# 1 Part: Dynamic array of strings

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## 1.1 Description

In this part of the assignment, your task is to implement several functions for manipulating dynamic arrays of strings. Intuitively, the array represents a text, and each of the elements of the array represents a word (an arbitrary string without whitespaces).

You have already seen the string class used in the lecture. We will study it in more detail later, but you know enough to use it here. As it handles the memory allocation for the individual strings, you will not have to worry about it. Copy constructor, operator=, as well as operator== are implemented for strings, and you can use them.

Each function that you will have to implement, has a parameter text for the array of strings and a parameter length for the number of strings stored in the array, passed either by value or by reference depending on the specific function. Some functions have a parameter for the capacity (number of elements) allocated for the array. Some of the functions will be allocating memory for the array. The code using the functions will be responsible for deallocating the returned array's memory.

A detailed description of the functions is given in the header file Text.h. Below, we illustrate the desired behaviour of some functions on a few examples.

## 1.2 Example Usage

Please refer to the file Text.h for the functions' declaration and description.

### • resize

Parameters

text:  $\begin{bmatrix} a & bb & ccc & a & bb & ccc \end{bmatrix}$ 

length: 6 capacity: 8

Result of resize(text, length, capacity, 10)

length: 6 capacity: 10

Note: Calling resize with new capacity value that is smaller or equal to the current value of capacity leaves all of text, length and capacity unchanged.

### • readText

Example input:

a bb, ccc a bb ccc? EOT

Example result of readText(cin,length,capacity)

text: a bb, ccc a bb ccc?

length: 6 capacity: 8

## • getWords

Parameters:

text:  $\begin{vmatrix} a & bb & ccc & a & bb & ccc & 11 & 22 \end{vmatrix}$ 

length: 8 capacity: 8

Result of getWords(text,length,number\_unique,capacity\_unique)

 ${\tt number\_unique: 5} \qquad {\tt capacity\_unique: 8}$ 

## • appendText

Parameters:

text: a bb ccc a bb ccc

length: 6 capacity: 8

other: | 11 | 22 | 33 |

length\_other: 3

Example result of appendText(text,length,capacity,other,length\_other)

text:  $\begin{vmatrix} a & bb & ccc & a & bb & ccc & 11 & 22 & 33 \end{vmatrix}$ 

length: 9 capacity: 9

Note: If the sum of the current value of length and length\_other exceeds the current value of capacity, then text is resized to length+length\_other. Otherwise, length is updated to the new length of text, but capacity remains the same. In either case, the array other and its length and capacity are not modified.

#### • deleteWordAll

Parameters:

length: 6

Example result of deleteWordAll(text,length,"11");

text: a ccc a ccc

length: 4

**Note:** The capacity of the array text remains unchanged, while the length might decrease, and remaining elements are shifted to the positions of the deleted elements.

## • replacePhraseFirst

Parameters:

length: 8 capacity: 9

phrase: a 11 new\_phrase: bb

phrase\_length: 2 new\_phrase\_length: 1

Example result of

length: 7 capacity: 9

### • replacePhraseFirst (another example)

Parameters:

length: 8 capacity: 9

phrase: a 11 new\_phrase: 11 22 33 44

 ${\tt phrase\_length: 2} \qquad \qquad {\tt new\_phrase\_length: 4}$ 

Example result of

text:  $\begin{vmatrix} a & bb & ccc & 11 & 22 & 33 & 44 & ccc & a & 11 \end{vmatrix}$ 

length: 10 capacity: 10

**Note:** When the length of the text resulting from the replacement exceeds the capacity of text, the capacity of text needs to be increased enough to accommodate the new text. Otherwise, the capacity of text remains the same. The length of the text might increase, decrease or remain the same, depending on the phrases.