

C PROGRAMMING PROJECT

REPORT



- Project Title: To-Do-List
- Course: Programming in C (B.Tech 1st Semester)
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Problem Statement:

Managing daily tasks manually can be inefficient and easy to forget. People often need a simple way to record, view, and organize their to-do items. This project provides a digital solution by creating a console-based task manager that stores tasks in a file for persistence, allows easy addition, display, and clearing of tasks, and demonstrates key C programming concepts like file handling, structures, loops, and functions.

Objective of the Project:

- Create a simple console-based task manager.
- Allow users to add new tasks.
- Enable users to view all tasks in a clear format.
- Provide an option to mark all tasks as completed (clear file).
- Demonstrate the use of C programming concepts: Structures, File handling, Functions, Loops and conditionals
- Make a menu-driven, user-friendly application.

Software / Tools Used:

Compiler: GCC compiler, VS Code

Operating System: Windows

Algorithm:

main.c –

- 1.** Start the program.
- 2.** Display the Task Manager menu with 4 options.
- 3.** Ask the user to enter a choice.
- 4.** Read the user's choice.
- 5.** If the choice is:
 - a.** If choice = 1 → Call addTask()
 - b.** If choice = 2 → Call displayTasks()
 - c.** If choice = 3 → Call resetTasks()
 - d.** If choice = 4 → Exit program
- 6.** Else → Show invalid input
- 7.** Repeat until exit
- 8.** End the program.

task.c –

- 1.** Define a structure Task that stores one task title.

2. Create a function addTask()

- a. Open the file to-do-list.txt in append mode.
- b. Accept task title from the user.
- c. Write the task into the file.
- d. Close the file.

3. Create a function displayTasks()

- a. Open the file to-do-list.txt in read mode.
- b. If file doesn't exist, show "No tasks found".
- c. Read each task and display them with numbering.
- d. Close the file.

4. Create a function resetTasks()

- a. Open the file in write mode to clear all tasks.
- b. Close the file.
- c. Display message for successful clearing.

5. End program.

Pseudocode:

main.c –

START

LOOP forever

```
DISPLAY "TASK MANAGER MENU"
DISPLAY options 1 to 4
READ choice
IF choice = 1 THEN
    CALL addTask()
ELSE IF choice = 2 THEN
    CALL displayTasks()
ELSE IF choice = 3 THEN
    CALL resetTasks()
ELSE IF choice = 4 THEN
    DISPLAY "Closing Task Manager"
    BREAK the loop
ELSE
    DISPLAY "Invalid input"
ENDIF
ENDLOOP
END

task.c -
DEFINE structure Task with title[100]
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FUNCTION addTask:

OPEN file "to-do-list.txt" in append mode

IF file not opened THEN

DISPLAY "Error opening file"

RETURN

ENDIF

READ task title from user

WRITE the structure into file

CLOSE file

DISPLAY "Task saved successfully"

END FUNCTION

FUNCTION displayTasks:

OPEN file "to-do-list.txt" in read mode

IF file not opened THEN

DISPLAY "No tasks found"

RETURN

ENDIF

SET count = 0

WHILE reading structure successful

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INCREMENT count  
DISPLAY count and task title  
ENDWHILE  
IF count = 0 THEN  
    DISPLAY "No tasks added yet"  
ENDIF  
CLOSE file  
END FUNCTION  
  
FUNCTION resetTasks:  
    OPEN file "to-do-list.txt" in write mode  
(clears file)  
    IF file not opened THEN  
        DISPLAY "Error clearing tasks"  
        RETURN  
    ENDIF  
    CLOSE file  
    DISPLAY "All tasks cleared"  
END FUNCTION
```

