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Programming in C

- Reference books:
 - *The C Programming Language* by Brian W. Kernighan and Dennis M. Ritchie
 - *Programming in C (3rd Edition)* by Stephen G. Kochan.
- www.learn-c.org online training
- Code::Blocks: IDE for C, C++ and Fortain , 16.01
- gcc: <http://gcc.gnu.org/>



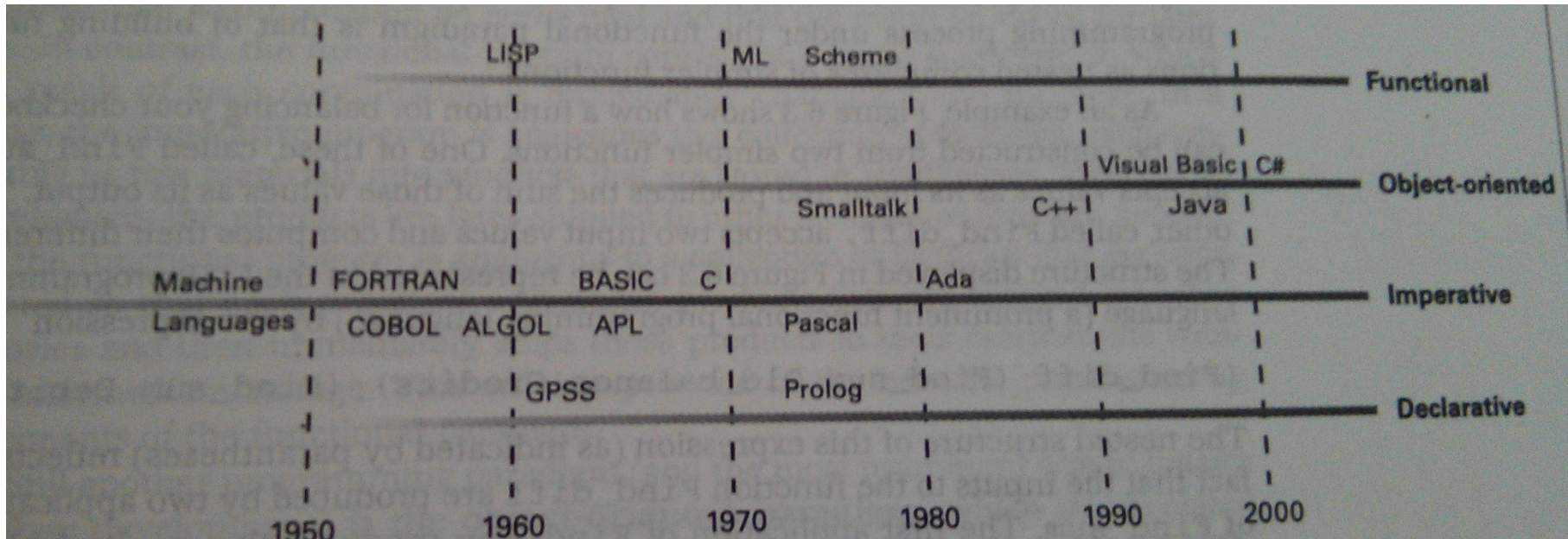
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WHAT YOU KNOW ABOUT PROGRAMMING?



Programming Paradigms





Programming Languages

- Funders: FORTRAN (1954), LISP (1958) and COBOL (1959)
- New arrivals: Simula (1962), Forth (1968), SQL(1970), SmallTalk (1972), Prolog (1972) et TEX (1977)
- Descendents: C (1972), C++ (1983), Postscript (1983), VHDL (1987), Python (1991), Java (1995), C# (2002), Go (2009),etc.



