

# Standard Library in C

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# Introduction

- ❖ Standard libraries:
  - type definitions
  - variable declarations
  - constant and macro definitions
  - Functions
- ❖ Description and usage information can be obtained from `man` pages on unix-like OS or the web
  - section 3
  - on unix and unix-like OS: in the terminal type: `man [<section>] <library_function_name>`
  - Many websites host copies of the man pages: [Die](#), [HE](#), [MAN7](#), ...
- ❖ List of standard library header files:  
assert.h   ctype.h   errno.h   float.h   limits.h   locale.h   math.h   setjmp.h  
signal.h   stdarg.h   stddef.h   stdio.h   stdlib.h   string.h   time.h

# Library `stdio.h`

## ❖ Types

- `size_t`
- `FILE`

## ❖ Constants

- `NULL`
- `EOF`
- `SEEK_CUR`
- `SEEK_END`
- `SEEK_SET`
- `stderr`
- `stdin`
- `stdout`

## ❖ Functions

- `FILE *fopen(const char *, const char *)`
- `int fclose(FILE *)`
- `int fflush(FILE *)`

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- `int getchar(void)`
  - `char *gets(char *)`
  - `int scanf(const char *, ...)`
  - `int putchar(int char)`
  - `int puts(const char *)`
  - `int printf(const char *, ...)`

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- `int fgetc(FILE *)`
  - `int ungetc(int char, FILE *stream)`
  - `char *fgets(char *, int , FILE *)`
  - `int fscanf(FILE *, const char *, ...)`
  - `int fputc(int, FILE *)`
  - `int fputs(const char *, FILE *)`
  - `int fprintf(FILE *, const char *, ...)`
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# Library `stdio.h`

## ❖ Functions (cont.)

- `size_t fread(void *, size_t, size_t, FILE *)`
- `size_t fwrite(const void *, size_t, size_t, FILE *)`  
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- `void rewind(FILE *)`
- `int fseek(FILE *, long int, int)`
- `int fgetpos(FILE *, fpos_t *)`
- `int fsetpos(FILE *, const fpos_t *)`
- `long int ftell(FILE *)`  
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- `int remove(const char *)`
- `int rename(const char *, const char *)`  
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# Library `stdlib.h`

## ❖ Types

- `size_t`

## ❖ Constants

- `NULL`
- `EXIT_FAILURE`  
`EXIT_SUCCESS`
- `RAND_MAX`

## ❖ Functions (cont.)

- `void *malloc(size_t)`
- `void *calloc(size_t, size_t)`
- `void *realloc(void *, size_t)`
- `void free(void *)`  
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- `double atof(const char *)`
- `int atoi(const char *)`
- `long int atol(const char *)`
- `double strtod(const char *, char **)`
- `long int strtol(const char *, char **, int)`
- `unsigned long int strtoul(const char *, char **, int)`  
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- `void abort(void)`
- `void exit(int)`
- `int atexit(void (*func)(void))`
- `int system(const char *string)`  
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- `int abs(int x)`
- `long int labs(long int x)`

