



C Piscine

C 05

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# Chapter I

## Instructions

- Only this page will serve as reference: do not trust rumors.
- Watch out! This document could potentially change before submission.
- Make sure you have the appropriate permissions on your files and directories.
- You have to follow the submission procedures for all your exercises.
- Your exercises will be checked and graded by your fellow classmates.
- On top of that, your exercises will be checked and graded by a program called Moulinette.
- Moulinette is very meticulous and strict in its evaluation of your work. It is entirely automated and there is no way to negotiate with it. So if you want to avoid bad surprises, be as thorough as possible.
- Moulinette is not very open-minded. It won't try and understand your code if it doesn't respect the Norm. Moulinette relies on a program called `norminette` to check if your files respect the norm. TL;DR: it would be idiotic to submit a piece of work that doesn't pass `norminette`'s check.
- These exercises are carefully laid out by order of difficulty - from easiest to hardest. We **will not** take into account a successfully completed harder exercise if an easier one is not perfectly functional.
- Using a forbidden function is considered cheating. Cheaters get **-42**, and this grade is non-negotiable.
- You'll only have to submit a `main()` function if we ask for a program.
- Moulinette compiles with these flags: `-Wall -Wextra -Werror`, and uses `cc`.
- If your program doesn't compile, you'll get 0.
- You cannot leave any additional file in your directory than those specified in the subject.
- Got a question? Ask your peer on the right. Otherwise, try your peer on the left.

- Your reference guide is called `Google / man / the Internet / ....`
- Check out the "C Piscine" part of the forum on the intranet, or the slack Piscine.
- Examine the examples thoroughly. They could very well call for details that are not explicitly mentioned in the subject...
- By Odin, by Thor ! Use your brain !!!



Norminette must be launched with the `-R CheckForbiddenSourceHeader` flag. Moulinette will use it too.

# Chapter II

## Foreword

Here are some lyrics extract from the Harry Potter saga:

Oh you may not think me pretty,  
But don't judge on what you see,  
I'll eat myself if you can find  
A smarter hat than me.

You can keep your bowlers black,  
Your top hats sleek and tall,  
For I'm the Hogwarts Sorting Hat  
And I can cap them all.

The Sorting Hat, stored in the Headmaster's Office.  
There's nothing hidden in your head  
The Sorting Hat can't see,  
So try me on and I will tell you  
Where you ought to be.

You might belong in Gryffindor,  
Where dwell the brave at heart,  
Their daring, nerve, and chivalry  
Set Gryffindors apart;

You might belong in Hufflepuff,  
Where they are just and loyal,  
Those patient Hufflepuffs are true  
And unafraid of toil;

Or yet in wise old Ravenclaw,  
If you've a ready mind,  
Where those of wit and learning,  
Will always find their kind;

Or perhaps in Slytherin  
You'll make your real friends,  
Those cunning folks use any means


To achieve their ends.

So put me on! Don't be afraid!  
And don't get in a flap!  
You're in safe hands (though I have none)  
For I'm a Thinking Cap!

Unfortunately, this subject's got nothing to do with the Harry Potter saga, which is too bad, because your exercises won't be done by magic.

# Chapter III

## Exercise 00 : ft\_iterative\_factorial

	Exercise 00
ft_iterative_factorial	
Turn-in directory : ex00/	
Files to turn in : ft_iterative_factorial.c	
Allowed functions : None	

$$n! = n * (n-1) * (n-2) \dots 3 * 2 * 1$$

$$0! = 1$$

- Create an iterated function that returns a number. This number is the result of a factorial operation based on the number given as a parameter.
- If the argument is not valid the function should return 0.
- Overflows must not be handled, the function return will be undefined.
- Here's how it should be prototyped :

```
int ft_iterative_factorial(int nb);
```


Handwritten calculation for  $4!$ :

$0! = 1$   
 $1! = 1$   
 $nb = 4$   
 $n = 4$   
 $nb = 12 \leftarrow 4 \times 3$   
 $n = 3$   
 $nb = 12 \times 2$   
 $n = 2$   
 $nb = 24 \times 1$   
 $nb = 24$

```
int ft_iterative_factorial (int nb)
{
    if (nb < 0)
        return (0);
    if (nb == 0 || nb == 1)
        return (1);
    int n = nb + 1;
    while (--n)
        if (n != 1)
            nb *= (n - 1);
    return (nb);
}
```

# Chapter IV

## Exercise 01 : ft\_recursive\_factorial

	Exercise 01
ft_recursive_factorial	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex01/</i>	
Files to turn in : <b>ft_recursive_factorial.c</b>	
Allowed functions : <b>None</b>	


- Create a recursive function that returns the factorial of the number given as a parameter.
- If the argument is not valid the function should return 0.
- Overflows must not be handled, the function return will be undefined.
- Here's how it should be prototyped :

```
int ft_recursive_factorial(int nb);
```