Programming Paradigms

- Imperative paradigm
 - A sequence of commands that, when followed, manipulate data to produce the desired result
- Declarative paradigm
 - Describe the problem rather than an algorithm
- Functional paradigm
 - A program is viewed as an entity that accepts inputs and produces outputs
- Object-Oriented paradigm/programming (OOP)



Statements

- A program consists of a collection of statements
 - Declarative statements
 - `int Height, Width;`
 - Imperative statements
 - `Z = X + Y;`
 - `if .. else..`
 - Comments
 - `//This is an addition`
 - `/* Declaration of variable*/`



Variable and Data Types

- **Variable** is used by high-level programming language to be referenced in main memory.
 - Identified by declarative statements
 - `int Height, Width;`
- **Data type**
 - the manner in which the data item is encoded
 - The operations that can be performed on the data.



Abstract Data Types

Abstract Data Type (ADT): a definition for a data type solely in terms of a set of values and a set of operations on that data type.

Each ADT operation is defined by its inputs and outputs.

Encapsulation: Hide implementation details.



Data Structure

- A data structure is the physical implementation of an ADT.
 - Each operation associated with the ADT is implemented by one or more subroutines in the implementation.
- Data structure usually refers to an organization for data in main memory.
- File structure is an organization for data on peripheral storage, such as a disk drive.



Logical vs. Physical Form

Data items have both a logical and a physical form.

Logical form: definition of the data item within an ADT.

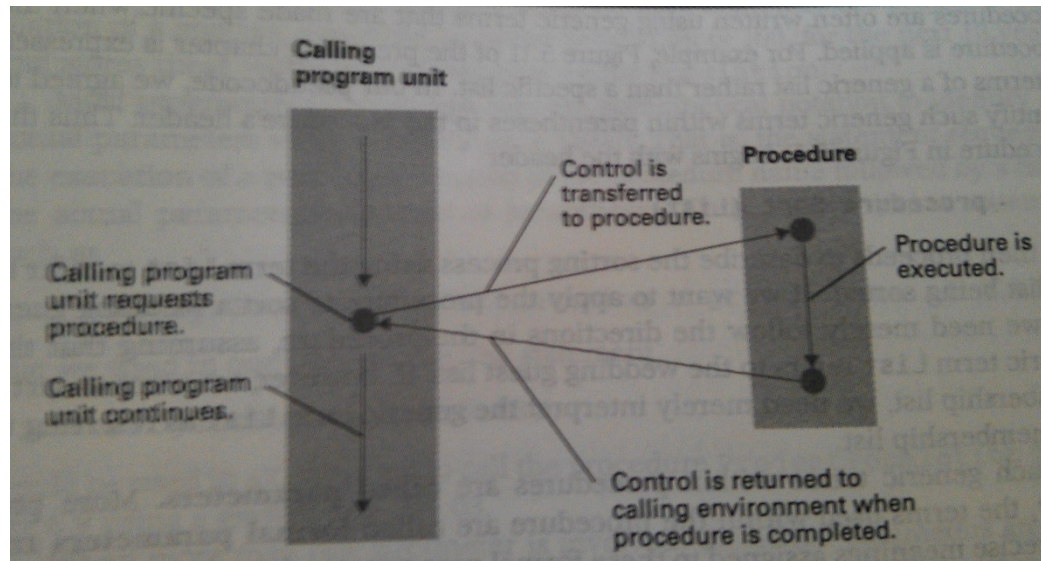
- Ex: Integers in mathematical sense: +, -

Physical form: implementation of the data item within a data structure.

- Ex: 16/32 bit integers, overflow.

Procedure Units

- A **procedure** is a set of instructions for performing a task that can be used as an abstract tool by other program units.





An example of Procedure

Figure 6.9 The procedure ProjectPopulation written in the programming language C

Starting the head with the term "void" is the way that a C programmer specifies that the program unit is a procedure rather than a function. We will learn about functions shortly.

