Libft

Your very first own library

Summary: *This project aims to code a* **C** *library regrouping usual functions that you'll be use for all your next projects.*

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Introduction

C programming can be very tedious when one doesn't have access to those highly useful standard functions. This project allows you to re-write those functions, understand them, and learn to use them. This library will help you with all your future C projects.

Take the time to expand your `libft` throughout the year. But always, make sure to check which functions are allowed !

Chapter II

Common Instructions

- Your project must be written in accordance with the Norm. If you have bonus files/functions, they are included in the norm check and you will receive a 0 if there is a norm error inside.

- Your functions should not quit unexpectedly (segmentation fault, bus error, double free, etc) apart from undefined behaviors. If this happens, your project will be considered non functional and will receive a 0 during the evaluation.

- All heap allocated memory space must be properly freed when necessary. No leaks will be tolerated.

- If the subject requires it, you must submit a `Makefile` which will compile your source files to the required output with the flags `-Wall`, `-Wextra` and `-Werror`, use cc, and your Makefile must not relink.

- Your `Makefile` must at least contain the rules `$(NAME)`, `all`, `clean`, `fclean` and `re`.

- To turn in bonuses to your project, you must include a rule `bonus` to your Makefile, which will add all the various headers, librairies or functions that are forbidden on the main part of the project. Bonuses must be in a different file `_bonus.{c/h}`. Mandatory and bonus part evaluation is done separately.

- If your project allows you to use your `libft`, you must copy its sources and its associated `Makefile` in a `libft` folder with its associated Makefile. Your project's `Makefile` must compile the library by using its `Makefile`, then compile the project.

- We encourage you to create test programs for your project even though this work **won't have to be submitted and won't be graded**. It will give you a chance to easily test your work and your peers' work. You will find those tests especially useful during your defence. Indeed, during defence, you are free to use your tests and/or the tests of the peer you are evaluating.

- Submit your work to your assigned git repository. Only the work in the git repository will be graded. If Deepthought is assigned to grade your work, it will be done after your peer-evaluations. If an error happens in any section of your work during Deepthought's grading, the evaluation will stop.

Chapter III

Mandatory part

Program name	libft.a
Turn in files	*.c, libft.h, Makefile
Makefile	Yes
External functs.	Detailed below
Libft authorized	Non-applicable
Description	Write your own library, containing an extract of important functions for your cursus.

III.1   Technical considerations

- It is forbidden to declare global variables.

- If you need subfunctions to write a complex function, you should define these subfunctions as `static` to avoid publishing them with your library. It would be a good habit to do this in your future projects as well.

- Submit all files in the root of your repository.

- It is forbidden to submit unused files.

- Every .c must compile with flags.

- You must use the command `ar` to create your library, using the command `libtool` is forbidden.

III.2   Part 1 - Libc functions

In this first part, you must re-code a set of the `libc` functions, as defined in their man. Your functions will need to present the same prototype and behaviors as the originals. Your functions' names must be prefixed by "`ft_`". For instance `strlen` becomes `ft_strlen`.

> Some of the functions' prototypes you have to re-code use the "restrict" qualifier. This keyword is part of the c99 standard. It is therefore forbidden to include it in your prototypes and to compile it with the flag -std=c99.

You must re-code the following functions. These function do not need any external functions:

- isalpha
- isdigit
- isalnum
- isascii
- isprint
- strlen
- memset
- bzero
- memcpy
- memmove
- strlcpy
- strlcat

- toupper
- tolower
- strchr
- strrchr
- strncmp
- memchr
- memcmp
- strnstr
- atoi

You must also re-code the following functions, using the function "`malloc`":

- calloc
- strdup

III.3   Part 2 - Additional functions

In this second part, you must code a set of functions that are either not included in the
libc, or included in a different form. Some of these functions can be useful to write Part
1's functions.

Function name	ft_substr
Prototype	char *ft_substr(char const *s, unsigned int start, size_t len);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The string from which to create the substring. #2. The start index of the substring in the string 's'. #3. The maximum length of the substring.
Return value	The substring. NULL if the allocation fails.
External functs.	malloc
Description	Allocates (with malloc(3)) and returns a substring from the string 's'. The substring begins at index 'start' and is of maximum size 'len'.

Function name	ft_strjoin
Prototype	char *ft_strjoin(char const *s1, char const *s2);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The prefix string. #2. The suffix string.
Return value	The new string. NULL if the allocation fails.
External functs.	malloc
Description	Allocates (with malloc(3)) and returns a new string, which is the result of the concatenation of 's1' and 's2'.

Function name	ft_strtrim
Prototype	char *ft_strtrim(char const *s1, char const *set);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The string to be trimmed. #2. The reference set of characters to trim.
Return value	The trimmed string. NULL if the allocation fails.
External functs.	malloc
Description	Allocates (with malloc(3)) and returns a copy of 's1' with the characters specified in 'set' removed from the beginning and the end of the string.

Function name	ft_split
Prototype	char **ft_split(char const *s, char c);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The string to be split.
	#2. The delimiter character.
Return value	The array of new strings resulting from the split.
	NULL if the allocation fails.
External functs.	malloc, free
Description	Allocates (with malloc(3)) and returns an array
	of strings obtained by splitting 's' using the
	character 'c' as a delimiter. The array must be
	ended by a NULL pointer.

Function name	ft_itoa
Prototype	char *ft_itoa(int n);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. the integer to convert.
Return value	The string representing the integer. NULL if the
	allocation fails.
External functs.	malloc
Description	Allocates (with malloc(3)) and returns a string
	representing the integer received as an argument.
	Negative numbers must be handled.

