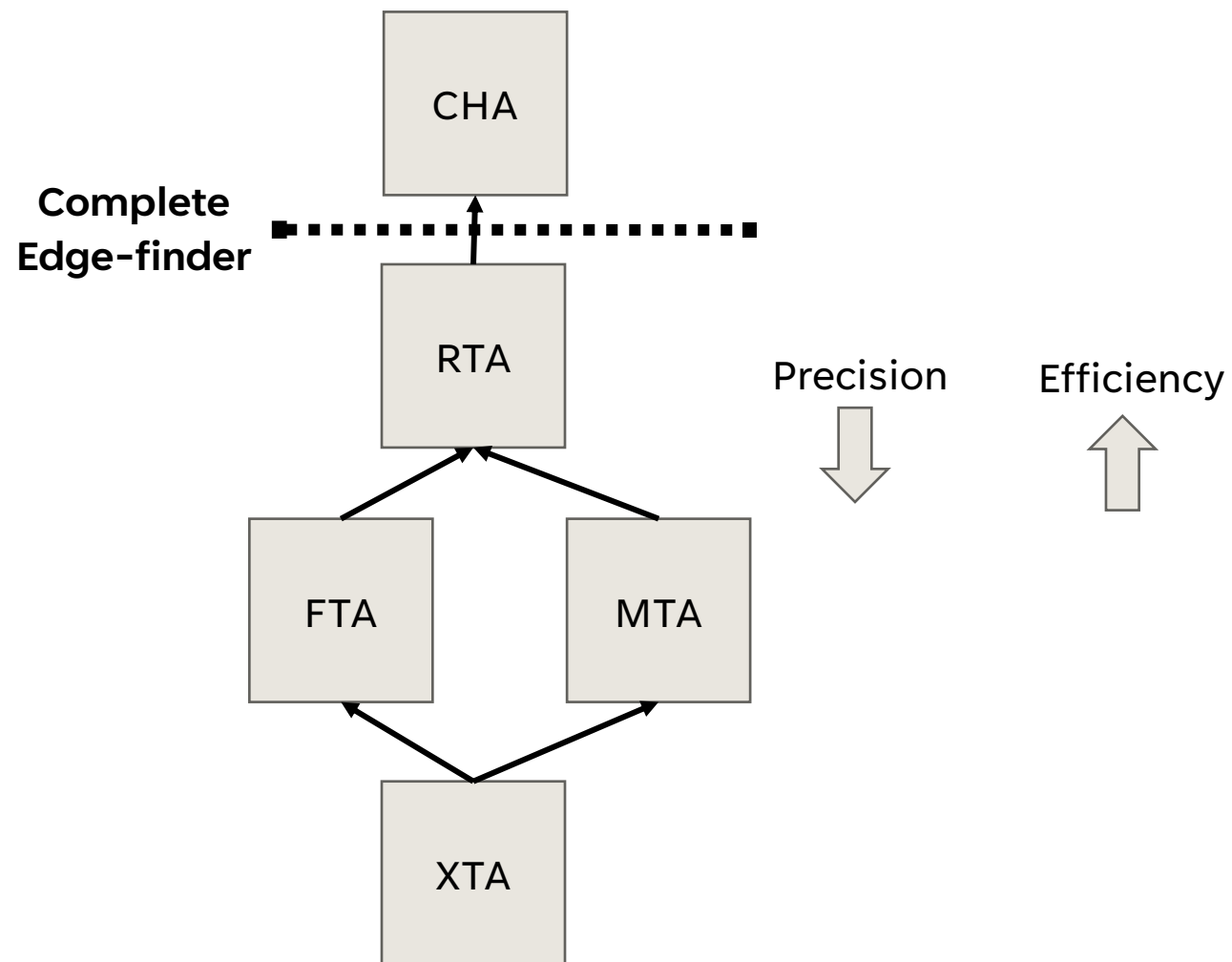
FTA adds the constraint that any method that reads from a field can inherit the field-compatible allocated types of any method that could write to that field.

MTA adds the constraint that types allocated in a method and then passed to a method through a parameter should be compatible with the called method's parameter types. MTA also adds the constraint that the return type of each called method be added to the set of allocated types.

XTA: add both the constraints of MTA and FTA

COMPARING CALL GRAPH ANALYSES

A HISTORY OF COMPUTING



WRAP-UP

