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CMPPSC 297 - Introduction to C Programming



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Week #1

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- Canvas (if enrolled)
- <https://psucmpsc311.github.io/> (if auditing)
- Piazza: <http://piazza.com/psu/fall2021/cmpsc297>

Practice – RUN 1



- 0) Clone git repository with Makefile for week#1 (<https://classroom.github.com/a/7Qzr-KMS>)
- 1) Open **week1.c** in an editor (create a new file)
- 2) Add the **main** function to the code (you can use **void** as the parameters)
- 3) Add a print statement "**Hello, world\n**" using the **printf** function. Add the **include file** for the **printf** function (**stdio.h**).
- 4) Return the value **0** from **main**

RUN 1 - save, file then make and run the program.

```
-- EXPECTED OUTPUT --  
$ make  
gcc -l. -c -g -Wall -l. week1.c -o  
  week1.o  
gcc week1.o -o week1  
$ ./week1  
Hello, world  
$  
---
```

Practice – RUN 2



- 5) Create a functional prototype for the function **ABOVE** the `main` function. The function should be called `function1`, receive two `int` parameters (`a` and `b`), and return an `int`
- 6) Create the body of the function `function1` **BELOW** the `main` function. The function should return `a` if `a > b`, `b` if `b > a`, and `0` if `a == b`. This will require you to use if and else if statements.
- 7) Add a comment above the function (neatly) that describes the function (you can past the test for #6 above).
- 8) Add the following calls to `function1` in the `main` program after the hello `printf`.

```
printf("function 1 : A=8, B=6 -> %d\n", function1(8, 6));  
printf("function 1 : A=3, B=6 -> %d\n", function1(3, 6));  
printf("function 1 : A=6, B=6 -> %d\n", function1(6, 6));
```

RUN 2 - save, file then make and run the program.

```
-- EXPECTED OUTPUT --  
$ make  
gcc -l. -c -g -Wall -l. week1.c -o  
week1.o  
gcc week1.o -o week1  
$ ./week1  
Hello, world  
function 1 : A=8, B=6 -> 8  
function 1 : A=3, B=6 -> 6  
function 1 : A=6, B=6 -> 0  
$  
---
```

Practice – RUN 3



- 9) Create a second functional prototype above the main function, and the function body below main for the function `function2`. Function2 should receive `a pointer to an array of integers`, and the `length of the array as an int`. The function should return an `int`.
- 10) In the body of `function2` walk the list of integers and count the number of even numbers and return that count.
- 11) Add the following global variables above `main`.

```
int arr1[5] = { 2, 4, 6, 9, 7 };
```

```
int arr2[6] = { 0x3, 0x6, 4, 8, 9, 11 };
```

- 12) Add the following calls to your main function (below the other calls):

```
printf("function 2 : arr1 has %d even integers\n", function2(arr1, 5));
```

```
printf("function 2 : arr2 has %d even integers\n", function2(arr2, 6));
```

RUN 3 - save, file then make and run the program.

```
-- EXPECTED OUTPUT --
$ make
gcc -l. -c -g -Wall -l. week1.c -o week1.o
gcc week1.o -o week1
$ ./week1
Hello, world
function 1 : A=8, B=6 -> 8
function 1 : A=3, B=6 -> 6
function 1 : A=6, B=6 -> 0
function 2 : arr1 has 3 even integers
function 2 : arr2 has 3 even integers
$
---
```

Practice – RUN 4



13) Create a third functional prototype `function3` which accepts one integer `x` and returns an integer. Create the body for the function.

14) Implement the `function3` which computes the factorial as follows (for input `x`).

If `x < 0`, emit the following error message:

`"function3 called with illegal input (%d)\n"` (use `printf`)

If `x == 0`, return `0`

If `x > 0`, then return the `factorial value`, which is the sum of the values from `x` to `1`.
e.g.,

`x=3 -> return 3*2*1 = 6`

`x=3 -> return 5*4*3*2*1 = 120`

* Note: You are NOT allowed to use a `for` statement. You can use a `while` or `do loop`, or implement this **recursively**.

RUN 4 - save, file then make and run the program.

-- EXPECTED OUTPUT --

```
$ make
gcc -l. -c -g -Wall -l. week1.c -o week1.o
gcc week1.o -o week1
$ ./week1
Hello, world
function 1 : A=8, B=6 -> 8
function 1 : A=3, B=6 -> 6
function 1 : A=6, B=6 -> 0
function 2 : arr1 has 3 even integers
function 2 : arr2 has 3 even integers
Function3 (factorial) x=1 = 1
Function3 (factorial) x=3 = 6
Function3 (factorial) x=5 = 120
Function3 (factorial) x=0 = 0
function3 called with illegal input (-1)
Function3 (factorial) x=-1 = -1
$
---
```