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Writing a compiler for TypeScript on TypeScript on top of LLVM

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Пишу на много чем)

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GHubber

PHPSA

StaticScript

#безызвестный



JS

Почему нет компилятора JS/TS в нативный код?



Можно ли написать компилятор TypeScript?

Теоретически

Эмпирически

This lecture is about:

2 questions = **2** answers = **2** parts

Why JS is using VM (Interpreter + JIT) instead of AOT compiler?

- » Translators (interpreters/compiler/jit compilers)
- » ByteCode (intermediate representation)
- » Virtual Machine
- » JIT Compilers

But what about compiler for TypeScript?

- » TypeScript as Frontend
- » LLVM
- » Type System
- » Object Type / Classes
- » Array Type
- » Branches
- » Runtime Library

Translator

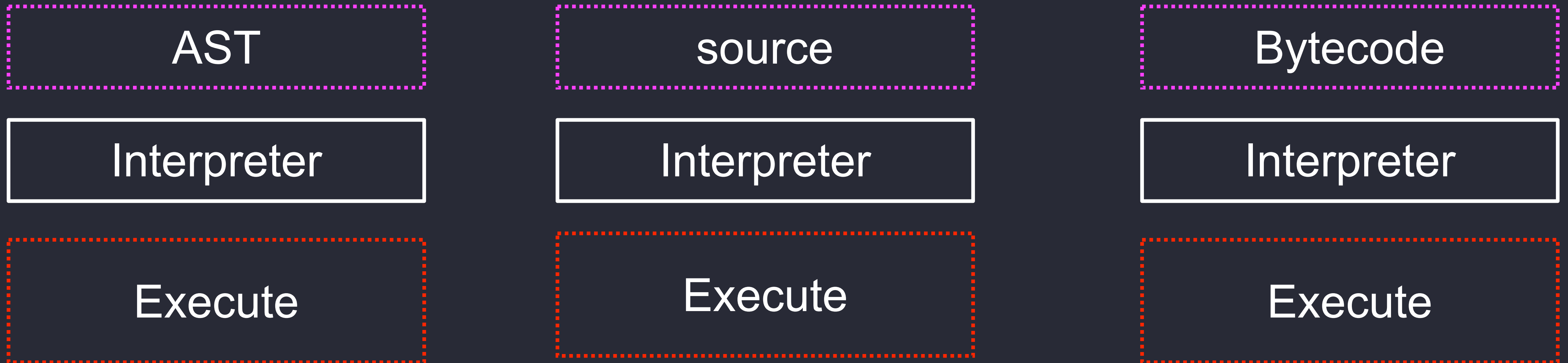
Interpreter vs Compiler vs Compiler JIT

Translator

is a generic term that could refer to a compiler, assembler, or interpreter; anything that converts code from one language into another.



Interpreter



Main task: Be fast

Minuses of Interpreter

- » Small number of optimizations
- » Hot code problem (can be resolved with JIT)
- » Program is slower than native program
- » Program cannot be executed without Interpreter

Compiler

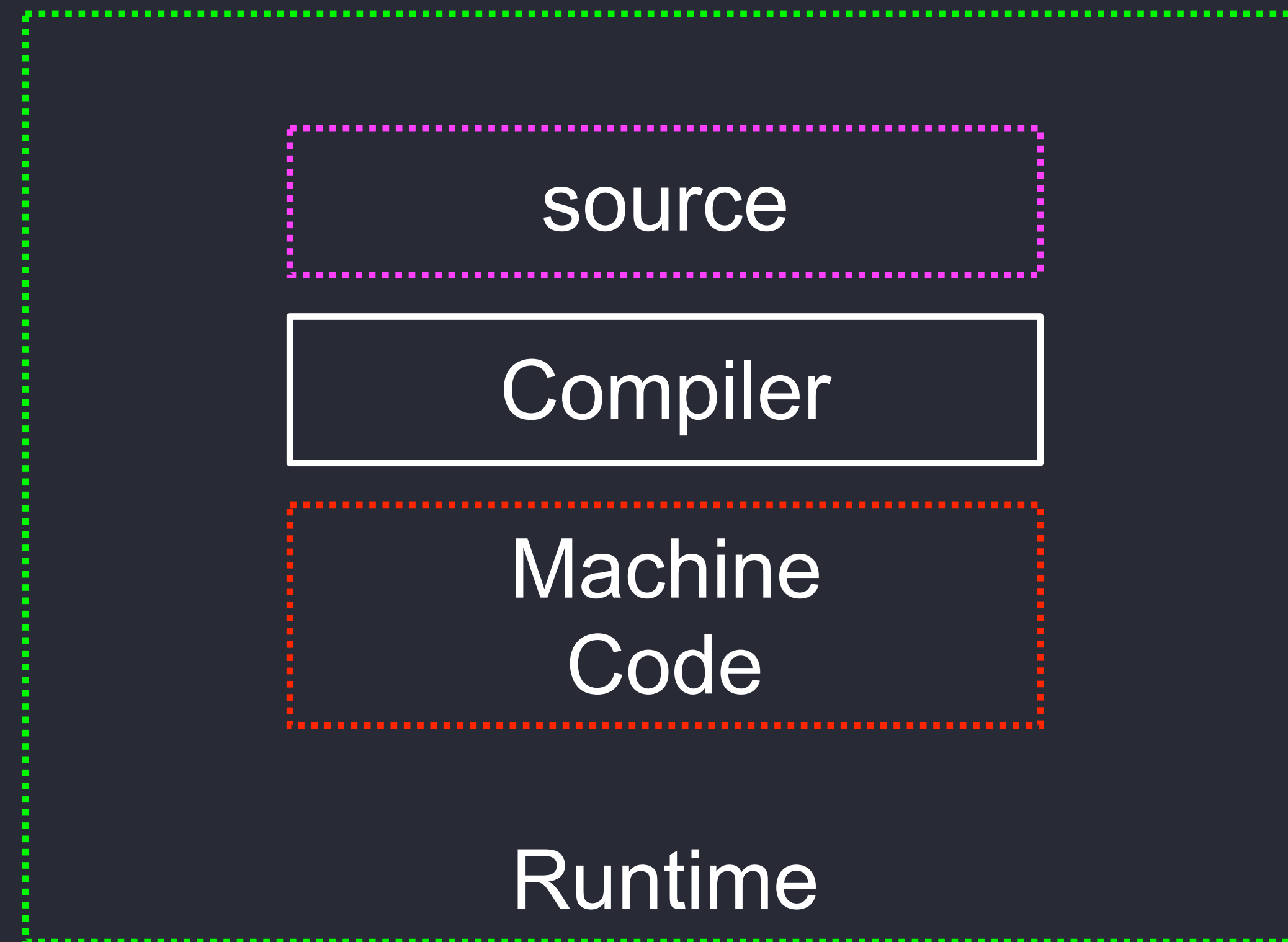


Main task: effective translation

Minuses of Compiler

- » Not JIT optimizations (without PGO)
- » ~~Memory/Time~~

JIT Compiler



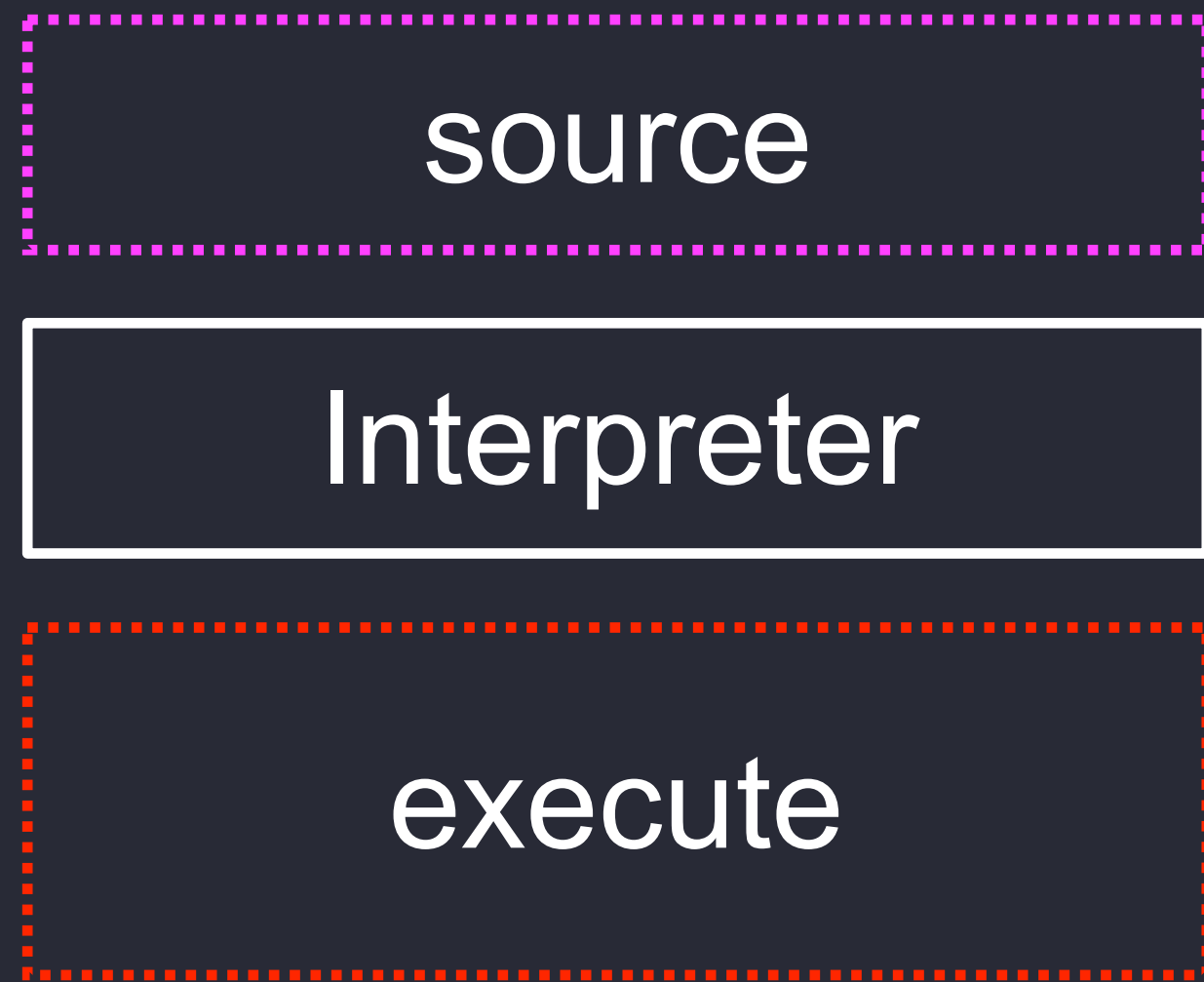
Main task: effective translation

Minuses of JIT Compiler

- » Security (Executable space protection / W^X)
- » Program cannot be executed without compiling step
- » More memory usage for compilation

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Executable_space_protection

Interpreter



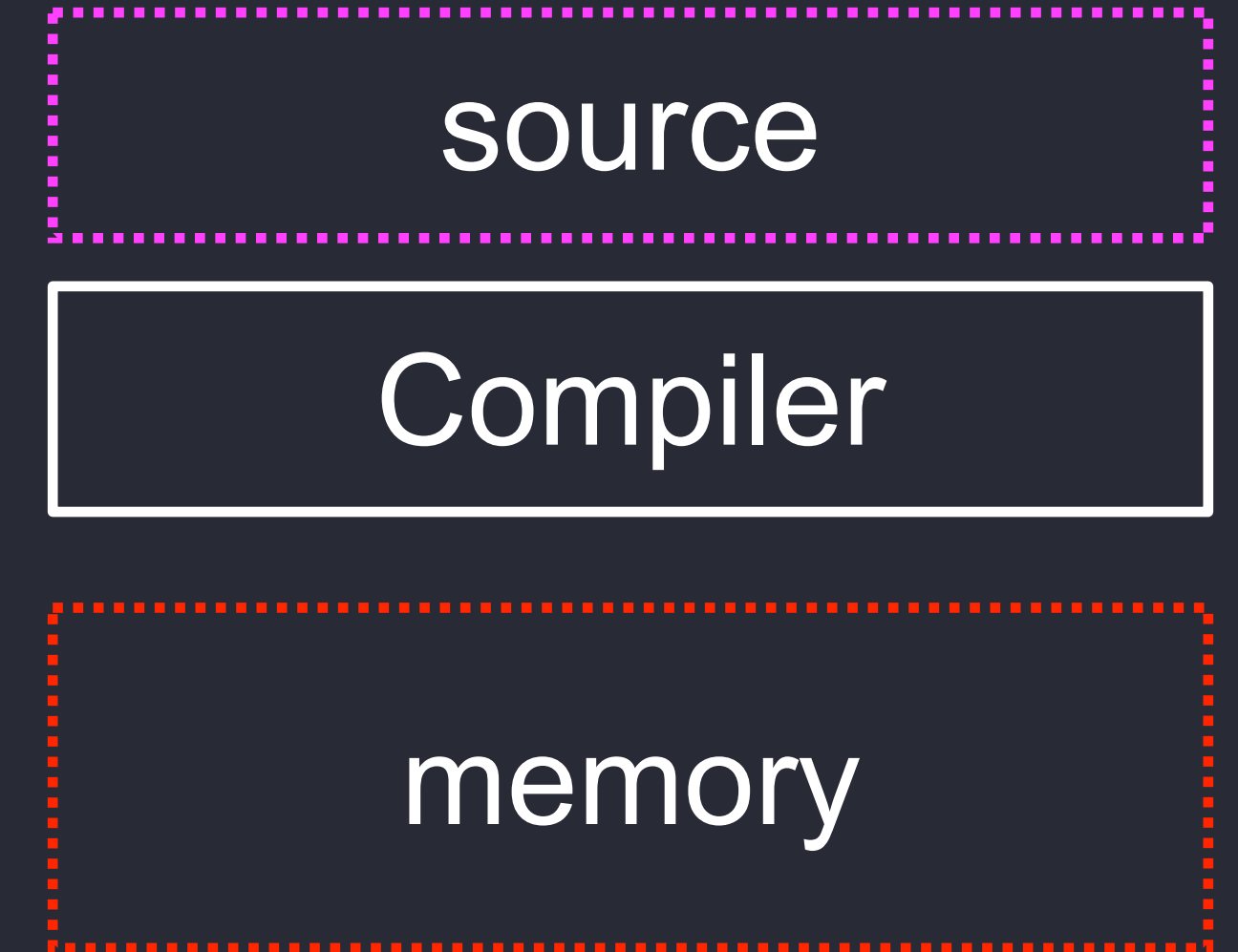
Be fast

Compiler



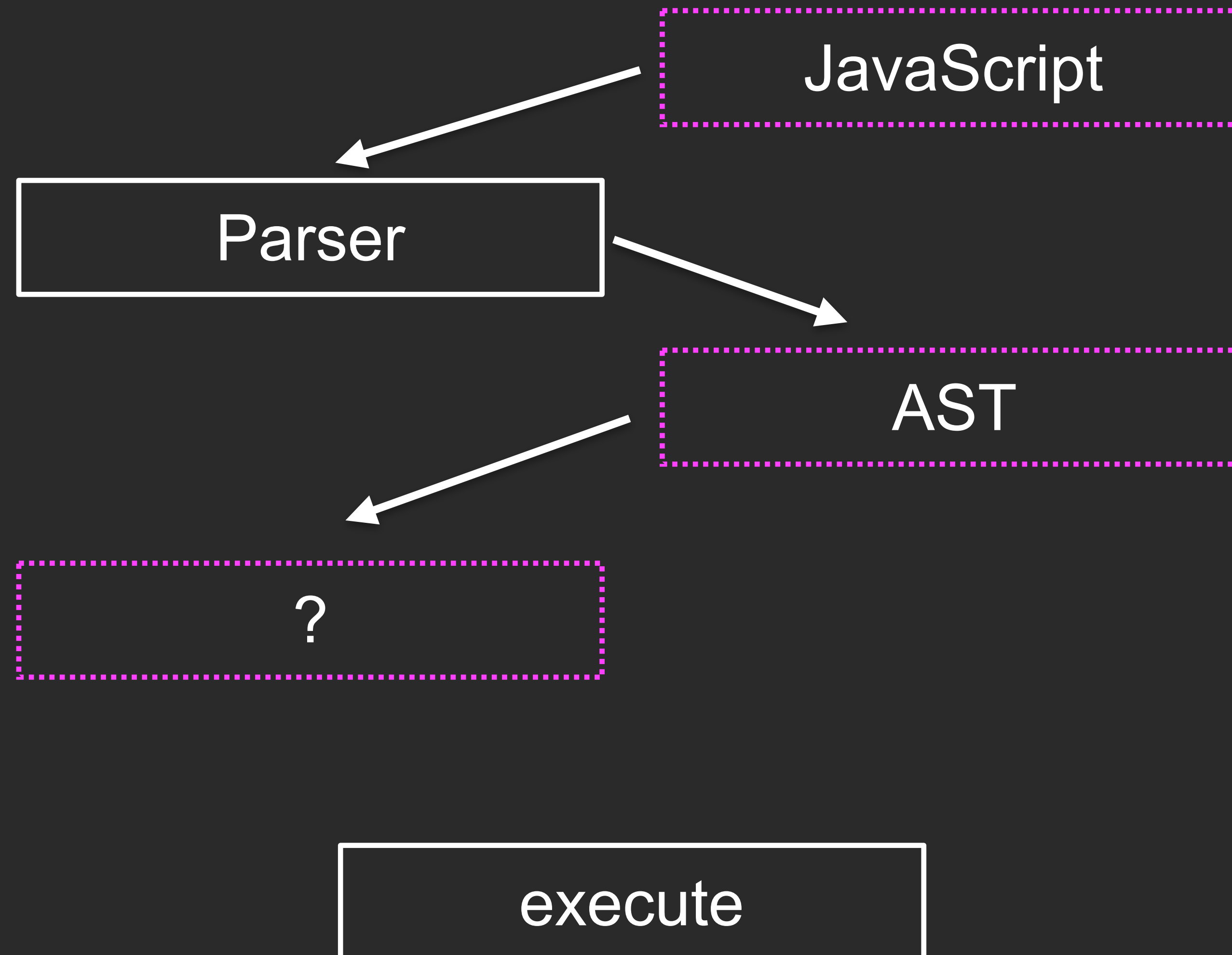
effective translation

JIT Compiler



ByteCode

Why ByteCode is needed?



