

Structures and Unions

AIM:

To understand the working of Structures and Unions.

OBJECTIVES:

- To understand the logic of Structures.
- To understand the logic of Unions.
- To realise the difference between Structures & Unions.

PROGRAMS:

• Experiment - 1:

To find sum, difference, product and display complex numbers, using structure.

Input / Output:

Get two complex numbers from the user and print the sum, difference, product of the complex num.

Code:

```

struct Complex {
    float real, imag;
};
typedef struct Complex complex;

void print(complex a) {
    if (a.imag >= 0) {
        printf("%f + i%f", a.real, a.imag);
    }
    else {
        printf("%f - i%f", a.real, a.imag*(0.1));
    }
}

complex add(complex *u, complex *v) {
    complex z;
    z.real = u->real + v->real;
    z.imag = u->imag + v->imag; return z; }

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complex subtract (complex *u, complex *v){
    complex z;
    z.real = u->real - v->real;
    z.imag = u->imag - v->imag;
    return z;
}

complex multiply (complex *u, complex *v){
    complex z;
    z.real = u->real * v->real;
    z.imag = u->imag * v->imag;
    z.real = u->real * v->imag;
    z.imag = u->imag * v->real;
    return z;
}

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Test Cases

- Input: 1, 2 | 1, 2
- Output: complex - 1 = 1.00 + i2.00
 complex - 2 = 1.00 + i2.00
 Addition = 2.00 + i4.00
 Subtraction = 0.00 + i0.00
 Multiply = -3.00 + i4.00

• Experiment - 2:

Stores data of employees in a structure and display values.

Input/Output:

Get details of employees and store in structs.
 Print the employees working in Chennai and average age of all employees.

Code:

```
typedef struct Employee empData;  
void print_chennaites (empData *empdata, int emp-count){  
    int count=0;  
    char *Chennai = "Chennai";  
    while (count++ < emp-count){  
        if (strstr (empdata->prof_data.city, Chennai) != NULL){  
            printf("( %d)", count);  
            printf("%s", empdata->Name);  
            printf("%d", empdata->Personal_data.age);  
        }  
        empdata++;  
        printf("\n");  
    }  
}  
  
float average_age (empdata *empdata, int emp-count){  
    float avg = 0.0;  
    int count = 0;  
    while (count++ < emp-count){  
        avg += (float) (empdata->personal_data.age);  
        empdata++;  
    } avg /= empcount;  
    return avg;  
}
```

Test Cases :

- Input : emp.txt | with employee details.
- Output : People from Chennai,
Average age of employees.

• Experiment - 3:

Working of Unions and how it is different from Structures.

Explanation of Output:

This program shows us that:

- In an Union datatype, all members share ~~the~~ same memory space.
- The size of the union is determined by the size of the largest member.
- Unions are useful when you want to save memory and only need at least one member at a time.
- Unions are different from Structs. Structs create separate memory for every member and enables it to be accessed any time.

REMARKS:

- typedef are used to create an alias for existing datatypes.

CONCLUSION:

The workings of Structure and Unions are understood by working these exercises.