The formal parameter list. Note that C, as with many programming languages, requires that the data type of each parameter be specified.

```
void ProjectPopulation (float GrowthRate)

{ int Year;

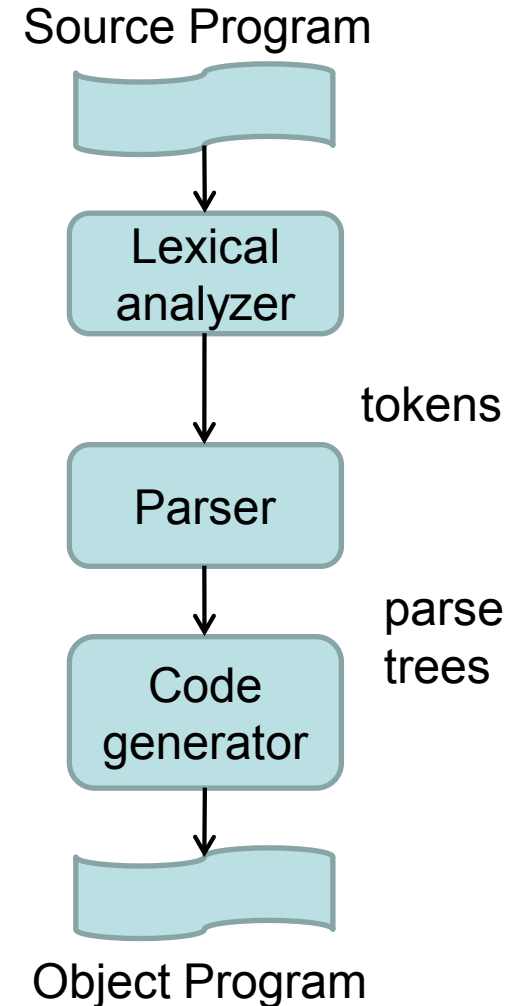
  Population[0] = 100.0;
  for (Year = 0; Year <= 10; Year++)
    Population[Year+1] = Population[Year] + (Population[Year] * GrowthRate);
}
```

These statements describe how the populations are to be computed and stored in the global array named Population.



