CS1010E: Programming Methodology

Tutorial 04: Repetition

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1. Discussion Questions

(a) [Efficiency] What is the final value of `time` in the code fragment below? Can you give them in terms of `n`?

i.
```
int n = 10, i, ans = 0;
for(i=0; i<n; i++) ans++;
```
i. _____

ii.
```
int n = 10, i, ans = 0;
for(i=1; i<=n; i++) ans++;
```
ii. _____

iii.
```
int n = 10, i, j, ans = 0;
for(i=0; i<n; i++)
  for(j=0; j<n; j++)
    ans++;
```
iii. _____

iv.
```
int n = 10, i, j, ans = 0;
for(i=0; i<n; i++)
  for(j=i; j<n; j++)
    ans++;
```
iv. _____

v.
```
int n = 16, i, ans = 0;
for(i=n; i>=0; i/=2)
  ans++;
```
v. _____

vi.
```
int n = 10, i, j, ans = 0;
for(i=0, j=0; i<n; i++, j++)
  ans += j;
```
vi. _____

2. Program Analysis

(a) [Bad Practice] What is/are the output of *badly written* code fragments below?

i.
```
int n = 10, i, j, ans = 0;
for(i=0; i<n; i++)
  ans++;
  for(j=0; j<n; j++)
    ans++;
printf("%d", ans);
```
i. _____

ii.
```
int n = 10, ans = 0;
while(n-->0) ans++;
printf("%d", ans);
```
ii. _____

(b) [Complex Loop Reasoning] What is/are the output of code fragments below?

i.
```
int c = 1, ans = 100;
while(c != 0) {
  if(ans > 100) {
    ans -= 10; c--;
  } else {
    ans += 11; c++;
  }
} printf("%d", ans);
```
i. _____

ii.
```
int ans = 9999, g = 75, m = 65537;
while(ans)
  ans = g * ans % m;
printf("%d", ans);
```
ii. _____

(c) [Abstraction] What is/are the output of the code fragment below for `n = 5` and `n = 1000`?

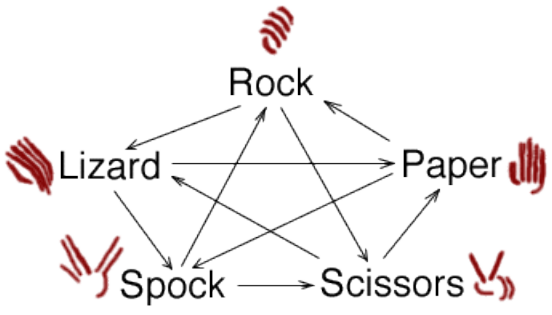
i.
```
int i, j, ans = 0;
for(i=0; i<n; i++)
  for(j=0; j<2*n-1; j++)
    if(i >= n-1-j && i >= j+1-n && i <= n-1) ans++;
printf("%d", ans);
```
i. _____

ii.
```
int i, j, ans = 0;
for(i=1; i<=n; i++)
  for(j=1; j<=n; j++)
    if(i*j%2) ans++;
printf("%d", ans);
```
ii. _____

iii.
```
int i, j, ans = 0;
for(i=2; i<=n; i++) {
  for(j=2; j<i; j++)
    if(i%j == 0) break;
  if(j==i) ans++;
} printf("%d", ans);
```
iii. _____

3. Designing a Solution

(a) [Computation; Standard Input] The game of Rock Paper Scissors Spock Lizard (RPSSL) is an attempt at improving Rock Paper Scissors (RPS) from Sam Kass and Karen Bryla by reducing the probability of a draw. RPSSL is played by two people, each choosing one shape of hand according to Diagram 1. Unlike normal RPS, our game is played for an *undetermined* number of rounds.



Scissors cuts Paper covers Rock crushes Lizard poisons Spock smashes Scissors decapitates Lizard eats Paper disproves Spock vaporizes Rock crushes Scissors.

Representations:
- **Rock = 0**
- **Paper = 1**
- **Scissors = 2**
- **Spock = 3**
- **Lizard = 4**

Diagram 1: Rock Paper Scissors Spock Lizard game description and representation modified from http://www.samkass.com/theories/RPSSL.html.

Since the number of rounds is undetermined, your job is to keep on reading from user input (i.e. *standard input*), all the input to the games *until there are no more inputs*. Every line in the input consist of **two (2) integer** numbers representing the shape of hand of player 1 (P1) and player 2 (P2). The numbers on each line are separated by a single [**space**].

