1DL321: Kompilatorteknik I (Compiler Design 1)

Introduction to Programming Language Design and to Compilation

Information about the Course

- Period 2
- 5 credits (4 "exam" + 1 "assignments")
- 15 lectures & 5 lessons
 - · Most likely, all of them will be done online
- · Lecturer:
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- · Course home page of previous year in studentportalen

Course Structure

- · Course covers
 - the theoretical basis of compilation, and
 - · asks you to apply these concepts in assignments
 - · however, there is no programming component
- Modern compilers are a successful combination of theory & practice!
- · Assessment:
 - Written examination = theory (4 points)
 - Written assignments = practice (1 point)
 - · A total of four of them done in pairs
 - · Exercises from the material of the lectures

Why take Compiler Design?

- Increase knowledge of common programming constructs and their properties
- · Improve understanding of program execution
- Learn about PL implementation and understand why modern PLs are the way they are
- · Increase ability to learn new languages
- · Learn new (programming) techniques
- See many basic CS concepts at work