# Introduction to Computers and Programming LAB-11 2015/12/16

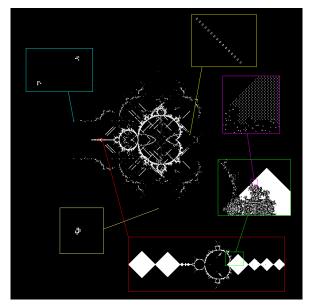
- ♦ Your input/output must follow our format in examples
- ♦ Please sign in the computer with your own account of CS Computer Center if you have it, and save your codes in your own space in case of something bad happens on your computer.
- ♦ If you cannot finish it in time, you should demo your lab work at next lab time.
  (The deadline is 21:30).

# I. Conway's Game of Life

The Game of Life, also known simply as Life, is a cellular automaton devised by the British mathematician John Horton Conway in 1970. The "game" is a zero-player game, meaning that its evolution is determined by its initial state, requiring no further input. One interacts with the Game of Life by creating an initial configuration and observing how it evolves or, for advanced players, by creating patterns with particular properties.

## Ref:

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Conway%27s\_Game\_of\_Life http://pmav.eu/stuff/javascript-game-of-life-v3.1.1/ http://conwaylife.com/w/index.php?title=Main\_Page



We want you to implement a "Conway's Game of Life" program. Don't worry!! We support a sample framework code of "Conway's Game of Life", you just only implement void Cell\_life() function. The following are rules of this game:

The Game of Life is an infinite two-dimensional orthogonal grid of cells, each of which is in one of two possible states, alive('X') or dead(' '). Every cell interacts with its eight neighbours, which are the cells that are horizontally, vertically, or diagonally adjacent. At each step in time, the following transitions occur:

- I. Any live cell with fewer than two live neighbours dies, as if caused by under-population.
- II. Any live cell with two or three live neighbours lives on to the next generation.
- III. Any live cell with more than three live neighbours dies, as if by over-population.
- IV. Any dead cell with exactly three live neighbours becomes a live cell, as if by reproduction.

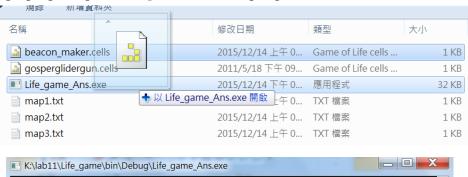
The sample data of char map[height][width] ('X', ''):

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	X	X													
X	X														
	X				X					X					
				X		X				X				X	
					X					X		X		X	
												X		X	
		X					X					X	X		
		X	X				X	X					X		
			X										X		

The action of void Cell\_life() function:

	I					
2	X					
	X		X	X	X	
2	X					

You can drag drop a "xxx.cells" file on top of "Life\_game\_Ans.exe" [default map file is "gosperglidergun.cells"] to demo a sample game.





#### 2. SOS from TAs

After Quiz 2 finished, TAs are going to arrange your grades in a list. However, TAs forget how to use EXCEL. Therefore, in this program, you are going write a program to help TAs maintain a list of grades, which are able to show the grades of students and the average grades of all. Here are four instructions to maintain the list:

(Let's call a name/grade pair as an element in the following)

## (1) Add a student and his/her grades to list

Let user input a student's name and grade. If the input name has already in the list, your program should warn user "Student xxx has already been added." Then ask user to input an instruction again. If it is a new element, always add it at the correct position in descending order.

#### (2) Remove a student from list

Let user input a student's name that user would like to remove. Before user input a student's name, your program should check whether the list is empty. If there is not element in the list, show "The list has already been empty." Then ask user to input an instruction again. If it is not empty, then remove the element from the list if the input name is in the list; otherwise, show "No such a student called xxxx."

#### (3) Show the information of the list

If there is not element in the list, show "The list is empty." Otherwise, show the list from the first element to the last. Moreover, print the average grade after the last element (round to the 3<sup>rd</sup> place after the decimal point).

#### (4) Update a student's score

Use student's name to find a student's score. Print original score when your program find it so that user can update it. Otherwise, print "No such a student called xxx."

