

LP104 Object-Oriented Programming

Lab 11 – File Input/Output

In this lab, you are required to complete the following tasks. Your programs must pass the compilation and testing.

Tasks

Q1. File reading

Given an input file named “**lab11-T1.txt**” with the following format:

- 3 data per line;
- 1st data: an integer;
- 2nd data: a real number;
- 3rd data: a name (a string which may contain spaces).

```
1234 10.0 Steve Mark
2345 11.0 Tai Man Chan
8938 17.5 Keith Morrison
4521 35.6 Mark Selby
6169 89.9 Hon Man Wong
7756 23.5 Chi Nin Tang
```

How can you read data from a file with the following format? Please write a program to read this file and output the result as follows:

Sample output:

```
Steve Mark 1234 10.0
Tai Man Chan 2345 11.0
Keith Morrison 8938 17.5
Mark Selby 4521 35.6
Hon Man Wong 6169 89.9
Chi Nin Tang 7756 23.5
```

Hint:

You may need to check whether the open of the input file is successful or failure by method `fail()`.

Q2. HTML Convert

HTML files use tags enclosed in angle brackets to denote formatting instructions. For example, `` indicates bold, `<I>` indicates italics, etc. If a web browser is displaying an HTML document that contains `<` or `>` then it may mistake these symbols for tags. This is a common problem with C++ files, which contain many `<`'s and `>`'s. For example, the line `"#include <iostream>"` may result in the browser interpreting `<iostream>` as a tag.

To avoid this problem, HTML uses special symbols to denote `<` and `>`. The `<` symbol is created with the string `<`; while the `>` symbol is created with the string `>`;

Write a program that reads in a C++ source file and converts all `<` symbols to `<` and all `>` symbols to `>`. Also add the tag `<PRE>` to the beginning of the file and `</PRE>` to the end of the file. This tag preserves whitespace and formatting in the HTML document. Your program should output the HTML file to disk.

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As an example, given the following input file (“t2_input1.cpp”)

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

int funtion()
{
    int x=4;
    if (x < 3) x++;
    cout << x << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

The program should produce a textfile with the following contents:

```
<PRE>
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

int funtion()
{
    int x=4;
    if (x < 3) x++;
    cout << x << endl;
    return 0;
}</PRE>
```

You can test your output file by opening it with a web browser. The contents should appear identical to the original source code.

Hint and Requirement:

- You may use **get ()** to read a character by character from the file;
- Your program shall give an error message with failing to open an input file;
- Do not write hardcoded (I will check your program with other testing cases).

Sample1

```
Task2: Html Convertor
Input your filename:
tt.txt
Task 2:
I/O failure opening file.
```

Sample2

```
Task2: Html Convertor
Input your filename:
t2_input1.cpp
Task 2:
Conversion done. Results in file t2_input1.cpp.html
```

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Bonus question

Can you revise the code of your task 2 so that it can convert the C++ source files to html files with colors.

For example, you shall use **blue** color to display the keywords, **red** color to display directives and constant string and **green** color to display the comments.

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

/*****
  there is the main program
*****/

int main()
{
    //some code
    int x=4;
    if (x < 3) x++;
    cout << "x:" << x << endl;
    return 0;
}
```