

Problem I

The assembly code generated for the compiled loop of combine3 with optimization level 2 is shown below:

combine3: data_t = float, OP = *, compiled -O2

in %rdx, data in %rax, limit in %rbp, dest at %r12, product in %xmm0

1	.L560:	loop:
2	mulss (%rax, %rdx, 4), %xmm0	Multiply product by data[i]
3	addq \$1, %rdx	Increment i
4	cmpq %rdx, %rbp	Compare limit : i
5	movss %xmm0, (%r12)	Store product at dest
6	jg .L560	If >, go loop

Illustrate the code above with **data-flow graph** like figure 5.14(a) or (b) in textbook and mark the **critical path**. You can use "store" to identify operation in line 5

Problem II

The following code for PrefixSum seems not very good. Please rewrite it .

- 1) Please not repeatedly retrieve the value of p[i] from memory.
- 2) Please use **three-way loop unrolling** to reduce the operations in each loop.
- 3) Please use **three-way parallelism**.

```
/*Compute prefix sum of vector v*/
1 void prefixSum(float v[], float p[], long int n)
2 {
3     long int i
4     p[0] = v[0];
5     for ( i = 1; i < n; i++ )
6         p[i] = p[i-1] + v[i];
7 }
```

Problem III

Suppose an allocator has a heap with size of **(5 * SIZE)**, and the heap is **empty** initially. Then, a user makes a sequence of requests as shown in the table below.

- a). What's the aggregate payload after the execution of code in line 7?
What's the peak memory utilization after these requests?

```
1. void *pa, *pb, *pc;  
2.  
3. pa = malloc(SIZE);  
4. free(pa)  
5. pa = malloc(SIZE);  
6. pb = malloc(SIZE);  
7. free(pa)  
8. pa = malloc(SIZE);  
9. pc = malloc(SIZE);  
10. free(pa);  
11. free(pb);  
12. free(pc);
```

- b). How do we know how much memory to free just given a pointer?