ByteCode = Intermediate Representation

ASM < IR < JS

- » Should be portable (hardware free)
- » Effective to store
- » Should be simple
- » Easy SSA?
- » Easy CFG?

V8 ByteCode Example

0c	04	
26	fb	
0c	03	
26	fa	
25	fa	
34	fb	00
a9		



OpCode Number (byte) [0, 255]
(00...FF)

LdaSmi	[4]
Star	r0
LdaSmi	[3]
Star	r1
Ldar	r1
Add	r0, [0]
Return	

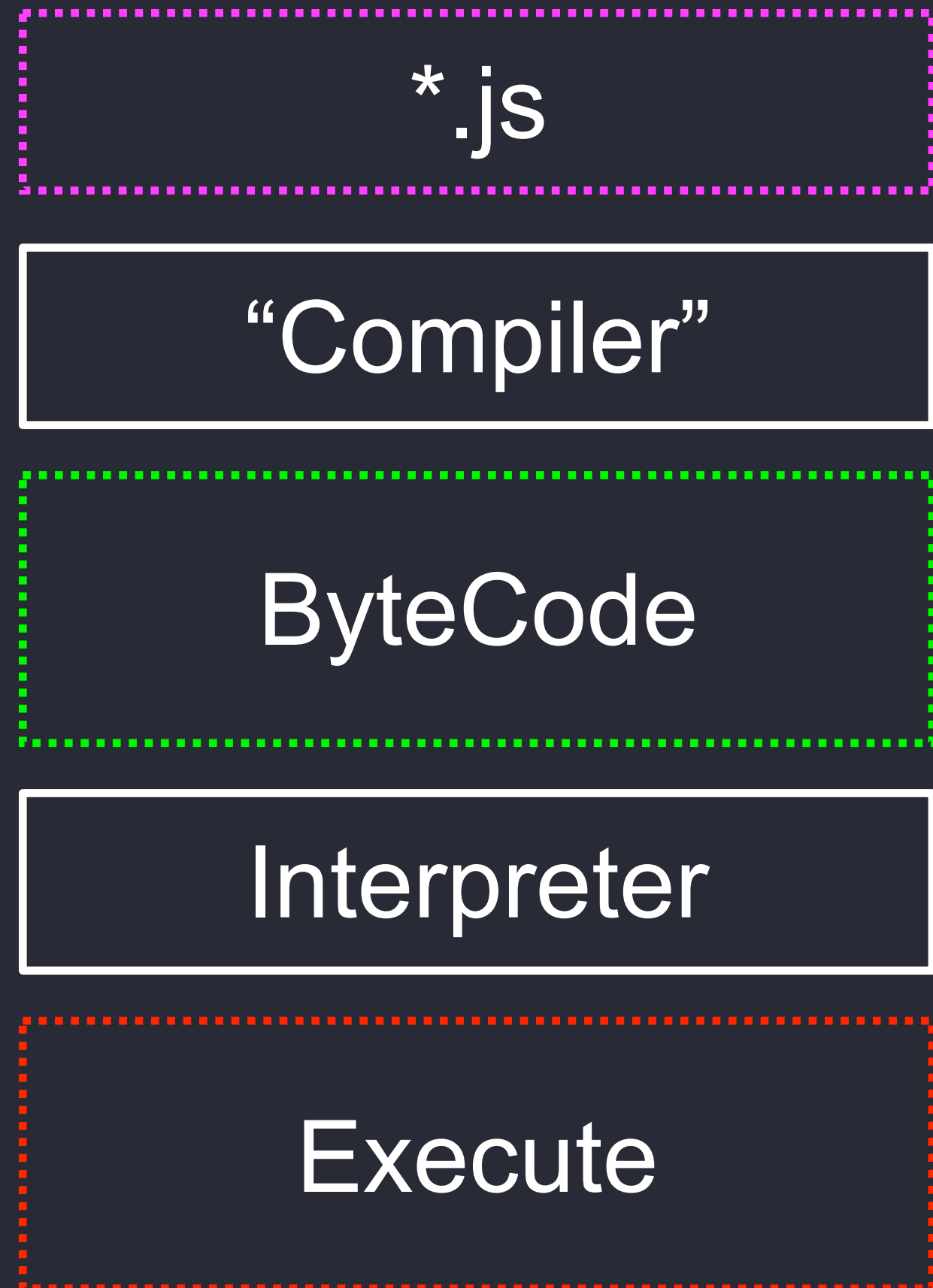
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25	fa		Ldar	r1
34	fb	00	Add	r0, [0]
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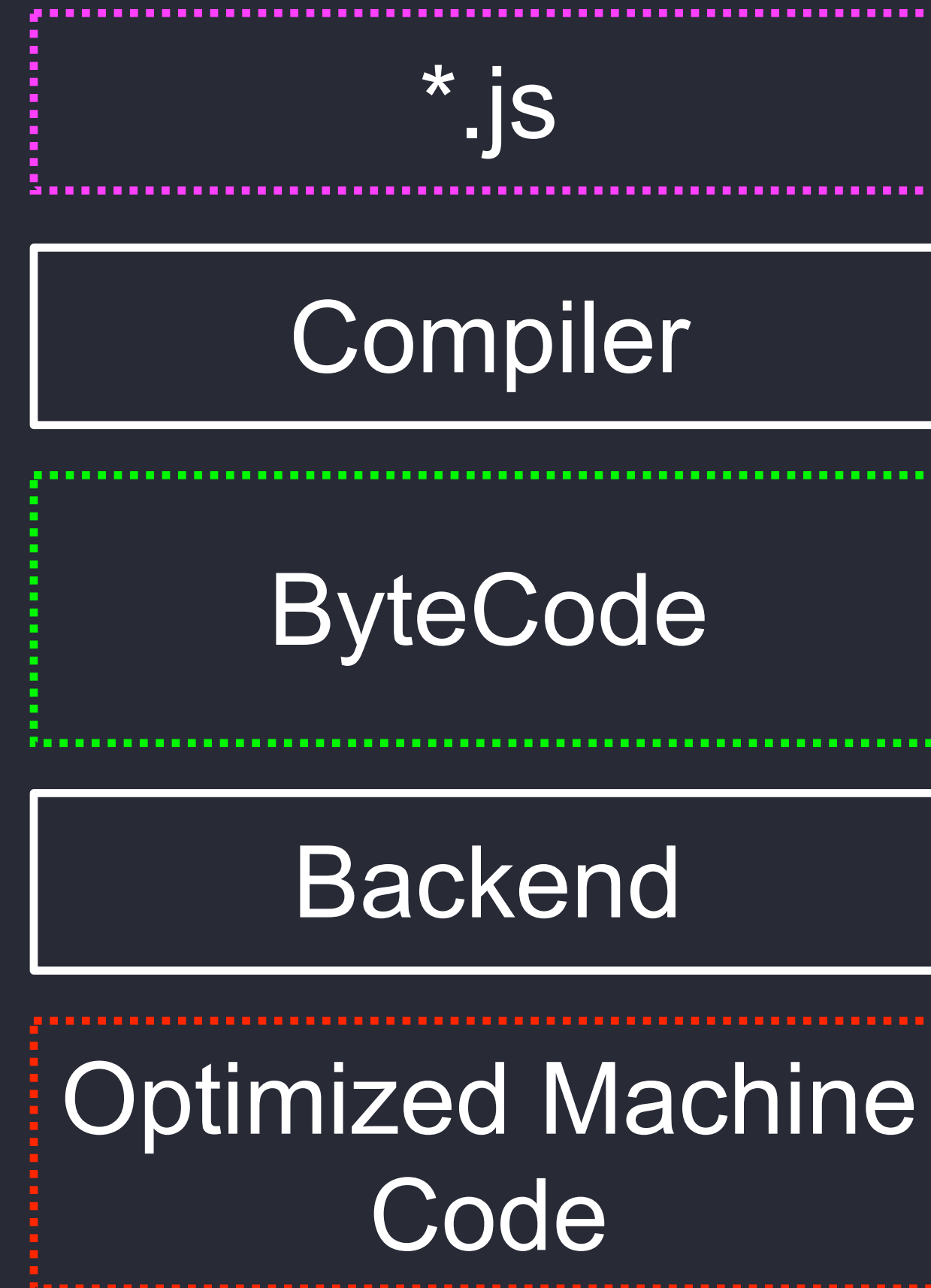


