

Course COMP-8567

Assignment 01

Summer 2024

Due Date: Jun/11/2024, 11 PM

Write a C program **dftw** that performs actions based on various command line arguments as listed below:

**dftw -nf [root\_dir]**

- Lists the count of all files present in the entire subtree rooted at *root\_dir*
- *root\_dir* is a valid absolute path of a directory that belongs to the subtree rooted at `~` (home directory)

**Example:** `$dftw -nf /home/pranga/chapter2` should list the count of all files in the **entire subtree rooted at /home/pranga/chapter2**, i.e not only the files in the chapter2 folder but also all of its subdirectories, further subdirectories(if any), and so on.

**dftw -nd [root\_dir]**

- Lists the count of **all directories** present in the entire subtree rooted at *root\_dir*

**dftw -sf [root\_dir]**

- Lists the size of **all files (in bytes)** present in the entire subtree rooted at *root\_dir*

**dftw -cpx [source\_dir] [destination\_dir] [file extension]**

Copy the entire subdirectory rooted at *source\_dir* to *destination\_dir* and do not delete the directory (and contents) rooted at *source\_dir*.

- Exclude files of type denoted by the *file extension*
- The sub-directory structure at the destination must match the subdirectory structure at the source.
- *file extension*: `.c`, `.txt`, `.pdf` (one of the three)
- If *file extension* is not provided, all files must be copied

**Example:** `$dftw -cpx /home/pranga/chapter2 /home/pranga/Documents .txt` must copy the entire subdirectory rooted at chapter2 to Documents (minus the .txt files).

**dftw -mv [source\_dir] [destination\_dir]**

Move the entire subdirectory directory rooted at *source\_dir* to *destination\_dir* and delete the directory (and contents) rooted at *source\_dir*.

**Mandatory Requirement:**

You must use the system call `nftw()` that allows you to traverse a file tree. This system call will recursively visit all the files/directories present in the tree and will call your own function (a function that you pass as a parameter). You need to read the manual of `nftw()` before you start working on your assignment.

**Submission Instructions (Note: Plagiarism Detection Tool: MOSS)**

You need to submit the following:

1. `a1_firstname_lastname_SID.c`
3. Zoom/Google Drive recording link explaining the following (not more than 15 minutes)
  - Overall working of the code and various modules (around 8-9 minutes)
  - Execution of the code under various inputs/conditions as per the requirements of the assignment (around 6-7 minutes)
  - Other form of links/MP4 files will NOT be acceptable.
  - Include the link in the COMMENTS section.