

CS & IT ENGINEERING

'C' Programming

Functions

Lecture No.- 02

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Recap of Previous Lecture

- Functions



- Function Definition - A single stmt (or) group that Performs a Task
- Types of functions - Predefined, User-defined
- Properties of function - Name, arguments, Return type, Body
- Declaration, Definition, Calling
- Function Prototypes

Arguments

✓
✓
x
x

Return Values

✓
x
✓
x

Topics to be Covered



- Call-by-Value Vs Call-by-Reference
- Recursion
- Types of Recursion
- Head, Tail Recursion





Arguments (or) Parameters

- Formal (or) Dummy arguments = Used while definition of function
- Actual arguments = Used while calling a function

Ex:

```
Void fun ( int x, int y ) // Callee
{
    Printf ( ".d", x * y );
}

Void main ( ) // Caller
{
    int i = 7;
    fun ( i, 5 );
}
```

Formal arguments

Actual arguments



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$\begin{matrix} a \\ \boxed{5} \\ 10 \end{matrix}$
 $\begin{matrix} b \\ \boxed{4.7} \\ 6.2 \end{matrix}$
 $\begin{matrix} c \\ \boxed{e} \\ E \end{matrix}$

Call-by-Value \Rightarrow formal arguments will be affected.

$\begin{matrix} 5 \\ \text{Void fun(int } a, \text{ float } b, \text{ char } c) \end{matrix}$

```

{
    a = a * 2; // a = 10
    b = b + 1.5; // b = 6.2
    c = c - 32; // c = 'e' - 32 = 'E'
}

```

Void main()

```

{
    int i = 5;
    float f = 4.7;
    char g = 'e';
    Printf("%d %f %c", i, f, g); // 5, 4.7, e
    fun(i, f, g); // Call-by-Value
    Printf("\n %d %f %c", i, f, g); // 5, 4.7, e
}

```



Call-by-Reference // Actual arguments gets affected.

Void fun(int *a, float *b, char *c)

```

{
    *a = *a * 2;
    *b = *b + 1.5;
    *c = *c - 32;
}

```

Void main()

```

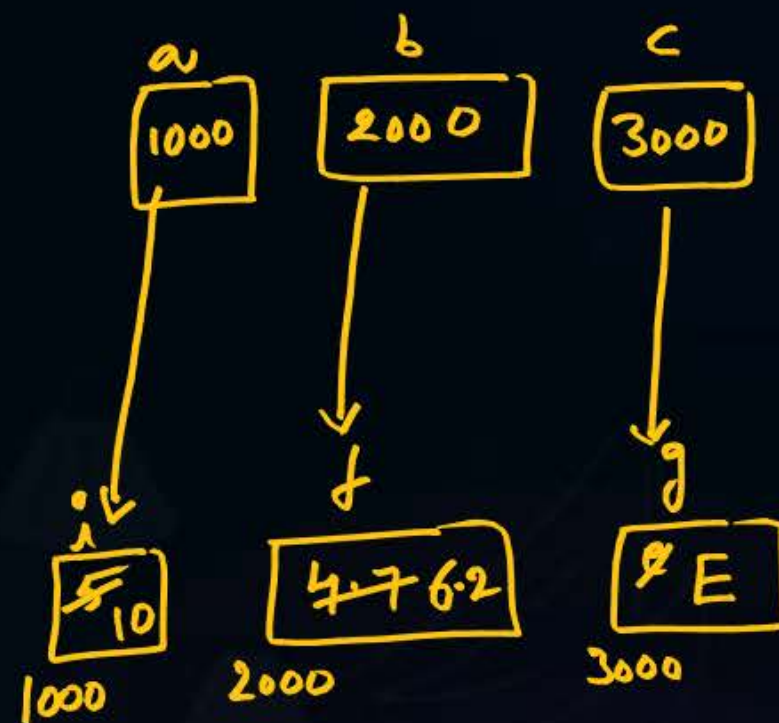
{
    int i = 5;
    float f = 4.7;
    char g = 'e';
}

```

Printf("%d %f %c", i, f, g); // 5, 4.7, e

fun(&i, &f, &g); // Call-by-Reference

Printf("\n %d %f %c", i, f, g); // 10 6.2 E





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Examples :

Ex. 1:

```
Void f(int a, int b)
```

```
{  
  a = a + 3;  
  b = b - 5;
```

```
  g(&b, &a);
```

```
}
```

```
Void g(int *x, int *y)
```

```
{  
  int *temp;
```

