

Solutions to Lars's Übung 2

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1 Aufgabe 1

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2   * (c) 2015 Clelia und Johannes */
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4  #include <stdio.h>
5
6  int main () {
7      int n = 10;          /* Addiere bis zu dieser Zahl */
8      int i;
9      int summe;           /* speichert Zwischenergebnis */
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11     i = 0;
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13     while (i < n) {
14         summe += i        /* addiere ite Zahl auf summe */
15     }
16     printf ("Das Ergebnis ist %f.\n", summe);
17     return 0;
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First of all we have to check whether the actual implementations compile. Using gcc we get the following error messages:

```
1 temp2.c: In function 'main':
2 temp2.c:15:5: error: expected ';' before '}' token
3     }
4     ^
5 temp2.c:16:13: warning: format '%f' expects argument of type 'double', but argument
6     2 has type 'int' [-Wformat=]
7     printf ("Das Ergebnis ist %f.\n"
```

The first error message misses the end of the instruction at the 15-th line. The second message is only a warning. It warns us that we print with %f a variable of int typ. This should be %d. The source code, that can be successfully compiled look like the following:

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However, even if the code compiles it does not guarantee a meaningful output. Running the code, it seems it runs forever. This is because the statements in **while** actually never become false, since **i** is not incremented inside **while**. This should be done with **i++**. Besides this, we have to initialize all variables correctly. This can be done together with the declaration. Committing the above changes our code will give meaningful results.

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Although our code now gives meaningful results, this does not mean, that it gives back the correct results. First of all at the twelfth line we assign **i** to the **summe** variable, instead of incrementing it with **i**. Second in the sum we also have to take into account **n** itself, so the statements in the **while** should be less or equal to **n**.

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This can be of course faster, using the well-known closed formula for the sum of the first n numbers.

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10
11      summe=n*(n+1)/2;
12      printf ("Das Ergebnis ist %d.\n", summe);
13      return 0;
14 }

```

2 Aufgabe 2

```

1  #include<stdio.h>
2  #include<math.h> //should be included (sqrt), compiled with -lm
3  int primetest(int c){
4      int n=2;
5      while ( ((double)n<sqrt((double)c)) && (c%n != 0)){
6          //until we have not reach one divisor of c, or its square root
7          //we increase n
8              n++;
9      }
10     //if we have not found any divisor, then it is a prime
11     if (c%n != 0)
12         return 1;
13     //if we have then it is not, we give back 0
14     else
15         return 0;
16 }
17 //looking for the first prime after n
18 int firstprimeaftern(int n){

```

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19     int c=n;
20     //start a loop at n until the number gets a prime
21     while( primetest(c) == 0 ){
22     //if it is not a prime yet, increase it by one
23         ++c;
24     }
25     printf("First prime number after %d is %d\n", n, c);
26     return c;
27 }
28 int main(){
29     int m=31;
30     int testres=primetest(m);
31     int a,b,c;
32     a=firstprimeaftern(20000);
33     b=firstprimeaftern(30000);
34     c=firstprimeaftern(40000);
35     printf("%d\n", testres);
36     printf("Solution b1 %d\n",a);
37     printf("Solution b2 %d\n",b);
38     printf("Solution b3 %d\n",c);
39 }

```

3 Aufgabe 3

```

1 //Implementing the square root
2 #include<stdio.h>
3 #include<math.h> //should be included because fabs
4 double sqrtown( double a){
5     double x=2;
6     double fx=1;
7     //looking for the fix point of the mapping f:0.5*(x+a/x)
8     //fabs(x-fx) = | x-fx | : measure how far we are from the fixpoint
9     while ( fabs(x-fx)>1e-10){
10         x=fx;
11         fx=0.5*(x+a/x);
12     }
13     //When we have found it, we just print it out and give it back
14     printf("Root is %f\n", x);
15     return x;
16 }
17 int main(){
18     double x=8.;
19     double root=sqrtown(x);
20     printf("Root of %e is %e\n", x, root);
21 }

```

4 Aufgabe 4

```

1 #include<stdio.h>
2 int gcr( int a, int b){
3 //do a loop "forever"
4     while (1){
5 //if one of the numbers get zero: we end the loop and
6 //return the other one: that will be the Greatest common factor.
7         if (a==0) return b;
8         if (b==0) return a;
9 //if not we make a new iteration with b, a%b, when a>b
10 //                                or with a, b%a in the other case
11         if (a>b)
12             a= a%b;
13         else
14             b= b%a;
15     }
16 }
17 int main(){
18     int a=15;
19     int b=20;
20     int fn=gcr(a,b);
21     printf("n=%d\n",fn);
22 }

```

5 Aufgabe 5

You can find it in the script.

6 Aufgabe 6

```

1 //we calculate an approximation to the summ of the 1/k**2 infinite series
2 #include<stdio.h>
3 #include<math.h>
4 int main(){
5     int k=1;//we summ from 1
6     double sum=0.;//very important initialization
7     //we summ the one over squares till the
8     //successive elements differ larger
9     //then 10**-8
10    while( fabs(1./(k+1)-1./((double)k)>1e-8){
11        sum+=1./((double)(k*k));
12        ++k;
13    }
14    printf("%e\n",sum);
15 }

```