

Data Structures and Objects

CSIS 3700

Lab 1 — Separate Compilation

Step 1 — Preparation

- Make sure you have updated your copy of the course public repository.
- Copy the lab files into their own separate directory.

Step 2 — Experimentation

- Try to compile each of the files separately. Note the error messages you get.
- Try to compile all of the files simultaneously. Note the error messages you get.

Step 3 — Fixing the errors

- To fix the not-declared-in-scope errors, you'll need to add the prototypes for **readData()**, **sortData()** and **printData()** in **main.cc**.
 - The compiler must see a function's prototype before it is called.
- To fix the unresolved reference errors, compile all of the source files simultaneously.
 - Unresolved references are holes that can't be patched

Step 4 — Try out the program

- Run the program. To use it, enter a few numbers, pressing Enter after each one. When done, press Ctrl-D. The numbers you entered should appear in sorted order.

Step 5 — Create a header file

- Create a file named **lab1.h**; in this file, place the following lines:

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

int readData(int[], int);
void sortData(int[], int);
void printData(int[], int);
```

- Remove the prototypes in **main.cc** and the **#include** and **using** lines in **read.cc** and **print.cc**.

- Add the following line at the top of each of the four **.cc** files:

```
#include "lab1.h"
```

- Recompile and retest the program

Step 6 — Create the Makefile

As pointed out in the slide show, we have not yet realized any advantage to our process. We do that now.

- Create a file named **Makefile** and add the following lines:

```
lab1: main.o read.o sort.o print.o
    g++ -o lab1 main.o read.o sort.o print.o
```

NB: Use a Tab to indent the second line. DO NOT USE SPACES!

Translation of the boxed lines: “The file **lab1** depends upon the four files **main.o**, **read.o**, **sort.o**, **print.o**. To create or update **lab1**, run the command **g++ -o lab1 main.o read.o sort.o print.o**”

This rule tells the make utility how to create the **lab1** file / program. However, it does not have rules for the four **.o** files that it must create; add those now.

One of the rules looks like this:

```
main.o: main.cc lab1.h
    g++ -c main.cc
```

Separate the rules with a blank line.

- Add rules for the other three **.o** files. They look like the rule above, with the names changed.
- Save the **Makefile**, then run the **make** command. Note the output.
- Test the program.

Step 7 — Fix the program

There is a bug in the code, as you’ve seen by now.

- In **sort.cc**, change **i<end** to **i<=end**.
- Run the **make** command again. Note the output.
- Test the program.

What to turn in

Turn in a .zip file of the completed lab 1 folder.