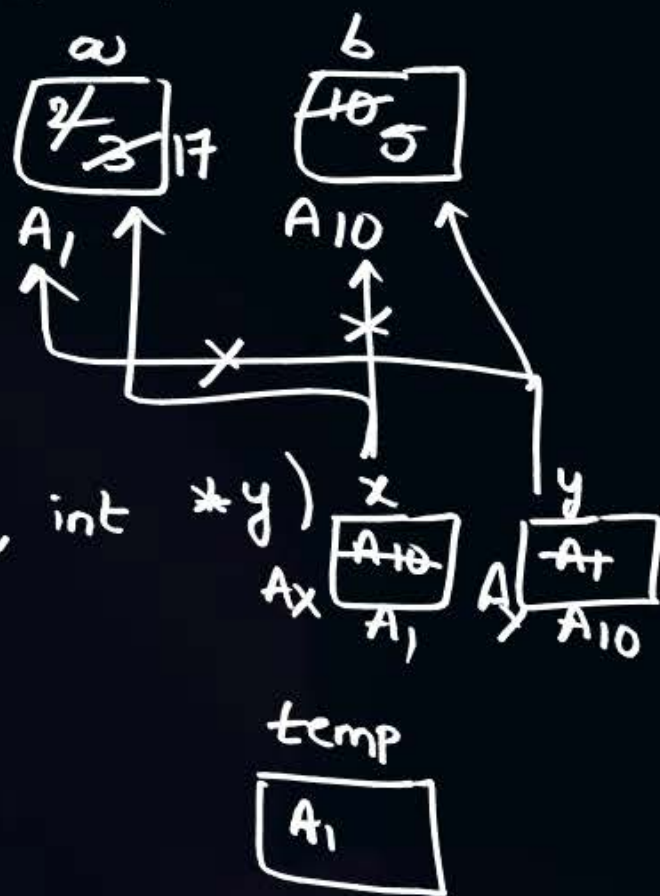
```
  temp = y;
```

```
  y = x;
```

```
  x = temp;
```

```
  fun(&y, &x);
```

```
}
```



```
fun(int **p, int **q)
```

```
{  
  int x = 12, *s;
```

```
  s = &x;
```

```
  **q = **p + *s;
```

```
  *s = **q + **p;
```

```
}
```

```
Void main( )
```

```
{  
  int i = 2, j = 10;
```

```
  f(&i, &j);
```

```
  printf("%d %d", i, j);
```

```
}
```

p
A_y

q
A_x

x
12
A_x ← *s*
A_y

i
2

j
10

o/p: 2 10



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Ex: 2

```
Void main( )
{
    int a=10, b=20, c=30;
```

$f(f(b), f(a), f(c));$ ✓

$g(f(c), f(b), f(a));$ ✓

$h(f(a), f(c), f(b));$ ✓

```
Printf("/.d, /.d, /.d", a, b, c);
}
```

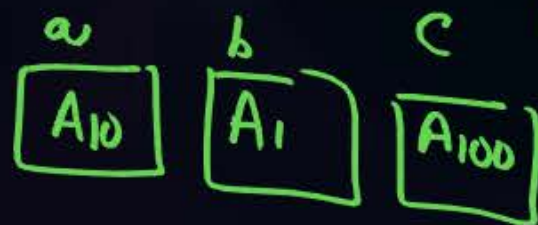
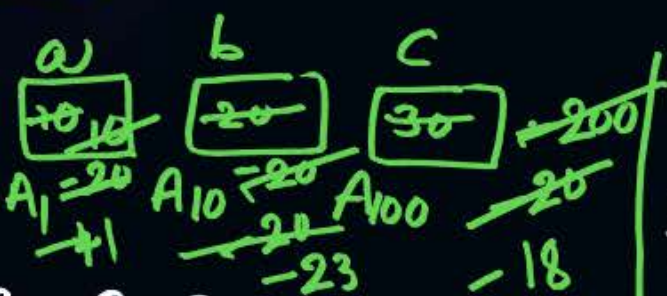
```
Void f(int *a, int *b, int *c)
```

```
{
    *b = 30 - 20 = 10;
    *a = 10 - 30 = -20;
    *c = -20 * 10 = -200;
}
```

$*b = *c - *a;$

$*a = *b - *c;$

$*c = *a * *b;$



```
Void g(int *a, int *b, int *c)
```

$*c = *b;$

$*a = *c;$

$*b = *a;$

}

```
Void h(int *a, int *b, int *c)
```

$*b = *b + 2; -20 + 2 = -18$

$*c = *c - 3; -20 - 3 = -23$

$*a = *b + *c; -18 + -23 = -41$

}

O/p: -41 -23 -18





Recursion

- In Programming, To execute one or more statements repeatedly, It is Possible through either of 2 ways:

① Iteration [Control statements, Loops] Ex: fibonacci series, MCM, TSP

② Recursion Towers of Hanoi, Tree Traversals, Merge sort, Quick Sort - - -

- Based on Type of Problem, Iteration (or) Recursion is chosen.

