

## Assignments-1 on gdb

1. Consider the program in folder assign1

a> Compile it so that it compiles with debugging symbols [using proper option]

Ans> gcc -g a.c b.c -o prog

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a.c a.c~ b.c f.h prog
[be2303@localhost assign1]$ gcc -g a.c b.c -o prog
b.c: In function âf1â:
b.c:4:5: warning: incompatible implicit declaration of built-in function âprintfâ [enabled by default]
  printf("The numbers are : ");
  ^
[be2303@localhost assign1]$ gdb prog
GNU gdb (GDB) Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7.6.1-94.el7
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and "show warranty" for details.
This GDB was configured as "x86_64-redhat-linux-gnu".
For bug reporting instructions, please see:
<http://www.gnu.org/software/gdb/bugs/>...
Reading symbols from /home/usr/student/ug/yr23/be2303/SE/assign1/prog...done.
(gdb) 
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b> Put breakpoint to function f1.

Ans> break f1

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(gdb) break f1
Breakpoint 1 at 0x400756: file b.c, line 4.
(gdb) 
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c> Put breakpoint to line 10 of b.c

Ans> break b.c:10

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(gdb) break b.c:10
Breakpoint 2 at 0x40079e: file b.c, line 10.
(gdb) 
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d> Run the program until it finishes. Which commands are you using to take it to completion?

Ans> run , 4 (any no between 2 and 6 excluding both), continue , enter(till program is not being run)

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(gdb) run
Starting program: /home/usr/student/ug/yr23/be2303/SE/assign1/prog
Enter a number between 2 and 6 (non-inclusive):
4
You have entered 4

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=50, y=163) at b.c:4
4      printf("The numbers are : ");
Missing separate debuginfos, use: debuginfo-install glibc-2.17-157.el7_3.2.x86_64
(gdb) continue
Continuing.
The numbers are : < 50, 163>

Breakpoint 2, f2 (p=0x7fffffff2f4, q=0x7fffffff2f0) at b.c:10
10     *q = (*p) - (*q);
(gdb)
Continuing.

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=163, y=50) at b.c:4
4      printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb)
Continuing.
After operation 1 The numbers are : < 163, 50>

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=33, y=109) at b.c:4
4      printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb)
Continuing.
The numbers are : < 33, 109>

Breakpoint 2, f2 (p=0x7fffffff2f4, q=0x7fffffff2f0) at b.c:10
10     *q = (*p) - (*q);
(gdb)
Continuing.

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=109, y=33) at b.c:4
4      printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb)
Continuing.
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After operation 2 The numbers are : < 109, 33>

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=25, y=81) at b.c:4
4          printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb)
Continuing.
The numbers are : < 25, 81>

Breakpoint 2, f2 (p=0x7fffffff2f4, q=0x7fffffff2f0) at b.c:10
10         *q = (*p) - (*q);
(gdb)
Continuing.

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=81, y=25) at b.c:4
4          printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb)
Continuing.
After operation 3 The numbers are : < 81, 25>

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=20, y=65) at b.c:4
4          printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb)
Continuing.
The numbers are : < 20, 65>

Breakpoint 2, f2 (p=0x7fffffff2f4, q=0x7fffffff2f0) at b.c:10
10         *q = (*p) - (*q);
(gdb)
Continuing.

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=65, y=20) at b.c:4
4          printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb)
Continuing.
After operation 4 The numbers are : < 65, 20>
[Inferior 1 (process 4178) exited with code 04]
(gdb)
The program is not being run.

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e> How many times breakpoint “1” is hit in one run of the program ?

Ans> breakpoint 1 is hit “8” times.

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(gdb) info breakpoint 1
Num      Type      Disp Enb Address      What
1        breakpoint keep y  0x0000000000400756 in f1 at b.c:4
breakpoint already hit 8 times
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f> How many times breakpoint “2” is hit in one run of the program

Ans> breakpoint 1 is hit “4” times.

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(gdb) info breakpoint 2
Num      Type      Disp Enb Address      What
2        breakpoint keep y  0x000000000040079e in f2 at b.c:10
breakpoint already hit 4 times
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g> How you can see details about a breakpoint ?

Ans> info breakpoint <breakpoint no>

h> How you can see details about all breakpoints ?

Ans> info breakpoints

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(gdb) info breakpoints
Num      Type      Disp Enb Address      What
1        breakpoint keep y  0x0000000000400756 in f1 at b.c:4
breakpoint already hit 8 times
2        breakpoint keep y  0x000000000040079e in f2 at b.c:10
breakpoint already hit 4 times
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i> What is value of variable x in f1 when breakpoint “1” is hit for 3<sup>rd</sup> time ? How you can examine it ?

Ans> run, 4 (any number between 2 and 6), c,  
enter, enter, print x

```
(gdb) run
Starting program: /home/usr/student/ug/yr23/be2303/SE/assign1/prog
Enter a number between 2 and 6 (non-inclusive):
4
You have entered 4

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=50, y=163) at b.c:4
4      printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb) continue
Continuing.
The numbers are : < 50, 163>

Breakpoint 2, f2 (p=0x7fffffffef2f4, q=0x7fffffffef2f0) at b.c:10
10     *q = (*p) - (*q);
(gdb)
Continuing.

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=163, y=50) at b.c:4
4      printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb)
Continuing.
After operation 1 The numbers are : < 163, 50>

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=33, y=109) at b.c:4
4      printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb) print x
$1 = 33
(gdb) █
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j> Rerun the program.put a breakpoint at function  
f0. list 5 lines where it has stopped with  
breakpoint 3 for first time.

Ans> break f0, run, set listsize 5, list

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(gdb) break f0
Breakpoint 3 at 0x4005f9: file a.c, line 6.
(gdb) run
The program being debugged has been started already.
Start it from the beginning? (y or n) y
Starting program: /home/usr/student/ug/yr23/be2303/SE/assign1/prog

Breakpoint 3, f0 (p=0x7fffffffef2f8) at a.c:6
6           int x, cntr = 1;
(gdb) set listsize 5
(gdb) list
1
2       #include "f.h"
3
4       int f0(int *p)
5       {
(gdb) █

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Explore : Complete this rerun. Now see what is the change in details of breakpoints by using command used in “h”

Ans> continue, enter (till cannot run anymore), info breakpoints

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The program is not being run.
(gdb) info breakpoints
Num      Type           Disp Enb Address                What
1        breakpoint     keep y   0x0000000000400756 in f1 at b.c:4
          breakpoint already hit 8 times
2        breakpoint     keep y   0x000000000040079e in f2 at b.c:10
          breakpoint already hit 4 times
3        breakpoint     keep y   0x00000000004005f9 in f0 at a.c:6
          breakpoint already hit 1 time
(gdb) █

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