- (a) Define two functions xgets() and xputs() which work similar to the standard library functions gets() and puts().
- (b) Define a function getint(), which would receive a numeric string from the keyboard, convert it to an integer number and return the integer to the calling function. A sample usage of getint() is shown below.

```
# include <stdio.h>
int main()
{
  int a;
```

```
a = getint();
printf ("you entered %d\n", a);
return 0;
}
```

- (c) Define a function **getfloat()**, which would receive a numeric string from the keyboard, convert it to a float value and return the float to the calling function.
- (d) If we are to display the following output properly aligned which format specifiers would you use?

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