

# String Pointer

## 1. Reverse a String

**Write a function void reverseString(char \*str) that takes a pointer to a string and reverses the string in place.**

```
#include <stdio.h>

#include <string.h>

void reverseString(char *str);

int main(){
    char str[] = "To be or not to be";
    printf("Original string : %s \n",str);
    reverseString(str);
    printf("Reversed string : %s \n",str);
}

void reverseString(char *str){
    int len = strlen(str);
    int start =0;
    int end =len -1;
    while(start <end){
        char temp = str[start];
        str[start] = str[end];
        str[end] = temp;
        start++;
        end--;
    }
}
```

## 2. Concatenate Two Strings

**Implement a function void concatenateStrings(char \*dest, const char \*src) that appends the source string to the destination string using pointers.**

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>

void concatenateStrings(char *dest, const char *src);

int main(){
    char dest[] = "The Power of ";
    char src[] = "Lords of Ring ";
    printf("The source string is : %s \n",src);
    printf("The destination string is : %s \n",dest);
    concatenateStrings(dest,src);
    printf("The concatenation of two strings : \n %s ",dest);
}

void concatenateStrings(char *dest, const char *src){
    strcat(dest,src);
}
```

## 3. String Length

**Create a function int stringLength(const char \*str) that calculates and returns the length of a string using pointers.**

```
#include<stdio.h>
#include <string.h>

int stringLength(const char *str);

int main(){
```

```

const char str[100];

int len =0;

printf("Enter a string ");

scanf("%s",str);

len = strlen(str);


printf("The length of a given string is %d",len);

return 0;

}

int strlen(const char *str){

    int len = strlen(str);

    return len;

}

```

#### 4. Compare Two Strings

**Write a function `int compareStrings(const char *str1, const char *str2)` that compares two strings**

**lexicographically and returns 0 if they are equal, a positive number if str1 is greater, or a negative number if str2 is greater.**

```

#include <stdio.h>

# include <string.h>

int compareStrings(const char *str1, const char *str2) ;


int main(){

    const char str1[100];

    const char str2[100];

    printf("Enter the first string: ");

    scanf("%s", str1);

    printf("Enter the second string: ");

```

```

scanf("%s", str2);

int result = compareStrings(str1, str2);
if(result == 0){
    printf("The strings are equal ");
}
else if(result > 0){
    printf("The first string is lexicographically greater.\n");
}
else {
    printf("The second string is lexicographically greater.\n");
}
return 0;
}

int compareStrings(const char *str1, const char *str2){
    int result = strcmp(str1, str2);
    return result;
}

```

## 5. Find Substring

**Implement `char* findSubstring(const char *str, const char *sub)` that returns a pointer to the first occurrence of the substring `sub` in the string `str`, or `NULL` if the substring is not found.**

```

#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>

char* findSubstring(char *str, char *sub);

int main(){
    char str[100];

```

```

char sub[100];

printf("Enter a main string \n");

fgets(str,sizeof(str),stdin); // Use fgets to read a full line (including spaces)
str[strcspn(str, "\n")] = '\0'; // Remove the newline character added by fgets

printf("Enter a sub string \n");

fgets(sub,sizeof(sub),stdin);

sub[strcspn(sub, "\n")] = '\0';

char *result = findSubstring(str,sub);

if(result != '\0'){

    printf("Substring found at position: %d \n ",result-str);

}else{

    printf("Not found \n");

}

return 0;

}

char* findSubstring( char *str, char *sub){

    return strstr(str,sub);

}

```

## 6. Replace Character in String

**Write a function void replaceChar(char \*str, char oldChar, char newChar) that replaces all occurrences of oldChar with newChar in the given string.**

