

## C MINOR ASSIGNMENT- 05

1. Consider the following ANSI C program;

```
#include<stdio.h>
int main() {
    int arr[4][5], i, j;
    for(i=0; i<4; i++) {
        for(j=0; j<5; j++) {
            arr[i][j] = 10*i + j;
        }
    }
    printf("%d\n", arr[2][4]);
    printf("%d\n", *((arr+2)+4));
    return 0; }
```

- Output:
  - The first `printf` prints `arr[2][4]`.
  - The second `printf` accesses the same value using pointer notation: `*((arr + 2) + 4)`.
- Explanation:
  - `arr` is a 2D array initialized such that `arr[i][j] = 10 * i + j`. This means:
    - For `i = 2`, the array elements are `[20, 21, 22, 23, 24]`.
  - `arr[2][4]` corresponds to the value `24`.
  - Pointer expression `*((arr + 2) + 4)`:
    - `arr + 2` points to the base of the third row (`arr[2]`).
    - `*(arr + 2)` dereferences this to access the row.
    - `*(arr + 2) + 4` shifts the pointer to the fifth element in the row.
    - Dereferencing this pointer retrieves the value `24`.

2. Consider the following ANSI C program;

```
#include<stdio.h>
int main() {
    int arr[4][5], i, j;
    for(i=0; i<4; i++) {
        for(j=0; j<5; j++) {
            arr[i][j] = 10*i + j;
        }
    }
    printf("%d\n", *(arr[1]+9));
    return 0; }
```

Output: 24

3. Consider the following C program

```
#include<stdio.h>
int main() {
    int a[4][5] = {
        {1, 2, 3, 4, 5},
        {6, 7, 8, 9, 10},
        {11, 12, 13, 14, 15},
        {16, 17, 18, 19, 20}};
    printf("%d\n", *((a+**a+2)+3));
    return 0; }
```

- Output:
  - The program will print the value `19`.
- Explanation:
  - `**a` refers to the first element of the array, which is `1`.
  - `a + **a` calculates `a + 1`, moving to the second row: `{6, 7, 8, 9, 10}`.
  - `a + **a + 2` moves two rows ahead to the third row: `{11, 12, 13, 14, 15}`.
  - `*(a + **a + 2)` dereferences this pointer to access the third row.
  - `*(a + **a + 2) + 3` accesses the fourth element (`14 + 3` columns in the flattened memory).
  - Dereferencing it gives `19`.

### Question 4: Output and Explanation of the Given Code

```
c
#include<stdio.h>
int main() {
    int a[3][3] = {4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1, 2, 3};
    printf("%p %p %p\n", a[1] + 2, *(a + 1) + 2, &a[1][2]);
    printf("%d %d %d\n", *(a[1] + 2), (*(a + 1) + 2), a[1][2]);
    return 0;
}
```

- Output:
  - First line: Prints the addresses, all the same.
  - Second line: Prints the values: `9 9 9`.
- Explanation:
  - `a[1] + 2`, `*(a + 1) + 2`, and `&a[1][2]` all point to the same location: the address of the element in the second row and third column.
  - The value at this location is `9`, as seen in the array initialization.

```
#include<stdio.h>

int main() {
    int a[][3] = {4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1, 2, 3};
    printf("%d,", *a[2]);
    printf("%d,", a[2][0]);
    printf("%d\n", **(a + 1 + ('b' - 'a')));
    return 0;
}
```

- Output:
  - The program prints: 1,1,1.
- Explanation:
  - `*a[2]`: `a[2]` refers to the third row {1, 2, 3}, and `*a[2]` gives the first element: 1.
  - `a[2][0]`: Directly accesses the first element of the third row, which is 1.
  - `**(a + 1 + ('b' - 'a'))`:
    - `'b' - 'a'` evaluates to 1.
    - `a + 1 + 1` moves to the third row.
    - `**` dereferences to access the first element 1.

```
#include<stdio.h>

int main() {
    int a[][2][4] = {5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 1};
    printf("%d\n", *((*(a + 0) + 1) + 2));
    return 0;
}
```