# Library `stdlib.h`

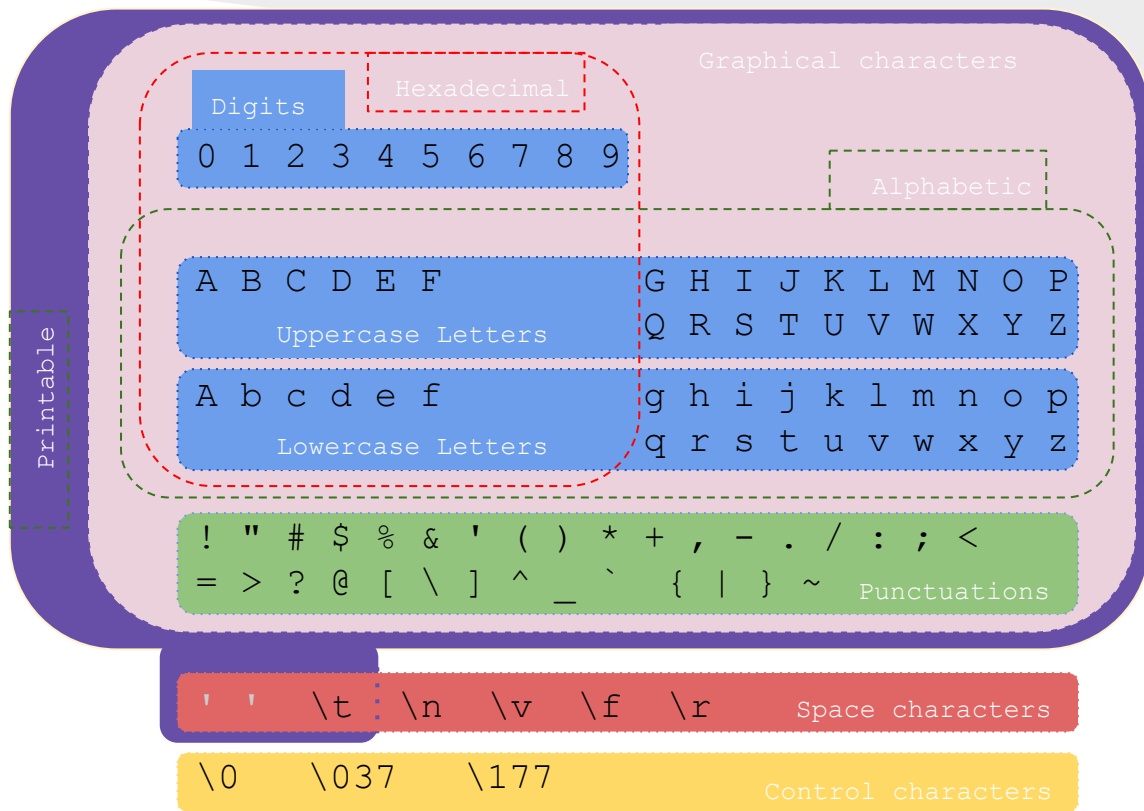
## ❖ Functions (cont.)

- o `int rand(void)`
- o `void srand(unsigned int seed)`  
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- o `void *bsearch(const void *, const void *, size_t, size_t,  
int (*compar)(const void *, const void *))`
- o `void qsort(void *, size_t, size_t, int (*compar)(const void *, const void*))`

# Library `ctype.h`

## ❖ Functions (cont.)

- o `int isalnum(int c)`
- o `int isalpha(int c)`
- o `int iscntrl(int c)`
- o `int isdigit(int c)`
- o `int isgraph(int c)`
- o `int islower(int c)`
- o `int isprint(int c)`
- o `int ispunct(int c)`
- o `int isspace(int c)`
- o `int isupper(int c)`
- o `int isxdigit(int c)`
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- o `int tolower(int c)`
- o `int toupper(int c)`





# Library `stdarg.h`

## ❖ Types

- `va_list`

## ❖ Macros

- `void va_start(va_list, last_arg)`
- `type va_arg(va_list, type)`
- `void va_end(va_list)`
- `void va_copy(va_list, va_list)`

# Library `math.h`

## ❖ Arithmetic functions

◦ <code>double fabs(double )</code>	$ x $
◦ <code>double ceil(double )</code>	$\lceil x \rceil$
◦ <code>double floor(double )</code>	$\lfloor x \rfloor$
◦ <code>double fmod(double , double )</code>	$x \% y$
◦ <code>double modf(double , double *)</code>	$x - \lfloor x \rfloor, \lfloor x \rfloor$

## ❖ Exponential functions

◦ <code>double pow(double , double )</code>	$x^y$
◦ <code>double sqrt(double )</code>	$\sqrt{x}$
◦ <code>double exp(double )</code>	$e^x$
◦ <code>double ldexp(double , int )</code>	$x \cdot 2^y$
◦ <code>double log(double )</code>	$\log_e x$
◦ <code>double log10(double )</code>	$\log_{10} x$