```

#include <stdio.h>

#include <string.h>

void replaceChar(char *str, char oldChar, char newChar);

int main(){

    char str[100];

```

```

char oldChar,newChar;

printf("Enter a string: \n");
fgets(str,sizeof(str),stdin);
str[strcspn(str,"\n")]='\0';
printf("Enter the character to be replaced: \n");
scanf("%c", &oldChar);
getchar(); // To consume the newline character left by scanf
printf("Enter the new character: \n");
scanf("%c", &newChar);
replaceChar(str,oldChar,newChar);
printf("Updated string: \n %s \n",str);
return 0;

}

void replaceChar(char *str, char oldChar, char newChar){
    int len = strlen(str);
    for(int i = 0; i < len; i++){
        if(str[i] == oldChar){
            str[i] = newChar;
        }
    }
}

}

```

## 7. Copy String

**Create a function void copyString(char \*dest, const char \*src) that copies the content of the source string src to the destination string dest.**

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```

#include <string.h>

void copyString(char *dest, const char *src);

int main(){
    char dest[] = "World of Vampires";
    char src[] = "It will be thrilling";
    copyString(dest,src);
    printf("The copied string is : %s \n",dest);
    return 0;
}

void copyString(char *dest, const char *src){
    strcpy(dest,src);
}

```

## 8. Count Vowels in a String

**Implement int countVowels(const char \*str) that counts and returns the number of vowels in a given string.**

```

#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>

int countVowels(const char *str);

int main(){
    const char str [100];
    printf("Enter the string \n");
    scanf("%s",str);
    getchar();
    int count = countVowels(str);
    printf("Number of vowels in string is %d ",count);
}

```

```

    return 0;
}

int countVowels(const char *str){

    int count =0;

    int len = strlen(str);

    for(int i=0;i<len;i++){

        if (str[i] == 'a' || str[i] == 'e' || str[i] == 'i' || str[i] == 'o' || str[i] == 'u' || str[i] == 'A' || str[i] == 'E' ||
str[i] == 'I' || str[i] == 'O' || str[i] == 'U') {

            count++;

        }

    }

    return count;
}

```

## 9. Check Palindrome

**Write a function int isPalindrome(const char \*str) that checks if a given string is a palindrome and returns 1 if true, otherwise 0.**

```

#include <stdio.h>

#include<string.h>

int isPalindrome(const char *str);

int main(){

    const char str[] = "To be or not to be";

    printf("Enter a String \n");

    scanf("%s",str);

    printf(str);

    if(isPalindrome(str)){

```



```

        printf("\nThe string is a palindrome.\n");
    } else {
        printf("\nThe string is not a palindrome.\n");
    }

    return 0;
}

```

```

int isPalindrome(const char *str){
    int len = strlen(str);
    int start =0;
    int end =len-1;
    while(start<end){
        if(str[start] != str[end]){
            return 0;
        }
        start++;
        end--;
    }
    return 1;
}

```

## 10. Tokenize String

**Create a function void tokenizeString(char \*str, const char \*delim, void (\*processToken)(const char \*)) that tokenizes the string str using delimiters in delim, and for each token, calls processToken.**

```

#include <stdio.h>

#include <string.h>

```

```

void tokenizeString(char *str, const char *delim, void (*processToken)(const char *));
void processToken(const char *token);
int main(){
    char str[] = "Hello, witch how r u ?";
    const char *delim = " ,?";

    tokenizeString(str,delim,processToken);
    return 0;
}

void processToken(const char *token){
    printf("Process token: %s \n",token);
}

void tokenizeString(char *str, const char *delim ,void (*processToken)(const char *)){
    char *token = strtok(str,delim);
    while(token != NULL){
        processToken(token);
        token = strtok(NULL,delim);
    }
}

```

# Double Pointer

## Double Pointers

### 1. Swap Two Numbers Using Double Pointers

Write a function void swap(int \*\*a, int \*\*b) that swaps the values of two integer pointers using double pointers.

```
#include <stdio.h>

void swap(int **a, int **b);

int main(){
    int x =2,y =5;
    int *ptr1 =&x,*ptr2 =&y;
    printf("Before swapping %d %d \n",*ptr1,*ptr2);
    swap(&ptr1,&ptr2);
    printf("After swapping %d %d \n",*ptr1,*ptr2);
    return 0;
}

void swap(int **a,int **b){
    int *temp = *a;
    *a =*b;
    *b = temp;
}
```

### 2. Dynamic Memory Allocation Using Double Pointer

Implement a function void allocateArray(int \*\*arr, int size) that dynamically allocates memory for an array of integers using a double pointer.

