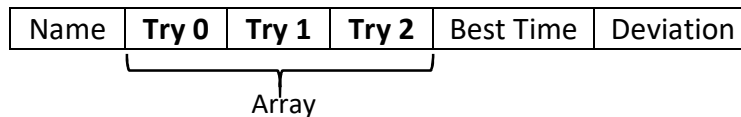


**Problem.** Write a program that uses structures and pointers. You will have to write two functions: **get\_stats**, and **get\_median**. No make file so all code in one file.

(1) You first need to declare a structure type **driver\_t**.

I named my structure **driver\_t** and its 4 parts are:

- a character array **name** that is 21 in length, (comes from the data file)
- a double array of **tries** that has a length of TRIES, (comes from the data file)
- a double named **best\_time**, (value computed by program)
- a double named **deviation**, (value computed by program).



(2) You need to declare a structure type **stats\_t**.

I named my structure **stats\_t** and its 4 parts are:

- four variables, all type double, named **best\_average**, **fast\_time**, **slow\_time**, and **median**.

(3) Write the function **get\_stats**. This function will figure the driver's best time, the track slow time and track fast time, the average of the driver's best times, and the driver's deviation from the track fast time. The prototype is:

```
void get_stats(driver_t driver_list[NRACERS],    /* in & out */
               stats_t *race_stats );           /* in & out */
```

(4) Write the function **get\_median**. It will find the mid best time from the sorted list of best times. Examples of computing median are below. The prototype for **get\_median** is:

```
void get_median(driver_t driver_list[NRACERS], stats_t *race_stats );
```

**NOTES on the median:**

The median is the value in the middle of a group of values, assuming that the values are sorted. If there is an odd number of values, the median is the value in the middle. If there is an even number of values, the median is the average of the values in the two middle positions.

**EXAMPLES:**

- (1) The median of values {1, 6, 18, 39, 86} is the middle value, or 18.
- (2) The median of values {1, 6, 18, 39, 86, 91} is the average of the two middle values, or  $(18 + 39)/2$  or 28.5.

(5) You will be provided a test driver program that needs ALMOST NO changing, only ADDing.

Add you name at top of code, and in the function print\_all for output.

You will need to **add** the two structures and the two functions as above.

You will need to shift the comment marks ( // ) on the four #define statements:

- one set for the data file
- one set for the NRACERS

**Input/Output Description:**

The program input is a set of driver's names and their three tries on the race track in one file. The race times are type double. Each record/line of the file has a student name and three times.

The first line from the sample data file is:

Jay Johnson      4.0 5.0 6.0

The output is printed to **lab7.out** as shown in the sample output.

**Algorithm Development - Pseudo code:**

```

/*-----*/
main
/* This function already exists. */
out_file = open_out_file ();
get_data(IN_FILENAME, driver_list);
get_stats(driver_list, &race_stats);
do_sort(driver_list);
get_median(driver_list, &race_stats);
print_all(out_file, driver_list, &race_stats);

/*-----*/
FILE * open_out_file(void)
/* This function already exists. */
/* Opens the output file */

/*-----*/
void get_data (char *filename,          /* input */
               driver_t driver_list[NRACERS] ); /* output */
/* This function already exists. */
/*It opens the data file and reads it into the appropriate places. */

/*-----*/
void print_all(FILE * out_file,
               driver_t driver_list[NRACERS] ,
               stats_t *race_stats )
/* This function already exists. */

/*-----*/
void do_sort(student_t student_list[NSTUDENTS])
/* This function already exists. */

/*-----*/

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```

/*-----*/
/*  THIS IS A SUB-FUNCTION THAT YOU HAVE TO WRITE */
void get_stats( driver_t driver_list[NRACERS], /* in & out */
               stats_t *race_stats )         /* in & out */
{
    Zero out the best_average (HINT: use the -> notation)
    Set the slow_time to the first driver's first try.
    Set the fast_time to the first driver's first try.

    loop from d=zero to < NRACERS increment by one
    {
        zero out the driver_list[d].deviation
        set the driver's best time to the driver's first time
        loop from t=zero to t< TRIES increment by one
        {
            figure the driver's best time
            find the fastest and slowest track time
        }
        add the driver's best time into the running total of best times
    }
    compute the average of the best times

    for loop from d=zero to < NRACERS increment by one
    {
        figure the driver's deviation
        (deviation is fastest track time (fast_time) minus driver's best time)
    }
    return
}
/*-----*/
/*  THIS IS A SUB-FUNCTION THAT YOU HAVE TO WRITE */
void get_median(driver_t driver_list[NRACERS],
               stats_t *race_stats )

    zero out the median.
    calculate the mid point (divide NRACERS by two)
    if the number of racers is odd then
        set the median to the mid average (integer division)
    else
        set the median to the average of the two numbers(averages) on
        each side of the median. [mid] & [mid-1]. NO integer division.

/*-----*/

```

**Sample Output:**

This is the sample data example. It does not match the lab7.dat file in length **or** in value!

SAMPLE DATA:

```
Jay Johnson    4.0  5.0  6.0
Lenny Loop     2.0  3.0  4.0
Missy Monroe   1.0  2.0  3.0
Ned Niner      3.0  7.0  5.0
```

**Sample Output :**

Your Name. Lab 7 output.

## Track Results

Driver	Try 1	Try 2	Try 3	Best Time	Deviation
Missy Monroe	1.0	2.0	3.0	1.0	0.0
Lenny Loop	2.0	3.0	4.0	2.0	-1.0
Ned Niner	3.0	7.0	5.0	3.0	-2.0
Jay Johnson	4.0	5.0	6.0	4.0	-3.0

The average of best times = 2.500

The track fast time = 1.000

The track slow time = 7.000

The median of best times = 2.500

**Using the two data files:**

To use the sample or final data, you need to make changes:

These lines are currently set to access the sample file. *Move the comment symbols (//) from one line to another to shift the use of files.*

```
//#define IN_FILENAME "lab7.dat"
#define IN_FILENAME "lab7sample.dat"
```

These lines are currently set to access the sample file. The final data file has a length of 10, the sample file has a length of 4. *Move the comment symbols (//) from one line to another to shift the use of files.*

```
//#define NRACERS 10
#define NRACERS 4
```

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**Files To Copy:**

Type: **cp -R /gaia/home/faculty/bielr/classfiles\_csc60/lab7 .**

Spaces needed: (1) After the **cp** ↑ *Don't miss the space & dot.*

(2) After the **-R**

(3) After the directory name at the end & before the dot.

After the files are in your account and you are still in **csc60**, you need to type: **chmod 755 lab7**

This will give permissions to the directory.

Next move into lab7 directory by typing: **cd lab7**

After the files are in your account, you need to type: **chmod 644 lab7\***

This will give permissions to the files.

Your new lab7 directory should now contain: lab7.c, lab7.dat, lab7sample.dat

**Prepare Your File For Grading:**

Make sure your program has been:

- corrected to use **lab7.dat**
- corrected to use the proper value for **NRACERS**
- has been re-compiled.

When all is well and correct, type: **script StudentName\_lab7.txt**

At the prompt, type: **cat lab7.c** to display the code in your session.

type: **gcc lab7.c** to compile the code

type: **a.out** to run the program

type: **cat lab7.out** to show contents of the output file

After the program run is complete,

type: **exit** to leave the script session

**Turn In Completed Session:** Go to Canvas and turn in your session (StudentName\_lab7.txt).