# Chapter V

## Exercise 02 : ft\_iterative\_power


	Exercise 02
ft_iterative_power	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex02/</i>	
Files to turn in : <b>ft_iterative_power.c</b>	
Allowed functions : None	

- Create an iterated function that returns the value of a power applied to a number.
- A power lower than 0 returns 0.
- Overflows must not be handled.
- We've decided that 0 power 0 will returns 1
- Here's how it should be prototyped :

```
int ft_iterative_power(int nb, int power);
```

# Chapter VI

## Exercise 03 : ft\_recursive\_power


	Exercise 03
ft_recursive_power	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex03/</i>	
Files to turn in : <b>ft_recursive_power.c</b>	
Allowed functions : None	

- Create a recursive function that returns the value of a power applied to a number.
- A power lower than 0 returns 0.
- Overflows must not be handled, the function return will be undefined.
- We've decided that 0 power 0 will returns 1
- Here's how it should be prototyped :

```
int ft_recursive_power(int nb, int power);
```

# Chapter VII

## Exercise 04 : ft\_fibonacci

	Exercise 04
	ft_fibonacci
	Turn-in directory : <i>ex04/</i>
	Files to turn in : <b>ft_fibonacci.c</b>
	Allowed functions : <b>None</b>

- Create a function `ft_fibonacci` that returns the `n`-th element of the Fibonacci sequence, the first element being at the 0 index. We'll consider that the Fibonacci sequence starts like this: 0, 1, 1, 2.
- Overflows must not be handled, the function return will be undefined.
- Here's how it should be prototyped :


```
int ft_fibonacci(int index);
```

- Obviously, `ft_fibonacci` has to be recursive.
- If the `index` is less than 0, the function should return -1.

```
fibonacci ( pos )
( pos < 0 )
    ret -1
( pos == 0 )
    ret 0
( pos == 1 )
    ret 1
if ( pos > 2 )
    ret ( fibonacci ( pos - 1 ) + fibonacci ( pos - 2 ) )
```

# Chapter VIII

## Exercise 05 : ft\_sqrt

	Exercise 05
ft_sqrt	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex05/</i>	
Files to turn in : <b>ft_sqrt.c</b>	
Allowed functions : None	


- Create a function that returns the square root of a number (if it exists), or 0 if the square root is an irrational number.
- Here's how it should be prototyped :

```
int ft_sqrt(int nb);
```

```
int ft_sqrt(int nb)
{
    int start = 0;
    int end = nb;
    int sqv = 0;
    int mid = 0;
    if (x == 0 || x == 1)
        return x;
    while (start <= end) {
        mid = (start + end) / 2;
        if (mid * mid == x)
            return (mid);
        if (mid <= (x / mid)) {
            start = mid + 1;
            sqv = mid;
        }
        else
            end = mid - 1;
    }
    return (sqv);
}
```

# Chapter IX

## Exercise 06 : ft\_is\_prime

	Exercise 06
	ft_is_prime
	Turn-in directory : <i>ex06/</i>
	Files to turn in : <b>ft_is_prime.c</b>
	Allowed functions : None

- Create a function that returns 1 if the number given as a parameter is a prime number, and 0 if it isn't.
- Here's how it should be prototyped :


```
int ft_is_prime(int nb);
```



0 and 1 are not prime numbers.

# Chapter X

## Exercise 07 : ft\_find\_next\_prime

	Exercise 07
ft_find_next_prime	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex07/</i>	
Files to turn in : <code>ft_find_next_prime.c</code>	
Allowed functions : None	


- Create a function that returns the next prime number greater or equal to the number given as argument.
- Here's how it should be prototyped :

```
int ft_find_next_prime(int nb);
```

*int ft\_find\_next\_prime(int nb)*  
*2*

# Chapter XI

## Exercise 08 : The Ten Queens

	Exercise 08
The Ten Queens	
Turn-in directory : <i>ex08/</i>	
Files to turn in : <b>ft_ten_queens_puzzle.c</b>	
Allowed functions : <b>write</b>	

- Create a function that displays all possible placements of the ten queens on a chessboard which would contain ten columns and ten lines, without them being able to reach each other in a single move, and returns the number of possibilities.
- Recursivity is required to solve this problem.
- Here's how it should be prototyped :

```
int ft_ten_queens_puzzle(void);
```

- Here's how it'll be displayed :

```
$>./a.out | cat -e
0257948136$
0258693147$
...
4605713829$
4609582731$
...
9742051863$
$>
```

- The sequence goes from left to right. The first digit represents the first Queen's position in the first column (the index starting from 0). The Nth digit represents the Nth Queen's position in the Nth column.
- The return value must be the total number of displayed solutions.

# Chapter XII

## Submission and peer-evaluation

Turn in your assignment in your `Git` repository as usual. Only the work inside your repository will be evaluated during the defense. Don't hesitate to double check the names of your files to ensure they are correct.



You need to return only the files requested by the subject of this project.