Operand

Interpreter

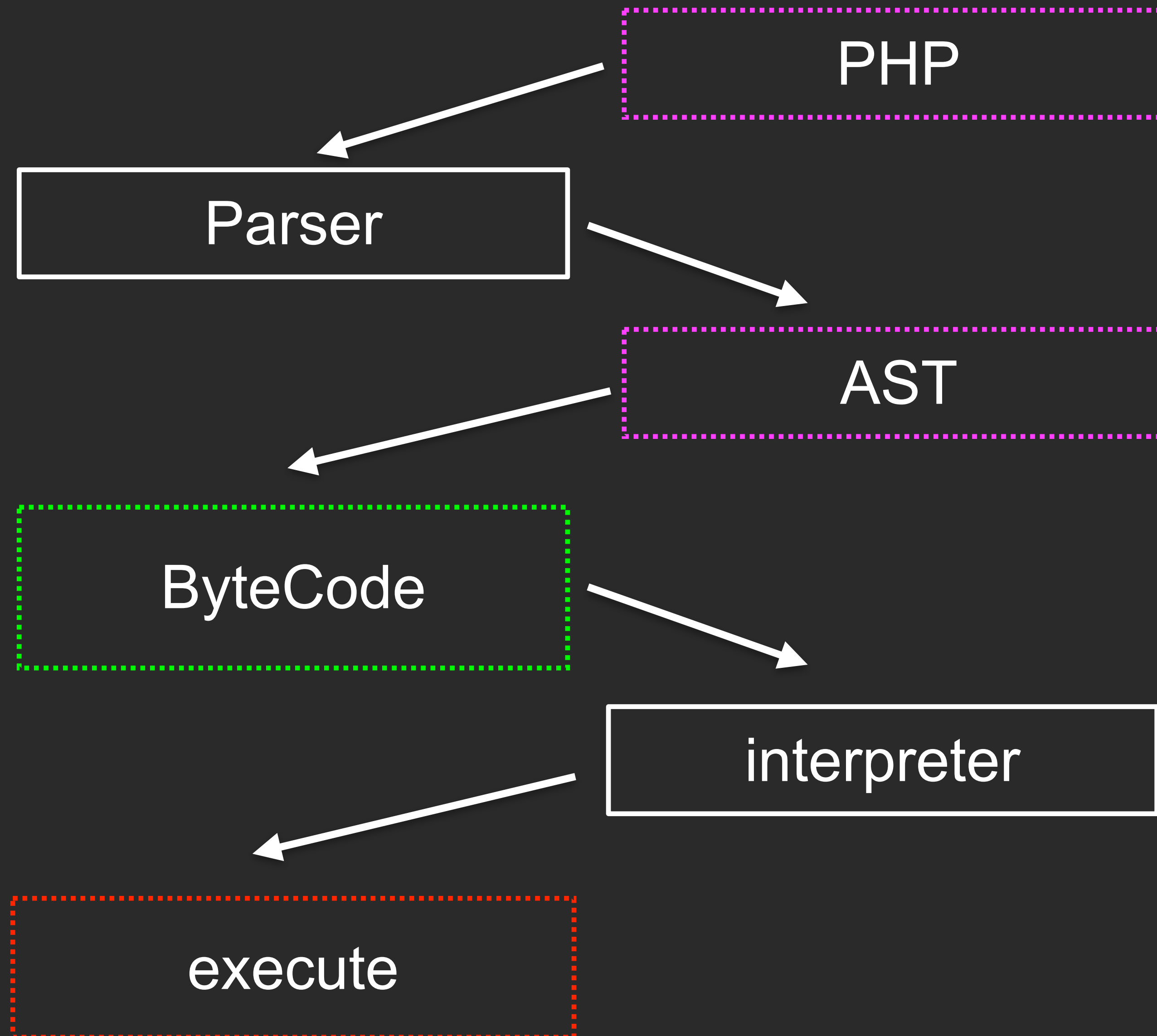


Compiler

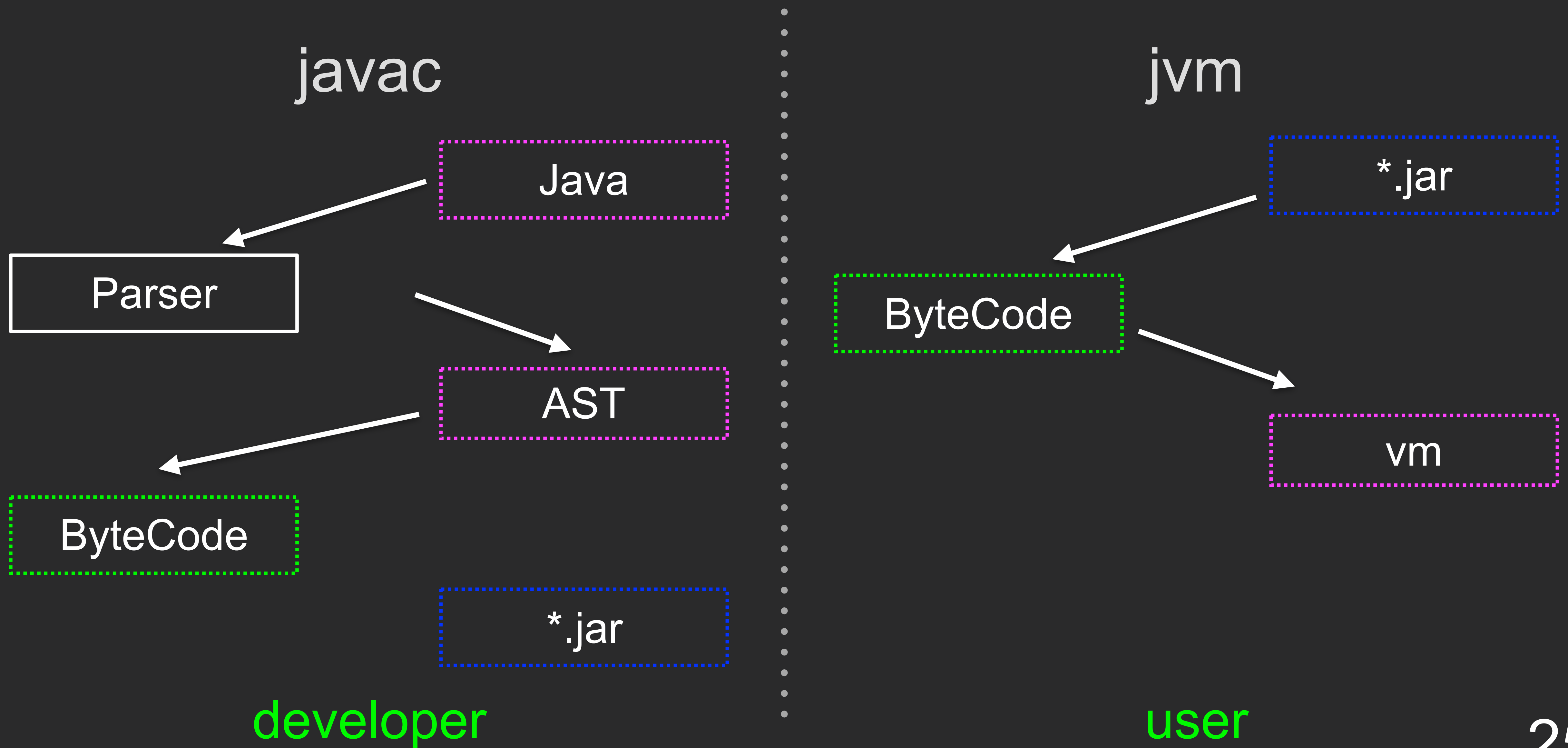


Bytecode
Can be used differently

PHP



Java

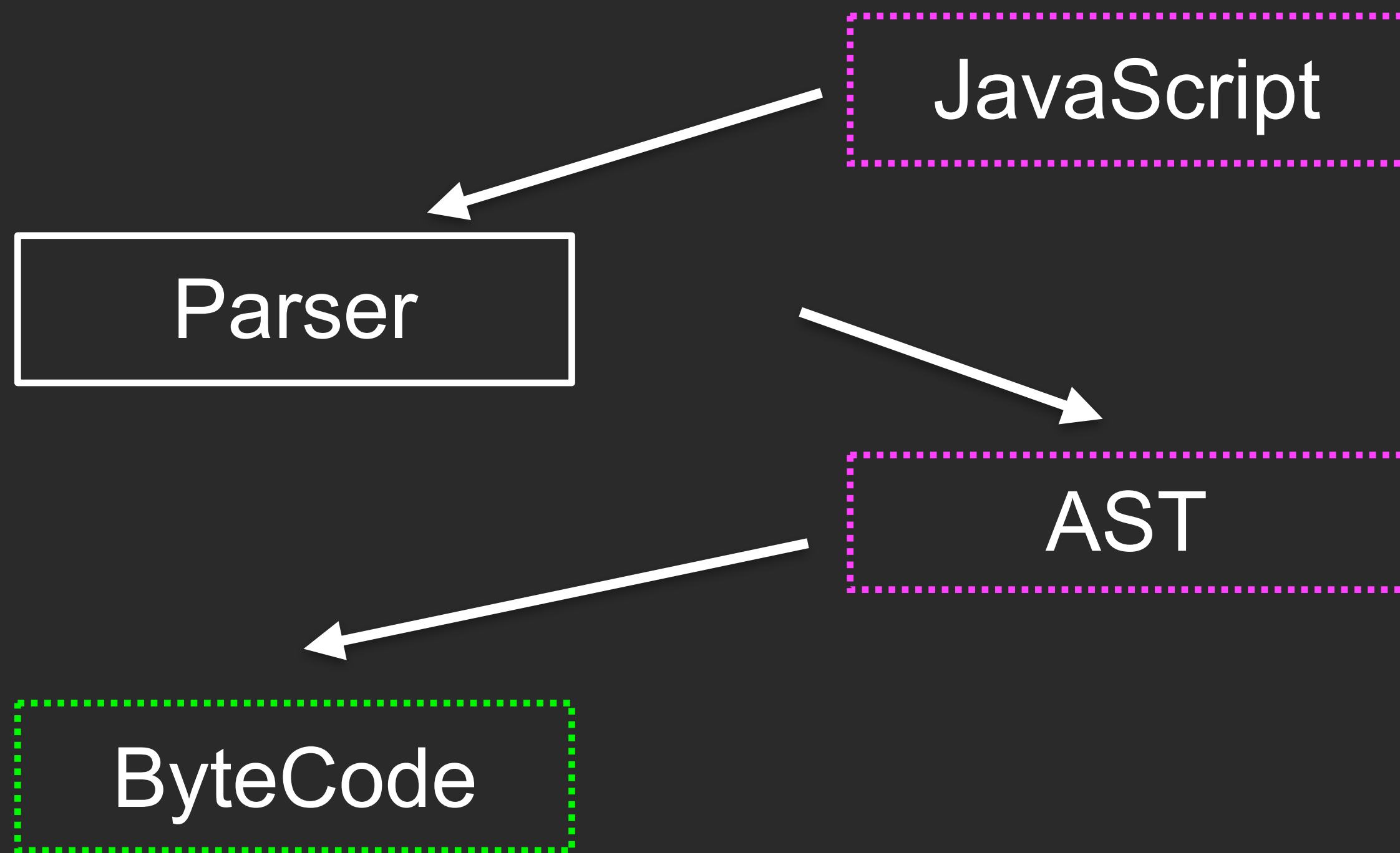


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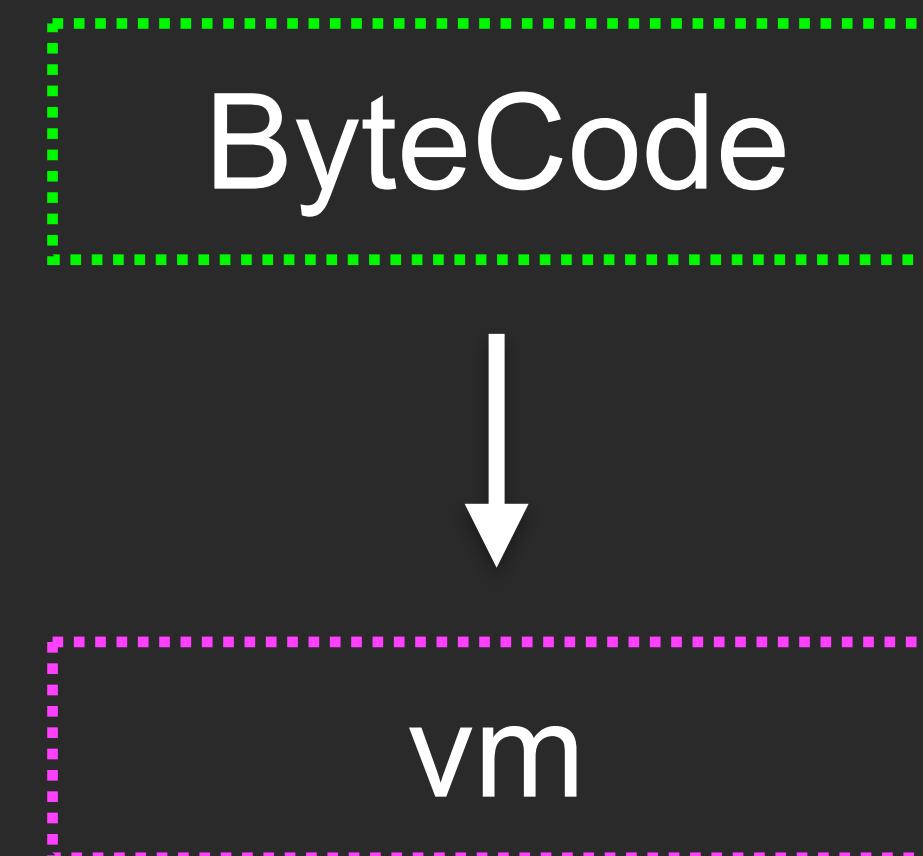
Facebook Hermes (JS engine)

hermes



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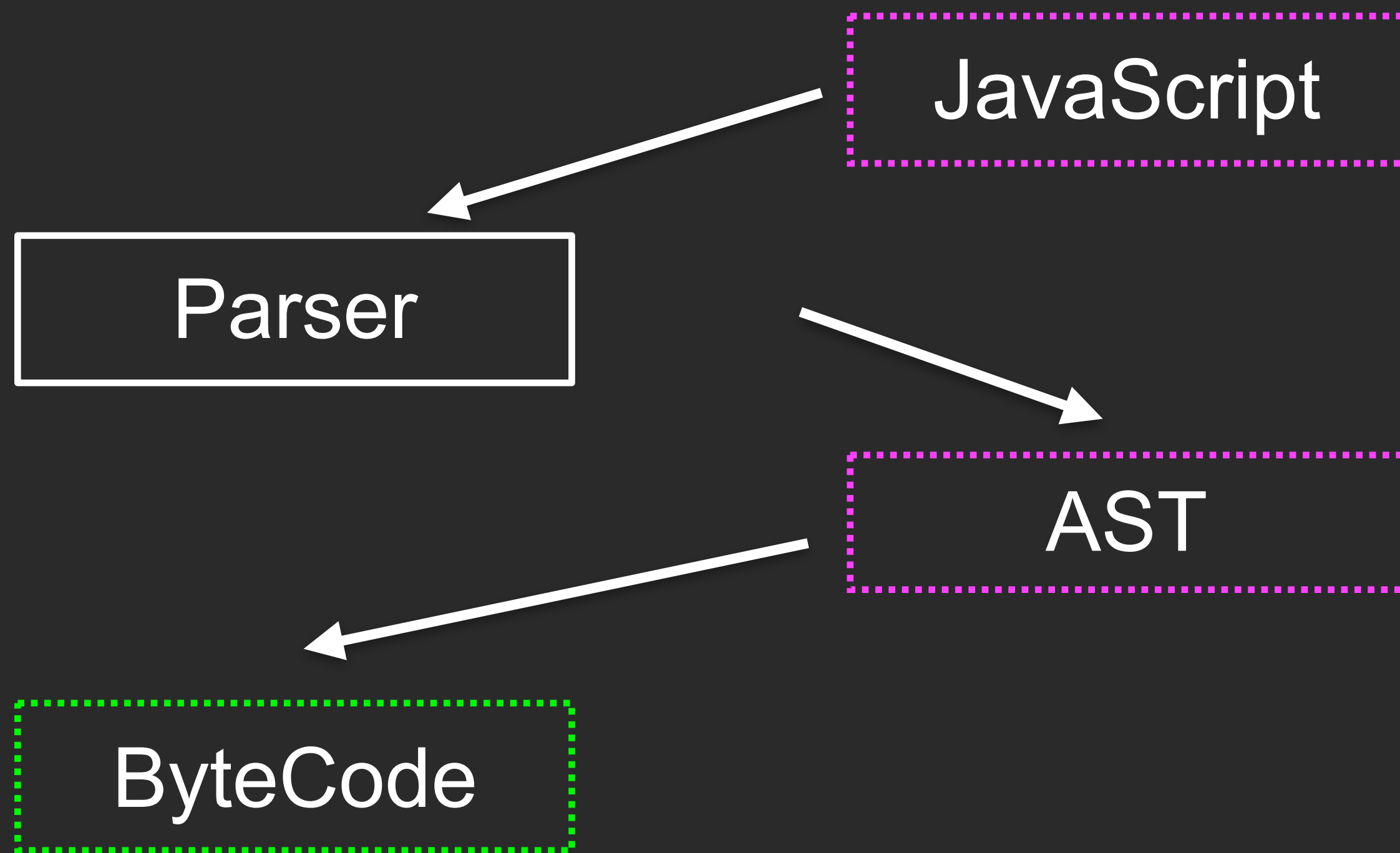
hvm



mobile

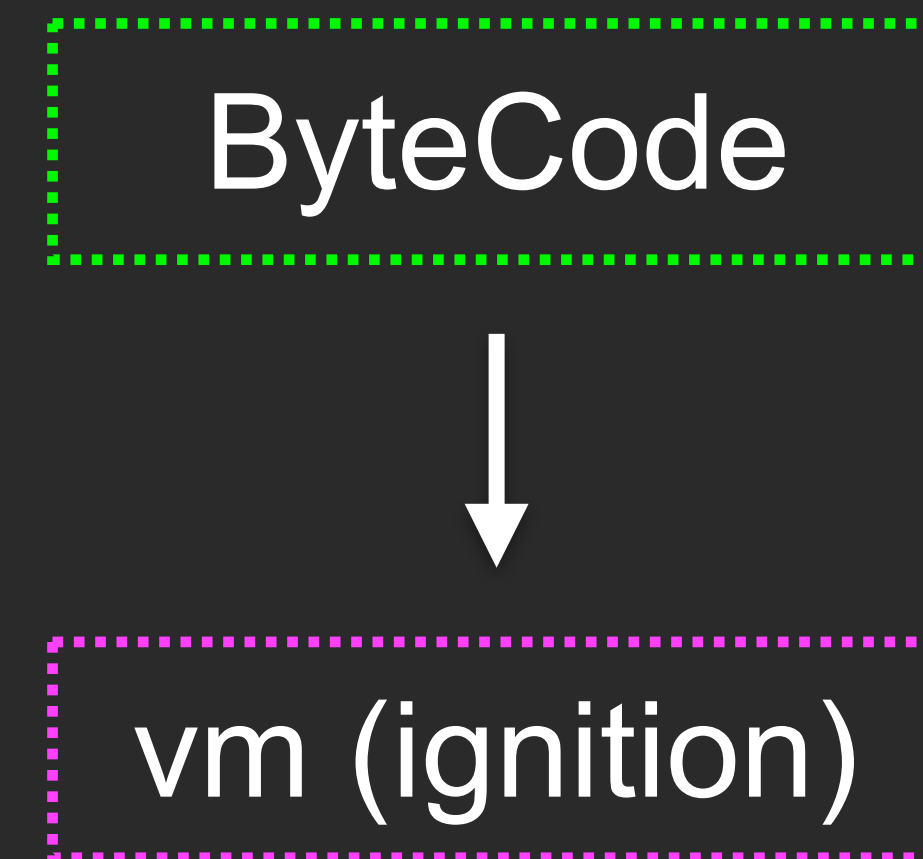
NodeJS?

local (vm ext)



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node (vm ext)



docker image*

ByteNode

V8



JavaScript

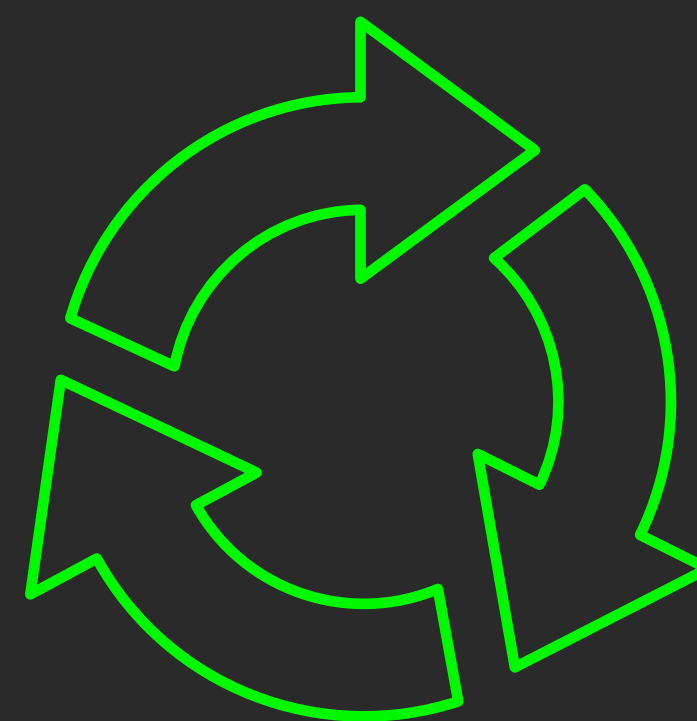
Parser

AST

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Compiler
TurboFan

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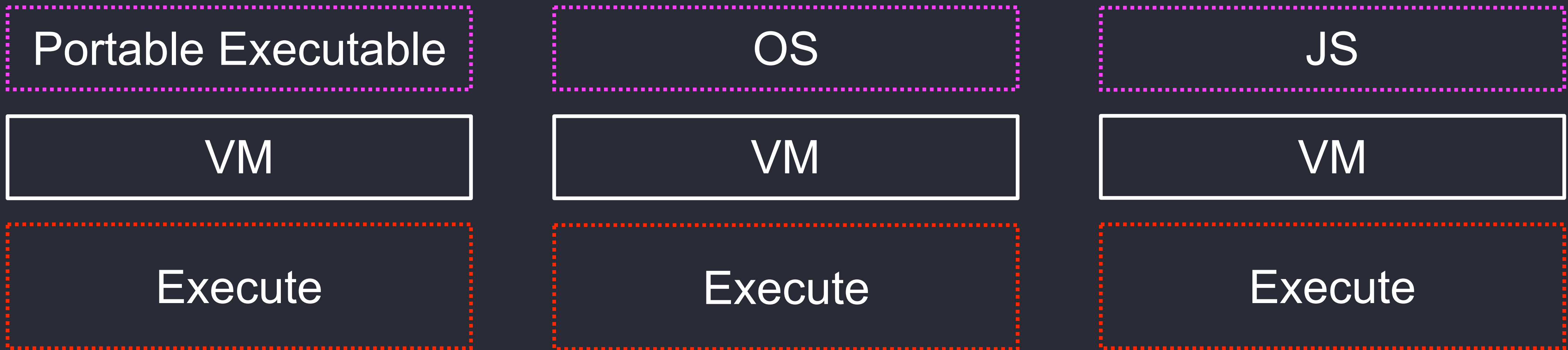
Optimized Machine
Code

Virtual Machine

VirtualMachine

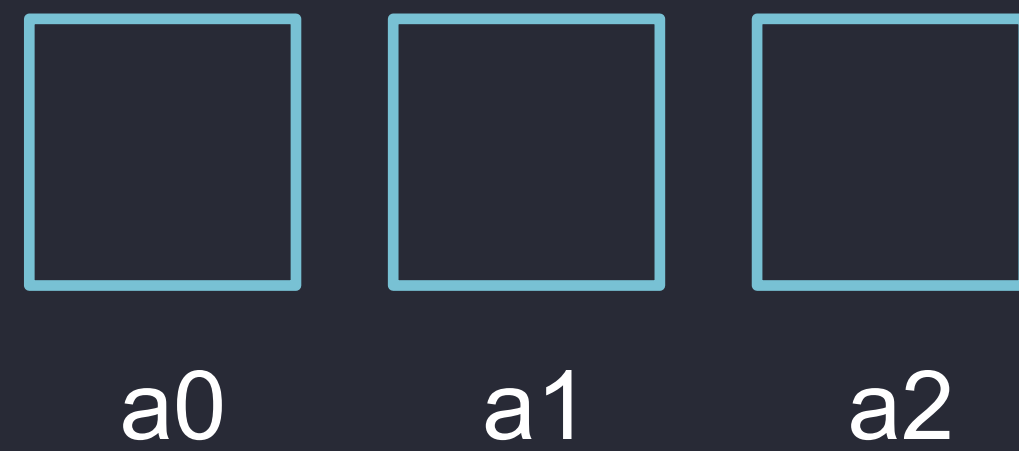
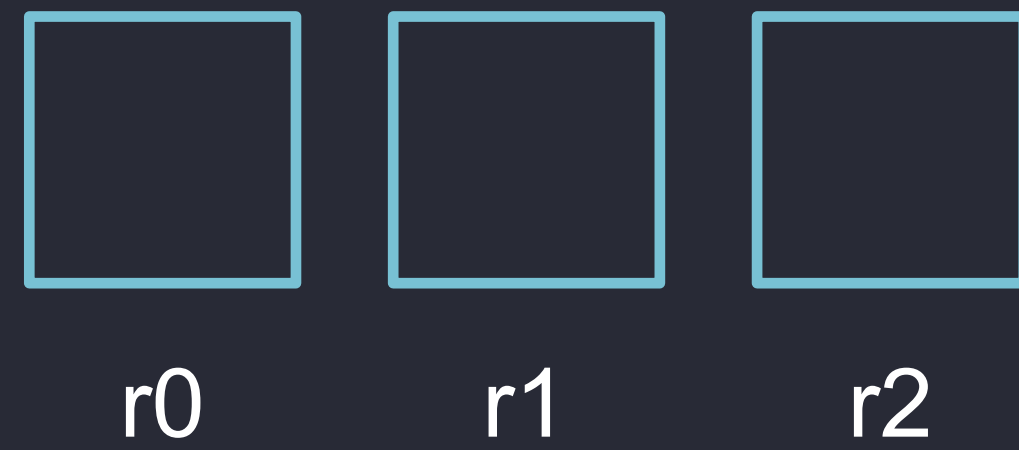
Process virtual machines are designed to execute computer programs in a platform-independent environment.

