

CSCD 240 Homework 2

Compute Median of an Array

Rules: Your code must use C Language. **If your program shows a compilation error**, you get a zero credit for this assignment. You have to use gcc compiler. If you turned in a corrupted file, not readable, you get a zero. If your program gets a segmentation fault error on the cslinux, you get a zero. **So please make sure your program works properly on the cslinux machine.**

Problem Description:

I have provide a **hw2_student.c**, where a main() function has been set up. Please do NOT change anything in the main(). Also you cannot change the signature for the provided functions. If you change, you lose 70% points.

You have to write two following functions that are called in the main(). **The descriptions of the functions, regarding parameters, what to do and how to implement, are provided as comments in the source code. PLEASE read these specifications first.**

```
//returns an array of numbers that are inputted by an user on standard input.  
int * readNumbers( int * total )
```

```
//computes the median for the array returned by the function readNumbers.  
int computeMedian(int *p, int n)
```

Submission:

- 1) Your completed c file as hw2_student.c,
- 2) A simple makefile compiles the code into executable hw2
- 3) Run your program against valgrind and include a screenshot of the valgrind report. Also please make sure there is no memory error or memory leak in the report.
- 4) Zip up all your source files, the valgrind report and the makefile above into a zip file, name it using our naming convention. **Please submit your single zip file on EWU Canvas by following CSCD240-01 Course → Assignments → hw2 → Submit Assignment to upload your single zip file.**

Test Case 1 and output:

```
Please input positive integer numbers ( or zero ),  
input (-1) to finish input:  
6 5 0 2 4 -1  
The median for the group of numbers you input is: 4
```

Test Case 2 and output:

```
Please input positive integer numbers ( or zero ),  
input (-1) to finish input:  
-1  
No positive number has been input!
```

Test Case 3 and output:

```
Please input positive integer numbers ( or zero ),  
input (-1) to finish input:  
4 1 3 2 -1  
The median for the group of numbers you input is: 2
```