

Homework 2 (due May 2)

This homework assignment contains small exercises for practice, getting familiar with tools, and experimenting. Submit via email.

Install Souffle and the Gigahorse decompiler (<https://github.com/nevillegrech/gigahorse-toolchain>). Familiarize yourself with the decompiler input/output and the way to run your own Datalog programs over it.

Write Datalog programs to implement the following concepts:

1) Control Flow:

- Dominates(block1, block2): there is no path from the function entry to block2 that doesn't pass through block1
- PostDominates(block1, block2): there is no path from block2 to the function exit that doesn't pass through block1
- LoopHeadBlock(block): the block is the head of a structured loop. Hint: use Dominates.
- Controls(statement, block): the statement is a check (i.e., JUMPI instruction) that decides whether the block will be executed, directly or indirectly.

2) Data Flow:

- Flows(fromVar, toVar): there is flow of information from variable fromVar to toVar. This flow can be direct assignment (hint: see relations Statement_Defines and Statement_Uses), phi assignment, indirect assignment (i.e., function call with a variable as an actual argument is an indirect assignment to the corresponding formal argument variable of the function, and similarly for return variables), as well as any combination of the above.

3) Client Analysis:

- Reentrancy(callStmt, storeStmt): Find calls (CALL instruction) that could be vulnerable to reentrancy. You should at least write code to find CALL instructions that later lead to SSTORE instructions. However, this simple analysis will be imprecise. Can you think of ways to make it more precise? (Example: a check of whether the CALL instruction is due to the translation of a Solidity “transfer” statement, i.e., is given constant 2300”0x8fc” gas and throws if the call fails.)

Demonstrate your analyses on the Solidity program(s) you wrote in the previous homework, as well as on at least one program from <https://github.com/nevillegrech/gigahorse-benchmarks> or from contract-library.com .