VirtualMachine



Virtual Machine Types

Register based



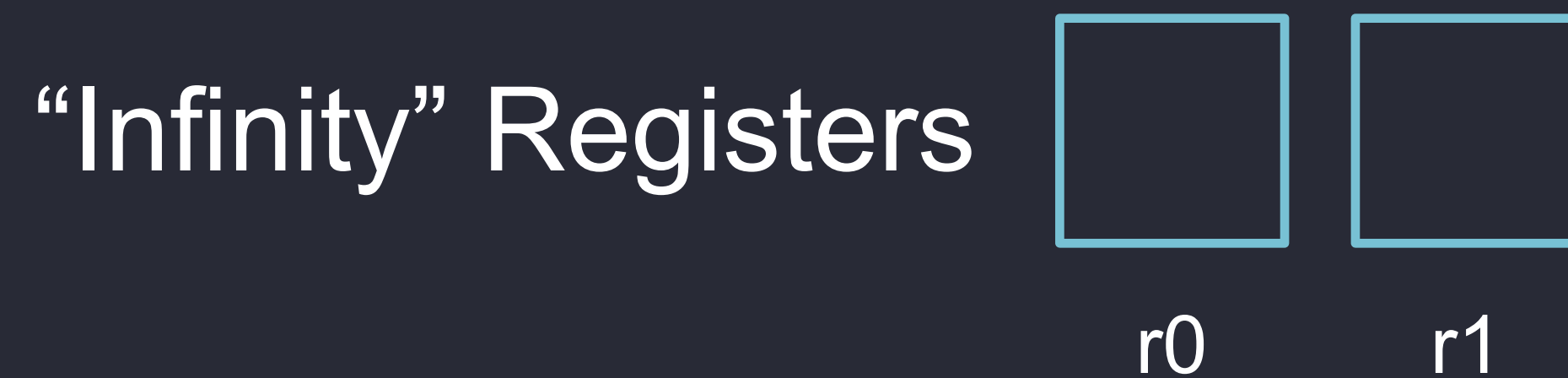
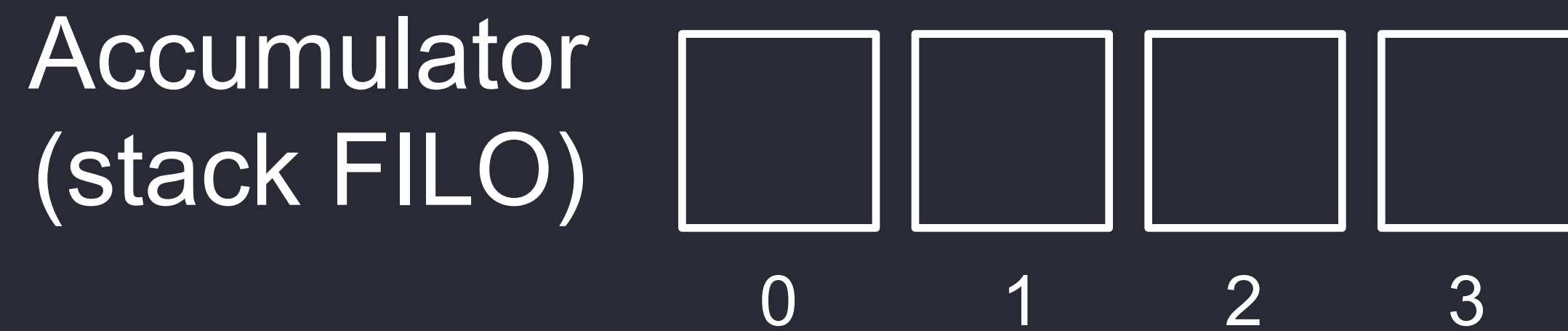
Example 3 + 4

0x00001 SET r0, 3

0x00002 SET r1, 4

0x00003 ADD r1, r0

Stack based



Example 3 + 4

0x00001 LOAD 3

0x00002 PUSH r0

0x00003 LOAD 4

0x00004 ADD r0

Compare

- » Closer to Hardware
- » Harder to implement
- » Less byte code

- » Architecture Abstract
- » Easier to implement

Register based

Stack based

Virtual Machine

V8 Interpreter ByteCode

```
function test() {  
    const a = 4;  
    const b = 3;  
  
    return a + b;  
}  
  
test();
```

```
node --print-bytecode index.js > 1.stdout
```

```
[generated bytecode for function: test]
```

```
Parameter count 1
```

```
Register count 2
```

```
Frame size 16
```

39	E>	0x3d8cc7e0556	@	0	:	a5		StackCheck
58	S>	0x3d8cc7e0557	@	1	:	0c	04	LdaSmi [4]
		0x3d8cc7e0559	@	3	:	26	fb	Star r0
75	S>	0x3d8cc7e055b	@	5	:	0c	03	LdaSmi [3]
		0x3d8cc7e055d	@	7	:	26	fa	Star r1
83	S>	0x3d8cc7e055f	@	9	:	25	fa	Ldar r1
92	E>	0x3d8cc7e0561	@	11	:	34	fb 00	Add r0, [0]
96	S>	0x3d8cc7e0564	@	14	:	a9		Return

```
Constant pool (size = 0)
```

```
Handler Table (size = 0)
```

<https://github.com/v8/v8/blob/master/src/interpreter/bytecodes.h>

```
/* Loading the accumulator */ \
V(LdaZero, AccumulatorUse::kWrite) \
V(LdaSmi, AccumulatorUse::kWrite, OperandType::kImm) \
V(LdaUndefined, AccumulatorUse::kWrite) \
V(LdaNull, AccumulatorUse::kWrite) \
V(LdaTheHole, AccumulatorUse::kWrite) \
/* Globals */ \
V(LdaGlobal, AccumulatorUse::kWrite, OperandType::kIdx, ...) \
V(LdaGlobalInsideTypeof, AccumulatorUse::kWrite, ...) \
V(StaGlobal, AccumulatorUse::kRead, ...) \
/* Context operations */ \
V(PushContext, AccumulatorUse::kRead, OperandType::kRegOut) \
V(PopContext, AccumulatorUse::kNone, OperandType::kReg) \
V(LdaContextSlot, AccumulatorUse::kWrite, OperandType::kReg,
```

```
// LdaZero
//
// Load literal '0' into the accumulator.
IGNITION_HANDLER(LdaZero, InterpreterAssembler) {
    TNode<Number> zero_value = NumberConstant(0.0);
    SetAccumulator(zero_value);
    Dispatch();
}

// LdaSmi <imm>
//
// Load an integer literal into the accumulator as a Smi.
IGNITION_HANDLER(LdaSmi, InterpreterAssembler) {
    TNode<Smi> smi_int = BytecodeOperandImmSmi(0);
    SetAccumulator(smi_int);
    Dispatch();
}
```


Virtual Machine

V8 ByteCode interpreter on JS

```
type Accumulator = any[];
type Registers = {[key: string]: any};

class VirtualMachine {
  protected acc: Accumulator = [];
  protected registers: Registers = {};
}
```

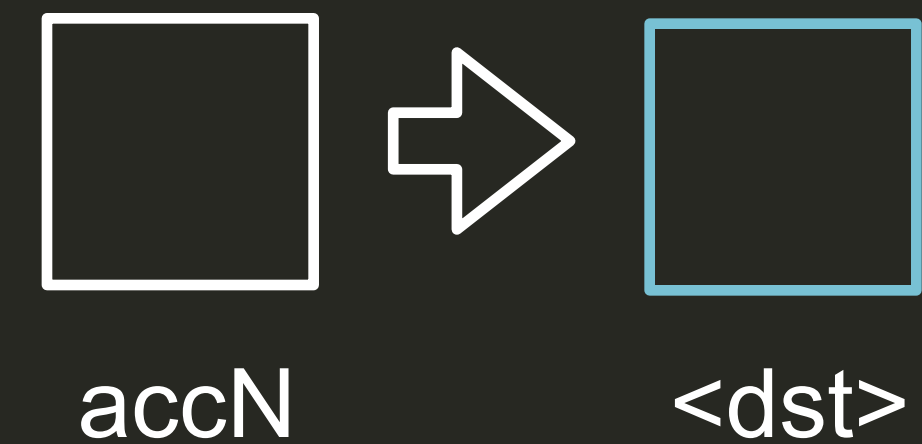
```
const a = 4; 0x3d8cc7e0557 LdaSmi [4]
              0x3d8cc7e0559 Star r0
```

```
const b = 3; 0x3d8cc7e055b LdaSmi [3]
              0x3d8cc7e055d Star r1
```

```
    a + b    0x3d8cc7e055f Ldar r1
              0x3d8cc7e0561 Add r0
```

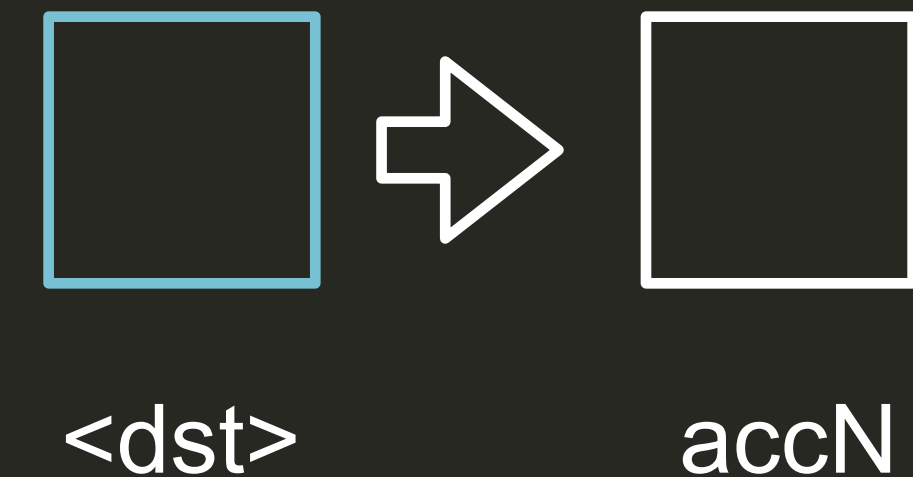
```
0x3d8cc7e0557 LdaSmi [4]
0x3d8cc7e0559 Star r0
```

```
// Load an integer literal into the accumulator
LdaSmi: (op) => {
    this.acc.push(op.operand[0]);
},
// Store accumulator to register <dst>.
Star: (op) => {
    this.putToRegister(
        op.reg,
        this.acc.pop()
    );
},
```



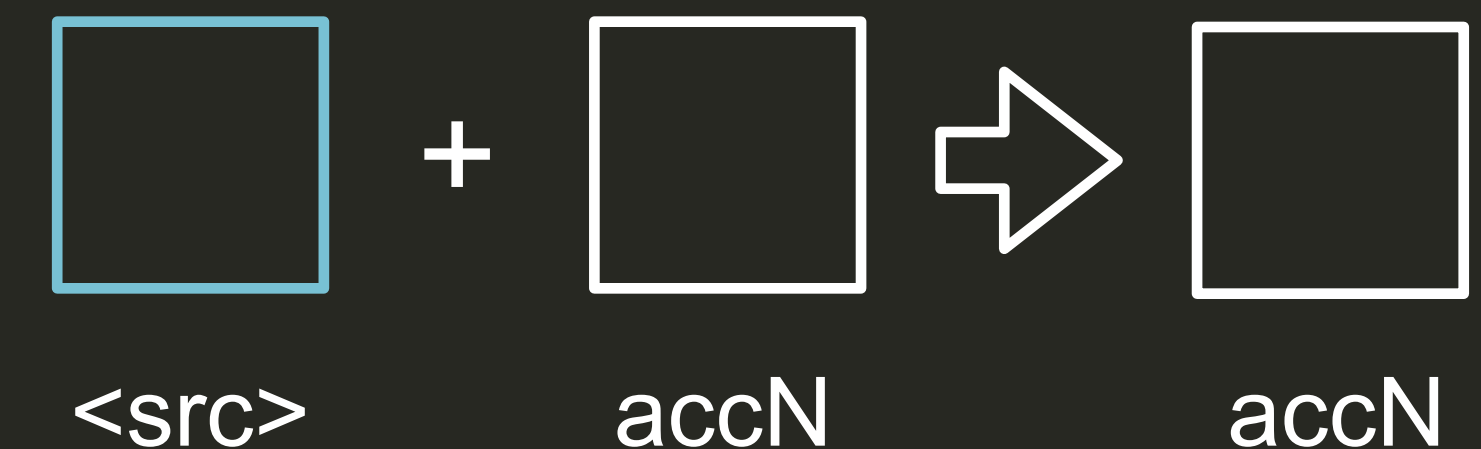
```
// Load accumulator with value from register <src>.
```

```
Ldar: (op) => {  
    this.acc.push(  
        this.getFromRegister(op.reg)  
    )  
},
```



```
// Add register <src> to accumulator.
```

```
Add: (op) => {  
    const right = this.getFromRegister(op.reg);  
  
    this.acc.push(  
        this.acc.pop() + right  
    )  
},
```



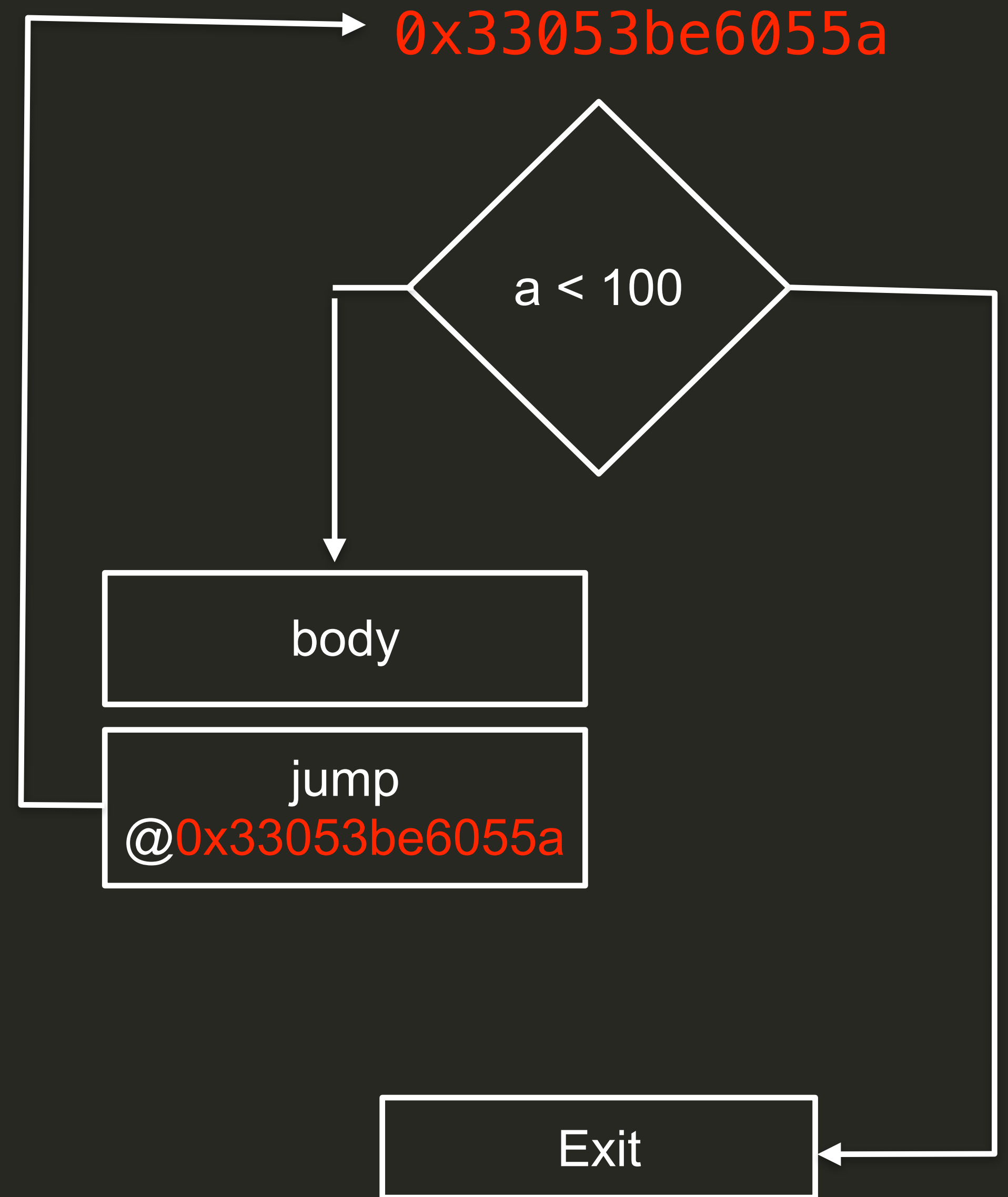
V8 ByteCode Demo 1

Entry: `let a = 0;`

Condition: `while (a < 100) {`

Body: `a++;`
`}`

Exit: `return a;`



```
0x37a29c260556 StackCheck
0x37a29c260557 LdaZero
0x37a29c260558 Star r0    let a = 0;

0x37a29c26055a LdaSmi [100]
0x37a29c26055c TestLessThan r0    while (a < 100)
0x37a29c26055f JumpIfFalse [12] (0x37a29c26056b@ 21)

0x37a29c260561 StackCheck
0x37a29c260562 Ldar r0
0x37a29c260564 Inc [1]    a++;
0x37a29c260566 Star r0
0x37a29c260568 JumpLoop [14] (0x37a29c26055a@ 4)

0x37a29c26056b Ldar r0    return a;
0x37a29c26056d Return
```


V8 ByteCode Demo 2

JIT Compiler Machine Code

V8



JavaScript

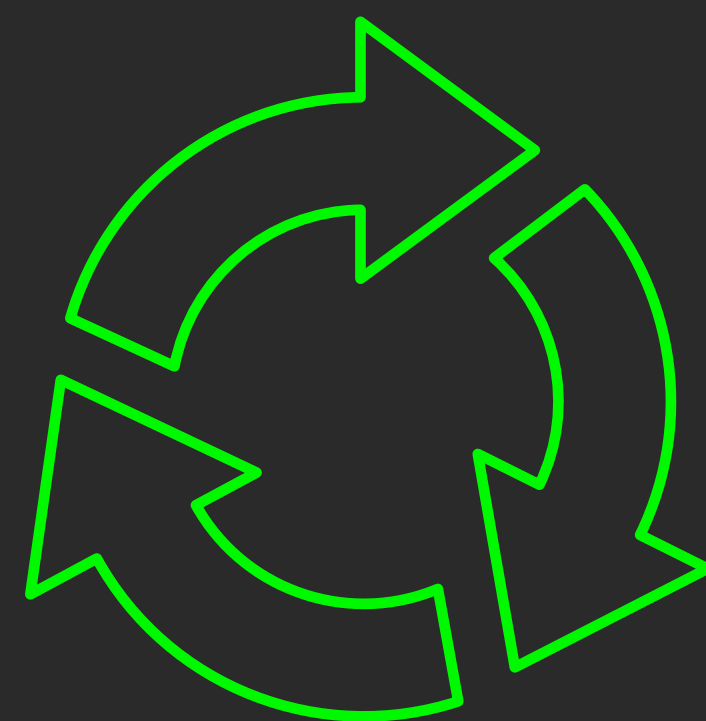
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Optimized Machine
Code

```
d8 -code-comments -print-opt-code jit.js
```

```
function plus(obj) {  
    return obj.x + obj.y;  
}
```

```
console.log(plus({ x: 5, y: 5 }));  
console.log(plus({ x: 5, y: 5 }));  
console.log(plus({ x: 5, y: 5 }));
```

Interpreter
Ignition



Compiler
TurboFan

A = Time to Execute ByteCode

B = Compile function using JIT compiler

C = Time to Execute Machine ByteCode

$$A < B + C$$

@todo

```
function plus(obj) {  
    return obj.x + obj.y;  
}  
  
let total = 0;  
  
while (total < 1000000000) {  
    total += plus({ x: 5, y: 5 });  
}  
  
console.log(total);
```

```
function plus(obj) {  
    return obj.x + obj.y;  
}  
  
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}  
  
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```



