

# **INC 141**

## **Computer Programming**

### **Lab 8**

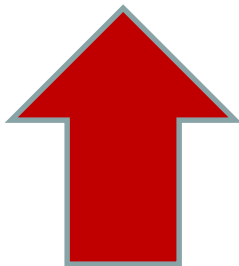
# Learning Outcomes (Lab 8)

- Understand the mechanism of functions
- Know how to input/output of functions

# Function is a set of collective commands.

Buy milk

- Walk to a minimart
- Walk in
- Search for a bottle of milk
- Take out a wallet
- Take out money
- Give money to the cashier
- Walk out of the store



Function

# How to use function

```
BuyMilk()
```

```
{
```

```
:
```

```
}
```

**Function Definition**



```
Main()
```

```
{
```

```
:
```

```
BuyMilk();
```

```
:
```

```
}
```

**Function call**



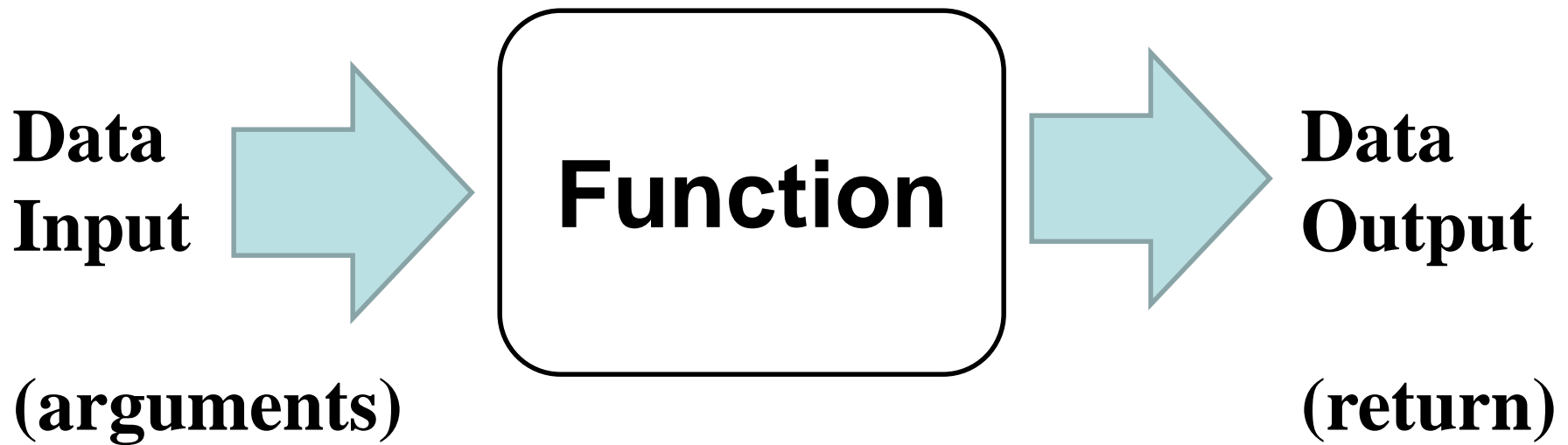
# Example 1

```
#include <stdio.h>

addition() {
    printf("function\n");
}

main() {
    addition();
    printf("Main\n");
    addition();
}
```

# In/Out Data of a Function



**Note: Functions can have several arguments but only one return.**

# Example 2

1 output

2 inputs

```
int addition(int a, int b) {  
    int s;  
    s = a + b;  
    return s;  
}  
  
main() {  
    int sum;  
    sum = addition(3, 4);  
    printf("sum = %d\n", sum);  
}
```

# Task 1

**From the main() given, write a function that calculate the division of two numbers.**

```
// Write your function here
```

```
main() {  
    double result;  
    result = division(3, 4);  
    printf("division = %lf\n", result);  
}
```

**You must not change anything in main()**



# Task 2 (Upload to LEB2)

**From the main() given, write a function that print out the absolute value of a number.**

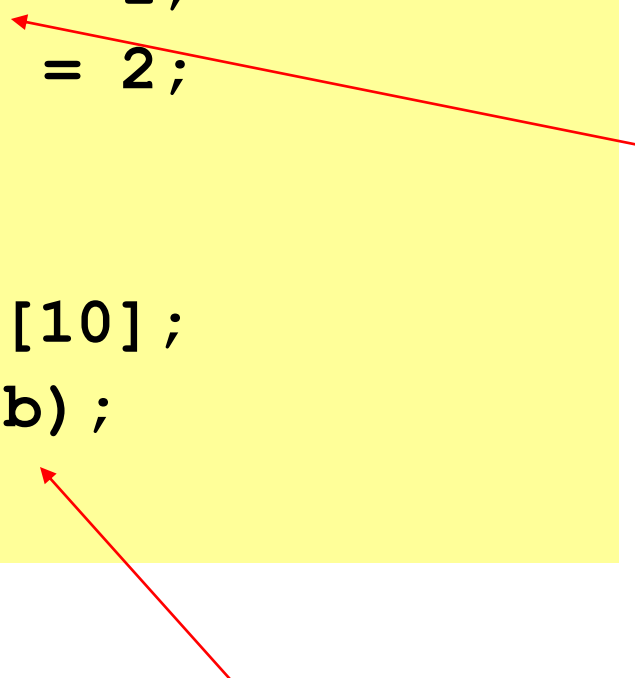
```
// Write your function here
```

```
main() {  
    int num;  
    printf("Enter a number: ");  
    scanf("%d", &num);  
    printf("Absolute = %d\n", ab(num));  
}
```

**You must not change anything in main()**

# Passing an Array into a Function

```
void func(int a[10]) {  
    a[0] = 1;  
    a[1] = 2;  
}  
main() {  
    int b[10];  
    func(b);  
}
```



**In function, can use array as usual. This makes  
b[0] in main() = 1  
b[1] in main() = 2**

**Function call, pass array name**

# Task 3 (Upload to LEB2)

**From the main() given, write a function that find the average of the numbers in an array.**

```
// Write your function here
```

```
main() {  
    float a[6] = {2,8,0,5,1,4};  
    printf("Average = %f",avg(a));  
}
```

**You must not change anything in main()**