## ❖ Trigonometric functions

◦ <code>double sin(double )</code>	$\sin(x)$
◦ <code>double cos(double )</code>	$\cos(x)$
◦ <code>double asin(double )</code>	$\sin^{-1}(x)$
◦ <code>double acos(double )</code>	$\cos^{-1}(x)$
◦ <code>double atan(double )</code>	$\tan^{-1}(x)$

- ❑ All functions take and yields double precision floating point values.
- ❑ Trigonometric functions deals with input and output angles in radians.

# Example

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <math.h>
const double PI = acos(-1);
const double E = exp(1);
int main(){
    double buf;
    printf("pi = %f\n", PI);
    printf("e = %f\n", E);

    printf("Absolute: |%f| = %f \n", -1.3, fabs(-1.3));
    printf("Floor: %f >= %f\n", -1.3, floor(-1.3));
    printf("Ceiling: %f <= %f\n", -1.3, ceil(-1.3));
    printf("F Mod: %f mod %f = %f\n", 18.9, 9.2, fmod(18.9, 9.2));
    printf("Split: %f into %f and ", 427.049, modf(427.049, &buf));
    printf("%f\n", buf);
    printf("Floor: %f >= %f = \n", -1.3, floor(1.0/3+1.0/3+1.0/3));

    printf("Fifth root of : %f is %f\n", 1.3, pow(1.3, 1.0/5));
    printf("Square root of : %f is %f\n", 112.7, sqrt(112.7));
    printf("%fx2^%d = %f\n", 5.2, 7, ldexp(5.2, 7));
    printf("Loge %f\t= Loge 10\t\tLog10 %f\n", 5.2, 5.2);
    printf("%f\t= %f\t\t%f\n", log(5.2), log(10), log10(5.2));

    printf("Sin(%d deg) = Sin(%dxPI/180 rad) = %f\n", 45, 45, sin(45*PI/180));
    return 0;
}
```

pi = 3.141593  
e = 2.718282

Absolute: |-1.300000| = 1.300000

Floor: -1.300000 >= -2.000000

Ceiling: -1.300000 <= -1.000000

F Mod: 18.900000 mod 9.200000 = 1.500000

Split: 427.049000 into 0.049000 and 427.000000

Floor: -1.300000 >= 1.000000 =

Fifth root of : 1.300000 is 1.053874

Square root of : 112.700000 is 10.616026

5.200000x2^7 = 665.600000

Loge 5.200000 = Loge 10 x Log10 5.200000

1.648659 = 2.302585 x 0.716003

Sin(45 deg) = Sin(45xPI/180) = 0.707107

# Library `string.h`

## ❖ Memory functions

- `int memcmp(const void *, const void *, size_t)`
- `void *memchr(const void *, int, size_t)`
- `void *memcpy(void *, const void *, size_t)`
- `void *memset(void *, int, size_t)`

## ❖ String functions

- `size_t strlen(const char *)`
- `char *strcat(char *, const char *)`
- `char *strncat(char *, const char *, size_t)`
- `char *strcpy(char *, const char *)`
- `char *strncpy(char *, const char *, size_t)`
- `int strcmp(const char *, const char *)`
- `int strncmp(const char *, const char *, size_t)`
- `char *strchr(const char *, int)`
- `char *strrchr(const char *, int)`
- `char *strstr(const char *, const char *)`
- `char *strpbrk(const char *, const char *)`
- `size_t strspn(const char *, const char *)`
- `size_t strcspn(const char *, const char *)`
- `char *strtok(char *, const char *)`

- ❑ In copying functions, the first parameter is the destination and the second is the source.
- ❑ In search functions, first parameter is the haystack (text) and the second is the needle (pattern).

# Example

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>

int main(){
    int* pArr = (int*)malloc(10*sizeof(int));
    char sentence[255], *word;
    memset(pArr, -100, 10*sizeof(int));
    printf("pArr[8]=%d\n", (char)pArr[8]);
    int iArr[] = {-3, 5, 0, 12, -8, 27};
    memcpy(pArr, iArr, 6*sizeof(int));
    printf("The 2 arrays are%s equal\n",memcmp(pArr,iArr,6*sizeof(int))?" not":"");
    int* ind = (int*)memchr(pArr, 12, 6*sizeof(int));
    printf("%d exist at index %d\n", 12, (int)(ind-pArr));

    char* name = "Adam";
    printf("Length of string %s is %d\n", name, (int)strlen(name));
    sprintf(sentence, "Length of string %s is %d\n", name, (int)strlen(name));
    word = strtok(sentence, " ");
    do {
        printf("%s\n", word);
    } while (word = strtok(NULL, " "));

    return 0;
}
```

```
pArr[8]=-100
The 2 arrays are equal
12 exist at index 3
Length of string Adam is 4
Length
of
string
Adam
is
4
```

