

Computer Programming (B&E) - Spring 2018

Assignment 3

Write a program that performs following string manipulation functions:

1. **void StringConcatenate(char *str1, char *str2)**

Write a function that takes two strings i.e. str1 and str2 as inputs and appends str2 at the end of str1. For example

String 1: "Happy Birthday"

String 2: " to you !"

After StringConcatenate,

String 1: "Happy Birthday to you !"

String 2: " to you !"

Note: Do not use any extra string inside the function.

2. **Char** StringTokens(char*)**

Write a function which takes a string and returns an array of words in it. For example:

String: I am a student of CP in FAST-NU.

Function StringTokens returns:

```
I
am
a
student
of
CP
In
FAST-NU.
```

Hint: words are separated by spaces.

Note: Do not consume space of single extra character.

3. **Char** InverseStringTokens(char*)**

Write a function which takes a string and returns its words in reverse order. For example:

String: I am a student of CP in FAST-NU.

Function returns Tokens in reverse order:

```
FAST-NU.
```

```
in  
CP  
of  
student  
a  
am  
I
```

Note: Do not consume space of single extra character.

4. Void CompressString(char*)

Write a function that takes a string and if it finds more than one consecutive occurrences of a character in the string, it removes the extra occurrences. For example:

String: "a"

String after compression: "a"

String: "aaaaaaa"

String after compression: "a"

String: "bbabbbbcccddefffg"

String after Compression: "babdefg"

Note: Do not use any extra string inside the function.

5. Char* ReverseSentence(char*)

Write a function that takes a sentence and returns its inverse. For example

String: "I am Pakistani"

After calling ReverseSentence

String: "Pakistani am I" (Do not change the original string)

Important Note:

- You cannot change the function prototypes given in the questions.
- You cannot use break or goto statements. Breaks are allowed in switch cases.
- Built-in string functions are not allowed.
- Do not use new/extra strings wherever mentioned in the questions.
- Use your own string helper functions wherever you need.
- Violation of any of above instructions may result in ZERO credit or deduction of marks.

Create a main program and then test all of these functions. You must dynamically allocate and deallocate memory to all the strings in your program. There should not be any memory leakages and dangling pointers in your program. **Also you cannot use subscript operator “[]” on the character pointers or strings, offset notation is also not allowed (use pointer arithmetic instead).**

Sample Run:

Testing StringConcatenate:

String 1: “I am a student”

String 2: “ of CP in FAST-NU”

After Concatenation:

String 1: “I am a student of CP in FAST-NU”

String 2: “of CP in FAST-NU”

Testing StringTokens:

Tokens of String 1 are as follows:

I
am
a
student
of
CP
In
FAST-NU

Testing InverseStringTokens:

Tokens of the string in reverse order are as follows:

FAST-NU
in
CP
of
student
a
am
I

Testing ReverseSentence

Reverse Sentence of String1 is: “FAST-NU in CP of student a am I”

Testing CompressString
string 3: "aaabbbcccdddeeefff"

String after Compression: "abcdef"

Note: Read Strings 1, 2 and 3 from Data.txt. Strings given in Data.txt are just samples. User can give any string in file (of 80 characters at max).