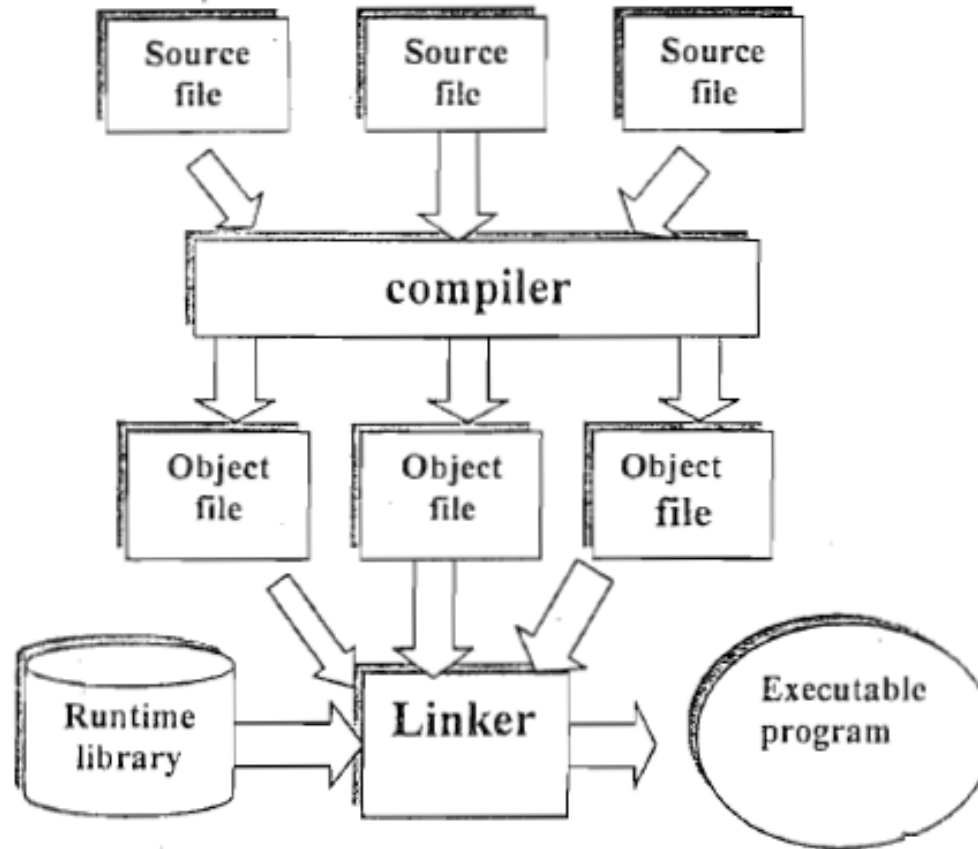
The translation process

- From source program to object program
 - `.c` \rightarrow `.o`
 - `.java` \rightarrow `.class`
- Lexical analyzer
 - find token
- Parser
 - Group units into statements
 - Generating a parse tree
- Code generator
 - Code optimization





Compiler and Linker





Why you have to learn C

- Steve Yegge (famous for his blog): Because for all practical purposes, every computer in the world you'll ever use is a von Neumann machine, and C is a lightweight, expressive syntax for the von Neumann machine's capabilities.



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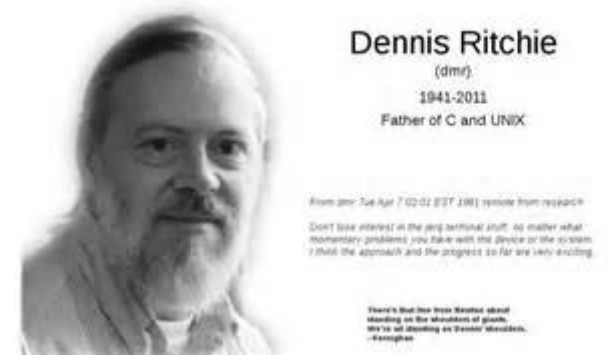
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SO YOU THINK YOU KNOW C?



A little history:

- 1970's
 - Unix
 - C, from BCPL (Thompson and Ritchie)
- C programming Language
 - Widely used like the others: Fortran, Pascal
 - Main form of language for system programming
 - Available on any machine with C compiler and library





Some Characteristics:

- Scope:
 - Intended:
 - HPC, OS, general programming
 - Typically, long developing cycle
 - very platform dependent
 - Not intended: web, scripting, data processing
- Features:
 - Close interaction with system
 - Standard library (user-level only),
 - no other fancy stuff: networking, memory, graphics
 - Extensive use of pointers
 - Procedure programming, strictly pass by value



Sample 1:

```
/* Hello World! */  
#include <stdio.h>  
  
int main()  
{  
    printf("Hello World!\n");  
    return 0;  
}
```