```
d8 -code-comments -print-opt-code jit.js
```

```
--- Raw source ---  
(obj) {  
    return obj.x + obj.y;  
}
```

```
--- Optimized code ---  
optimization_id = 0  
source_position = 38  
kind = OPTIMIZED_FUNCTION  
name = plus  
stack_slots = 5  
compiler = turbofan  
address = 0x3b34494c2ae1
```

Instructions (size = 364)

-- Prologue: check code start register --

0x3b34494c2b20 0 488d1df9ffffff REX.W leaq rbx,[rip+0xffffffff9]

0x3b34494c2b27 7 483bd9 REX.W cmpq rbx,rcx

0x3b34494c2b2a a 7418 jz 0x3b34494c2b44 <+0x24>

Abort message:

Wrong value in code start register passed

0x3b34494c2b2c c 48ba6c000000000000 REX.W movq rdx,0x6c

-- Inlined Trampoline to Abort --

0x3b34494c2b36 16 49ba207a660c01000000 REX.W movq r10,0x10c667a20 (Abort) ;; off heap target

0x3b34494c2b40 20 41ffd2 call r10

0x3b34494c2b43 23 cc int3l

-- Prologue: check for deoptimization --

0x3b34494c2b44 24 488b59e0 REX.W movq rbx,[rcx-0x20]

0x3b34494c2b48 28 f6430f01 testb [rbx+0xf],0x1

0x3b34494c2b4c 2c 740d jz 0x3b34494c2b5b <+0x3b>

-- Inlined Trampoline to CompileLazyDeoptimizedCode --

0x3b34494c2b4e 2e 49ba40795c0c01000000 REX.W movq r10,0x10c5c7940 (CompileLazyDeoptimizedCode) ;; off heap target

0x3b34494c2b58 38 41ffe2 jmp r10

-- B0 start (construct frame) --

0x3b34494c2b5b 3b 55 push rbp

0x3b34494c2b5c 3c 4889e5 REX.W movq rbp,rsp

0x3b34494c2b5f 3f 56 push rsi

0x3b34494c2b60 40 57 push rdi

0x3b34494c2b61 41 4883ec08 REX.W subq rsp,0x8

0x3b34494c2b65 45 488975e8 REX.W movq [rbp-0x18],rsi

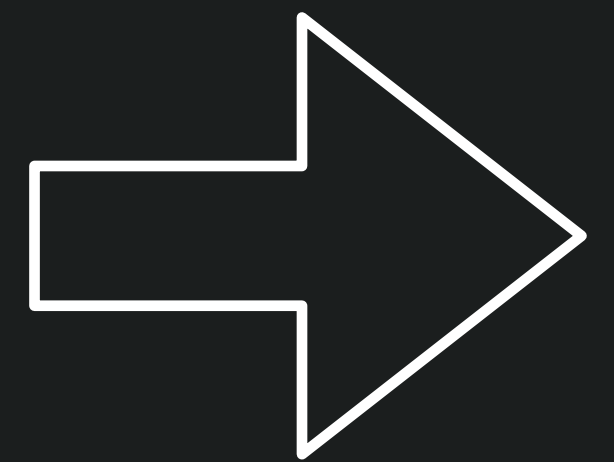
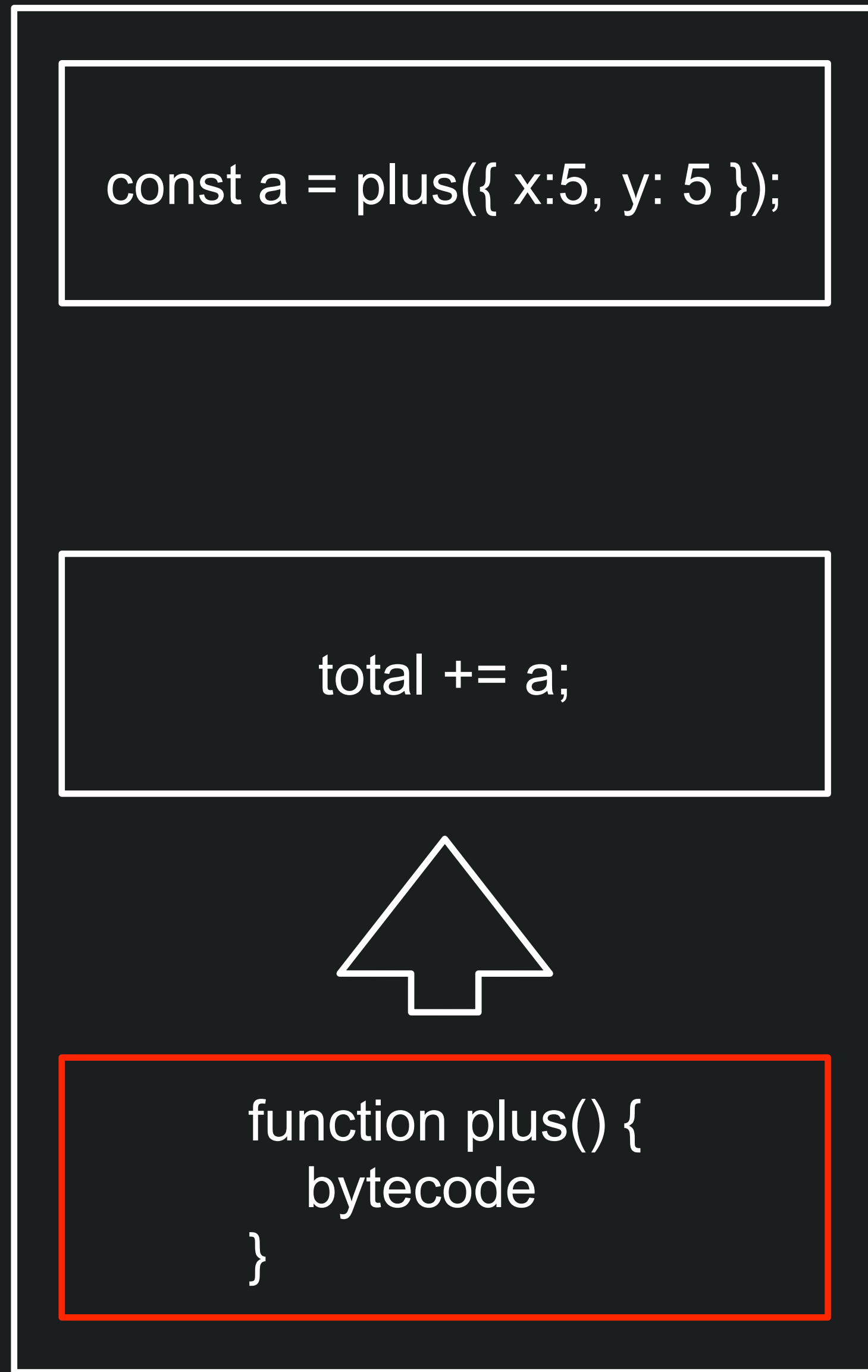
0x3b34494c2b69 49 493b65e0 REX.W cmpq rsp,[r13-0x20] (external value (StackGuard::address_of_jslimit()))

0x3b34494c2b6d 4d 0f8668000000 jna 0x3b34494c2bdb <+0xbb>

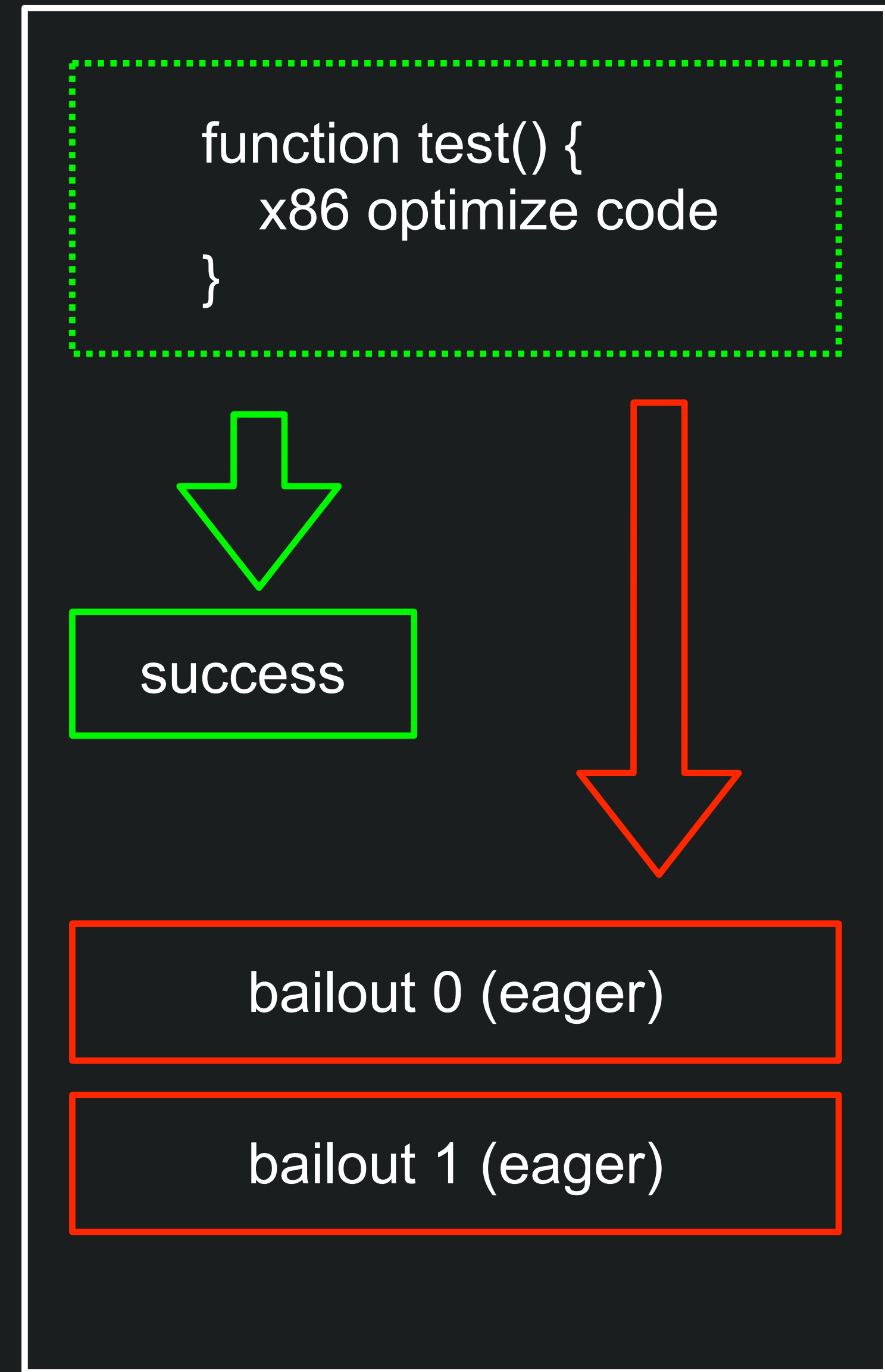
-- B2 start --

-- B3 start --

Interpreter / Ignition



Compiler / Turbofan

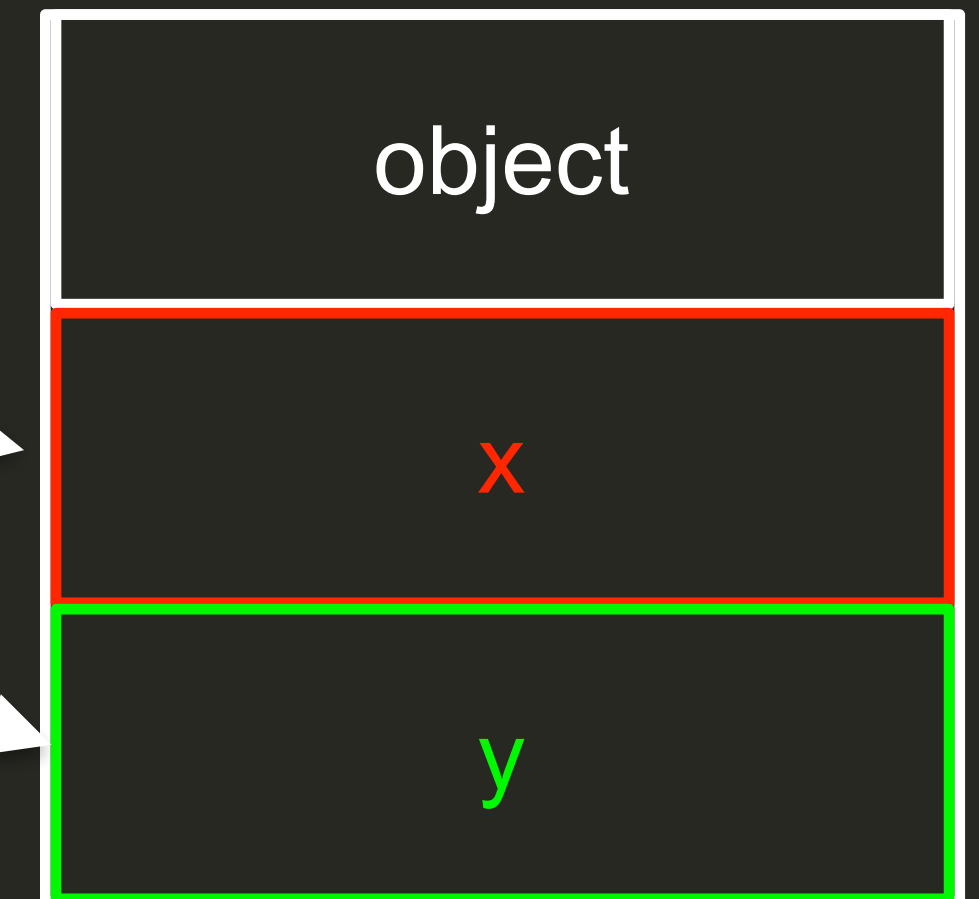


-- B3 start --

```
53 REX.W movq rcx,[rbp+0x10]
57 testb rcx,0x1
5a jz 0x3b34494c2c66 <+0x146>
```

```
60 REX.W movq rdi,0x3fb0727495e9 ;; object: 0x3fb0727495e9
6a REX.W cmpq [rcx-0x1],rdi
e jnz 0x3b34494c2c72 <+0x152>
```

```
74 REX.W movq rdi,[rcx+0x17]
78 REX.W movq rcx,[rcx+0x1f]
7c sarl rcx, 1
07e sarl rdi, 1
80 addl rcx,rdi
82 REX.W movq r10,0x100000000
8c REX.W cmpq r10,rcx
8f jnc 0x3b34494c2bc6 <+0xa6>
```



-- A LOT OF HODE IS HERE--

-- B3 start --

```
53 REX.W movq rcx,[rbp+0x10]
57 testb rcx,0x1
5a jz 0x3b34494c2c66 <+0x146>
```

```
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6a REX.W cmpq [rcx-0x1],rdi
e jnz 0x3b34494c2c72 <+0x152>
```

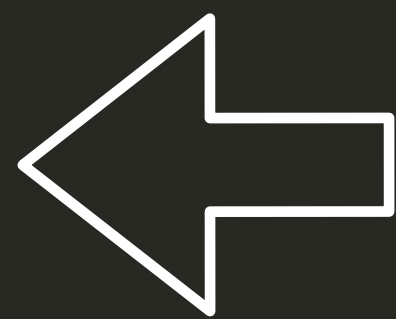
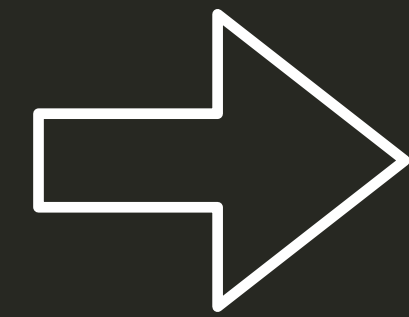
-- A LOT OF HODE IS HERE--

 146 REX.W movq r13,0x0
14d call 0x3b3449502040 ;; eager deoptimization bailout

 152 REX.W movq r13,0x1
159 call 0x3b3449502040 ;; eager deoptimization bailout

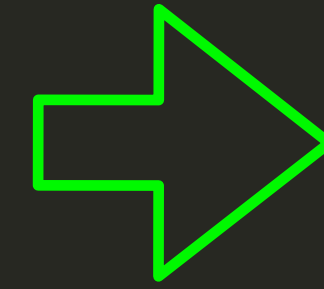
15e REX.W movq r13,0x2
165 call 0x3b3449542040 ;; lazy deoptimization bailout

Ignition Interpreter

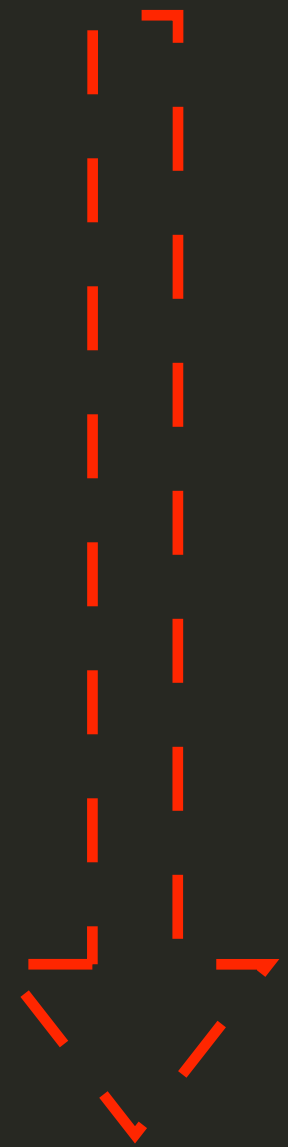


Compiled Function Test / x86

compare type0



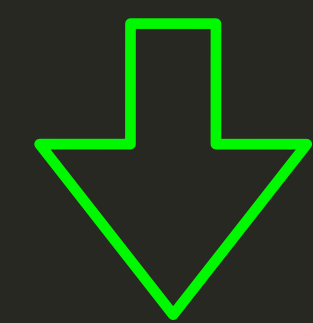
compare type1



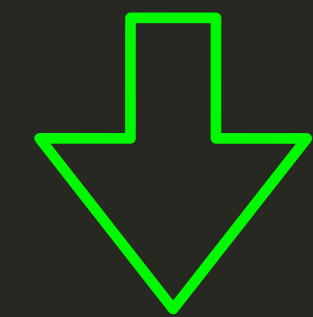
bailout 0 (eager)



bailout 1 (eager)



code



success

Why JS is using VM (Interpreter + JIT compiler)
instead of AOT compiler?

usage area



US



But what about compiler for TypeScript?

- » Type System
- » Add more special native types: uint8
- » Dont support all JS features

StaticScript

Compiler

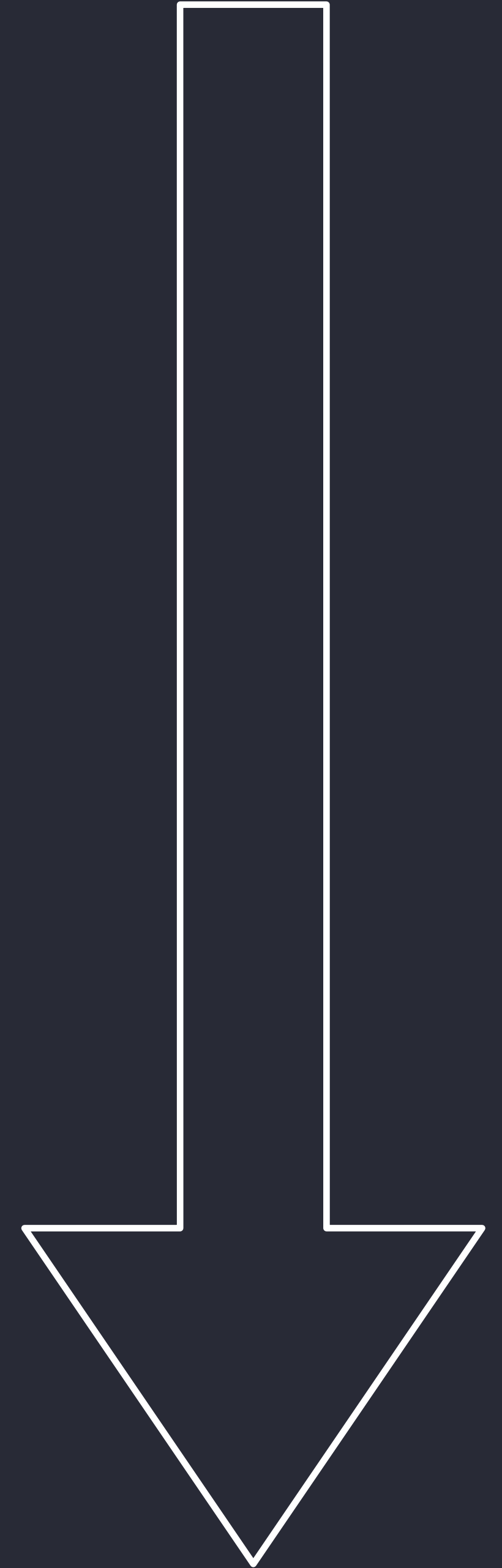
FRONTEND

PARSER/AST/PRE-EMIT/
CLI

BACKEND

EMIT/GENERATE OUTPUT
CODE

OUTPUT



Compiler Frontend

TypeScript as Frontend

FRONTEND

PARSER/AST/PRE-EMIT/
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CODE



The simplest problem

