

Lab 4

Programming to C

CSCI 112, Fall 2020

Objectives

- Work with strings
- Read and write to a file

Description:

This comes from problem 1, chapter 8 on page 515, 516.

You are to write a program that will read the names of hurricanes that affected Florida, their categories, and their date from the file `/public/lab4/hurricanes.csv`. You will write the list sorted by name to a file. Only print the number of the category, not the whole phrase that is in the file for category.

Requirements:

- Best practice: create a directory called `lab4` to work in
- Read from the file `/public/lab4/hurricanes.csv`
- Write the output to a file
- DO NOT USE GLOBALS.
- MUST COMPILE WITH `-Wall`
- You must submit:
 - 1) Screen shot showing your successful compile and the output
 - 2) source code
 - 3) output file
- Use an array of character strings to store each line read in.
Example: `char *hurricanes[100];`
This means you have to allocate memory (`malloc` or `calloc`) for each string before you read it in.
- Use `fgets` to read in the line.

A Section of My Output

| Hurricanes in Florida with category and date | | |
|--|---|-------------|
| Agnes | 1 | 19-Jun 1972 |
| Alma | 2 | 9-Jun 1966 |
| Andrew | 5 | 24-Aug 1992 |
| Betsy | 3 | 8-Sep 1965 |
| Charley | 4 | 13-Aug 2004 |
| Cleo | 2 | 27-Aug 1964 |
| David | 2 | 3-Sep 1979 |
| Dennis | 3 | 10-Jul 2005 |
| Donna | 4 | 10-Sep 1960 |
| Dora | 2 | 10-Sep 1964 |
| Earl | 1 | 3-Sep 1998 |
| Easy | 3 | 5-Sep 1950 |
| Elena | 3 | 1-Sep 1985 |
| Eloise | 3 | 23-Sep 1975 |

Submission

- Due Date: Sunday, 10/11 at 11pm

Each student will complete and submit this assignment individually. I will check for plagiarism. Labs submitted after the due date/time will not be accepted.

Grading

Points (100 pts)

- 5 points – comments explaining what your program does
- 10 points – indent your code so it is readable
- 15 points – submitted screenshot and output file as required above
- 15 points – compiles successfully with -Wall – no warnings
- 5 points – does not use globals
- 15 points – submitted source code
- 5 points – reads from the file in /public/lab4
- 5 points – prints to a file in a pleasing manner and shows all the information

- 5 points – uses fgets to read in each line
- 5 points – stores each line in an array of strings
- 5 points – sorts the array
- 5 points – prints only the category number
- 5 points – uses at least 2 functions plus main
- 10 points – uses malloc or calloc to allocate memory