Output Screenshots:

```
File Edit Selection View Go Run Terminal Help ← → | Tr-Do-List
PROBLEMS OUTPUT DEBUG CONSOLE TERMINAL PORTS
PS C:\Users\DELL\OneDrive\Documents\GitHub\To-Do-List> cd src
PS C:\Users\DELL\OneDrive\Documents\GitHub\To-Do-List\src> gcc main.c task.c -I ..\include -o TODO
PS C:\Users\DELL\OneDrive\Documents\GitHub\To-Do-List\src> ./TODO
=====TASK MANAGER=====
1. Add New Task
2. Show All Tasks
3. Mark All Tasks as Completed (Clear file)
4. Exit Program
Enter your choice: 1
Enter task title: complete Maths Assignment
Task saved successfully.

=====TASK MANAGER=====
1. Add New Task
2. Show All Tasks
3. Mark All Tasks as Completed (clear file)
4. Exit Program
Enter your choice: Complete C Project
Enter task title: Task saved successfully.

=====TASK MANAGER=====
1. Add New Task
2. Show All Tasks
3. Mark All Tasks as Completed (clear file)
4. Exit Program
Enter your choice: 2

=====TO-DO-List...
1. complete Maths Assignment
2. complete C Project

=====TASK MANAGER=====
1. Add New Task
2. Show All Tasks
3. Mark All Tasks as completed (clear file)
4. Exit Program
Enter your choice: 3
All tasks marked completed and cleared successfully.

=====TASK MANAGER=====
1. Add New Task
2. Show All Tasks
3. Mark All Tasks as Completed (Clear file)
4. Exit Program
Enter your choice: 4
Closing Task Manager...
PS C:\Users\DELL\OneDrive\Documents\GitHub\To-Do-List\src>
```

Source Code:

main.c –

```
#include <stdio.h>
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#include <stdlib.h>
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```
#include "task.h"
```

```
int main()
```

```
{
```

```
int choice;  
while(1)  
{  
    printf("\n====TASK MANAGER====\n");  
    printf("1. Add New Task\n");  
    printf("2. Show All Tasks\n");  
    printf("3. Mark All Tasks as Completed (Clear  
file)\n");  
    printf("4. Exit Program\n");  
    printf("Enter your choice: ");  
    scanf("%d", &choice);  
    if(choice==1)  
        addTask();  
    else if(choice==2)  
        displayTasks();  
    else if(choice==3)  
        resetTasks();  
    else if(choice==4)  
    {  
        printf("Closing Task Manager...\n");
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        break;  
    }  
  
    else  
    {  
        printf("Invalid Input. Please try again.\n");  
    }  
}  
  
return 0;  
}
```

task.c -

```
#include <stdio.h>  
  
#include <stdlib.h>  
  
#include <string.h>  
  
#include "task.h"  
  
struct Task {  
    char title[100];  
};  
  
void addTask()  
{
```

```
FILE *fp = fopen("to-do-list.txt", "a");
if (fp == NULL)
{
    printf("Error opening file!\n");
    return;
}

char task[100];
printf("Enter task title: ");
getchar();
fgets(task, 100, stdin);
fprintf(fp, "%s", task);
fclose(fp);
printf("Task saved successfully.\n");

}

void displayTasks()
{
    FILE *fp = fopen("to-do-list.txt", "r");
    if (fp == NULL)
    {
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```
    printf("No task found\n");

    return;

}

char task[100];

int count = 0;

printf("\n---To-Do-List---\n");

while(fgets(task, sizeof(task), fp))

{

    count++;

    printf("%d. %s", count, task);

}

if(count == 0)

printf("No tasks added yet.\n");

fclose(fp);

}

void resetTasks()

{

FILE *fp = fopen("to-do-list.txt", "w");

if (fp == NULL)
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{  
    printf("Error clearing tasks!\n");  
    return;  
}  
  
fclose(fp);  
  
printf("All tasks marked completed and cleared  
successfully.\n");  
}
```

task.h -

```
#ifndef TASK_H  
  
#define TASK_H  
  
void addTask();  
  
void displayTasks();  
  
void resetTasks();  
  
#endif
```

Conclusion:

- The project successfully implements a menu-driven To-Do List Manager using C programming concepts.

- Users can add, view, and clear tasks with file handling.
- Demonstrates understanding of functions, loops, structures, and file operations in C.

Future Enhancements:

- Add task deadlines and priorities.
- Allow editing or deleting individual tasks instead of clearing all.