```
{  
  console_log("Hello HolyJS!");  
}
```

TypeScript as Framework

```
import * as ts from 'typescript';

const options = {
  lib: [],
  types: []
};

const files = ['sandbox/hello.ts'];

const host = ts.createCompilerHost(options);
const program = ts.createProgram(files, options, host);
```

Use diagnostics from TypeScript

```
const diagnostics = ts.getPreEmitDiagnostics(program);
if (diagnostics.length) {
    ts.sys.write(
        ts.formatDiagnosticsWithColorAndContext(
            diagnostics,
            DiagnosticsHostInstance
        )
    );
    ts.sys.exit(
        ts.ExitStatus.DiagnosticsPresent_OutputsSkipped
    );
}
```



```
ovr@MBP-Dmitry ~h1vm ↪ master ↪ node ./build/cl
```

```
Cannot find global type 'Array'.
```

```
Cannot find global type 'Boolean'.
```

```
Cannot find global type 'Function'.
```

```
Cannot find global type 'IArguments'.
```

```
Cannot find global type 'Number'.
```

```
Cannot find global type 'Object'.
```

```
Cannot find global type 'RegExp'.
```

```
Cannot find global type 'String'.
```

```
sandbox/do-simple-math.ts (3,5): Cannot find name 'console_log'.
```



staticscript.d.ts

```
interface Boolean {}  
interface Function {}  
interface IArguments {}  
interface Number {}  
interface Object {}  
interface RegExp {}  
interface String {}  
interface Array<T = any> {}
```

Compiler Backed LLVM

LLVM - Low Level Virtual Machine



The LLVM Project is a collection of modular and reusable compiler and toolchain technologies. Despite its name, LLVM has little to do with traditional virtual machines. The name "LLVM" itself is not an acronym; it is the full name of the project.

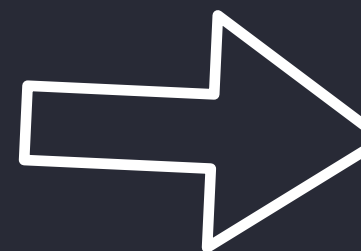
Why LLVM?

Frontend

Clang (C/C++)



Fortran

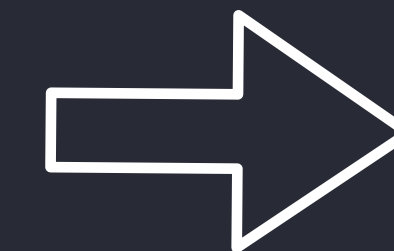


etc...



Backend

LLVM IR
(optimize, cfg, cfa)



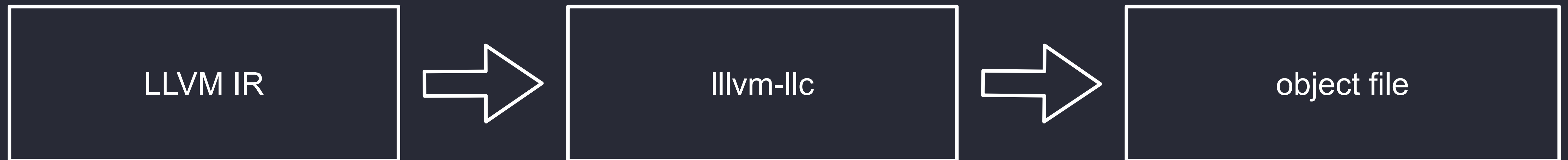
X86

PowerPC

ARM

LLVM Language Reference Manual

LLVM IR - LLVM intermediate representation



<https://llvm.org/docs/LangRef.html>

```
clang -S -emit-llvm main.cpp -O0
```

```
#include <cstdio>

int main() {
    auto a = 3;
    auto b = 4;
    auto c = a + b;
}
```

```
; ModuleID = 'main.cpp'  
source_filename = "main.cpp"  
target datalayout = "e-m:o-i64:64-f80:128-n8:16:32:64-S128"  
target triple = "x86_64-apple-macosx10.14.0"
```

```
define i32 @main() #0 {  
    %1 = alloca i32, align 4  
    %2 = alloca i32, align 4  
    %3 = alloca i32, align 4  
  
    store i32 3, i32* %1, align 4  
    store i32 4, i32* %2, align 4  
  
    %4 = load i32, i32* %1, align 4  
    %5 = load i32, i32* %2, align 4  
    %6 = add nsw i32 %4, %5  
  
    store i32 %6, i32* %3, align 4  
    ret i32 0  
}
```


LLVM Types

- Integers, iN integer with any Number of bits (i1/i31/i999999) with signed bit
- Floating (half/float/double/fp128/x86_fp80/ppc_fp128)
- Pointers (i32*)
- Aggregate types: Vector (4 x i32), Array ([40 x i32]), Structure (i32, i32, i32)
- Opaque

Каждый уважающий себя программист хочет
сделать свой собственный компилятор.
Мечты сбываются! LLVM — важный шаг,
позволяющий избежать велосипедостроения.
(C) @gridem

```
import * as llvm from 'llvm-node';

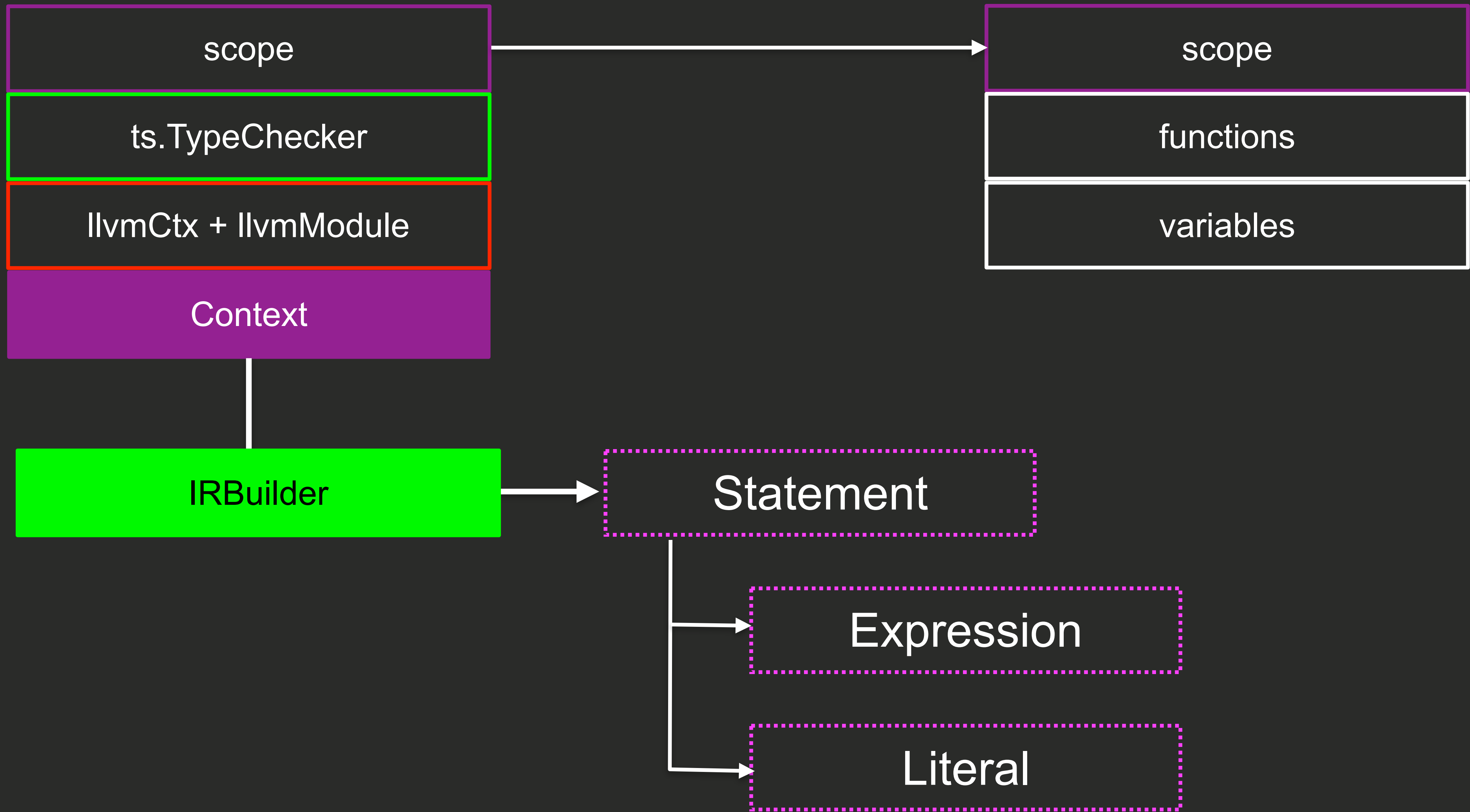
const llvmContext = new llvm.LLVMContext();
const llvmModule = new llvm.Module("test", this.llvmContext);

const mainFnType = llvm.FunctionType.get(
  llvm.Type.getVoidTy(llvmContext),
  false
);
const mainFn = llvm.Function.create(
  mainFnType,
  LinkageTypes.ExternalLinkage,
  "main",
  llvmModule
);

const block = llvm.BasicBlock.create(llvmContext, "entry", mainFn);
const builder = new llvm.IRBuilder(block);
```

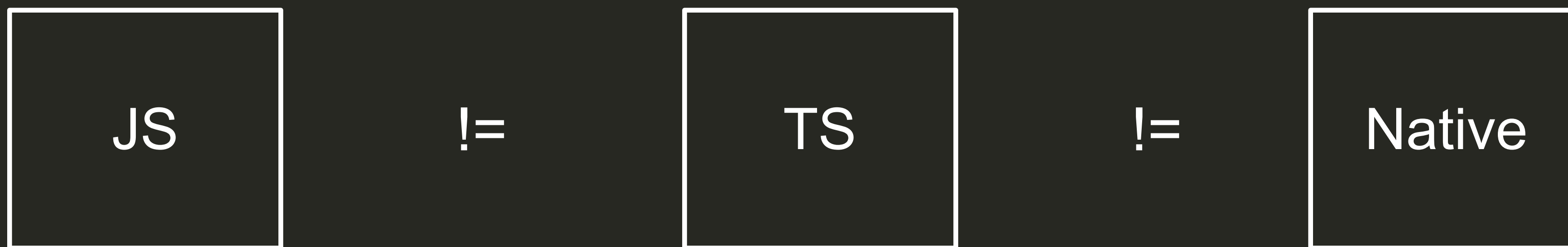
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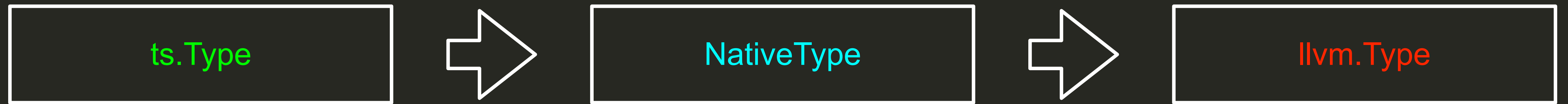




Compiler Type System

The main problem





```
export class NativeTypeResolver {  
    static getType(type: ts.Type, ctx: Context): NativeType | null {  
        if (type.isNumberLiteral()) {  
            return new NativeType(  
                llvm.Type.getDoubleTy(  
                    ctx.llvmContext  
                )  
            );  
        }  
  
        // Магия  
    }  
}
```




staticscript.d.ts


```
declare type int8 = {};  
declare type int16 = {};  
declare type int32 = {};  
declare type int64 = {};  
declare type int128 = {};
```

Support some non-structural (nominal) type matching #202

 **Open** iislucas opened this issue on 23 Jul 2014 · 377 comments · May be fixed by #33038

Nominal `unique type` brands #33038

 **Open** weswigham wants to merge 1 commit into `microsoft:master` from `weswigham:unique-types` 

 Conversation 35

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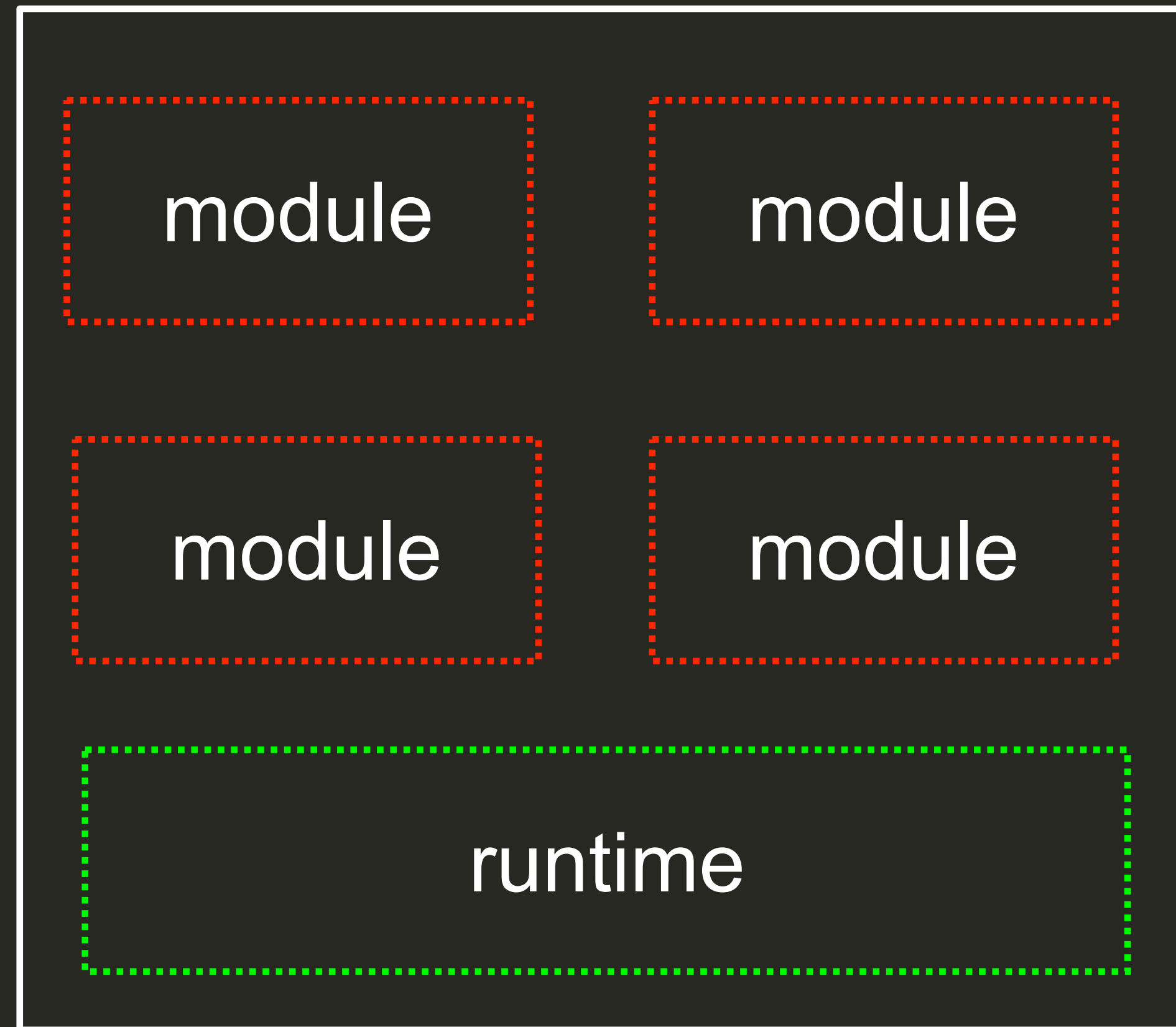
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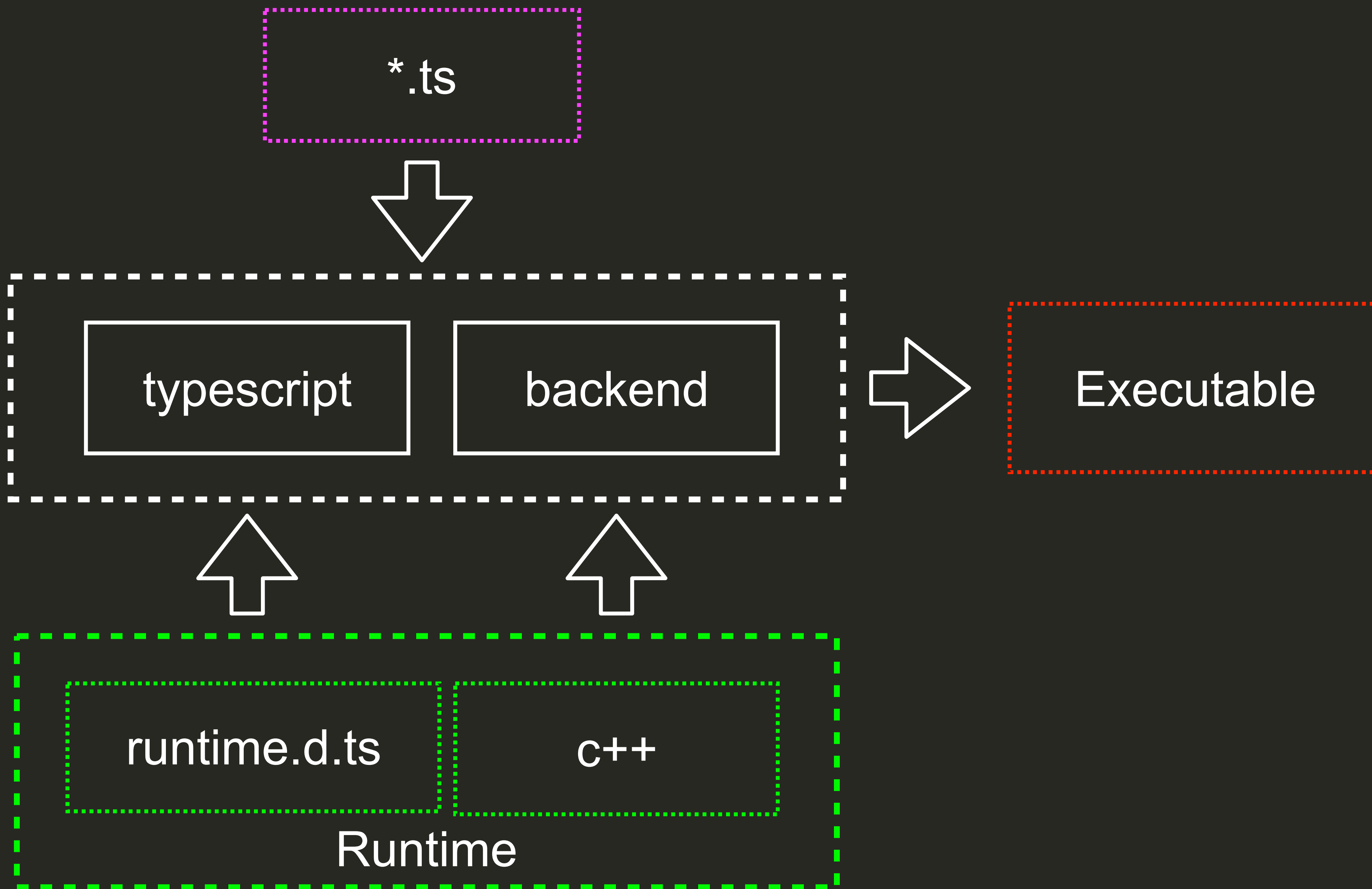
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<https://basarat.gitbooks.io/typescript/docs/tips/nominalTyping.html>

Compiler Runtime Library

What is runtime library?





runtime.d.ts

