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Project

Project description:

Write a C program that represents tracking the availability of cars taxis. The system keeps track of the following trip car's information: *id*, *driver*, *category*, *plate*, *color*, *rate*, *mincharge* and *state*.

The program should create a dynamic linked list that keeps track of all the taxi cars with their information.

Example of the list of information for cars taxis:

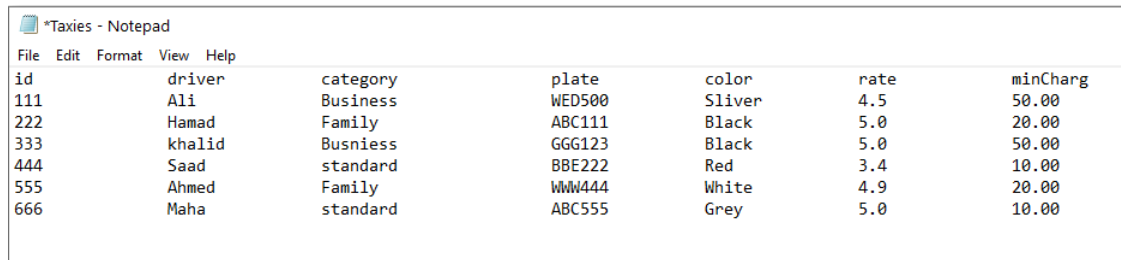
<u>id</u>	<u>driver</u>	<u>category</u>	<u>plate</u>	<u>color</u>	<u>rate</u>	<u>minCharge</u>	<u>state</u>
111	Ali	Business	WED500	Silver	4.5	50.00	R
222	Omr	Family	ABC234	Black	5.0	20.00	A

..... and so on.

The requirements:

1. Download the txt file "*Taxies.txt*" which contains the cars trip information.
2. Create a structure called: *Taxi*, that contains the following information:
 - *id*: represents the driver's id as integer.
 - *driver*: represents the name of driver (first name and last name) as string with length 20.
 - *category*: represents the category of the car as string with length 20. The category could be one of the following: "*standard*", "*Business*" or "*Family*".
 - *plate*: represents the plate number of the car as string with length 7. The format of the plate number: 3 alphabet characters and 3 digits.
 - *color*: represents the car's color as string with length 20.
 - *rate*: represents the driver's rate as float.
 - *minCharge*: represents the minimum charge of the trip car according to the car category as float.
 - *state*: represents the trip car's state as character. The state could be "*A*" which indicates the driver is available and ready for a trip, or "*R*" which indicates the driver is in a ride currently.
 - *next*: which is a self-referential structure pointer.
3. Declare a pointer: *list* of type *struct Taxi*, which points to the created linked list.
4. Implement the following functions:

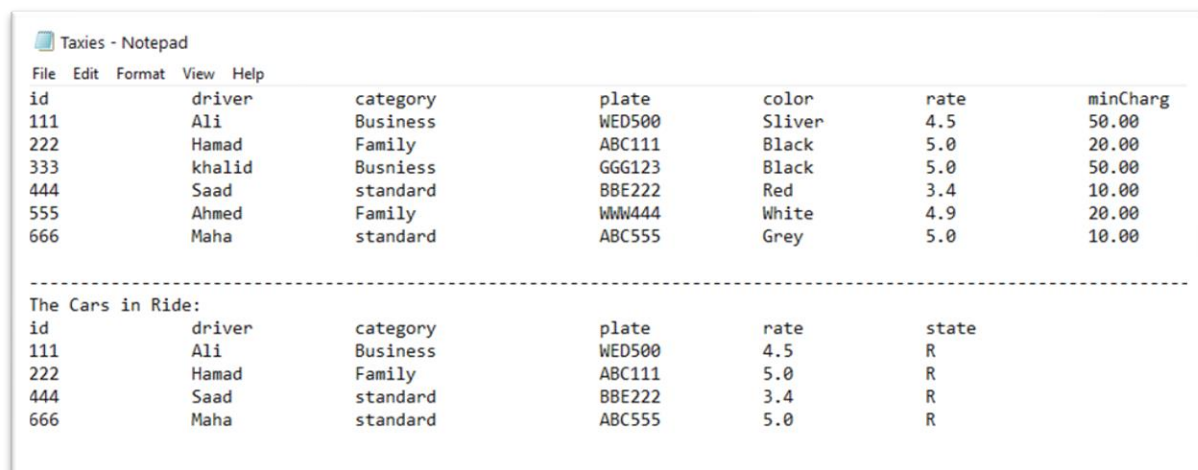
- ***void addTripCar()*** to add all trip cars information to the created linked list by reading all the content of the given text file: ***"Taxies.txt"***, where each line in the text represents a single trip car record as shown in **Figure.1**. Then, it adds the read records to the linked list. While adding trip cars to the linked list, set the variable ***state*** in each car record to 'A' to indicate that all taxis are available and ready for a trip.