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

void allocateArray(int **arr, int size);
```

```

int main(){
    int size =5;

    int *arr = NULL;

    allocateArray(&arr,size);


    printf("Filling and displaying the array:\n");
    for (int i = 0; i < size; i++) {
        arr[i] = i + 1; // Assign values
        printf("Array[%d] ==> %d\n", i, arr[i]);
    }
    free(arr);
    printf("Memory dellocated");
    return 0;
}

void allocateArray(int **arr, int size){
    *arr = (int *)malloc(size * sizeof(int));
}

```

### 3. Modify a String Using Double Pointer

Write a function void modifyString(char \*\*str) that takes a double pointer to a string, dynamically allocates a new string, assigns it to the pointer, and modifies the original string.

```

#include <stdio.h>

#include <stdlib.h>

#include <string.h>


void modifyString(char **str);

```

```

int main(){

    char *str = (char *)malloc(50 * sizeof(char));

    strcpy(str, "The Original string") ;

    printf(" Before modification %s \n",str);

    modifyString(&str);

    printf(" After modification %s \n",str);

    free(str);

    return 0;

}

void modifyString(char **str){

    *str = (char *) realloc(*str,50 *sizeof(char));

    strcpy(*str,"I'm modified string");

}

```

#### 4. Pointer to Pointer Example

Create a simple program that demonstrates how to use a pointer to a pointer to access and modify the value of an integer.

```

#include <stdio.h>

int main(){

    int x =10,y=50;

    int *ptr = &x;

    int **ptr2 = &ptr;

    printf("Before modification %d \n",**ptr2);

    *ptr2 =&y;

    printf("After modification %d \n",**ptr2);

}

```

## 5. 2D Array Using Double Pointer

Write a function `int** create2DArray(int rows, int cols)` that dynamically allocates memory for a 2D array of integers using a double pointer and returns the pointer to the array.

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
#include <stdlib.h>
```

```
int** create2DArray(int rows, int cols);
```

```
void free2DArray(int** array, int rows);
```

```
int main() {
```

```
    int rows, cols;
```

```
    // Input dimensions
```

```
    printf("Enter the number of rows: ");
```

```
    scanf("%d", &rows);
```

```
    printf("Enter the number of columns: ");
```

```
    scanf("%d", &cols);
```

```
    // Create a 2D array
```

```
    int** array = create2DArray(rows, cols);
```

```
    // Fill the array with values
```

```
    printf("Enter elements for the 2D array:\n");
```

```
    for (int i = 0; i < rows; i++) {
```

```
        for (int j = 0; j < cols; j++) {
```

```
            printf("Element at (%d, %d): ", i, j);
```

```
            scanf("%d", &array[i][j]);
```

```
        }
```

```

    }

    // Print the 2D array
    printf("The 2D array is:\n");
    for (int i = 0; i < rows; i++) {
        for (int j = 0; j < cols; j++) {
            printf("%d ", array[i][j]);
        }
        printf("\n");
    }

    // Free the allocated memory
    free2DArray(array, rows);

    return 0;
}

int** create2DArray(int rows, int cols) {
    // Allocate memory for row pointers
    int** array = (int**)malloc(rows * sizeof(int*));

    // Allocate memory for each row
    for (int i = 0; i < rows; i++) {
        array[i] = (int*)malloc(cols * sizeof(int));
        if (array[i] == NULL) {
            printf("Memory allocation failed for columns.\n");
            exit(1);
        }
    }

    return array;
}