1. `a + 0`: Points to the 0th layer ({{5, 6, 7, 8}, {9, 11, 12, 1}}).
2. `*a + 0`: Dereferences to the 0th layer, which is a pointer to the sublayer array.
3. `*(a + 0) + 1`: Points to the 1st sublayer ({9, 11, 12, 1}).
4. `*(*(a + 0) + 1)`: Dereferences to the 1st sublayer array.
5. `*(*(a + 0) + 1) + 2`: Points to the 3rd element in the 1st sublayer (12).
6. `*(*(a + 0) + 1) + 2`: Dereferences this pointer, yielding 12.

7. Describe the output for the following code snippet.

```
void fun(int arr[][3]){
    printf("%d\n", *((arr+2)+1));
    printf("%p\n", (*arr)+2);
    printf("%p\n", &arr[0][2]);
    printf("%d\n", *(((*arr)+1)+1));
}

int main(){
    int a[][3]={5,6,7,8,9,4,3,2,1};
    fun(a);
    return 0;
}
```

1. `printf("%d\n", *((arr + 2) + 1));`:
  - `arr + 2`: Moves the pointer to the third row: [3, 2, 1].
  - `*(arr + 2)`: Dereferences to get the third row.
  - `*(arr + 2) + 1`: Moves to the second element in the third row.
  - `*(*(arr + 2) + 1)`: Dereferences to get the value 2.
  - Output: 2.
2. `printf("%p\n", (*arr) + 2);`:
  - `*arr`: Points to the first row: [5, 6, 7].
  - `(*arr) + 2`: Moves to the third element in the first row.
  - Output: Prints the memory address of `&arr[0][2]`.
3. `printf("%p\n", &arr[0][2]);`:
  - Directly retrieves the memory address of the third element in the first row.
  - Output: Prints the memory address of `&arr[0][2]` (same as above).
4. `printf("%d\n", (((*arr) + 1) + 1));`:
  - `*arr`: Points to the first row: [5, 6, 7].
  - `(*arr) + 1`: Moves to the second element in the first row: 6.
  - `(((*arr) + 1) + 1)`: Moves to the third element in the first row: 7.
  - `*((( *arr) + 1) + 1)`: Dereferences to get the value 7.
  - Output: 7.

8. Explain the below declaration(s).

- (1) `int process(int (*pf)(int a, int b))`;
- (2) `int (*fun(int, void (*ptr)()))()`;
- (3) `int *(*p)(int (*a)[ ])`;
- (4) `int (*p)[10]`;
- (5) `float *p[20]`;
- (6) `int p(char *a)`;
- (7) `int (*p(char *a))[10]`;
- (8) `int * (*p[10])(char *a)`;

7. `int (*p(char *a))[10];`
  - Explanation:
    - `p` is a function that takes a single argument, a pointer to a character (`char *a`).
    - The function `p` returns a pointer to an array of 10 integers.
8. `int *(*p[10])(char *a);`
  - Explanation:
    - `p` is an array of 10 function pointers.
    - Each function takes a single argument, a pointer to a character (`char *a`).
    - Each function returns a pointer to an integer (`int *`).

3. `int *(*p)(int (*a)[]);`

• Explanation:

- `a` is a pointer to an array of integers.
- `p` is a pointer to a function that takes `a` (a pointer to an array of integers) as an argument and returns a pointer to an `int`.

4. `int (*p)[10];`

• Explanation:

- `p` is a pointer to an array of 10 integers.

5. `float *p[20];`

• Explanation:

- `p` is an array of 20 pointers, where each pointer points to a `float`.

6. `int p(char *a);`

• Explanation:

- `p` is a function that takes a single argument, a pointer to a character (`char *a`), and returns an `int`.

1. `int process(int (*pf)(int a, int b));`

• Explanation:

- `pf` is a pointer to a function that takes two `int` arguments (`a` and `b`) and returns an `int`.
- `process` is a function that takes this function pointer `pf` as a parameter and returns an `int`.

