

# Lab 5 - Functions

**Due: end of class**

## OVERVIEW

For this project, you will practice decomposing a problem into functions. In the final part, you will also get some practice with pass-by-reference functions.

As part of this lab is to also gain experience with integer operations, you are NOT allowed to convert numbers into strings and use string processing primitives.

## TASK 0

Consider the standard decimal representation of a non-negative integer num. You wish to write a function that repetitively adds up the digits of a number until it eventually results in a single-digit number. For example, given the number 234567, the first iteration results in 27 ( $=2+3+4+5+6+7$ ), and the 2nd iteration results in 9 ( $=2+7$ ). Since 9 is a single-digit number, no more iterations are needed and 9 is returned.

Write a function with the following prototype to do this:

```
// Precondition: num > 0
// Postcondition: the return value is the iterated sum of digits of num
int sumDigits(int num);
```

To do this, we first need to identify functions that are useful to doing this. In this case, a list of useful function prototypes might be:

- `int getDigit(int num, int index);` // return the index'th digit of num
- `int numDigits(int num);` // return the number of digits in num

You should have at least these three functions, though you may have additional functions if you wish. Don't forget to write pre/post conditions for these functions.

You may use library functions defined in [cmath](#) (such as `pow`) if you wish, though you don't need to.

## TASK 1

You need a driver program to test your above program. To do this, write a main function that prompts for and input num, calls `sumdigits` and outputs the result. The program should also do error checking to ensure that inputs are legal, and reprompt as needed.

## TASK 2

A well-known theorem of math states that the above sum is 9 iff the number is divisible by 9. Write a function that modifies its argument number so that its divisible by 9. The function should add something to the right-most digit of the number if possible; otherwise it should subtract something from that digit. An example use of this function might be:

```
transformNum(n);
cout << n; // prints 234567 if n was originally 234565
```

Write the transformNum function. You should be able to reuse most of the code from earlier. Also modify the driver program to output the transformed number.

## HAND IN

Your 136 instructor will tell you what to hand in and how.

## GENERAL COMMENTS FOR ALL PROGRAMS THIS SEMESTER

You should have the following header on all programs:

```
/*
  Author: <name>
  Course: {135,136}
  Instructor: <name>
  Assignment: <title, e.g., "Lab 1">

  This program does ...
*/
```

## GRADING

All 135 and 136 programs this semester will be graded on:

- Correctness: Does your program work?
- Testing: Have you generated sufficient and good test data to give reasonable confidence that your program works?
- Structure: Have you structured your code to follow proper software engineering guidelines? This includes readability and maintainability.
- Documentation: How well documented is your code? Good documentation does not repeat the code in English, but explains the point of each code block, highlighting any design decisions and/or tricky implementation details.