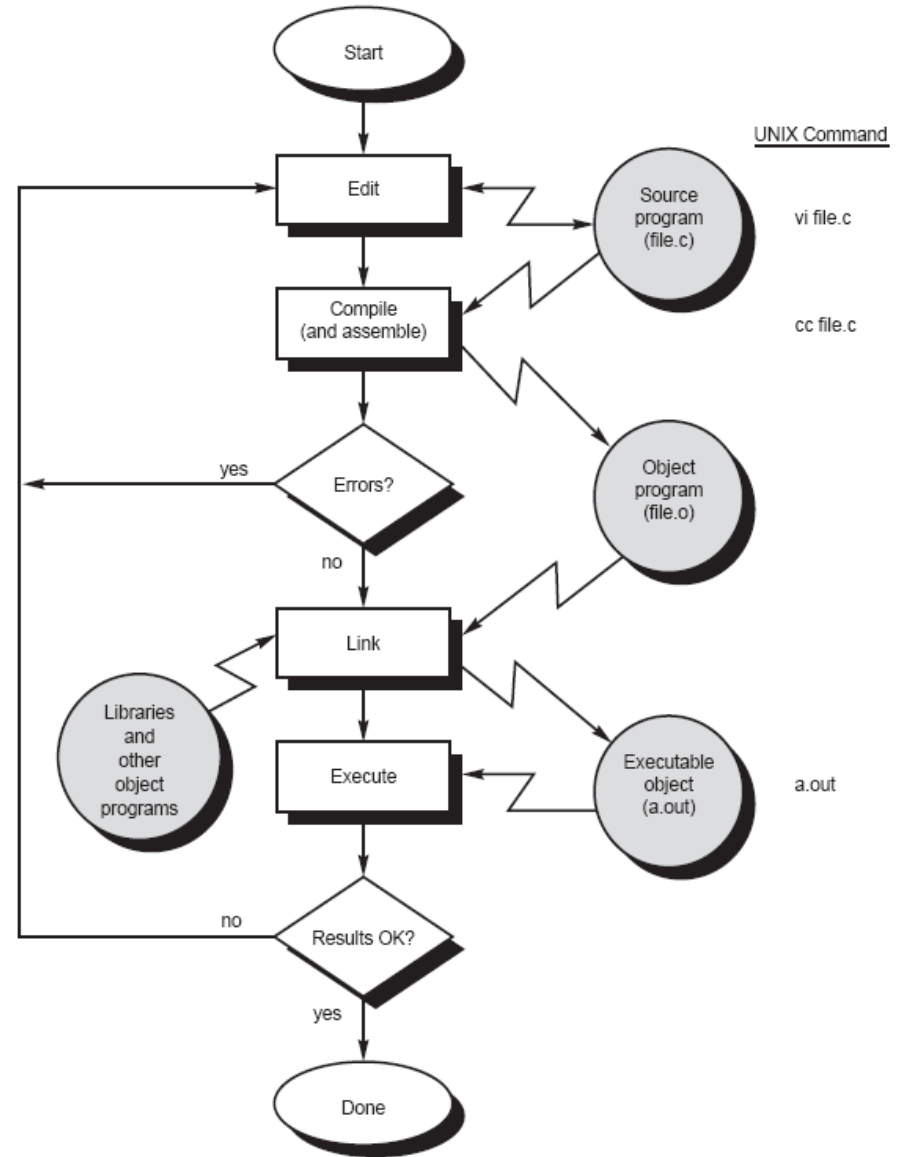
Walk through:

- C program: hello.c
 - emacs, vi, vim, pico, joe ...
 - But text editors only. No word processor
- Use GNU CC
- Preprocessing: hello.s, assembly code
 - gcc -S hello.c
- Compilation: hello.o, a binary file
 - gcc -c hello.s
- Linking: a.out or hello, an executable file
 - gcc hello.o
 - gcc -o hello hello.o
- Loading (dynamical linking) and execution: ./hello
 - ./a.out
 - ./hello

Or
gcc -g -Wall hello.c -o hello



- A typical execution of a piece of C program





Sample 1 Dissection:

- What it has?
 - A line of comment
 - A line of preprocessor directive
 - A function definition: main
 - An output statement
 - A return clause
- What it does?
 - Ask the computer to say hello to the world.
- What it does not do?
 - It seems not computing!!
 - No real work
 - not taking input
 - does not change any value

```
/* Hello World! */  
#include <stdio.h>  
  
int main()  
{  
    printf("Hello  
World!\n");  
    return 0;  
}
```




Sample 2:

```
#include <stdio.h>
#define MAGIC 10
int main()
{
    int i=0, fact, quotient;
    while (i++ < 3) {
        printf("Guess a factor of MAGIC larger than 1: ");
        scanf("%d", &fact);
        quotient = MAGIC % fact;
        if (0 == quotient)
            printf("You got it!\n");
        else
            printf("Sorry, You missed it!\n");
    }
    return 0;
}
```



Sample 2 Dissection:

- What more it has?
 - Macro definition
 - Variable declaration
 - Operations represented by operators
 - Conditional computation
 - Input Processing
 - Loops: three chances