```

```

void free2DArray(int** array, int rows) {
    for (int i = 0; i < rows; i++) {
        free(array[i]);
    }
    free(array);

    printf("Memory deallocated.\n");
}

```

## 6. Freeing 2D Array Using Double Pointer

Implement a function `void free2DArray(int **arr, int rows)` that deallocates the memory allocated for a 2D array using a double pointer.

```

#include <stdio.h>

#include <stdlib.h>

void free2DArray(int **arr, int rows);

int main() {
    int rows = 3, cols = 4;

    // Dynamically allocate memory for a 2D array
    int **arr = (int **)malloc(rows * sizeof(int *));
    for (int i = 0; i < rows; i++) {
        arr[i] = (int *)malloc(cols * sizeof(int));
    }

    // Fill the array with values
    for (int i = 0; i < rows; i++) {
        for (int j = 0; j < cols; j++) {

```



```

        arr[i][j] = (i + 1) * (j + 1);
    }
}

// Print the 2D array
printf("2D Array:\n");
for (int i = 0; i < rows; i++) {
    for (int j = 0; j < cols; j++) {
        printf("%d ", arr[i][j]);
    }
    printf("\n");
}

// Free the allocated memory
free2DArray(arr, rows);

return 0;
}

void free2DArray(int **arr, int rows) {
    for (int i = 0; i < rows; i++) {
        free(arr[i]);
    }

    free(arr);

    printf("Memory deallocated.\n");
}

```

## 7. Pass a Double Pointer to a Function

**Write a function void setPointer(int \*\*ptr) that sets the pointer passed to it to point to a dynamically allocated integer.**

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
#include <stdlib.h>
```

```
void setPointer(int **ptr);
```

```
int main() {
```

```
    int *p = NULL;
```

```
    setPointer(&p);
```

```
    *p = 42; // Set the dynamically allocated value
```

```
    printf("Value in dynamically allocated memory: %d\n", *p);
```

```
    free(p); // Free the memory
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

```
void setPointer(int **ptr) {
```

```
    *ptr = (int *)malloc(sizeof(int)); // Allocate memory for an integer
```

```
    if (*ptr == NULL) {
```

```
        printf("Memory allocation failed.\n");
```

```
        exit(1);
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

## **8. Dynamic Array of Strings**

**Create a function void allocateStringArray(char \*\*\*arr, int n) that dynamically allocates memory for an array of n strings using a double pointer.**

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```

#include <stdlib.h>

#include <string.h>

void allocateStringArray(char ***arr, int n);

int main() {
    char **stringArray;

    int n = 3;

    allocateStringArray(&stringArray, n);

    // Assign and print strings
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        snprintf(stringArray[i], 50, "String %d", i + 1); // Assign a string
        printf("String %d: %s\n", i + 1, stringArray[i]);
    }

    // Free memory
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        free(stringArray[i]);
    }
    free(stringArray);

    return 0;
}

void allocateStringArray(char ***arr, int n) {
    *arr = (char **)malloc(n * sizeof(char *));

    if (*arr == NULL) {
        printf("Memory allocation for array failed.\n");
        exit(1);
    }
}

```

```

    }

    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        (*arr)[i] = (char *)malloc(50 * sizeof(char)); // Allocate space for each string
        if ((*arr)[i] == NULL) {
            printf("Memory allocation for string %d failed.\n", i);
            exit(1);
        }
    }
}
}

```

## 9. String Array Manipulation Using Double Pointer

Implement a function `void modifyStringArray(char **arr, int n)` that modifies each string in an array of strings using a double pointer.

```

#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>

```

```

void modifyStringArray(char **arr, int n);

