CS 161B: Programming and Problem Solving I

Assignment a02 Algorithm Design Document

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Planning your program before you start coding is part of the development process. In this document you will:

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- Write a detailed description of your program, at least two complete sentences
- ☑ If applicable, design a sample run with test input and output
- ✓ Identify the program outputs and their data types
- Write the algorithmic steps as pseudocode or a flowchart

1. zyBooks

Add your zyBooks screenshots for the % and assigned zyLabs completions below. Required percentages: all **assigned** zyLabs, Challenge Activity with at least 70%, and Participation Activity with at least 80%.

Challenge and Participation % screenshot:			
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Assigned zyLabs completion screenshot:

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10.9 C++ LAB: Remove spaces - functions	100%
Lab activity	
User score: 10 / 10 points	
10.10 C++ LAB: Print string in reverse	100%
Lab activity	
User score: 10 / 10 points	

2. Program Description

In the box below, describe the purpose of the program. You must include a detailed description with at least two complete sentences.

Program description:

This program creates an appropriate filename based upon input taken from the user. To do so, it demonstrates use of string functions from the cstring library, character arrays, overloaded functions, and functions with value and reference parameters.

3. Sample Run

If you are designing your own program, you will start with a sample run. Imagine a user is running your program - what will they see? What inputs do you expect, and what will be the outputs from the given inputs? Choose test data you will use to test your program. Calculate and show the expected outputs. Use the sample run to test your program.

Sample run:		
Welcome to my fileName encoding program!!		

Please pick an option below:
(e)Encode a file name
(q)quit
>>e
This program will ask you a few questions and generate an encoded fileName based on your answers.
Enter your last name: lyer
Enter your first name: GD
Was your assignment Late (y/n)? Y
Enter your Student-ID (format: 222-22-222): 234-05-4556
Enter the file name: a05.cpp
Enter the time submitted (military time - ex: 18:24 for 6:24pm): 13:45
Your encoded file name is: iyer_gd_LATE_4556_1345_a05.cpp
Please pick an option below:
(e)Encode a file name
(q)quit
>>b
Invalid option! Please try again!!
Please pick an option below:
(e)Encode a file name
(q)quit
>>q
Thank you for using my fileName generator!

4. Algorithmic Design

Before you begin coding, **you must first plan out the logic** and think about what data you will use to test your program for correctness. All programmers plan before coding - this saves a lot of time and frustration! Use the steps below to identify the inputs and outputs, calculations, and steps needed to solve the problem.

Use the pseudocode syntax shown in the document, supplemented with English phrases if necessary. **Do not include any implementation details (e.g. source code file names, class or struct definitions, or language syntax)**. Do not include any C++ specific syntax or data types.

Algorithmic design:

- a. Identify and list all of the user input and their data types. Include a variable name, data type, and description. Data types include string, integer, floating point, (single) character, and boolean. Data structures should be referenced by name, e.g. "array of integer" or "array of string (for CS161B and up).
 - menuChoice as character
 - studentName as array of characters
 - lateFlag as array of characters
 - studentID as array of characters
 - fileName as array of characters
 - inputTime as array of characters
- b. Identify and list all of the user output and their data types. Include a variable name, data type, and description. Data types include string, integer, floating point, (single) character, and boolean. Data structures should be referenced by name, e.g. "array of integer" or "array of string" (for CS161B and up).
 - encodeFileName as array of characters
- c. What calculations do you need to do to transform inputs into outputs? List all formulas needed, if applicable. If there are no calculations needed, state there are no calculations for this algorithm. Formulae should reference the variable names from step a and step b as applicable.
 - DO
 - o DISPLAY Please pick an option below:
 - DISPLAY (e)Encode a file name
 - o DISPLAY (q)quit
 - o INPUT into menuChoice

- o IF menuChoice != 'g' AND menuChoice != 'e' THEN
 - DISPLAY Invalid input message
- o END IF
- WHILE menuChoice != 'q' AND menuChoice != 'e'
- d. Design the logic of your program using pseudocode or flowcharts. Here is where you would use conditionals, loops or functions (if applicable) and list the steps in transforming inputs into outputs. Walk through your logic steps with the test data from the assignment document or the sample run above.

Use the syntax shown at the bottom of this document and plain English phrases. Do not include any implementation details (e.g. file names) or C++ specific syntax.

- FUNCTION integer main()
 - a. DECLARE array of characters encodeFileName
 - b. CALL welcome()
 - c. CALL displayMenu()

END FUNCTION main()

- 2. FUNCTION void welcome()
 - a. DISPLAY Welcome to my fileName encoding program!!