For instance, the following sequence:
– `0 1` (P1 plays Rock & P2 plays Paper [P2 wins])
– `4 3` (P1 plays Lizard & P2 plays Spock [P1 wins])
– `2 2` (P1 plays Scissors & P2 plays Scissors [draw])
ends in a draw since both players accumulated 1 win each.

Your job is to write a program such that given an *undetermined* number of rounds, read all the shape of hands in the given round *until there are no more inputs*, and determine the winner of the game. You can check the correctness of your program in CodeCrunch. Write your program below (*hint: what value does* `val` *get from* `val = scanf(...);` *?*):

```
int main() {
  int P1_shape, P2_shape, P1_wins = 0, P2_wins = 0;
  /* Your Solution Here */
  if(P1_wins == P2_wins) printf("draw\n");
  if(P1_wins  > P2_wins) printf("P1 wins\n");
  if(P1_wins  < P2_wins) printf("P2 wins\n");
  return 0;
}
```

(b) [Simulation; Past Question (*modified from 15/16 Sem 2 Assessed Lab 2*)] The New Earth Calendar is an experimental type calendar proposed by James A. Reich that consists of 13 months with 28 days in each month. Thus, a year in New Earth Calendar has 364 days. The shape of the calendar is shown in Diagram 2. Note how every 1^{st} day of the month is always Monday and there is a middle month called Luna added.

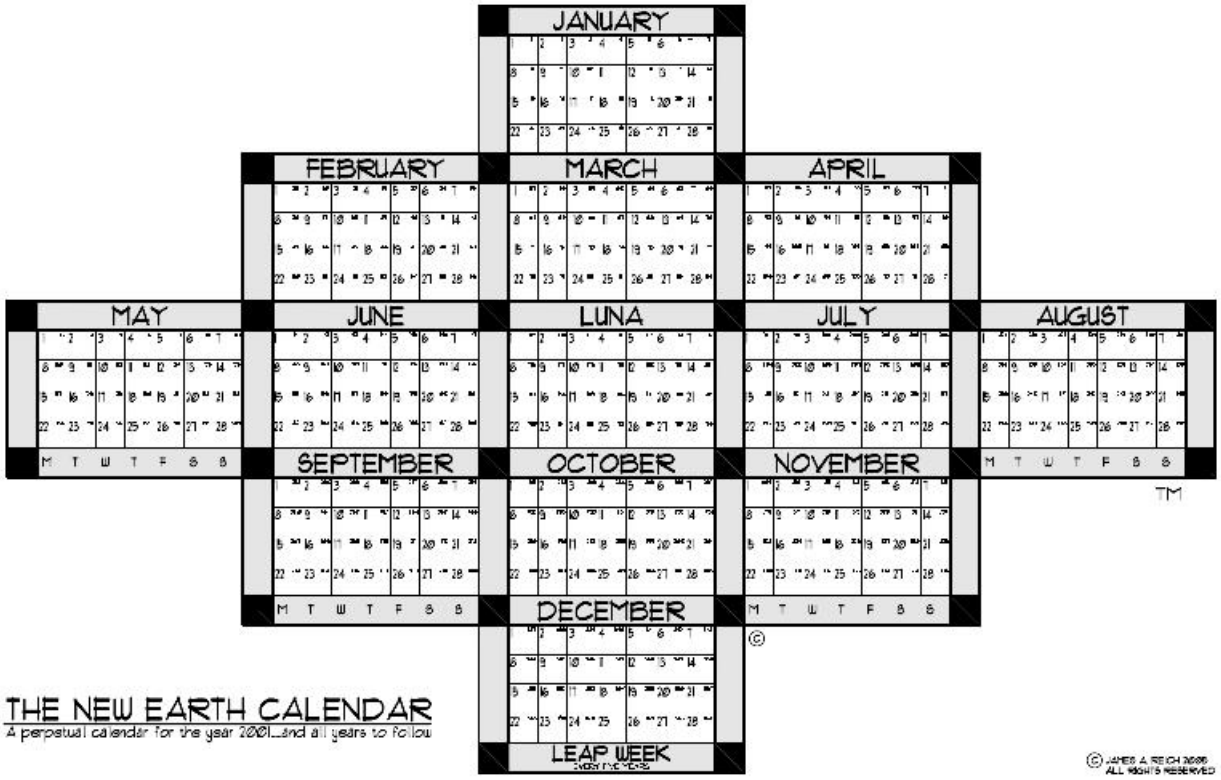


Diagram 2: New Earth Calendar taken from http://calendars.wikia.com/wiki/New_Earth_Calendar.

