

CS 214 Recitation(Sec. 6)

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Topics

- Basic LINUX & shell commands
- C data types (arrays, unions, enums)

Basic LINUX & shell commands

- In LINUX, the shell is called BASH
- Need to notice about BASH:
 - Case Sensitivity (commands & filenames) PWD ≠ pwd
 - Directory separator is “/” - forward-slash such as /usr/src/linux
 - Filename not need to be “filename.txt” style filename.xxx.xxx.txt is OK

Command Sheets

- For Beginners:

<https://diyhacking.com/linux-commands-for-beginners/>

- Linux Bash Shell Cheat Sheet - Learn Code the Hard Way:

https://learncodethehardway.org/unix/bash_cheat_sheet.pdf

C data types

Array

- `char c[10] = {'0','1','2','3','4'}`; what are the values of the other 5 elements?
- `int a[10] = {0}`; `int a[] = {1,2,3,4,5}`; how many elements are in array `a`?
- `char s[5] = {'h','i'}`; `char *str = s`; Is a pointer to the address of first element of array `s`?
- use **malloc** to allocate a consecutive block of memory of the specified number of bytes:
- **`char *str = (char*)malloc(100*sizeof(char));`**
- use **free** to release the specified block of memory back to the system
`free(str);`

Unions

- A union is a special data type available in C that allows to store different data types in the same memory location.

- union Data {

int i;

float f;

char str[10];

}data;

Example-what's the output

- `#include<stdio.h>`

```
union {  
    int i;  
    char x[2];  
}a;
```

```
int main(void)  
{  
    a.x[0] = 10;  
    a.x[1] = 1;  
    printf("%d\n",a.i);  
    return 0;  
}
```

Example Answer-266

The int in the Union takes 4 bytes, char x[2] takes 2 bytes. So the Union takes 4 bytes.

The four bytes is byte3, byte2, byte1, byte0. Then $a.x[0] = 10$ denotes byte0(0xa), $a.x[0] = 1$ denotes byte1(0x1)

So in hex, it would be 0x0000010a, which is 266.

enums- enumerated type

- `enum Weekday {sun,mon,tue,wed,thu,fri,sat};`
`enum Weekday workday, weekend; //sun=0, mon=1, ..., sat=6`
`printf("%d",sun); // output is 0`
- we can manually specify the value of enum elements:
`enum Weekday {sun=7, mon=1, tue, wed, thu, fri, sat};`
- since each element has a integer value, we can use it to compare with other values eg. `if (tue==mon)` or `if(fri>tue)`

Solution to the HW

```
#include<stdio.h>
int main()
{
    for (int i = 1; i <10; i = i+1)
        {
            for(int j = 0; j <1; j = j + 1)
                {
                    printf('*');
                }
            printf("\n");
        }
    return 0;
}
```

HW2 Assignment

0. What's wrong with this

`#define line? #define N 10;`

1. Suppose you defined the macro

`#define SIX 2*3`

Then, suppose you used it in another expression:

`int x = 12 / SIX;`

What value would x be set to?

Write your own version of atoi

Take a char, inspect its int value and return its corresponding int value

e.g.

```
int test = my_atoi('5');
if( test == 5 )
{
    return 0;
}
else
{
    return -1;
}
```

Next, take a string of any length, scan its chars until you hit the '\0' and return the entire string's int value

e.g.

```
int test = my_atoi("512");
if( test == 512 )
{
    return 0;
}
else
{
    return -1;
}
```