Function name	ft_strmapi
Prototype	char *ft_strmapi(char const *s, char (*f)(unsigned
	int, char));
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The string on which to iterate.
	#2. The function to apply to each character.
Return value	The string created from the successive applications
	of 'f'. Returns NULL if the allocation fails.
External functs.	malloc
Description	Applies the function 'f' to each character of
	the string 's' , and passing its index as first
	argument to create a new string (with malloc(3))
	resulting from successive applications of 'f'.

Function name	ft_striteri
Prototype	void ft_striteri(char *s, void (*f)(unsigned int, char*));
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The string on which to iterate. #2. The function to apply to each character.
Return value	None.
External functs.	None
Description	Applies the function f to each character of the string passed as argument, and passing its index as first argument. Each character is passed by address to f to be modified if necessary

Function name	ft_putchar_fd
Prototype	void ft_putchar_fd(char c, int fd);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The character to output. #2. The file descriptor on which to write.
Return value	None
External functs.	write
Description	Outputs the character 'c' to the given file descriptor.

Function name	ft_putstr_fd
Prototype	void ft_putstr_fd(char *s, int fd);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The string to output. #2. The file descriptor on which to write.
Return value	None
External functs.	write
Description	Outputs the string 's' to the given file descriptor.

Function name	ft_putendl_fd
Prototype	void ft_putendl_fd(char *s, int fd);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The string to output. #2. The file descriptor on which to write.
Return value	None
External functs.	write
Description	Outputs the string 's' to the given file descriptor, followed by a newline.

Function name	ft_putnbr_fd
Prototype	void ft_putnbr_fd(int n, int fd);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The integer to output.
	#2. The file descriptor on which to write.
Return value	None
External functs.	write
Description	Outputs the integer 'n' to the given file
	descriptor.

Chapter IV

Bonus part

If you completed the mandatory part, you'll enjoy taking it further. You can see this last section as Bonus Points.

Having functions to manipulate memory and strings is very useful, but you'll soon discover that having functions to manipulate lists is even more useful.

`make bonus` will add the bonus functions to the libft.a library.

You'll use the following structure to represent the elements of your list. This structure must be added to your `libft.h` file.

```
typedef struct      s_list
{
        void            *content;
        struct s_list   *next;
}               t_list;
```

Here is a description of the fields of the `t_list` struct:

- `content` : The data contained in the element. The `void *` allows to store any kind of data.

- `next` : The next element's address or `NULL` if it's the last element.

The following functions will allow you to easily use your lists.

Function name	ft_lstnew
Prototype	t_list *ft_lstnew(void *content);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The content to create the new element with.
Return value	The new element.
External functs.	malloc
Description	Allocates (with malloc(3)) and returns a new element. The variable 'content' is initialized with the value of the parameter 'content'. The variable 'next' is initialized to NULL.

Function name	ft_lstadd_front
Prototype	void ft_lstadd_front(t_list **lst, t_list *new);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The address of a pointer to the first link of a list. #2. The address of a pointer to the element to be added to the list.
Return value	None
External functs.	None
Description	Adds the element 'new' at the beginning of the list.

Function name	ft_lstsize
Prototype	int ft_lstsize(t_list *lst);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The beginning of the list.
Return value	Length of the list.
External functs.	None
Description	Counts the number of elements in a list.

Function name	ft_lstlast
Prototype	t_list *ft_lstlast(t_list *lst);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The beginning of the list.
Return value	Last element of the list.
External functs.	None
Description	Returns the last element of the list.

Function name	ft_lstadd_back
Prototype	void ft_lstadd_back(t_list **lst, t_list *new);
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The address of a pointer to the first link of a list. #2. The address of a pointer to the element to be added to the list.
Return value	None
External functs.	None
Description	Adds the element 'new' at the end of the list.

Function name	ft_lstdelone
Prototype	void ft_lstdelone(t_list *lst, void (*del)(void *));
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The element to free. #2. The address of the function used to delete the content.
Return value	None
External functs.	free
Description	Takes as a parameter an element and frees the memory of the element's content using the function 'del' given as a parameter and free the element. The memory of 'next' must not be freed.

Function name	ft_lstclear
Prototype	void ft_lstclear(t_list **lst, void (*del)(void *));
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The address of a pointer to an element. #2. The address of the function used to delete the content of the element.
Return value	None
External functs.	free
Description	Deletes and frees the given element and every successor of that element, using the function 'del' and free(3). Finally, the pointer to the list must be set to NULL.

Function name	ft_lstiter
Prototype	void ft_lstiter(t_list *lst, void (*f)(void *));
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The adress of a pointer to an element. #2. The adress of the function used to iterate on the list.
Return value	None
External functs.	None
Description	Iterates the list 'lst' and applies the function 'f' to the content of each element.

Function name	ft_lstmap
Prototype	t_list *ft_lstmap(t_list *lst, void *(*f)(void *), void (*del)(void *));
Turn in files	-
Parameters	#1. The adress of a pointer to an element. #2. The adress of the function used to iterate on the list. #3. The adress of the function used to delete the content of an element if needed.
Return value	The new list. NULL if the allocation fails.
External functs.	malloc, free
Description	Iterates the list 'lst' and applies the function 'f' to the content of each element. Creates a new list resulting of the successive applications of the function 'f'. The 'del' function is used to delete the content of an element if needed.