



Midterm 2019, partial answers

Programming Fundamentals for Software and Computer (University of Calgary)

Partial Solution for Midterm Exam Fall 2019

(AR Diagram Solutions Are Not Included)

Important Note: In this exam, if applies, you should assume all required header files are included. Also if necessary you can assume the size of int is 4 bytes and size of pointer is 8 bytes

Section I - Multiple Choice Section – Select the best answer (15 marks)

1. Which one of the following variable declaration will be automatically set to zero by the compiler.
- a. Local variables
 - b. Function arguments
 - c. Static data members of a function
 - d. Global variables
 - e. (a) and (b) are both correct answers
 - f. **(c) and (d) are both correct answers**
 - g. None of the above are correct answers

2. What is the output of the following program

<pre>void fun() { int j = 60; static int m = 30; printf("%d%d", ++j, ++ m); }</pre>	<pre>int main(){ int j; for(j = 0; j < 2; j++) fun(); return 0; }</pre>
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- a. 60306030
 - b. 61316131
 - c. **61316132**
 - d. 61316231
 - e. None of the above
3. Consider the following code segment:

1.	void fun() {
2.	char s[10] = "Mars";
3.	const char* p1 = s;
4.	char *const p2 = &s[2];
5.	*p2 = 'A';
6.	p1 = p1 + 1;
7.	p1 = p2;
8.	}

Which one of the following statements is correct?

- a. There is compilation error on line 4
 - b. There is compilation error on line 5
 - c. There is compilation error on line 6
 - d. There is compilation error on line 7
 - e. **None of the above**
4. What is the output of this code segment:

<pre>char * st1 = "LECTURE"; st1 = st1 + 2; printf("%s\n", &*(st1++));</pre>
--

- a. ECTURE
 - b. LECTURE
 - c. **CTURE**
 - d. NULL
 - e. None of the above
5. What is the output of this code segment if user input is 4.2

<pre>int i, j; printf ("%d\n", scanf("%d%d", &i, &j));</pre>
--

- a. 4
- b. 2
- c. **1**
- d. 0
- e. None of the above

6. What is the output of the following code segment:

```
char s1[100] = "ENG";
char s2[100] = "T";
printf("%s\n", strcat(s1, strcat(s2, "AB")));
```

- a. ABENG
- b. TENGAB
- c. ABTENG
- d. **ENG**AB
- e. None of the above.

7. What is the output of the following fprintf function call on the computer screen. Assume □, represents a space character on the screen :

```
double d = 9;
fprintf(stdout, "%-5.1f%+6.2f%4.1f\n", d, d, d);
```

- a. 9.0□□□□□□□□□□+9.00□□□9.0
- b. **9.0□□□+9.00□9.0**
- c. □□□□9.0□□□□□+9.00□□□9.0
- d. None of the above

8. What is the output of the following code segment?

```
int numbers [7] = {11, 22, 33, 44, 55, 66, 17};
int *p = &numbers[7];
printf("%d\n", (int)(p - numbers));
```

- a. 0
- b. Garbage
- c. **7**
- d. 6
- e. -7
- f. None of the above

9. Which one of the following lines of C code gives a compilation error?

```
1 const char* s = "1234567";
2 const char* p = s;
3 s = 3 + s;
4 s = 3 - s;
5 long y = p - s;
```

- a. Line 1
- b. Line 2
- c. Line 3
- d. **Line 4**
- e. Line 5
- f. None of the above

Use the following code segment to answer questions 10, and 11.

```
typedef struct Car{
    char make[6];
    int seats;
    double price;
    struct Car* next;
}Car;
```

10. What is the output of the following code?

```
Car c2 = {"Honda", 7, 3000, NULL};
Car c1 = {"Ford", 5, 20000, &c2};
c2.seats = c1.seats;
*(c1.next->make + 1) = *c1.make + 1 ;printf("%s", c2.make);
```

- a. Garbage
- b. **HGnda**
- c. Fonda
- d. HFond
- e. None of the above

11. Which line in the following code segment gives a compilation error?

```
1 Car c2 = {"Honda", 7, 3000, NULL};
2 Car c1 = {"Ford", 5, 20000, &c2};
3 *c1.make = *c2.make;
4 c1 = c2;
5 c2.make = c1.make;
```

- a. Line 3
- b. Line 4
- c. **Line 5**
- d. None of the above.