At the bottom of the diagram, there is a Leap Week. This additional 7 days is added at the end of December every five years with certain exceptions. The rule for determining is a given year is a leap year or not is given below:

1. `year` that is divisible by 5 is leap year, *except for*
2. `year` that is divisible by 40 –which is common year– *unless it is*
3. `year` that is divisible by 400 –which is leap year.

The year in New Earth Calendar starts from the year 2001 (*to coincide with Gregorian Calendar currently in use*). Write the code to determine how many days has passed between two given dates in a format: `day month year` (*i.e.* `5 7 2010` *is the* 5^{th} *of Luna, 2010*). For instance, between `5 7 2010` and `5 13 2010`, there are `168` days in between. For simplicity, assume that years are in the range of $[2001, 9999]$. You can check the correctness of your program in CodeCrunch. Write your program below:

```
#define LEAP(y)     (y%400==0 || (y%5==0 && y%40))
int main() {
  int day1, day2, month1, month2, year1, year2, days = 0;
  scanf("%d %d %d", &day1, &month1, &year1);
  scanf("%d %d %d", &day2, &month2, &year2);
```

```
    /* Your Solution Here */




    printf("%d", days);
    return 0;
}
```

4. Challenge

(a) [Mathematics; Exhaustive Search] Linear Diophantine equation (LDE) is an equation with the form given in Equation 1. An LDE can be characterized by three values: A, B, and C. An LDE can have *infinitely* many solution (i.e. *infinitely many x and y satisfying the LDE*). However, in our case, we are only interested in **integer** solution from -100 to 100 (*inclusive*) written as $[-100, 100]$.

Furthermore, a more interesting question is the *simultaneous* LDE. That is, given **two (2)** LDEs, find if there are any pair of **integer** (x, y) that satisfies **both** LDEs. For instance, $3x + 4y = 13$ and $-3x + 3y = 36$ has exactly **one (1)** solution in the range $[-100, 100]$ which is $x = -1$ and $y = 7$.

$$Ax + By = C \tag{1}$$

Given the values of A1, B1, C1, A2, B2, and C2, find the solution (*if any*) for both $A_1x + B_1y = C_1$ and $A_2x + B_2y = C_2$. You can check the correctness of your program in CodeCrunch. Write your program below:

```
#define UNSOLVABLE -99999
int main() {
  int A1, B1, C1, A2, B2, C2, x, y, solutionX, solutionY;
  /* Your Solution Here */
  if(solutionX != UNSOLVABLE) {
    printf("(%d %d)", solutionX, solutionY);
  } else {
    printf("The LDE has no solution");
  }
  return 0;
}
```

(b) [Approximation; Past Question (*modified from 15/16 Sem 2 Assessed Lab 2*)] Euler number e is approximately `2.7182`. However, as a *transcendent* and *irrational* number, it is hard to approximate. A simple approximation using Equation 2 where $k!$ is the factorial of k which is defined as $k! = k \times (k-1) \times (k-2) \times ... \times 1$.

$$e^x = \frac{x^0}{0!} + \frac{x^1}{1!} + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + ... + \frac{x^k}{k!} + ... \tag{2}$$

The problem with this approximation is the *very large* value of the factorial of k for some *very small* value of k. For instance $13! = 6,227,020,800$. Remember that **`unsigned integer`** has a maximum value $2^{32} = 4,294,967,296$. Using **`double`** does not solve the underlying problem. Note how the value of e is *very very very* small compared to 13! that we have to compute for the approximation.

A much better approximation is using the *continued fraction* method given in Equation 3.

$$e^x = 1 + \cfrac{x}{1 + \cfrac{-x}{2 + x + \cfrac{-2x}{3 + x + \cfrac{-3x}{4 + x + \cfrac{-4x}{\ddots + \cfrac{\ddots}{(k-1) + x + \cfrac{-(k-1)x}{k + x + \cfrac{\ddots}{\ddots}}}}}}}} \tag{3}$$

Given the value of x and k, approximate the value e^x the k^{th} term in the approximation without using **`#include <math.h>`** library rounded to 3 decimal places. You can check the correctness of your program in CodeCrunch. Write your program below (hint: *it is easier [but not required] to compute each approximation from the bottom*):

```
int main() {
  double x, approx; int k; scanf("%lf %d", &x, &k);
  /* Approximation of e^x up to k terms */
  return 0;
}
```