

Programming Exercise 4

Write a C program to list all files whose name matches the filter. Inputs to the program as run time arguments: directory and filename (need to support wildcard)

Example: a.out /home/Ubuntu/abc1.txt

Example: a.out /home/Ubuntu/abc*.txt

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Code:

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#include <stdio.h>

#include <stdlib.h>

#include <dirent.h>

#include <sys/types.h>

#include <string.h>

#include <stdbool.h>

bool match(const char *pattern, const char *filename) {

    if (!pattern || !filename) {

        return false;

    }

    if (!*pattern && !*filename) {

        return true;

    }

}
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    }

    if (*pattern == '*') {

        if (!*(pattern + 1)) {

            return true;

        }

        for (size_t i = 0; *(filename + i); i++) {

            if (match(pattern + 1, filename + i)) {

                return true;

            }

        }

        return false;

    }

    if (*pattern == *filename) {

        return match(pattern + 1, filename + 1);

    }

    return false;

}

int main(int argc, char *argv[]){

    DIR *dir;

    struct dirent *ent;

    char *dirpath, *pattern;

    size_t dirlen;

    if (argc < 2) {

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    fprintf(stderr, "Incorrect use", argv[0]);

    exit(EXIT_FAILURE);

}

dirpath = argv[1];

dirlen = strlen(dirpath);

if (dirpath[dirlen - 1] == '/') {

    dirpath[dirlen - 1] = '\\0';

}

if (argc > 2) {

    pattern = argv[2];

} else {

    pattern = "*";

}

if ((dir = opendir(dirpath)) != NULL) {

    while ((ent = readdir(dir)) != NULL) {

        if (ent->d_type == DT_REG && match(pattern, ent->d_name)) {

            printf("%s/%s\\n", dirpath, ent->d_name);

        }

    }

    closedir(dir);

} else {

    perror("Could not open directory");

}
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        exit(EXIT_FAILURE);

    }

    return 0;

}
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OUTPUT SCREENSHOTS

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root@DESKTOP-0L3AL2E:~/Atharva# gcc -o atv PES2UG21CS104_UNIT4.c
root@DESKTOP-0L3AL2E:~/Atharva# ./atv OS_A atv.txt
OS_A/atv.txt
root@DESKTOP-0L3AL2E:~/Atharva# ./atv OS_A atv*.txt
OS_A/atv3.txt
OS_A/atv2.txt
OS_A/atv1.txt
OS_A/atv.txt
root@DESKTOP-0L3AL2E:~/Atharva# ./atv OS_A atv?.txt
OS_A/atv3.txt
OS_A/atv2.txt
OS_A/atv1.txt
root@DESKTOP-0L3AL2E:~/Atharva#
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