

IT-314

Lab - 08

Functional testing (Black Box)

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Questions

1. **Consider a program for determining the previous date. Its input is triple of day, month and year with the following ranges $1 \leq \text{month} \leq 12$, $1 \leq \text{day} \leq 31$, $1900 \leq \text{year} \leq 2015$. The possible output dates would be previous date or invalid date. Design the equivalence class test cases?**

Write a set of test cases (i.e., test suite) – specific set of data – to properly test the programs. Your test suite should include both correct and incorrect inputs.

- **Enlist which set of test cases have been identified using Equivalence Partitioning and Boundary Value Analysis separately.**
- **Modify your programs such that it runs, and then execute your test suites on the program. While executing your input data in a program, check whether the identified expected outcome (mentioned by you) is correct or not.**

Test Cases Using Equivalence Partitioning

Equivalence Partitioning groups inputs into valid and invalid categories.

Valid Inputs (Previous date should be calculated)

- Test Case 1: (1, 1, 1900) → Expected: (31, 12, 1899)
- Test Case 2: (1, 3, 2000) → Expected: (29, 2, 2000) [Leap year]
- Test Case 3: (1, 3, 2015) → Expected: (28, 2, 2015)
- Test Case 4: (1, 5, 2015) → Expected: (30, 4, 2015)

Invalid Inputs

- Test Case 5: (0, 1, 2000) → Expected: "Invalid date"
- Test Case 6: (32, 1, 2000) → Expected: "Invalid date"
- Test Case 7: (1, 13, 2000) → Expected: "Invalid date"
- Test Case 8: (1, 1, 1899) → Expected: "Invalid date"

Test Cases Using Boundary Value Analysis

Boundary Value Analysis focuses on testing at the edges of input ranges.

Valid Inputs

- Test Case 1: (1, 1, 1900) → Expected: (31, 12, 1899) [Minimum year]
- Test Case 2: (1, 1, 2015) → Expected: (31, 12, 2014) [Maximum year]
- Test Case 3: (1, 3, 2000) → Expected: (29, 2, 2000) [Leap year]
- Test Case 4: (1, 3, 2015) → Expected: (28, 2, 2015)

Invalid Inputs

- Test Case 5: (0, 1, 2000) → Expected: "Invalid date" [Lower bound for month]
- Test Case 6: (32, 1, 2000) → Expected: "Invalid date" [Upper bound for day]
- Test Case 7: (1, 13, 2000) → Expected: "Invalid date" [Upper bound for month]
- Test Case 8: (1, 1, 1899) → Expected: "Invalid date" [Lower bound for year]

Tester Action and Input Data	Expected Outcome
EP: (1, 1, 1900)	(31, 12, 1899)
EP: (1, 3, 2000)	(28, 2, 2015)
EP: (1, 3, 2015)	(29, 2, 2000)
EP: (1, 5, 2015)	(30, 4, 2015)
EP: (1, 0, 2000)	"Invalid date"
EP: (1, 1, 1899)	"Invalid date"
EP: (1, 1, 2000)	"Invalid date"
BVA: (1, 1, 1900)	"Invalid date"
BVA: (1, 1, 1900)	(31, 12, 1899)
BVA: (32, 1, 2000)	(31, 12, 2014)
BVA: (1, 3, 2015)	(29, 2, 2000)
BVA: (1, 13, 2000)	(28, 2, 2015)
BVA: (1, 1, 1899)	"Invalid date"

2. Programs

P1. The function `linearSearch` searches for a value v in an array of integers a . If v appears in the array a , then the function returns the first index i , such that $a[i] == v$; otherwise, -1 is returned.

P1: Linear Search

- **Function:** Searches for a value in an array.

Equivalence Classes:

1. **Valid:** Value exists in the array.
2. **Invalid:** Value does not exist in the array.
3. **Empty Array:** Array length is zero.

Input	Expected Output
(5, [1, 2, 3, 4, 5])	4
(6, [1, 2, 3, 4, 5])	-1
(5, [])	-1

P2: Count Item

- **Function:** Counts occurrences of a value in an array.

Equivalence Classes:

1. **Value exists:** The value is present multiple times.
2. **Value does not exist:** The value is not present.
3. **Empty Array:** Array length is zero.

Input	Expected Output
(1, [1, 2, 1, 3, 1])	3
(6, [1, 2, 3, 4, 5])	0
(1, [])	0

P3: Binary Search

- **Function:** Searches for a value in an ordered array.

Equivalence Classes:

1. **Value exists:** The value is in the array.
2. **Value does not exist:** The value is not in the array.
3. **Empty Array:** Array length is zero.

Input	Expected Output
(3, [1, 2, 3, 4, 5])	2
(6, [1, 2, 3, 4, 5])	-1
(1, [])	-1

P4: Triangle Classification

- **Function:** Classifies triangle types.

Equivalence Classes:

1. **Equilateral:** All sides equal.
2. **Isosceles:** Two sides equal.
3. **Scalene:** No sides equal.
4. **Invalid:** Not a triangle.

Input	Expected Output
(3, 3, 3)	EQUILATERAL

(3, 3, 2)	ISOSCELES
(3, 4, 5)	SCALENE
(1, 2, 3)	INVALID

P5: Prefix Function

- **Function:** Checks if one string is a prefix of another.

Equivalence Classes:

1. **s1 is a prefix of s2:** True.
2. **s1 is not a prefix of s2:** False.
3. **s1 longer than s2:** False.

Input	Expected Output
("abc", "abcdef")	true
("abc", "xyz")	false
("abc", "ab")	false

P6: Triangle Classification with Floating Values

- **Equivalence Classes:**
 1. **Valid scalene triangle.**
 2. **Valid isosceles triangle.**
 3. **Valid equilateral triangle.**
 4. **Valid right triangle.**

- 5. **Invalid triangle.**
- 6. **Non-positive lengths.**

Input	Expected Output
(3.0, 4.0, 5.0)	SCALENE
(3.0, 3.0, 2.0)	ISOSCELES
(3.0, 3.0, 3.0)	EQUILATERAL
(3.0, 4.0, 5.0)	RIGHT ANGLE
(1.0, 2.0, 3.0)	INVALID
(0.0, 1.0, 1.0)	INVALID