

(60-140) Lab Exercises #6
— Working with loops (Cont.)

October 30, 2017

1. RAPTOR: loop structures

- (a) Create a flowchart for a program that takes one integer n between 2 and 9 as input from the user. If the input is in range, the program prints n lines, each of which starts with a random number r_k in the range between 2 and 9, $k = n, n - 1, \dots, 1$. If r_k is closer to 0 than 10, the program prints $r_k - 1$ number of k , and then ends the current line immediately. Otherwise, it prints r_k number of spaces first and then print $10 - r_k$ number of k before ending the current line. Typical samples of running the program are shown below.

```
Enter a number between 2 and 9: 9
9:      9
3: 88
4: 777
8:      66
6:      5555
7:      444
4: 333
4: 222
7:      111
```

```
Enter a number between 2 and 9: 2
4: 222
3: 11
```

```
Enter a number between 2 and 9: 5
5:      55555
2: 4
7:      333
7:      222
7:      111
```

```
Enter a number between 2 and 9: 7
3: 77
8:      66
5:      55555
4: 444
3: 33
5:      22222
5:      11111
```

- (b) For simplicity, it is assumed that the user input is always in range.
- (c) After trying out the flowchart with several numbers in range, save the modified flowchart to “16_numbers.rap”, and submit it online.

2. Algorithm implementation with C programming languages:

- (a) Implement the algorithm as represented by “16_numbers.rap”, and write an equivalent C program that not only accomplishes what the flowchart does but also follows the structure of the flowchart when choosing C loop statements.
- (b) Save your program to a file named “16_numbers.c” in your working directory, and submit it online.

Evaluation: All online submissions must be completed before due time, which will be kept on record.

In addition, every student is required to show/demonstrate his/her complete exercises to a GA/TA at the end of this lab, or at the beginning of the next lab after completing online submission. The demonstration includes showing the submitted flowchart and/or C codes, compiling the C program, and trying out the flowchart and C program with different input values. The maximum marks for this lab is 15, with 10 for the lab work (submission and demonstration) and 5 for lab attendance.