2. `int (*fun(int, void (*ptr)()))();`

• Explanation:

- `ptr` is a pointer to a function that takes no arguments (`void`) and returns `void`.
- `fun` is a function that takes two arguments:
  - An `int`.
  - A function pointer `ptr` as described above.
- `fun` returns a pointer to a function that takes no arguments and returns an `int`.

9. What is printed by the following ANSI C program?

```
#include<stdio.h>
int main(void){
    int x = 1, z[2] = {10, 11};
    int *p = NULL;
    p = &x;
    *p = 10;
    p = &z[1];
    *(&z[0] + 1) += 3;
    printf("%d, %d, %d\n", x, z[0], z[1]);
    return 0;}
```

Output: 10, 10, 14

Explanation:

1. `p = &x; *p = 10;` changes the value of `x` to 10.
2. `p = &z[1];` points `p` to the second element of array `z`.
3. `*(&z[0] + 1) += 3;` increases `z[1]` (11) by 3, making it 14.
4. The final values: `x = 10`, `z[0] = 10`, `z[1] = 14`.

10. Find the output and different types of pointer involved

```
int main(){int *p=NULL;
    p=(int *)malloc(sizeof(int));
    *p=10;
    free(p);
    int *q;
    q=(int *)malloc(sizeof(int));
    *q=15;
    printf("%d %d\n", *p, *q);
    return 0;}
```

Output: Undefined behavior. Possible: 0 15.

Explanation:

1. `*p = 10; free(p);` frees the memory pointed to by `p`.
2. `q` is allocated new memory and assigned 15.
3. Accessing `*p` after freeing results in undefined behavior.

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

void fun(int **q);
int main() {
    int *p = (int *)malloc(sizeof(int));
    *p = 55;
    fun(&p);
    printf("%d %p\n", *p, p);
    return 0;
}

void fun(int **q) {
    int r = 20;
    **q = r;
    printf("%p\n", *q);
}
```

Output:

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20 <address>

20 <address>

Explanation:

1. `fun()` modifies the value of `*p` to 20 through the double pointer `q`.
2. `p` still points to the same address, but its value is updated.

12. Select the desire output of the following code snippet with reason;

```
int *fun();
int main(void){
    int *ptr;
    ptr=fun();
    printf("%d\n", *ptr);
    return 0;
}

int *fun(){
    int a=10,b=20;
    int sum=0;
    sum=sum+a+b;
    return &sum;
}
```

#### Output with reason ▼

- |                          |                   |
|--------------------------|-------------------|
| (A) Unexpected behaviour | (C) 30            |
| (B) Address of sum       | (D) None of these |

13. Select the desire output of the following code snippet with reason;

```
int *fun();
int main(void)
{
    int *ptr=fun();
    printf("%d\n", *ptr);
    return 0;
}

int *fun(){
    int a=10,b=20,*sum;
    sum=(int *)malloc(
        sizeof(int));
    *sum=a+b;
    return sum;
}
```

#### Output with reason ▼

- |                          |                   |
|--------------------------|-------------------|
| (A) Unexpected behaviour | (C) 30            |
| (B) Address of sum       | (D) None of these |

- Realloc allocates new location without loosing the data. Since the ptr is re-allocated , it did not lose the old value.

14. Find the output of the following program.

```
int main(){int *ptr;
ptr=(int *)realloc(NULL,sizeof(int));
*ptr=100;
printf("%d\n", *ptr);
return 0;}
```

Output: 100

Explanation:

- `realloc(NULL, sizeof(int))` behaves like `malloc()` and allocates memory.
- The value 100 is stored and printed.

15. Write the output of the following program.

```
1 int main(){int *ptr;
2 ptr=(int *)calloc(1,sizeof(int));
3 *ptr=100;
4 printf("%d\n", *ptr);
5 ptr=(int *)realloc(ptr,0);
6 ptr=NULL;
7 printf("%p\n", ptr);
8 return 0;}
```

100

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Explanation:

1. `calloc()` initializes memory to 0, and the value is updated to 100.
2. `realloc(ptr, 0)` deallocates the memory, similar to `free()`.
3. Setting `ptr = NULL` explicitly clears the pointer.