```

```

int main() {
    int n = 3;
    char **stringArray = (char **)malloc(n * sizeof(char *));

    // Allocate and initialize strings
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        stringArray[i] = (char *)malloc(50 * sizeof(char));
        snprintf(stringArray[i], 50, "Original String %d", i + 1);
    }
}

```

```

    }

    printf("Before modification:\n");
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        printf("%s\n", stringArray[i]);
    }

    modifyStringArray(stringArray, n);

    printf("\nAfter modification:\n");
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        printf("%s\n", stringArray[i]);
    }

    // Free memory
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        free(stringArray[i]);
    }
    free(stringArray);

    return 0;
}

void modifyStringArray(char **arr, int n) {
    for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
        snprintf(arr[i], 50, "Modified String %d", i + 1); // Modify each string
    }
}

```

# Function Pointer

## Function Pointers

### 1. Basic Function Pointer Declaration

Write a program that declares a function pointer for a function `int add(int, int)` and uses it to call the function and print the result.

```
#include <stdio.h>

int add(int a,int b);

int main(){
    int (*funptr)(int,int);
    funptr = &add;
    int res = funptr(15,20);
    printf("Addition ==> %d",res);
}

int add(int a,int b){
    return a+b;
}
```

### 2. Function Pointer as Argument

Implement a function `void performOperation(int (*operation)(int, int), int a, int b)` that takes a function pointer as an argument and applies it to two integers, printing the result.

```
#include<stdio.h>

void performOperation(int (*operation)(int, int), int a, int b);

int add(int a, int b) {
    return a + b;
}

int multiply(int a, int b) {
    return a * b;
}
```

```
}
```

```
int main(){
    int a =10,b=20;
    performOperation(add,a,b);
    performOperation(multiply,a,b);
    return 0;
}

void performOperation(int (*operation)(int, int), int a, int b){
    int result = operation(a,b);
    printf("The result of the operation is: %d\n", result);
}

}
```

### 3. Function Pointer Returning Pointer

Write a program with a function `int* max(int *a, int *b)` that returns a pointer to the larger of two integers, and use a function pointer to call this function.

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
int* max(int *a, int *b);
```

```
int main(){
    int a=10,b=20;
    int* (*funptr)(int*,int *) =max;
    int *result = funptr(&a,&b);
    printf("The maximum is %d",*result);
    return 0;
}
```

```

}
int* max(int *a, int *b){
    if(*a>*b){
        return a;
    }
    return b;
}

```

#### 4. Function Pointer with Different Functions

Create a program that defines two functions `int add(int, int)` and `int multiply(int, int)` and uses a function pointer to dynamically switch between these functions based on user input.

```

#include <stdio.h>

int add(int ,int);
int multiply(int,int);

int main(){
    int choice,a,b,result;
    int (*ptr)(int,int);
    printf("Enter two numbers: ");
    scanf("%d %d", &a, &b);
    printf("Choose an operation:\n");
    printf("1. Addition\n");
    printf("2. Multiplication\n");
    printf("Enter your choice (1/2): ");
    scanf("%d", &choice);
    if(choice ==1){
        ptr = add;
    }
}

```



```

    }else if(choice ==2){
        ptr =multiply;
    }
    else{
        printf("Invalid choice");
    }
    result = ptr(a,b);

    if(choice ==1){
        printf("The result of addition is: %d\n", result);
    }
    else if (choice == 2) {
        printf("The result of multiplication is: %d\n", result);
    }
    return 0;

}

int add(int a, int b) {
    return a + b;
}

int multiply(int a, int b) {
    return a * b;
}

```

## 5. Array of Function Pointers

Implement a program that creates an array of function pointers for basic arithmetic operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication, division) and allows the user to select and execute one operation.

