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# What is function prototype?

- Function prototype tells the compiler:
  - the name of the function
  - the type of the output returned by the function
  - the total no of arguments received by the function

Ex: `int add(int, int);`

Return type      Name of the function      Parameter list



There are mainly four types of functions:

1. Function with no arguments and no return values
2. Function with arguments and no return values
3. Function with arguments and one return values
4. Function with no arguments but return a value
5. Function that returns multiple values

## Function with no arguments and no return values

```
#include<stdio.h>

void printsum(); // function
                  declaration

void main()
{
    printsum();
}

void printsum() // function
                definition
{
    printf("Sum of 2 and 3
           is:%d", (2+3));
}
```

## Function with arguments and no return values

```
#include<stdio.h>

void add(int, int); // function
                    declaration

void main()
{
    add(2,3);
}

void add(int a, int b) // function
                      definition
{
    int c;
    c=a+b;
    printf("Sum of 2 and 3
           is:%d", c);
}
```

## Function with arguments and one return values

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

```
int add(int, int); // function  
                        declaration
```

```
void main()
```

```
{  
    int r;  
    r = add(2,3);  
    printf("Sum of 2 and 3  
                        is:%d", r);  
}
```

```
int add(int a, int b) // function  
                        definition
```

```
{  
    return (a+b);  
}
```

## Function with no arguments but return a value

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

```
int get_number(void); // function  
                        declaration
```

```
void main()
```

```
{  
    int r;  
    r = get-number();  
    printf("Number= %d", r);  
}
```

```
int get_number(void) // function  
                        definition
```

```
{  
    int no;  
    scanf("%d",&no);  
    return (no);  
}
```

# Write your own String length function using pointer

```
main( )
{
    char arr[ ] = "Kolkata" ;
    int len ;
    len = my_strlen ( arr ) ;
    printf ( "\nstring = %s ,
length = %d", arr, len) ;
}
```

```
my_strlen ( char *s )
{
    int length = 0 ;
    while ( *s != '\0' )
    {
        length++ ;
        s++ ;
    }
    return ( length ) ;
}
```

# Write your own String copy function using pointer

```
main( )
{
    char source[ ] = "Hello" ;
    char target[10] ;
    my_strcpy ( target, source ) ;
    printf ( "\n source string =
%s", source ) ;
    printf ( "\n target string =
%s", target ) ;
}
```

```
my_strcpy ( char *t, char *s )
{
    while ( *s != '\0' )
    {
        *t = *s ;
        s++ ;
        t++;
    }
    *t = '\0' ;
}
```

# Write your own String concatenates function using pointer

```
main( )
{
    char source[ ] = "Hello" ;
    char target[ ] = "Hi";
    my_strcat( target, source ) ;
    printf ( "\n target string = %s", target ) ;
}
```

```
my_strcat ( char *t, char *s )
{
    while ( *t != '\0' )
        t++;
    while ( *s != '\0' )
    {
        *t = *s ;
        s++ ;
        t++;
    }
    *t = '\0' ;
}
```