- Recursion makes, Programming Simple, Comfortable.



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Recursion ? = The Process of calling itself.
- A function, which call itself, is said to be Recursive function.

Ex:

```
void main( )  
{  
    fun(5);  
}  
  
void fun(int x)  
{  
    if(x > 1)  
    { printf("%d", x);  
      fun(x-1);  
    }  
    else return;  
}
```

CAUTION: Infinite calling need to be taken care of.



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Recursive functions, generally contains 2 Types of Code:

1) Base case \Rightarrow The statement, expression, written to terminate Recursive calling.

2) Recursive case \Rightarrow The statement / expression, where Recursive calling happens.

Ex:

```
void display(int x)
```

```
{
```

```
    if (x < 0)
```

```
        return;
```

// Base Case

```
    printf("HA!");
```

```
    display(x-1);
```

// Recursive Case

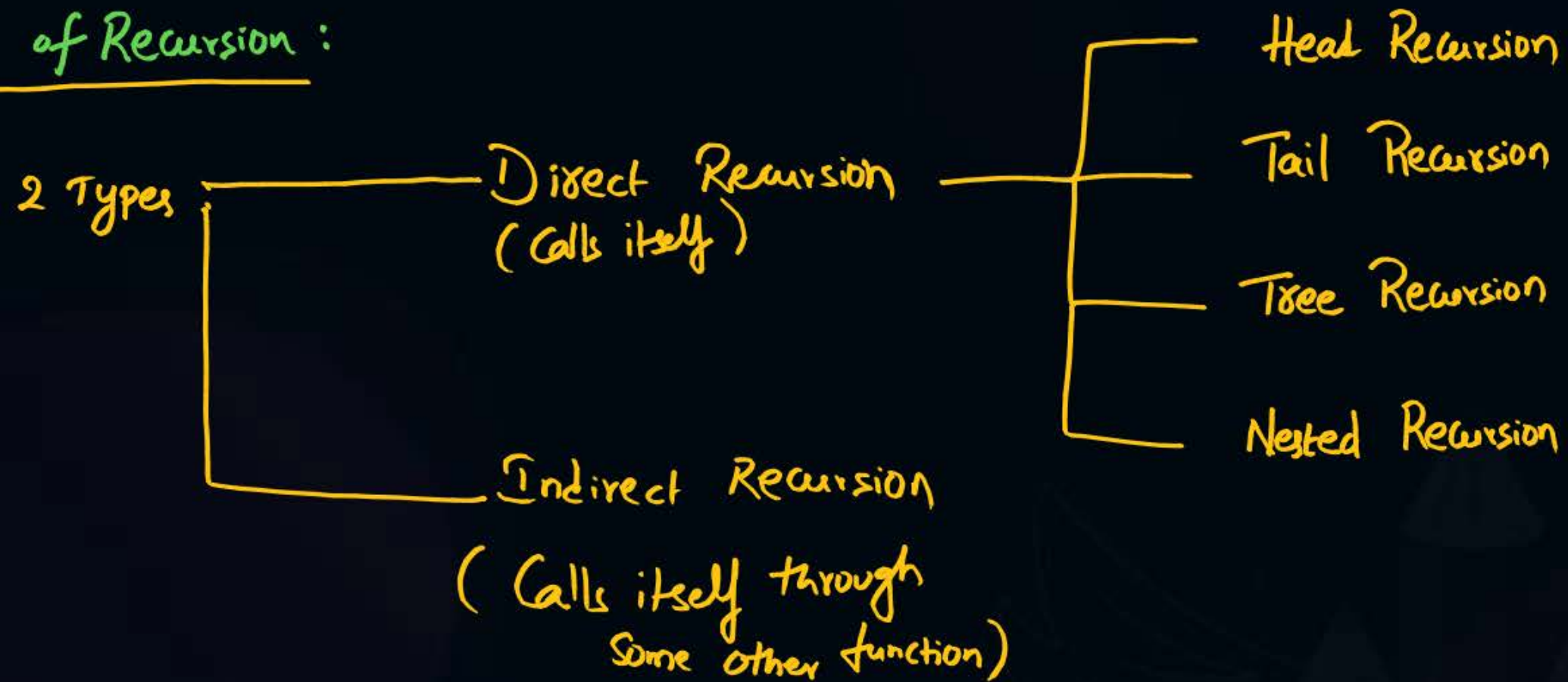
```
}
```




2 mins Summary



Types of Recursion :



To be Contd ...





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