```
#include <stdio.h>

int add(int a, int b);
int subtract(int a, int b);
int multiply(int a, int b);
int divide(int a, int b);

int main() {
    int (*operations[])(int, int) = {add, subtract, multiply, divide};
    int choice, num1, num2, result;

    printf("Enter two numbers: ");
    scanf("%d %d", &num1, &num2);

    printf("Choose an operation:\n");
    printf("0. Addition\n");
    printf("1. Subtraction\n");
    printf("2. Multiplication\n");
    printf("3. Division\n");
    printf("Enter your choice (0-3): ");
    scanf("%d", &choice);
    if (choice < 0 || choice > 3) {
        printf("Invalid choice!\n");
        return 1;
    }

    if (choice == 3 && num2 == 0) {
        printf("Error: Division by zero is not allowed.\n");
        return 1;
    }
}
```

```
}
```

```
result = operations[choice](num1, num2);
```

```
switch (choice) {
```

```
    case 0:
```

```
        printf("The result of addition is: %d\n", result);
```

```
        break;
```

```
    case 1:
```

```
        printf("The result of subtraction is: %d\n", result);
```

```
        break;
```

```
    case 2:
```

```
        printf("The result of multiplication is: %d\n", result);
```

```
        break;
```

```
    case 3:
```

```
        printf("The result of division is: %d\n", result);
```

```
        break;
```

```
}
```

```
return 0;
```

```
}
```

```
int add(int a, int b) {
```

```
    return a + b;
```

```
}
```

```
int subtract(int a, int b) {
```

```
    return a - b;
```

```
}
```

```
int multiply(int a, int b) {  
    return a * b;  
}
```

```
int divide(int a, int b) {  
    return a / b;  
}
```

## 6. Using Function Pointers for Sorting

Write a function void sort(int \*arr, int size, int (\*compare)(int, int)) that uses a function pointer to compare elements, allowing for both ascending and descending order sorting.

```
#include <stdio.h>  
  
void sort(int *arr, int size, int (*compare)(int, int));  
int ascending(int a, int b);  
int descending(int a, int b);  
void printArray(int *arr, int size);  
  
int main(){  
    int arr[] = {8,5,6,2,1,7,4};  
    int size = sizeof(arr)/sizeof(arr[0]);  
    printf("Sorting in ascending order:\n");  
    sort(arr, size, ascending);  
    printArray(arr, size);  
    printf("\nSorting in descending order:\n");  
    sort(arr, size, descending);  
    printArray(arr, size);  
  
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

```
void sort(int *arr, int size, int (*compare)(int, int)){
```

```
    for (int i = 0; i < size - 1; i++) {
```

```
        for (int j = i + 1; j < size; j++) {
```

```
            if (compare(arr[i], arr[j]) > 0) {
```

```
                // Swap arr[i] and arr[j]
```

```
                int temp = arr[i];
```

```
                arr[i] = arr[j];
```

```
                arr[j] = temp;
```

```
            }
```

```
        }
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

```
int ascending(int a, int b) {
```

```
    return a - b;    // Negative if a < b, 0 if a == b, positive if a > b
```

```
}
```

```
int descending(int a, int b) {
```

```
    return b - a;    // Negative if a > b, 0 if a == b, positive if a < b
```

```
}
```

```
void printArray(int *arr, int size) {
```

```
    for (int i = 0; i < size; i++) {
```

```
        printf("%d ", arr[i]);
```

```
    }
```

```
    printf("\n");
```

```
}
```

## 7. Callback Function

Create a program with a function `void execute(int x, int (*callback)(int))` that applies a callback function to an integer and prints the result. Demonstrate with multiple callback functions (e.g., square, cube).

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
void execute(int x, int (*callback)(int));
```

```
int square(int x);
```

```
int cube(int x);
```

```
int main() {
```

```
    int number = 5;
```

```
    printf("Square of %d: ", number);
```

```
    execute(number, square);
```

```
    printf("Cube of %d: ", number);
```

```
    execute(number, cube);
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

