

M03S01 [Arrays and Strings]: Exercise 06

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Problem Description

strcmp is a C library function that compares two strings lexicographically, i.e., according to dictionary order but this comparison is case sensitive. Write a program to implement a string comparison function which is case insensitive. You are not allowed to use any string library function for this. Your program should take the two strings as input from user during the runtime. Your program can restrict user to input string of a certain maximum length. Program should output the following:

- 0 : if `str1 == str2`
- a +ve-number : if `str1 < str2`
- a -ve-number : if `str1 > str2`

Example 1:

Input string 1: abcd Input string 2: ABCD

Expected Output: 0

Example 2:

Input string 1: b Input string 2: A

Expected Output: a +ve number