END FUNCTION welcome()

- 3. FUNCTION character displayMenu()
 - a. DECLARE character menuChoice
 - b. DO
 - i. DISPLAY Please pick an option below:
 - ii. DISPLAY (e)Encode a file name
 - iii. DISPLAY (q)quit
 - iv. INPUT into menuChoice
 - v. IF menuChoice != 'q' AND menuChoice != 'e' THEN
 - DISPLAY Invalid input message
 - vi. END IF
 - c. WHILE menuChoice != 'q' AND menuChoice != 'e'
 - d. RETURN menuChoice

END FUNCTION displayMenu()

- 4. FUNCTION void encode(char encodeFileName[])
 - a. DECLARE array of characters fName
 - b. DECLARE array of characters IName
 - c. DECLARE boolean lateFlag
 - d. DECLARE array of characters parsedID
 - e. DECLARE array of characters fileName
 - f. DECLARE array of characters strTime
 - g. CALL readInput(fName, Iname, lateFlag)

- h. CALL readInput(parsedID, fileName)
- i. CALL readTime(char strTime)
- j. SET encodeFileName = IName + "_" + fName + "_" + lateFlag + "_" + parsedID + "_" + strTime + "_" + fileName

END FUNCTION encode()

- 5. FUNCTION void readInput(char fName[], char Iname[], bool &lateFlag)
 - a. DISPLAY Enter your last name:
 - b. INPUT into IName
 - c. DISPLAY Enter your first name:
 - d. INPUT into fName
 - e. DISPLAY Was your assignment Late (y/n)?
 - f. INPUT into lateFlag

END FUNCTION readInput()

- 6. FUNCTION void readInput(char parsedID[], char fileName[])
 - a. DISPLAY Enter your Student-ID (format: 222-22-2222):
 - b. INPUT into parsedID
 - c. DISPLAY Enter the file name:
 - d. INPUT into fileName

END FUNCTION readInput()

- 7. FUNCTION void readTime(char strTime[])
 - a. DISPLAY Enter the time submitted (military time ex: 18:24 for 6:24pm):
 - b. INPUT into strTime

END FUNCTION readTime()

5. Pseudocode Syntax

Think about each step in your algorithm as an action and use the verbs below:

To do this:	Use this verb:	Example:	
Create a variable	DECLARE	DECLARE integer num_dogs	
Print to the console window	DISPLAY	DISPLAY "Hello!"	
Read input from the user into a variable	INPUT	INPUT num_dogs	
Update the contents of a	SET	SET num_dogs = num_dogs + 1	

variable				
Conditionals				
Use a single alternative conditional	IF condition THEN statement statement END IF	IF num_dogs > 10 THEN DISPLAY "That is a lot of dogs!" END IF		
Use a dual alternative conditional	IF condition THEN statement statement ELSE statement statement END IF	<pre>IF num_dogs > 10 THEN</pre>		
Use a switch/case statement	SELECT variable or expression CASE value_1: statement statement CASE value_2: statement statement CASE value_2: statement CASE value_1: statement statement statement DEFAULT: statement statement Statement END SELECT	SELECT num_dogs CASE 0: DISPLAY "No dogs!" CASE 1: DISPLAY "One dog" CASE 2: DISPLAY "Two dogs" CASE 3: DISPLAY "Three dogs" DEFAULT: DISPLAY "Lots of dogs!" END SELECT		
Loops	Loops			
Loop while a condition is true - the loop body will execute 0 or more times.	WHILE condition statement statement END WHILE	<pre>SET num_dogs = 1 WHILE num_dogs < 10 DISPLAY num_dogs, " dogs!" SET num_dogs = num_dogs + 1 END WHILE</pre>		
Loop while a condition is true - the loop body will execute 1 or more times.	DO statement statement WHILE condition	SET num_dogs = 1 DO DISPLAY num_dogs, " dogs!" SET num_dogs = num_dogs + 1 WHILE num_dogs < 10		
Loop a specific number of times. FOR counter = start TO end statement statement END FOR		FOR count = 1 TO 10 DISPLAY num_dogs, "dogs!" END FOR		
Functions				

Create a function	FUNCTION return_type name (parameters) statement statement END FUNCTION	FUNCTION Integer add(Integer num1, Integer num2) DECLARE Integer sum SET sum = num1 + num2 RETURN sum END FUNCTION	
Call a function	CALL function_name	CALL add(2, 3)	
Return data from a function	RETURN value	RETURN 2 + 3	