# CSE108 – Computer Programming Laboratory Spring 2022, May 7 Lab #10

# **PART 1 (80 pts)**

Write a complete C program that

- takes 2 numbers as strings,
- convert them into integers,
- calculate the combination of them,
- save each value in a struct and,
- print the combination as an output.

#### You should use 2 different structs:

1) First one is called 'struct number' with 2 variables: a string of the number and the integer.

Both keeps the same number. The string is the input coming from the user. The integer should be calculated via a recursive function ( parse\_to\_int ).

Sample values for the variables of the struct:

string: "120"

int: 120

2) The second struct is called 'struct combination'. It has three variables: n, r and result. n and r are instances of 'struct number' and result is an integer. In other words, to save n and r, you should refer to the 'struct number', you can't save them directly in 'struct combination'.

### Functions needed:

1) int factorial (int n)

A recursive function which calculates end returns the factorial of an integer n.

2) int is\_number (char \*number\_as\_str, int length\_of\_str)

A recursive function to check if the input is proper (if it is a number that can be converted to an int).

For example, "1223" is a proper input while "123b2" is not.

The function should return 1 if the string is a convertible number, 0 otherwise.

If an input is not a convertible number, the program should ask for another input.

3) int parse\_to\_int (char \*number\_as\_str, int length\_of\_str)

The recursive function which converts a given string to int, and then returns it.

4) int str\_len(char \*str)

To use in 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> functions, write a recursive function to find the length of a given string.

#### Expected output of the program:

```
n: 154*97
r: 2335

Inputs are not valid. Please try again..
n: 12c2
r: 54

Inputs are not valid. Please try again..
n: 11
r: 4
Combination (11,4) = 330.000000
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n: -19
r: 2

Inputs are not valid. Please try again..
n: 12
r: 7

Combination (12,7) = 792.000000
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## Notes:

- You can't use a function from an existing library to implement given tasks.
- Make sure you save every value (both inputs and output) in structs. You can't keep them in local variables where you read the input / where you make the calculations.
- Combination formula:

$$C(n,k) = \binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k! (n-k)!}$$

## **PART 2 (20 pts)**

Write a complete C program that reads a decimal number and a base value (both as integers) and implements base conversion by using a recursive function.

Function prototype: int base\_converter (int decimal\_number, int base)

#### Expected output:

```
Decimal number: 65
Base: 2
65 in base 2 is: 1000001
Decimal number: 78
Base: 7
78 in base 7 is: 141
Decimal number: 32
Base: 16
32 in base 16 is: 20
```

PS: Don't forget to write a makefile and to add comments to your code.