Use the following code segment to answer questions 12, 13.

```
typedef struct player_info_s{
    char name[20];
    int age;
}Player_info;

typedef struct player_s{
    Player_info p_info;
    double speed;
}Player;

int main (){
    Player flames [2] = {{{"Iginla", 33}, 1.00},{{"Tanguay", 30}, 0.8}};
    Player *p;
    p = flames;
    return 0;
}
```

12. With regards to the above code, which one of the following lines of code can be used to change “age” for the first index of the array “flames”:

- a. (*p).p_info.age = 32;
- b. p ->p_info.age = 32;
- c. flames[0].p_info.age = 32;
- d. (*flames).p_info.age = 32;
- e. flames ->p_info.age = 32;
- f. All of the above

13. With regards to the above code, what would be the output of the following printf statement:

```
const char* pc = (*(flames + 1)).p_info.name + 3 ;
printf("%s", pc );
```

- a. Garbage
- a. Iginla
- b. nla
- c. guay
- d. Tanguay
- e. None of the above

14. Consider the following small program:

```
void foo (int *x, int *y, int *z){
    *z = (*x) * (*y);
}
```

Which one of the following prototype of function foo are incorrect?

- a. void foo (int a[60], int b[70], int c[1000]);
- b. void foo (int a[], int b[], int c[]);
- c. void foo (int *a, int *b, int *c);
- d. All of the above
- e. None of the above

15. Consider the following struct and main function:

```
struct person{
    char name [100];
    char mid_init;
};

int main (){
    struct person p1;
    func (*p1.name, &p1.mid_init, &p1);
}
```

Which one of the followings is the correct function prototype for function “func”:

- a. void func(char*, char*, struct person*);
- b. void func(char, char*, person*);
- c. void func(char, char*, struct person*);
- d. void func(char*, char*, person*);
- e. None of the above

Section II – Short Answer Questions (10 marks)

Part a. (1 marks.) What is the output from the following code fragment?

```
int a[5] = { 2 - 2, 1, 0, 1, -2
}, i;
for (i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
    if (a[i])
        printf("Y");
    else
        printf("N");
}
```

Answer: NYNYN

Part b. (2 marks.) An executable file is made from the two rather bizarre files below. What is the output of the program?

File main.c	File stuff.h
<pre>#include <stdio.h> int main(void) { #include "stuff.h" #include "stuff.h" return 0; }</pre>	<pre>printf("hello!\n"); #ifdef GOODBYE #define GOODBYE "bye!" printf("GOODBYE %s\n", GOODBYE); #endif</pre>

Answer:
hello!
GOODBYE bye!
hello!

Part c. (2 marks.) What is the output of the program if the size of an int is 4 bytes and the size of a pointer is 8 bytes?

Answer is:
main says 5
func says 2

What is the output of the program if the sizes of ints and pointers are both 4 bytes

Answer is:
main says 5
func says 1

```
#include <stdio.h>
void func(int y[5]);
int main(void) {
    int x[5] = {10, 8, 6, 4, 2};
    printf("main says %lu\n",
        sizeof(x)/sizeof(x[0]));
    func(x);
    return 0;
}
void func(int y[5]) {
    printf("func says %lu\n", sizeof(y)/sizeof(y[0]));
}
```

Part d. (2 marks.) What is the output from the following program? For full credit, you must show how you got your answer.

```
#include <stdio.h>
#define MAC1(x) x * x
#define MAC2(y, z) MAC1(y) - MAC1(z)
int main(void) {
    printf("%d\n", MAC2(3 + 1, 2 + 3));
    return 0;
}
```

Answer: 14
3 + 1 * 3 + 1 - 2 + 3 * 2 + 3
3 + 3 + 1 - 2 + 6 + 3 = 14

Part e. (3 marks.) What is the output from the following code fragment? For full credit, you must show how you got your answer.

```
char x[10] = {
    'A', 'B', 'C', '\0', '\0',
    '\0', '\0', '\0', '\0', '\0'
};
strcat(x, "UV");
x[8] = 'W';
printf("%lu %lu %lu %lu\n",
    strlen(x), strlen(x+2), strlen(x+5), strlen(x+8));
```

Answer: 5 3 0 1
Array x will b holding: "ABCUV\0\0\0W\0
Therefore:
strlen(x) == 5
strlen(x + 2) == 3
strlen(x + 5) == 0
strlen(x + 8) == 1

Section III – AR diagrams – 15 marks

Part a. Draw a memory diagram for point one in the following C++ program (7 marks).

```
int counter;
char * build (const char *z, int n){
    char *p = malloc (n);
    char *s = p;
    while (*z){
        *p++ = *z++;
        counter++;
    }
    *p++ = '\0';
    //-----POINT 1
    return s;
}
char * foo (const int *x, double *y, const char *z)
{
    y[0] = 100;
    *(y + 1) = 200;
    return build(z, *x);
}
int main (){
    const int size = 5;
    double a [size] = {11, 22, 33, 44, 55};
    const char *p = foo (&size , a + 3, "ABC");
    printf("%s", p);
}
```