# Libraries: `assert.h`, `errno.h` and `time.h`

## ❖ Macro of `assert.h`

- `void assert(int expression)`

## ❖ Macro of `errno.h`

- `extern int errno`

## ❖ `time.h`

- `clock_t`
- `time_t`
- `struct tm`

## ❖ Functions of `time.h`

- `clock_t` `clock()`
- `time_t` `time(time_t*)`
- `double` `difftime`(`time_t`, `time_t`)
- `time_t` `mktime`(`struct tm*`)
- `char*` `asctime`(`const struct tm*`)
- `char*` `ctime`(`const time_t`)
- `struct tm*` `gmtime`(`const time_t`)
- `struct tm*` `localtime`(`const time_t`)
- `size_t` `strftime`(`char*` , `size_t` , `const char*` , `const struct tm*` )

```
struct tm {  
    int tm_sec;      /* Seconds (0-60) */  
    int tm_min;      /* Minutes (0-59) */  
    int tm_hour;     /* Hours (0-23) */  
    int tm_mday;     /* Day of the month (1-31) */  
    int tm_mon;      /* Month (0-11) */  
    int tm_year;     /* Year - 1900 */  
    int tm_wday;     /* Day of week (0-6, Sunday=0) */  
    int tm_yday;     /* Day in year (0-365, 1 Jan=0) */  
    int tm_isdst;    /* Daylight saving time */  
};
```

Unix time epoch:  
1970, Jan, 1 00:00:00 UTC

# Example

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <time.h>
int main(){
    time_t rawtime;
    struct tm * timeinfo;
    char buffer [80];

    time(&rawtime);
    printf("%s\n", ctime(&rawtime));

    timeinfo = localtime(&rawtime);
    printf("%s\n", asctime(timeinfo));

    strftime(buffer,80,"Now it's %y/%m/%d.",timeinfo);
    puts(buffer);
    strftime(buffer,80,"Now it's %Y/%m/%d.",timeinfo);
    puts(buffer);
    return 0;
}
```

```
Tue Apr 18 04:55:50 2017
Tue Apr 18 04:55:50 2017
Now it's 17/04/18.
Now it's 2017/04/18.
```

```
#include <time.h>
#include <stdio.h>

int main(){
    clock_t start_t, end_t;
    float total_t;
    int i;
    start_t = clock();
    printf("Starting @ start_t = %ld\n", start_t);
    printf("Run a big loop\n", start_t);
    for(i=0; i< 10000000; i++) { }
    end_t = clock();
    printf("Ending @ end_t = %ld\n", end_t);
    total_t=1000*(float) (end_t-start_t)/CLOCKS_PER_SEC;
    printf("Total CPU time: %f ms\n",total_t );
    return(0);
}
```

```
Starting @ start_t = 7865
Run a big loop
Ending @ end_t = 7915
Total CPU time: 0.050000 ms
```