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A pointer in C is a way to share a memory address among different contexts (primarily functions). They are primarily used whenever a function needs to modify the content of a variable, of which it doesn't have ownership.

In order to access the memory address of a variable, val, we need to prepend it with & sign. E.g., &val returns the memory address of val.

This memory address is assigned to a pointer and can be shared among various functions. E.g.  $int^*p = \&val$  will assign the memory address of val to pointer p. To access the content of the memory to which the pointer points, prepend it with a \*. For example, \*p will return the value reflected by  ${\it val}$  and any modification to it will be reflected at the source ( ${\it val}$ ).

```
void increment(int *v) {
    (*v)++;
int main() {
    int a;
    scanf("%d", &a);
    increment(&a);
    printf("%d", a);
    return 0;
```

You have to complete the function  $void\ update(int\ *a,int\ *b)$ , which reads two integers as argument, and sets a with the sum of them, and b with the absolute difference of them.

- a' = a + b
- b' = |a b|

## **Input Format**

Input will contain two integers,  $\boldsymbol{a}$  and  $\boldsymbol{b}$ , separated by a newline.

### **Output Format**

You have to print the updated value of a and b, on two different lines.

P.S.: Input/ouput will be automatically handled. You only have to complete the void update(int \*a,int \*b) function.

# **Sample Input**

5

#### **Sample Output**

9

1

### **Explanation**

• 
$$a' = 4 + 5 = 9$$

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• b' = |4-5| = 1

14 15

16 } 17 return 0;

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printf("%d\n%d", a, b); 12 13

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