

PPWC Daily Practice

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Write C statements to carry out the following steps.

(a) If item is nonzero, then multiply product by item and save the result in product ; otherwise, skip the multiplication. In either case, print the value of product.

Logic:

1. The loop goes through each number in the list.
2. If item is non-zero, it multiplies product by the item and updates product.
3. After each iteration, it prints the current value of product, whether the multiplication occurred or not.

(b) Store the absolute difference of x and y in y , where the absolute difference is (x - y) or (y - x), whichever is positive. Do not use the abs or fabs function in your solution.

Logic:

1. The code checks if x is greater than y.
 - i. If true, it calculates $x - y$ and stores it in y.
 - ii. If false, it calculates $y - x$ and stores it in y.
2. This way, y ends up with the absolute difference between x and y without using abs or fabs.

(c) If x is 0 , add 1 to zero count. If x is negative, add x to minus sum. If x is greater than 0 , add x to plus sum.

Logic:

1. The code initializes zero_count, minus_sum, and plus_sum to store the respective values.
2. For each number x:
 - a. If x is 0, it increments zero_count.
 - b. If x is negative, it adds x to minus_sum.
 - c. If x is positive, it adds x to plus_sum.
3. Finally, it prints the results for each count and sum.