Part b. Consider the following C program, and draw an AR diagram for point one (8 marks).

```
typedef struct Point_s { int x, y; } Point;
typedef struct Circle_s{
    int radius;
    Point* centre;
} Circle;

Point ref = {660, 710};

void doSomething(Circle *x, Circle *y) {
    *x = *y;
    // Point ONE
}

Circle* create_circles(int size){
    Circle* p = calloc(size, sizeof (Circle));
    assert(p != NULL);

    for(int i =0; i<size; i++) {
        p[i].radius = 100 + i;
        p[i].centre = malloc(sizeof(Point));
        assert(p[i].centre != NULL);
        *p[i].centre = ref;
    }
    return p;
}

int main(){
    Point def = {45};
    Circle *arr = create_circles(3);
    *(arr[1].centre) = def;
    doSomething (arr, arr + 2);
    return 0;
}
```

SECTION IV – Function Definitions (22 marks)

Part a (8 marks) – Write a definition for function copy based on given function interface comment.

```
void copy(const char* input_file, const char *output_file);
/* REQUIRES: input_file and output_file point to valid C-strings representing input
 * and output file names.
 * PROMISES: opens two text files (an input and an output file), and copies every
 * content of the input file into the output file with the exception that if any
 * character is an upper case letter will be converted to lower case before writing */
```

Note: You are not allowed to use library functions such as islower, isupper, tolower and toupper in this question

```
void copy(const char* input, const char *output){
    FILE *fpin, *fpout;

    fpin = fopen(input, "rt");
    if(fpin == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "input file cannot be openee");
        exit(1);
    }

    fpout = fopen(output, "wt");
    if(fpout == NULL) {
        fprintf(stderr, "output file cannot be openee");
        exit(1);
    }
    // reads the first character
    int c;
    c = fgetc(fpin);

    if(ferror(fpin)){
        fprintf(stderr, "read failed ....");
        exit(1);
    }
    //checks if read operation hits end of file
    while(c != EOF) {
        if(c >= 'A' && c <= 'Z' )
            c = c + ('a' - 'A');

        fputc(c, fpout);
        if(ferror(fpout)){
            fprintf(stderr, "write failed ....");
            exit(1);
        }
        // updates the value c by reading a new character
        c = fgetc(fpin);

        if(ferror(fpin)){
            fprintf(stderr, "read failed ....");
            exit(1);
        }
    }
    fclose(fpin);
    fclose(fpout);
}
```

Part b (6 marks) - Write a the definition of remove_outliers based on given function interface comment.

```
void remove_outliers(int* x, int n, int min, int max);
/* REQUIRES: x points to an integer array with n numbers
 * PROMISES: if any element of x holds a value less than min or greater than max will
 * be removed in place. It means the values to the right of the removed number will
 * be all shifted to the left.
    This line was added during the exam: Returns the number of elements of array x after
    removing the outliers.
*/
```

Here are two possible solutions:

```
int remove_outliers(int* a, int n, int min, int max) {
    int j = 0, j = 0;
    while (i < n){
        if(a[i] >= min && a[i] <= max) {
            a[j] = a[i];
            j++;
        }
        i++;
    }
    return j;
}

//----- SOLUTION TWO -----
int remove_outliers1(int* a, int n, int min, int max) {
    int i, j, k=0;
    for(i = 0; i < n; i++){
        if(a[i] < min || a[i] > max){
            for (j = i; j < n-1; j++)
                a[j] = a[j+1];
            i--; // make sure not to skip next number if it is outlier
            k++;
        }
    }
    return i - k;
}
```


Part c. (8 marks) Write the definition of function `same_letters` based on given function interface comment.

```
int same_letters(const char *s, const char *t);
// REQUIRES: s and t point to beginnings of strings.
// PROMISES:
// Return value is 1 if the two strings contain the same sequence of letters in the
// same order; characters that are not letters are ignored. Otherwise, return value
// is 0.
// EXAMPLES:
// same_letters("ENEL", ".E..N...E....L...") == 1
// same_letters("A B C D", " ABC ") == 0, because there is no match for 'D' in the
// second string.
// same_letters("__A_B_c", ",,A,B,C,,") == 0, because 'c' is not the
// same letter as 'C'.
```

Hint #1: The library function

```
int isalpha(int c);
```

returns a non-zero value if `c` is the character code for a letter and a zero value otherwise.

Hint #2: Here's some **imprecise** pseudocode for an algorithm:

```
while (1) {
    loop through first string to find a letter or '\0'
    loop through second string to find a letter or '\0'
    if (characters do not match)
        break
    if (characters are both '\0')
        break
}
```

```
int same_letters(const char *s, const char *t)
{
    int result = 1;
    int si = 0, ti = 0; // indexes into s and t
    while (1) {
        while (s[si] != '\0' && !isalpha(s[si]))
            si++;
        while (t[ti] != '\0' && !isalpha(t[ti]))
            ti++;
        // Change result to 0 if two letters don't match or we're
        // comparing a letter to '\0'.
        if (s[si] != t[ti]) {
            result = 0;
            break;
        }
        // result stays 1 if we're at the ends of both strings.
        if (s[si] == '\0' || t[ti] == '\0')
            break;
        // If we're here, two letters just matched, so we need to step
        // forward in both strings.
        si++;
        ti++;
    }
    return result;
}
```