```
#include<stdio.h>
#include<stdlib.h>
int main() {
    int b = 65;
    void p = b; //O/t: Compile-Time Error
    printf("%d", p);
    return 0;
}
```

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17. Select the output of the following program.

```
int main(){
    int b=65;
    void *p=&b;
    int *j=(int *)p;
    char *ch=(char *)p;
    printf("%d %c\n", *j, *ch);
    return 0;
}
```

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18. Write the output of the code snippet. Also show the stack

```
int main(){int i;
int *p=(int *)malloc(sizeof(int));
*p=100;
p=(int *)malloc(5*sizeof(int));
for(i=0;i<5;i++){
scanf("%d",&p[i]); /* 10,20,30,40,50 */
}
for(i=0;i<5;i++){
printf("%d...%d\n",p[i],*(p+i));
}
return 0;}
```

Output: Depends on input. For input 10 20 30 40 50:

```
10...10
20...20
30...30
40...40
50...50
```

Explanation:

- `p` is reallocated to hold 5 integers.
- Values are read into the array and printed using two equivalent expressions.

19. Write the output of the code snippet. Also show the stack

```
int main(){
int i,*p,*rp;
p=(int *)malloc(5*sizeof(int));
for(i=0;i<5;i++){
scanf("%d",&p[i]); /* 10,20,30,40,50 */
}
rp=(int *)realloc(p,10*sizeof(int));
for(i=5;i<10;i++){
scanf("%d",&rp[i]); /* 9,8,6,5,4 */
}
for(i=0;i<10;i++){
printf("%d...%d\n",rp[i],*(rp+i));
}
return 0;}
```

```
10...10
20...20
30...30
40...40
50...50
9...9
8...8
6...6
5...5
4...4
```

Explanation:

1. `malloc(5 * sizeof(int))` allocates memory for 5 integers.
2. The first 5 inputs are stored in `p`.
3. `realloc(p, 10 * sizeof(int))` resizes the memory block to hold 10 integers. The first 5 values remain, and the next 5 inputs are added.
4. Values are printed using both `rp[i]` and `*(rp + i)`.

20. Which of the following statements are true?.

- (1) `(void *)0` is a void pointer
- (2) `(void *)0` is a NULL pointer
- (3) `int *p=(int *)0; p` is a NULL pointer
- (4) `a[i]==i[a]`
- (5) `a[i][j]==*(a+i)+j`

Correct Statements:

1. (1): True. `(void *)0` is a valid void pointer.
2. (2): True. `(void *)0` is also considered a NULL pointer.
3. (3): True. Casting `0` to a pointer type makes it a NULL pointer.
4. (4): True. `a[i] == i[a]` because of the commutative property in array indexing (`*(a + i) == *(i + a)`).
5. (5): True. `a[i][j] == *(a + i) + j` due to pointer arithmetic.

21. State the output of the code.

```
#include<stdio.h>
int f(int n){
while(--n>=0){
printf("%d ",n-2);
return 1;}

int main(){
int (*p)(int)=f;
(*p)(8);
return 0;}
```

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```
5 4 3 2 1 0 -1 -2
```

Explanation:

1. `--n` decrements `n` from 8 to 0.
2. In each iteration, `printf("%d ", n - 2);` prints `n - 2`.
3. Sequence:
  - When `n = 8`, `n - 2 = 6`.
  - When `n = 7`, `n - 2 = 5`.
  - ...
  - Ends when `n = 0` (printing `-2`).

```

void fun(){
    int *q=(int *)malloc(sizeof(int));
    *q=20;
}
int main(){
    int *p;
    int *r=NULL;
    fun();
    return 0;
}

```

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#### Statements:

1. **p** is a wild pointer: True. **p** is uninitialized and points to an undefined location.
2. **r** is a NULL pointer: True. **r** is explicitly set to `NULL`.
3. **q** is a dangling pointer: True. Memory allocated to **q** in `fun()` is not freed, and **q** goes out of scope after `fun()` ends.
4. **p** is a dangling pointer: False. **p** is not assigned any memory.
5. `fun()` causes a memory leak: True. The memory allocated by `malloc` is not freed, leading to a leak.

