

Debug report

```
void TestQ2_readandSort1(CuTest *tc) {  
    char inputFile[] = "wordlist.txt";  
    int size;  
    //create list using the input file  
    char **actualList = read_words(inputFile,&size);  
    sort_words(actualList,size);  
  
    char *expectedList={"apple","banana","hello","milan","programming","zebra"};  
  
    int i;  
    for (i=0;i<size;i++)  
        CuAssertStrEquals(tc, expectedList[i], actualList[i]);  
}
```

In every question 2 test case, a function called `sort_words` is called. Nowhere in any of the files does such a function exist. Each of these functions, as well as each additional question 2 test case that followed was renamed to either `sort_words_Bubble` or `sort_words_Selection`.

```
PS C:\COE2SH4\Labs\Lab3\lab-3-tourloua> .\Lab3.exe  
.....FF....  
  
There were 2 failures:  
1) TestQ2_readandSort7: testCases.c:382: expected <milan> but was <hello>  
2) TestQ2_readandSort8: testCases.c:400: expected <milan> but was <hello>
```

All other test cases were commented out for question 2 functions. The last two test cases are the selection sort test case.

A breakpoint was set up at the end of the function. This was the result.

```

(gdb) file Lab3.exe
Reading symbols from C:\COE2SH4\Labs\Lab3\lab-3-tourloua\Lab3.exe...done.
(gdb) break Question2.c: 111
Breakpoint 1 at 0x403d49: file Question2.c, line 111.
(gdb) run
Starting program: C:\COE2SH4\Labs\Lab3\lab-3-tourloua\Lab3.exe
[New Thread 10780.0xb28]
[New Thread 10780.0x4764]

Breakpoint 1, sort_words_Selection (words=0xb46100, size=6) at Question2.c:114
114     }
(gdb) i locals
i = 6
j = 6
minIndex = 5
(gdb) display words[0]
1: words[0] = 0xb46220 "banana"
(gdb) display words[1]
2: words[1] = 0xb461c0 "apple"
(gdb) display words[2]
3: words[2] = 0xb46130 "milan"
(gdb) display words[3]
4: words[3] = 0xb46160 "hello"
(gdb) display words[4]
5: words[4] = 0xb46190 "programming"
(gdb) display words[5]
6: words[5] = 0xb461f0 "zebra"

```

While it does seem that the strings are being partially sorted in ascending order, there is still some way to go.

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107  if(minIndex != j)

```

This line was one of the two semantic bugs. minIndex is set to j immediately before this line is run, but only if there is a -ith index string that is greater than a subsequent -jth index string alphabetically. That line was changed to this

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107  if(minIndex != i)

```

because a swap only occurs if an -ith index is not the smallest string alphabetically. After this change, the program was saved, recompiled and run again. This was the output:

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!!!FAILURES!!!
Runs: 24 Passes: 22 Fails: 2

```

There was still one more semantic error.

After setting up breakpoints throughout the function, in particular at the end of the loops, this was the result:

```
Breakpoint 1, sort_words_Selection (words=0x746100, size=6) at Question2.c:99
99         for(j = i + 1; j < size; j++)
2: words[1] = 0x7461c0 "apple"
1: words[0] = 0x746220 "banana"
(gdb) c
Continuing.
```

```
Breakpoint 2, sort_words_Selection (words=0x746100, size=6) at Question2.c:101
101        if(my_strcmpOrder(words[i], words[j]) == 1)
2: words[1] = 0x7461c0 "apple"
1: words[0] = 0x746220 "banana"
(gdb) c
Continuing.
```

```
Breakpoint 3, sort_words_Selection (words=0x746100, size=6) at Question2.c:103
103        minIndex = j;
2: words[1] = 0x7461c0 "apple"
1: words[0] = 0x746220 "banana"
(gdb) c
Continuing.
```

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(gdb) c
Continuing.
```

```
Breakpoint 4, sort_words_Selection (words=0x746100, size=6) at Question2.c:114
114    }
2: words[1] = 0x7461c0 "apple"
1: words[0] = 0x746220 "banana"
(gdb) display words[5]
3: words[5] = 0x7461f0 "zebra"
(gdb) display words[0]
4: words[0] = 0x746220 "banana"
(gdb) display words[2]
5: words[2] = 0x746130 "milan"
(gdb) display words[1]
6: words[1] = 0x7461c0 "apple"
(gdb) □
```

The program still was not properly sorting the strings. The problem ended up being here

```

101  ✓      if(my_strcmpOrder(words[i], words[j]) == 1)
102          {
103              minIndex = j;
104          }
105      }

```

Line 101 passes the wrong two strings as parameters. The minIndex string and string j must be compared since we end up swapping the i-th and j-th string later in the function. This code should be replaced with

```

101  //      if(my_strcmpOrder(words[minIndex], words[j]) == 1)
102          {
103              minIndex = j;
104          }
105      }

```

With those two semantic bugs removed, as well as the syntax error in the test cases, the program ran successfully.

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● PS C:\COE2SH4\Labs\Lab3\lab-3-tourloua> .\Lab3.exe
.....

OK (24 tests)

```

The program ran successfully with every single test case that was used.

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● PS C:\COE2SH4\Labs\Lab3\lab-3-tourloua> .\Lab3.exe
.....

OK (34 tests)

```