```
// Function to execute callback
```

```
void execute(int x, int (*callback)(int)) {
```

```
    printf("%d\n", callback(x));
```

```
}
```

```
// Function to calculate square
```

```
int square(int x) {  
    return x * x;  
}
```

// Function to calculate cube

```
int cube(int x) {  
    return x * x * x;  
}
```

## 8. Menu System Using Function Pointers

Implement a simple menu system where each menu option corresponds to a different function, and a function pointer array is used to call the selected function based on user input.

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

// Function declarations

```
void option1();
```

```
void option2();
```

```
void option3();
```

```
void option4();
```

```
int main() {
```

```
    // Array of function pointers
```

```
    void (*menu[4])() = {option1, option2, option3, option4};
```

```
    int choice;
```

```
    printf("Menu:\n");
```

```
    printf("1. Option 1\n");
```

```
    printf("2. Option 2\n");
```

```
printf("3. Option 3\n");
printf("4. Option 4\n");
printf("Enter your choice: ");
scanf("%d", &choice);

// Check if the choice is valid and call the respective function
if (choice >= 1 && choice <= 4) {
    menu[choice - 1]();
} else {
    printf("Invalid choice!\n");
}

return 0;
}

// Functions corresponding to each menu option
void option1() {
    printf("You selected Option 1\n");
}

void option2() {
    printf("You selected Option 2\n");
}

void option3() {
    printf("You selected Option 3\n");
}

void option4() {
```



```
printf("You selected Option 4\n");  
}
```

## 9. Dynamic Function Selection

Write a program where the user inputs an operation symbol (+, -, \*, /) and the program uses a function pointer to call the corresponding function.

```
#include <stdio.h>  
  
// Function declarations for operations  
int add(int a, int b);  
int subtract(int a, int b);  
int multiply(int a, int b);  
int divide(int a, int b);  
  
int main() {  
    int a, b;  
    char operator;  
  
    printf("Enter first number: ");  
    scanf("%d", &a);  
    printf("Enter second number: ");  
    scanf("%d", &b);  
    printf("Enter operator (+, -, *, /): ");  
    getchar(); // To consume newline character left by previous input  
    scanf("%c", &operator);  
  
    // Array of function pointers for operations  
    int (*operation)(int, int);
```

```

// Select the appropriate operation based on the operator
switch(operator) {
    case '+':
        operation = add;
        break;
    case '-':
        operation = subtract;
        break;
    case '*':
        operation = multiply;
        break;
    case '/':
        operation = divide;
        break;
    default:
        printf("Invalid operator!\n");
        return 1;
}

// Call the selected operation
int result = operation(a, b);
printf("Result: %d\n", result);

return 0;
}

// Functions for basic arithmetic operations
int add(int a, int b) {

```

```
    return a + b;
}
```

```
int subtract(int a, int b) {
    return a - b;
}
```

```
int multiply(int a, int b) {
    return a * b;
}
```

```
int divide(int a, int b) {
    if (b != 0) {
        return a / b;
    } else {
        printf("Error! Division by zero.\n");
        return 0;
    }
}
```

## 10. State Machine with Function Pointers

Design a simple state machine where each state is represented by a function, and transitions are handled using function pointers. For example, implement a traffic light system with states like Red, Green, and Yellow.

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
// State function declarations
```

```
void red();
```

```

void green();
void yellow();

// Function pointer declaration for state transitions
void (*state)();

int main() {
    // Initial state is Red
    state = red;

    // Run the state machine in a loop
    for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
        state(); // Call the current state function

        // Transition to the next state
        if (state == red) {
            state = green;
        } else if (state == green) {
            state = yellow;
        } else if (state == yellow) {
            state = red;
        }
    }

    return 0;
}

// Function for Red state
void red() {

```

```
    printf("Red light - Stop\n");  
}  
  
// Function for Green state  
void green() {  
    printf("Green light - Go\n");  
}  
  
// Function for Yellow state  
void yellow() {  
    printf("Yellow light - Caution\n");  
}
```