



- a. Write a C program that finds the largest in a series of numbers entered by the user. The program must prompt the user to enter numbers one by one. When the user enters 0 or a negative number, the program must display the largest nonnegative number entered:

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Enter a number: 60
Enter a number: 100
Enter a number: 3
Enter a number: 400
Enter a number: 3
Enter a number: 0
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The largest entered is 400.

- b. The value of the mathematical constant e can be expressed as an infinite series:

$$e = 1 + \frac{1}{1!} + \frac{1}{2!} + \frac{1}{3!} + \dots$$

Write a program that approximates e by computing the value of

$$e = 1 + \frac{1}{1!} + \frac{1}{2!} + \frac{1}{3!} + \dots + \frac{1}{n!} \text{ where } n \text{ is an integer entered by the user.}$$

- c. Write a program that calculates the value of the following statements for x in the range of  $-1 \leq x \leq 5$  with a step size of 0.25 using a **while** loop first and then **for** loop.

$$f(x) = 2x \sin(x) + \cos(x^2 \sqrt{2x})$$

- d. Write a program that prints an inverted pyramid as follows. The program needs to read the number of rows from the user. A sample run is as follows:

Enter number of rows: 3

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Enter number of rows: 8

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