id	driver	category	plate	color	rate	minCharg
111	Ali	Business	WED500	Sliver	4.5	50.00
222	Hamad	Family	ABC111	Black	5.0	20.00
333	khalid	Busniess	GGG123	Black	5.0	50.00
444	Saad	standard	BBE222	Red	3.4	10.00
555	Ahmed	Family	WWW444	White	4.9	20.00
666	Maha	standard	ABC555	Grey	5.0	10.00

Figure 1: The content of Taxies.txt

- ***void setTripCar (char* category, float* rate):*** The function searches for a specific trip car given the car's category and the driver's rate. If the car is found, then it sets the state of trip cars to ***"R"*** to indicates the car is currently in a trip.
- ***void writeCarsInRide (char* fileName):*** The function updates the file ***"Taxies.txt"*** by appending the following information of the trip cars (***id, driver, category, plate, rate and state***) which are in a trip with state ***"R"*** as shown in the **Figure 2** below.
- **Note:** follow the same format as shown in Figure 2: add the header of each column (i.e, ***id, driver, category, plate, rate and state***) and add each record in a separate line. Also add the header: ***"The trip Cars"*** and notice each column(each data in a line) separated by tabs.



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444	Saad	standard	BBE222	Red	3.4	10.00
555	Ahmed	Family	WWW444	White	4.9	20.00
666	Maha	standard	ABC555	Grey	5.0	10.00

The Cars in Ride:					
id	driver	category	plate	rate	state
111	Ali	Business	WED500	4.5	R
222	Hamad	Family	ABC111	5.0	R
444	Saad	standard	BBE222	3.4	R
666	Maha	standard	ABC555	5.0	R

Figure 2: The content of Taxies.txt after appending trip cars

- ***printList()***: The function prints on the screen the trip cars information that stored in the linked list as shown in **Figure 3**. It prints each records in a single line with their the header of each columns(***ex, id, driver, category ...***) separated by tabs (i.e, data in a line separated by tab).

5. In the main function do the following:

- Call the function ***addTripCar*** to read the content of written trip cars information.
- Call the function ***setTripCar*** with the following given shaded information:

Category	rate
Business	4.5
Family	5.0
Family	4.0
standard	3.4
standard	5.0

- Call the function ***writeCarsInRide*** to update the txt file with cars in trip.
- Call the function ***printList*** to print the cars information as early described, (i.e, after reading the initial information in the txt file and after set some cars to be in a ride) as shown in **Figure 3**.

➤ **Notes:**

- Do not create any structures other than: the ***Taxi*** structure.
- All possible validation are required that are related to dynamic memory allocation, or file.
- You have to consider all possible cases related to the creating data structure linked list.
- **Do not use the array [] brackets when dealing with pointer.** Your solution should be with pure pointer notation.
- use the same given identifier name for the functions, structures, and variables.
- Your code should be clear and neat.
- Use indentation in your code.
- Use an appropriate identifier name.
- Add any needed standard libraries you needed.
- Your program should be free of compilation errors.
- Your program should be in **one file with c or txt extension.**
- **Do not zipped your file.**
- Any violation to mentioned instruction above will affect your project grade by deducing 1 point for each violation.

➤ **The Expected Output:**

The Available Trip cars:						
111	Ali	Business	WED500	4.5	50.00	A
222	Hamad	Family	ABC111	5.0	20.00	A
333	khalid	Busniess	GGG123	5.0	50.00	A
444	Saad	standard	BBE222	3.4	10.00	A
555	Ahmed	Family	WWW444	4.9	20.00	A
666	Maha	standard	ABC555	5.0	10.00	A

The Cars in Ride:						
111	Ali	Business	WED500	4.5	50.00	R
222	Hamad	Family	ABC111	5.0	20.00	R
333	khalid	Busniess	GGG123	5.0	50.00	A
444	Saad	standard	BBE222	3.4	10.00	R
555	Ahmed	Family	WWW444	4.9	20.00	A
666	Maha	standard	ABC555	5.0	10.00	R

Figure 3: The expected output of the content of linked list on the screen