# 14. Construct a C program to organise the file using a single level directory.

#### Aim:

To construct a C program that organizes files using a single-level directory. The program will simulate basic file operations such as creating, displaying, and deleting files within the directory.

## Algorithm:

- 1. Create a Directory: Simulate creating a directory to hold files.
- 2. Add Files: Simulate adding files to the directory.
- 3. **Display Files**: Display all the files currently in the directory.
- 4. **Delete Files**: Allow deletion of specific files from the directory.
- 5. **Search Files**: Allow the user to search for a specific file by name.

#### **Procedure:**

- 1. Define a structure for representing a file with its name and status (if it's in the directory).
- 2. Implement functions to create a file, delete a file, display all files, and search for a specific file.
- 3. Use an array to simulate the directory and store file information.
- 4. Implement a menu-driven interface to allow users to interact with the directory.

## CODE:

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

#define MAX_FILES 10

#define MAX_FILE_NAME 50
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typedef struct {
  char file_name[MAX_FILE_NAME];
  int is_present;
} File;
File directory[MAX_FILES];
void initialize_directory() {
  for (int i = 0; i < MAX_FILES; i++) {
    directory[i].is_present = 0;
 }
}
int create_file(const char *file_name) {
  for (int i = 0; i < MAX_FILES; i++) {
    if (directory[i].is_present == 0) {
      strncpy(directory[i].file_name, file_name, MAX_FILE_NAME);
      directory[i].is_present = 1;
      return 1; // File created successfully
   }
  }
  return 0; // Directory full, file not created
}
int delete_file(const char *file_name) {
  for (int i = 0; i < MAX_FILES; i++) {
    if (directory[i].is_present == 1 && strcmp(directory[i].file_name, file_name) == 0) {
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directory[i].is_present = 0;
      return 1; // File deleted successfully
    }
  }
  return 0; // File not found
}
void display_files() {
  int found = 0;
  for (int i = 0; i < MAX_FILES; i++) {
    if (directory[i].is_present == 1) {
      printf("File: %s\n", directory[i].file_name);
      found = 1;
    }
  }
  if (!found) {
    printf("No files in the directory.\n");
 }
}
int search_file(const char *file_name) {
  for (int i = 0; i < MAX_FILES; i++) {
    if (directory[i].is_present == 1 && strcmp(directory[i].file_name, file_name) == 0) {
      return 1; // File found
    }
  }
  return 0; // File not found
}
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int main() {
  int choice;
  char file_name[MAX_FILE_NAME];
  initialize_directory();
  while (1) {
    printf("\nMenu:\n");
    printf("1. Create a file\n");
    printf("2. Delete a file\n");
    printf("3. Display all files\n");
    printf("4. Search for a file\n");
    printf("5. Exit\n");
    printf("Enter your choice: ");
    scanf("%d", &choice);
    getchar(); // To consume the newline character after choice input
    switch (choice) {
      case 1:
        printf("Enter file name to create: ");
        fgets(file_name, MAX_FILE_NAME, stdin);
        file_name[strcspn(file_name, "\n")] = '\0';
        if (create_file(file_name)) {
          printf("File '%s' created successfully.\n", file_name);
       } else {
          printf("Directory is full. Cannot create file '%s'.\n", file_name);
       }
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break;
case 2:
  printf("Enter file name to delete: ");
 fgets(file_name, MAX_FILE_NAME, stdin);
 file_name[strcspn(file_name, "\n")] = '\0';
  if (delete_file(file_name)) {
    printf("File '%s' deleted successfully.\n", file_name);
 } else {
    printf("File '%s' not found.\n", file_name);
 }
  break;
case 3:
  printf("Displaying all files in the directory:\n");
 display_files();
  break;
case 4:
  printf("Enter file name to search: ");
 fgets(file_name, MAX_FILE_NAME, stdin);
 file_name[strcspn(file_name, "\n")] = '\0';
  if (search_file(file_name)) {
    printf("File '%s' found in the directory.\n", file_name);
 } else {
    printf("File '%s' not found in the directory.\n", file_name);
 }
  break;
case 5:
  printf("Exiting the program.\n");
  return 0;
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default:
    printf("Invalid choice. Please try again.\n");
}

return 0;
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## **OUTPUT:**