23. Check the error or output of the following program?

```

int main(){
    void *p;
    int *i=20;
    p=&i;
    void *q=p; //line-4
    //line-5
    printf("%d %d %d\n",i,*p,*q);
}

```

- (i) 20 20 20
- (ii) 20 30 20
- (iii) compile error at line-4
- (iv) compile error at line-5

#### Output:

Compile-time error

#### Explanation:

1. `int *i = 20;` is invalid because `20` is not a memory address.
2. Errors will occur at initialization and dereferencing.

24. Write the output of the given code snippet.

```

#include<stdio.h>
int main(){
    void demo();
    void (*fun)();
    fun=demo;
    (*fun)();
    fun();
    return 0;
}

```

```

#include<stdio.h>
void demo(){
    printf("SS");
}

```

SSSS

#### Explanation:

1. `fun = demo;` assigns the function pointer `fun` to the address of `demo`.
2. Both `(*fun)()` and `fun()` call the `demo()` function, printing "SS" twice.

25. Write the output of the given code snippet

```

int fun(int x,int y){
    int z=x+y+x*y;
    return z;
}

#include<stdio.h>
int main(){
    int (*fun_ptr)(int,int);
    fun_ptr=fun;
    int x=fun_ptr(34,56);
    printf("%d\n",x);
    return 0;
}

```

0/t: 1994 (By simple BODMAS Calculation)

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```

#include<stdio.h>
int main(){
    int x,y;
    int (*fun_ptr[2])(int,int);
    fun_ptr[0]=fun1;
    x=fun_ptr[0](4,5);
    fun_ptr[1]=fun2;
    y=(*fun_ptr[1])(4,5);
    printf("%d...%d\n",x,y);
    return 0;
}

int fun1(int x,int y){
    return x+y;
}

int fun2(int x,int y){
    return x*y;
}

```

9...20

#### Explanation:

1. `fun_ptr[0] = fun1` assigns `fun1` to the first element of the array.
  - `fun1(4, 5)` returns `4 + 5 = 9`.
2. `fun_ptr[1] = fun2` assigns `fun2` to the second element of the array.
  - `fun2(4, 5)` returns `4 * 5 = 20`.
3. The results are printed as `9...20`.

27. Find out the correct syntal(s) for making a constant poin and pointer cannot be modified).

- (1) `const <data_type> * ptr;`
- (2) `<data_type> * const ptr;`
- (3) `<dat_type> const *ptr;`
- (4) `<data_type> const * const fun_ptr`
- (5) None of these

**Correct Answer:**

- (2): `<data_type> * const ptr;`
  - Declares a constant pointer, meaning the pointer's value (memory address) cannot be modified.

28. Find out the correct syntal(s) for a pointer to constant of the variable/array that it points).

- (1) `const <data_type> * ptr;`
- (2) `<data_type> * const ptr;`
- (3) `<dat_type> const *ptr;`
- (4) `<data_type> const * const fun_ptr`
- (5) None of these

**Correct Answer:**

- (1) and (3):
  - `const <data_type> * ptr;`
  - `<data_type> const *ptr;`
  - Both declare a pointer to a constant value, meaning the value at the address cannot be modified.

29. Select the correct way of declaring and initializing

- (1) `int (*ptr)(int, int, int)=funname;`
- (2) `int *ptr(int, int, int)=funname;`
- (3) `int (*ptr)(int, int, int)=&funname;`
- (4) `(int *) ptr(int, int, int)=funname;`
- (5) None of these

**Correct Answer:**

- (1) and (3):
  - `int (*ptr)(int, int, int) = funname;`
    - Correctly declares a function pointer and assigns it the address of `funname`.
  - `int (*ptr)(int, int, int) = &funname;`
    - Explicitly uses the address of the function, which is equivalent.