```
///reference no-default-lib="true" />
```

```
declare function console_log(value: number): void;
```

```
declare function console_log(value: string): void;
```

```
declare function console_log(value: boolean): void;
```

```
LIBRARY_EXPORT void console_log(double number) {
    puts(number2string(number));
}

LIBRARY_EXPORT void console_log(const char *str) {
    puts(str);
}

LIBRARY_EXPORT void console_log(bool boolean) {
    if (boolean) {
        puts("true");
    } else {
        puts("false");
    }
}
```

Name mangling

In compiler construction, **name mangling** (also called **name decoration**) is a technique used to solve various problems caused by the need to resolve unique names for programming entities in many modern programming languages.

A single C++ translation unit might define two functions named `f()`:

```
int f (void) { return 1; }  
int f (int)  { return 0; }  
void g (void) { int i = f(), j = f(0); }
```

These are distinct functions, with no relation to each other apart from the name. The C++ compiler

```
int __f_v (void) { return 1; }  
int __f_i (int)  { return 0; }  
void __g_v (void) { int i = __f_v(), j = __f_i(0); }
```



```
./bin/ssc sandbox/do-simple-math.ts --printIR
```

```
@0 = private constant [4 x i8] c"str\00"  
  
define i64 @main() {  
entry:  
    call void @_Z11console_logd(double 1.000000e+00)  
    call void @_Z11console_logb(i1 true)  
    call void @_Z11console_logPKc(i8* getelementptr ...)  
    ret i64 0  
}  
  
declare void @_Z11console_logd(double)  
declare void @_Z11console_logb(i1)  
declare void @_Z11console_logPKc(i8*)  
  
console_log(1.0);  
console_log(true);  
console_log("str");
```

Compiler Object/Classes

```
d8 --allow-natives-syntax
```

```
%DebugPrint({0: false, 1: true, a: "holyjs"});
```

`%DebugPrint({0: false, 1: true, a: "holyjs"});`

FixedArray[0]

"holyjs"

Named Properties

JS_OBJECT_TYPE

kind: HOLEY_ELEMENTS

elements

properties

FixedArray[17]

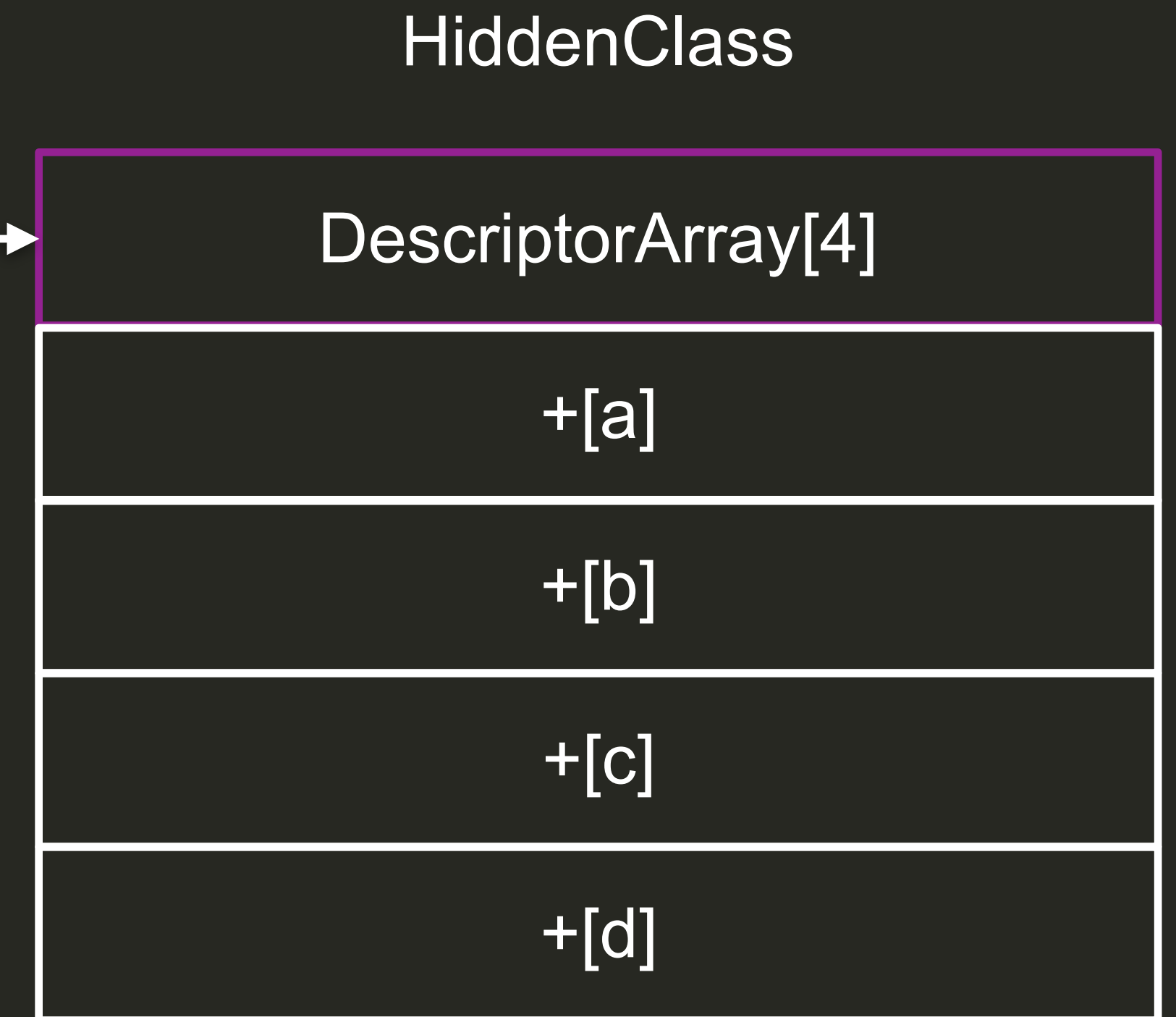
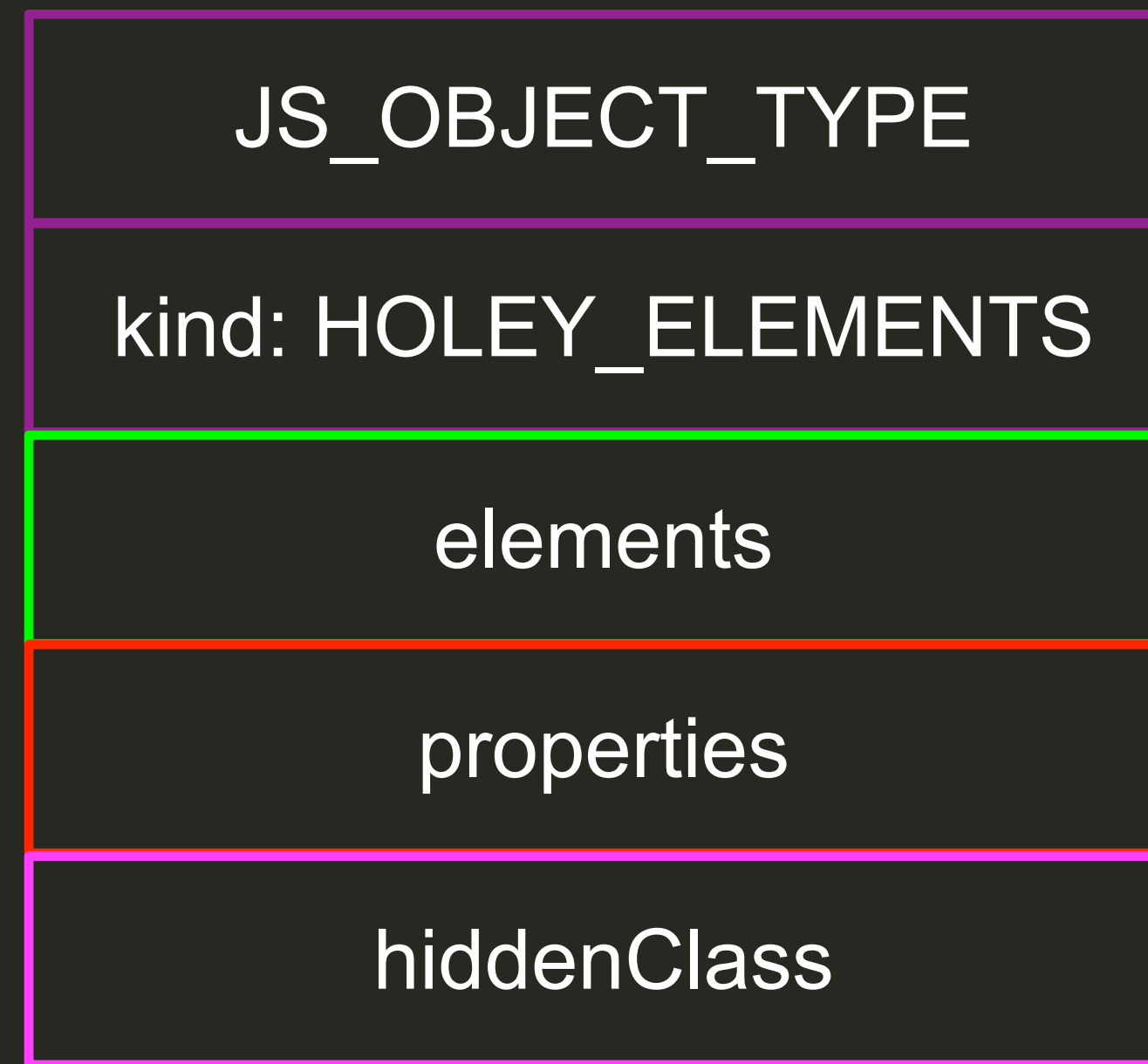
0: 0x11ea83080689 <false>

1: 0x11ea830805e1 <true>

2-16: 0x11ea83080541 <the_hole>

Indexed Properties

```
var a = {};  
  
a.a = "hello";  
a.b = "holys";  
a.c = "moscow";  
a.d = "2019";  
  
%DebugPrint(a);
```



The basic assumption about HiddenClasses is that objects with the same structure

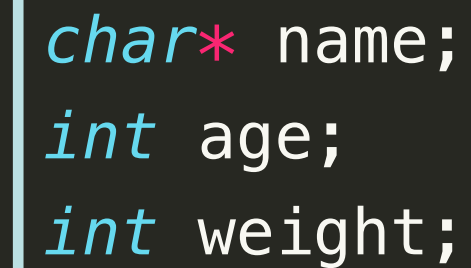
Compiler Native Classes

TypeScript Class + methods

```
class User {  
    protected name: string;  
    protected age: number;  
    protected weight: number;  
  
    constructor(name: string, age: number, weight: number) {  
        this.name = name;  
        this.age = age;  
        this.weight;  
    }  
  
    public getWeight(): number {  
        return this.weight;  
    }  
}
```

```
%struct.User = type { i8*, double, double }
```

```
struct User {  
    char* name;  
    double age;  
    double weight;  
};
```

A diagram showing a memory layout for a User struct. It consists of a white-bordered box containing three lines of code: 'char* name;', 'int age;', and 'int weight;'. This box is positioned inside a larger white-bordered box labeled 'MEMORY' at the bottom right.

```
char* name;  
int age;  
int weight;
```

MEMORY

```
User* construct_User(char *name, double age, double weight)  
{  
    // code  
}
```

```
double getWeight(User *ptr) {  
    return ptr->weight;  
}
```


Compiler

```
const struct = llvm.StructType.create(ctx.llvmContext, structName);

struct.setBody(properties.map(
  (property: ts.Symbol) => {
    const nativeType = NativeTypeResolver.getType(
      ctx.typeChecker.getTypeOfSymbolAtLocation(property, node),
      ctx
    );

    return nativeType.getType();
  }
));
```

Compiler Dynamic Type

Dynamic typing

```
{  
  let result;  
  
  if (Math.random() > 0) {  
    result = {};  
  } else {  
    result = "string";  
  }  
  
  console.log(result);  
}
```

```
let result;
```

```
let result: any
```

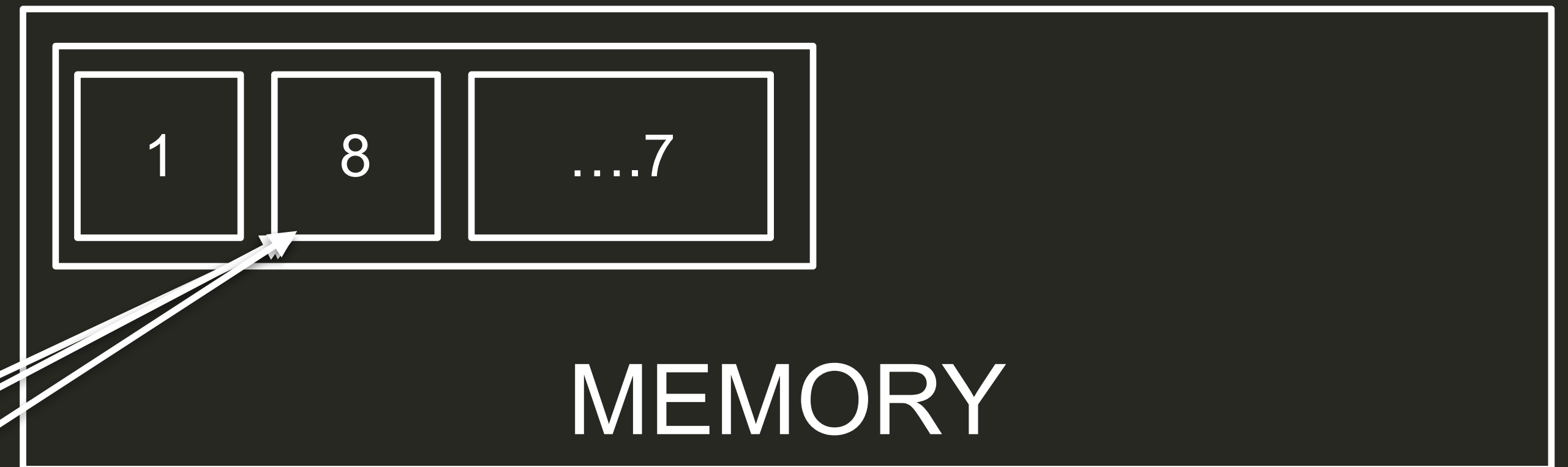
Dynamic (C++ code)

```
enum DynamicType: int8_t {  
    BOOLEAN = 1,  
    NUMBER = 2,  
    INT64 = 3,  
    UNDEFINED = 3,  
};
```

```
class Dynamic {  
private:  
    DynamicType type;  
  
    union {  
        double number;  
        bool boolean;  
        int64_t int64;  
    };  
};
```

