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START

    InputFile geraldineFile #Declare files, create variables, and open file
    InputFile gerardFile
    OutputFile mergedFile

    DECLARE geraldineCustomerNumber, geraldineLastName, geraldineAddress,
geraldineArea
    DECLARE gerardCustomerNumber, gerardLastName, gerardAddress, gerardArea

    OPEN geraldineFile "geraldine.dat"
    OPEN gerardFile "gerard.dat"
    OPEN mergedFile "mergedCustomers.dat"

# Read first record from each file
    INPUT geraldineCustomerNumber, geraldineLastName, geraldineAddress,
geraldineArea FROM geraldineFile
    INPUT gerardCustomerNumber, gerardLastName, gerardAddress, gerardArea FROM
gerardFile

# While neither file has reached end
    WHILE NOT end of geraldineFile AND NOT end of gerardFile
        IF geraldineCustomerNumber < gerardCustomerNumber THEN
            OUTPUT geraldineCustomerNumber, geraldineLastName, geraldineAddress,
geraldineArea TO mergedFile
            INPUT geraldineCustomerNumber, geraldineLastName, geraldineAddress,
geraldineArea FROM  geraldineFile
        ELSE
            OUTPUT gerardCustomerNumber, gerardLastName, gerardAddress, gerardArea
TO mergedFile
            INPUT gerardCustomerNumber, gerardLastName, gerardAddress, gerardArea
FROM  gerardFile
        ENDIF
    ENDWHILE

# If there are remaining records in geraldineFile
    WHILE NOT end of geraldineFile
        OUTPUT geraldineCustomerNumber, geraldineLastName, geraldineAddress,
geraldineArea TO mergedFile
        INPUT geraldineCustomerNumber, geraldineLastName, geraldineAddress,
geraldineArea FROM geraldineFile
    ENDWHILE

# If there are remaining records in gerardFile
    WHILE NOT end of gerardFile
        OUTPUT gerardCustomerNumber, gerardLastName, gerardAddress, gerardArea TO
mergedFile
        INPUT gerardCustomerNumber, gerardLastName, gerardAddress, gerardArea FROM
gerardFile
    ENDWHILE

# Close files
    CLOSE geraldineFile
    CLOSE gerardFile
    CLOSE mergedFile

END
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