#### (5) Search a student's score

Use student's name to find a student's score. Print name and score when your program find it. Otherwise, print "No such a student called xxx."

(6) Exit: Close the program.

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1. Add a student and his/her score to list.
 2. Remove a student from list.
   Show the information of the list.
   Update a student's score.
 5. Search a student's score.
 6. Exit.
hat are you going to do? - 1
Adding Name: Amy 80
Adding grade:
 1. Add a student and his/her score to list.
 2. Remove a student from list.
 3. Show the information of the list.
 4. Update a student's score.
 5. Search a student's score.
 6. Exit.
What are you going to do? - 1
                                             1
Adding Name: Bob
Adding grade: 95
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```
1. Add a student and his/her score to list.
 2. Remove a student from list.
 3. Show the information of the list.
 4. Update a student's score.
  5. Search a student's score.
 6. Exit.
That are you going to do? - 3
lmy
                85.000
 1. Add a student and his/her score to list.
 2. Remove a student from list.
 3. Show the information of the list.
 4. Update a student's score.
 5. Search a student's score.
 6. Exit.
What are you going to do? - 4
Student Name:Amy
                                              2
Original Grade: 80
Update:98
```

```
1. Add a student and his/her score to list.
  2. Remove a student from list.
                                                         Add a student and his/her score to list.
 3. Show the information of the list.
                                                      2. Remove a student from list.
 4. Update a student's score.
                                                      3. Show the information of the list.
 5. Search a student's score.
                                                      4. Update a student's score.
 6. Exit.
                                                      5. Search a student's score.
                                                      6. Exit.
What are you going to do? - 5
Student Name:Amy
                98
                                                     That are you going to do? - 2
Amy
                                                     Removing Name: Bob
 1. Add a student and his/her score to list.
 2. Remove a student from list.
                                                       1. Add a student and his/her score to list.
 3. Show the information of the list.
                                                      2. Remove a student from list.
 4. Update a student's score.
                                                      3. Show the information of the list.
 5. Search a student's score.
                                                      4. Update a student's score.
 6. Exit.
                                                      5. Search a student's score.
                                                      6. Exit.
What are you going to do? - 3
Bob
                                                     What are you going to do? - 3
                                              3
                98
Amy
                                                                                                    4
                                                     Amy
AVG
                94.000
                                                                     98.000
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#### Note:

- (1) You have to follow TA's template and finish these five functions to practice how to use struct and how to maintain a well-designed program.
- (2) Structure **studentNode** contains a student's name and his/her grade.

  Structure **gradeNode** contains a list of **studentNode**, number of students in the list, and average grades.
- (3) If there are two students with the same grade, the order of them doesn't matter.

#### 3. Treasure Hunter

You are a treasure hunter in a square maze. The maze is fragile, each time you go through the ground, it collapses into a hole. Your mission is to leave the maze with as more as possible treasures.

We support a sample framework code of "Treasure Hunter", you just need to implement the search part.

(Or you can decide not to use it and write your codes from nothing.)

About variables in the framework:

map is a 2D char Array,

- '0' means hole and you can't go through it
- '1' means the ground (after you go through, it collapses into a hole '0')
- '#' means exit (only one, after you go through, it collapses into a hole '0')
- '\*' means treasure (may not exist, after you go through, it collapses into a hole '0')
- '@' means your position (only one, after you leave, it collapses into a hole '0')

(The framework also stored your start position in the variable curPos.)

bestPath is a struct Path

score: how many treasures you found. (If you cannot find exit, you should set it to -1)

length: how many steps you have to go

steps: an array of struct Position, the positions you have to go through

The program will output:

Whether you can find the exit or not.

If you can exit, it will also print how many treasures you took.

You can drag drop a "xxx.map" file on top of "Q\_3\_Ans.exe" [default map file is "map1.map"] to demo a sample map.

#### Example:

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@ 0
0 #
Can not exit!!
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0 1 1 1
1 1 @ *
# 0 * 0
1 1 0 0
Exit and get 1 treasure(s)
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