```
enum DynamicType: int8_t {  
    BOOLEAN = 1,  
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};
```

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private:  
    DynamicType type;  
  
    union {  
        double number;  
        bool boolean;  
        int64_t int64;  
    };  
};
```



sizeof(Dynamic) = 16

V8 Tagging / Smi

```
// Smi represents integer Numbers that can be stored in 31 bits.
// Smis are immediate which means they are NOT allocated in the heap.
// The ptr_value has the following format: [31 bit signed int] 0
// For long smis it has the following format:
//      [32 bit signed int] [31 bits zero padding] 0
// Smi stands for small integer.
class Smi : public Object {
public:
    // This replaces the OBJECT_CONSTRUCTORS macro, because Smis are special
    // in that we want them to be constexprs.
    constexpr Smi() : Object() {}
    explicit constexpr Smi(Address ptr) : Object(ptr) {
#ifdef V8_CAN_HAVE_DCHECK_IN_CONSTEXPR
        DCHECK(HAS_SMI_TAG(ptr));
#endif
    }
}
```

Smi

```
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// [32 bit signed int] [31 bits zero padding] 0  
// Smi stands for small integer.
```

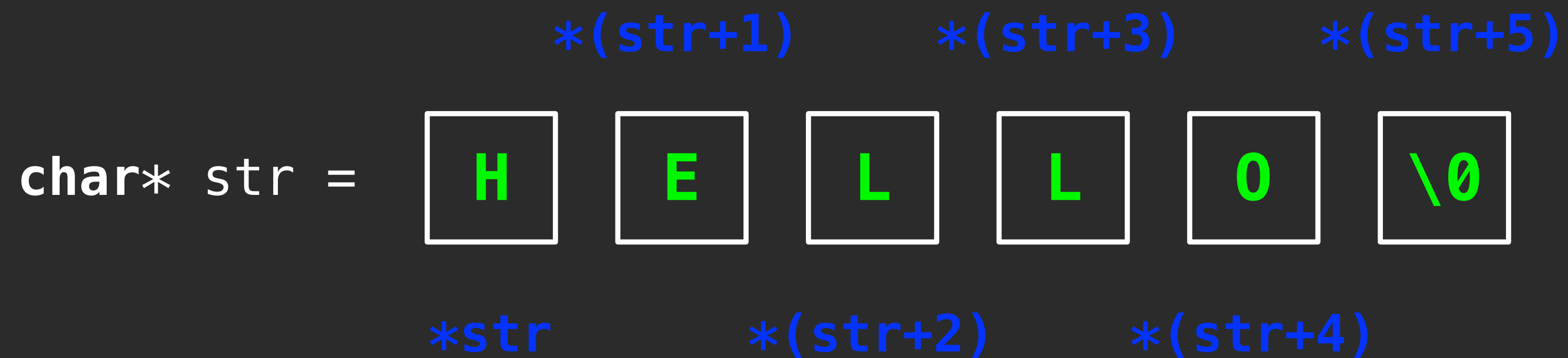
Address = uintptr_t = x64 machine = 8 byte = 64 bit

object pointer	1
31 bit signed int	0

-2^{31} to $2^{31}-1$

Compiler Array Type

Native C/C++ Arrays



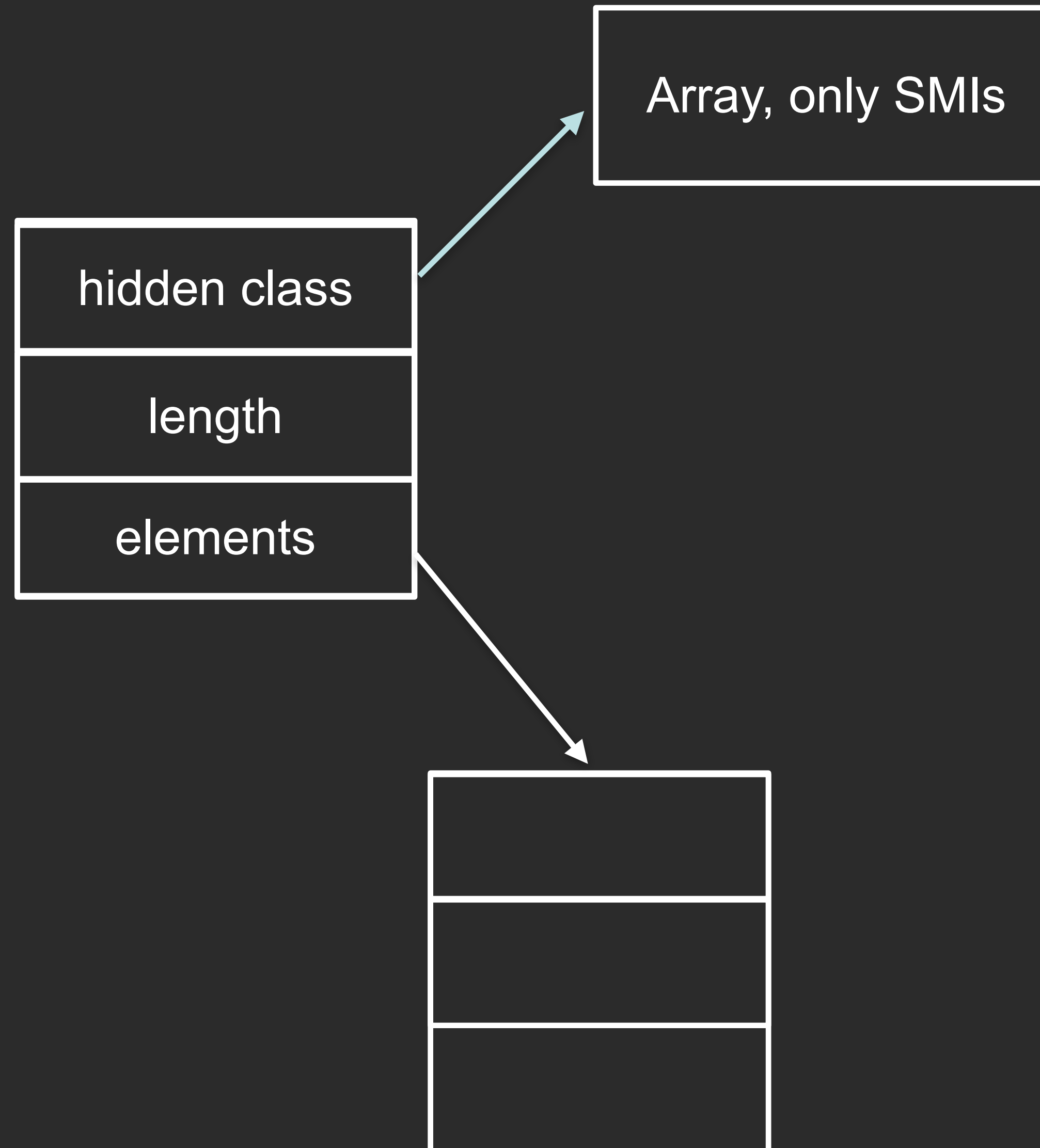
Dynamic C/C++ Arrays

```
struct Vector {  
    void* elements;  
    int32_t size;  
    int32_t capacity;  
};
```

```
this.scope.classes.set(
    'UInt8Array',
    ArrayLiteralExpressionCodeGenerator.buildTypedArrayStructLLVMType(
        llvm.Type.getInt8Ty(this.llvmContext),
        this,
        'array<uint8>'
    )
);
```

```
static buildTypedArrayStructLLVMType(elementType, ctx, name): llvm.StructType
{
    const structType = llvm.StructType.create(ctx.llvmContext, name);
    return structType.setBody([
        elementType,
        // size
        llvm.Type.getInt32Ty(ctx.llvmContext),
        // capacity
        llvm.Type.getInt32Ty(ctx.llvmContext),
    ]);
}
```

V8 Arrays



V8

```
{  
  let result = [];  
  
  for (let i = 0; i < 10000; i++) {  
    result.push(Math.random())  
  }  
}
```

64-bit floating point values = 8 byte

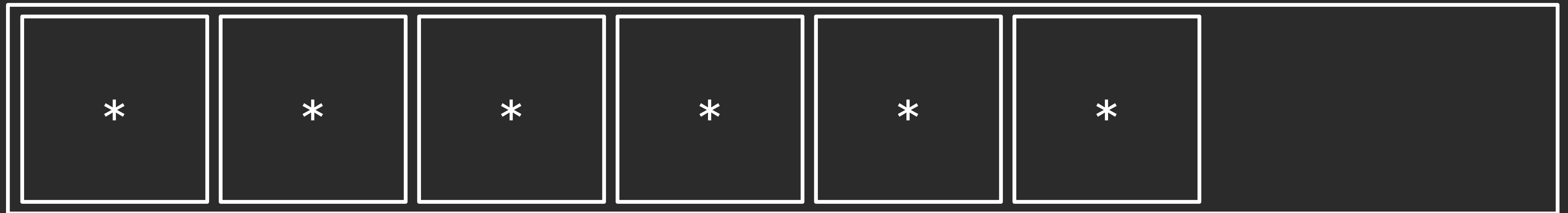
V8

```
{  
  let result = [];  
  
  for (let i = 0; i < 10000; i++) {  
    result.push(Math.random())  
  }  
  
  result.push("Hehehehe Another Type");  
}
```

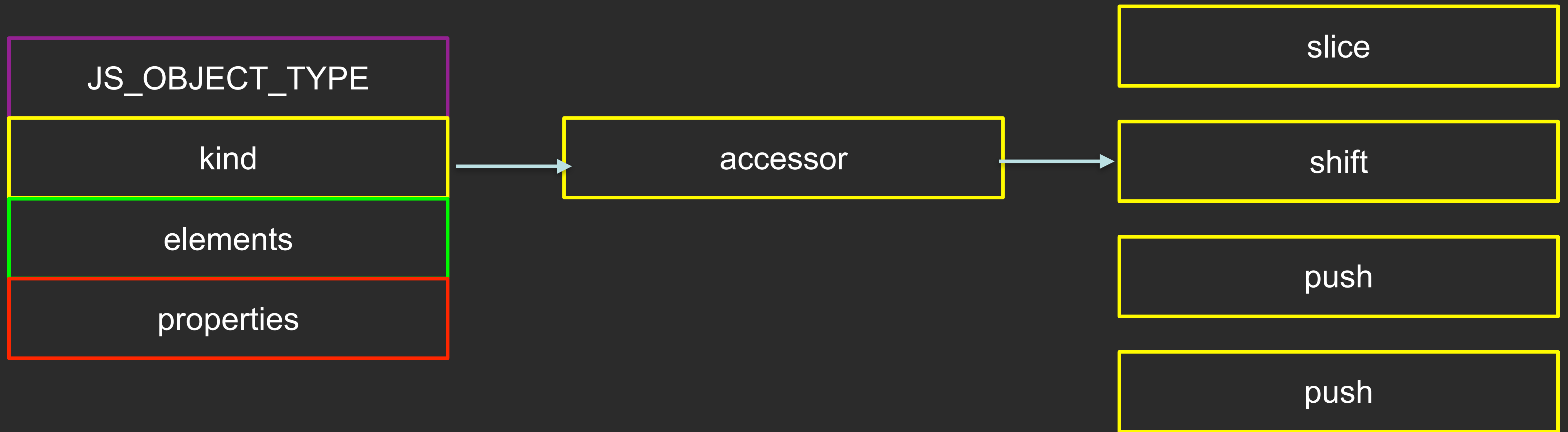
24 byte

Unaligned object & memory in array

```
{  
  let values = [true, null, "holysjs", []];  
}
```



V8 Element Kind



Compiler Branches

```
clang -S -emit-llvm main.cpp -O0
```

```
#include <cstdio>

int main() {
    auto a = 5;
    auto b = 4;

    if (a > b) {
        puts("5 > 4");
    } else {
        puts("5 < 4");
    }
}
```

```
@.str = private unnamed_addr constant [6 x i8] c"5 > 4\00", align 1
@.str.1 = private unnamed_addr constant [6 x i8] c"5 < 4\00", align 1
```

```
define i32 @main() #0 {
    %a.0 = alloca i32, align 4
    %b.0 = alloca i32, align 4
    store i32 5, i32* %a.0, align 4
    store i32 4, i32* %b.0, align 4

    %a.1 = load i32, i32* %a.0, align 4
    %b.1 = load i32, i32* %b.0, align 4
    %6 = icmp sgt i32 %a.1, %b.1
    br i1 %6, label %7, label %9

; <label>:7: ; preds = %0
    %8 = call i32 @puts(i8* @.str)
    br label %11

; <label>:9: ; preds = %0
    %10 = call i32 @puts(i8* @.str.1)
    br label %11

; <label>:11:
    ret i32 0
}
```

```
auto a = 5;
auto b = 4;
```

```
if (a > b) {
```

```
puts("5 > 4");
```

```
puts("5 < 4");
```

```
; preds = %9, %7
```

```
generate(node: ts.IfStatement, ctx: Context, builder: llvm.IRBuilder): void {
  const positiveBlock = llvm.BasicBlock.create(ctx.llvmContext, "if.true");
  ctx.scope.enclosureFunction.llvmFunction.addBasicBlock(positiveBlock);

  const negativeBlock = llvm.BasicBlock.create(ctx.llvmContext, "if.false");
  ctx.scope.enclosureFunction.llvmFunction.addBasicBlock(negativeBlock);

  const next = llvm.BasicBlock.create(ctx.llvmContext, "if.end");
  ctx.scope.enclosureFunction.llvmFunction.addBasicBlock(next);
}
```

```
generate(node: ts.IfStatement, ctx: Context, builder: llvm.IRBuilder): void {
    const positiveBlock = llvm.BasicBlock.create(ctx.llvmContext, "if.true");
    ctx.scope.enclosureFunction.llvmFunction.addBasicBlock(positiveBlock);

    const negativeBlock = llvm.BasicBlock.create(ctx.llvmContext, "if.false");
    ctx.scope.enclosureFunction.llvmFunction.addBasicBlock(negativeBlock);

    const next = llvm.BasicBlock.create(ctx.llvmContext, "if.end");
    ctx.scope.enclosureFunction.llvmFunction.addBasicBlock(next);

    emitCondition(
        node.expression,
        ctx,
        builder,
        positiveBlock,
        negativeBlock
    );
}
```

if (**expression**) {

```
export function emitCondition(  
  condition: ts.Expression,  
  ctx: Context,  
  builder: llvm.IRBuilder,  
  positiveBlock: llvm.BasicBlock,  
  negativeBlock: llvm.BasicBlock,  
) {  
  const left = buildFromExpression(condition, ctx, builder);  
  
  const conditionBoolValue = left.toBoolean(ctx, builder, condition);  
  builder.createCondBr(conditionBoolValue.getValue(), positiveBlock, negativeBlock);  
}
```

```
generate(node: ts.IfStatement, ctx: Context, builder: llvm.IRBuilder): void {
    //.. .. ..

    emitCondition(
        node.expression,
        ctx,
        builder,
        positiveBlock,
        negativeBlock
    );

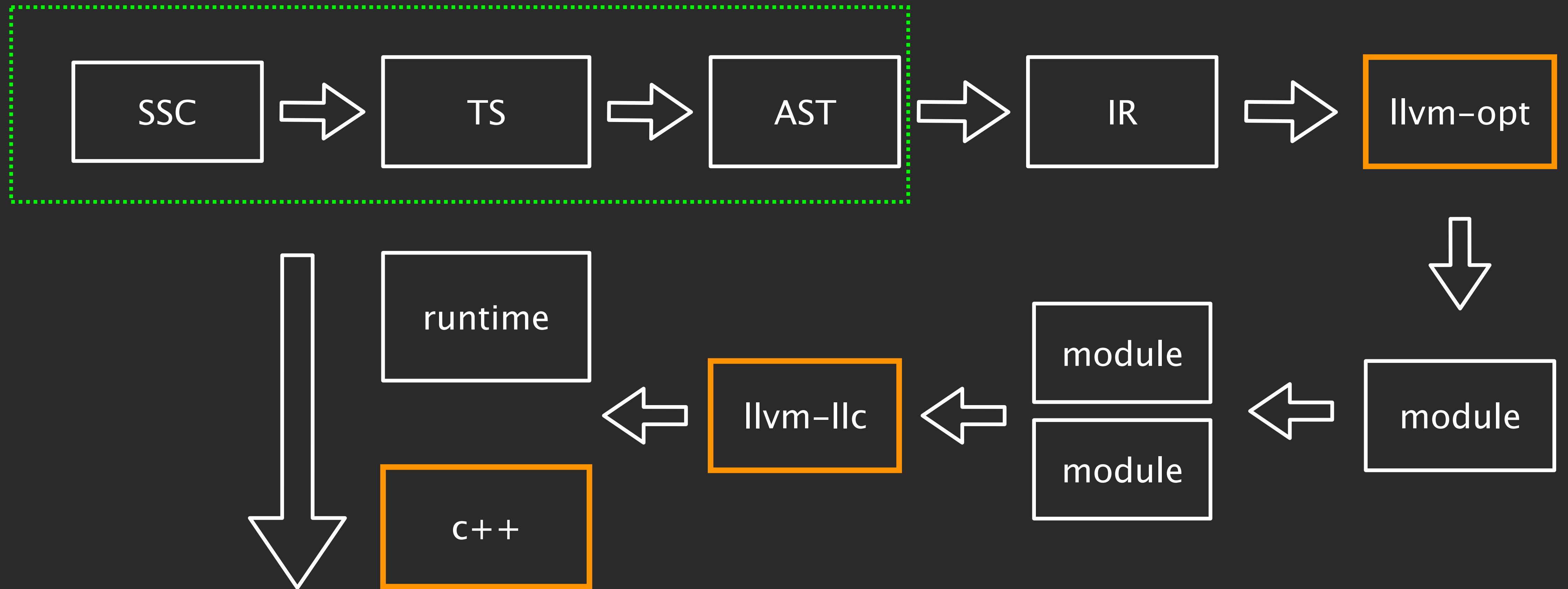
    builder.setInsertionPoint(positiveBlock);
    passNode(node.thenStatement, ctx, builder);
    builder.createBr(next);

    builder.setInsertionPoint(negativeBlock);
    passNode(node.elseStatement, ctx, builder);
    builder.createBr(next);

    builder.setInsertionPoint(next);
}
```

FRONTEND

Final Architecture



Execute

BACKEND

But what about compiler for TypeScript?

JS over dynamic typed
language with
dynamic types



Dart





Вопросы?)

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