

char * get_specifier (char * spe

| = frag

0 = width

0 = precision

0 = modifier

0 = specifier

|

% h#d

% #hd

% d

% 10-h.d

% #d

This is where
spec must be null

```
char *get-specifier(char *spc, fmt_opts_t *fop)
{
    check-flag(&spc, fop)
    check-width(&spc, fop)
    check-precision(&spc, fop)
    check-modifier(&spc, fop)
    check-specifier(&spc)

    return(spc)
}
```

```
void check_flag(char **s, fmt_opts_t *f)
{
    int is_flag = 1;

    while (**s != '\0')
    {
        switch (*s)
        {
            case '-':
                f->minus_flag = 1;
                break;
            case '+':
                f->plus_flag = 1;
                break;
            case '0':
                f->zero_flag = 1;
                break;
            case '#':
                f->hash_flag = 1;
                break;
            case ' ':
                f->blank_flag = 1;
                break;
            default:
                is_flag = 0;
        }
        if (is_flag)
            ++(*s);
    }
}
```

```
void check_width (char **s, fmt_opts_t *f)
```

```
{
```

```
    f->width = 0;
```

```
    while (**s != '\0')
```

```
{
```

```
    if (isdigit(**s))
```

```
{
```

```
        f->width = (f->width * 10) + (**s - '0')
```

```
        ++(*s);
```

```
        continue;
```

```
}  
break;
```

```
}
```

```
}
```

```
void check_precision (char **s, fmt_opts_t *f)
```

```
{
```

```
    if (**s != '.')
```

```
        return;
```

```
    ++(*s);
```

```
    f->precision = 0;
```

```
    while (**s != '\0')
```

```
{
```

```
    if (isdigit(**s))
```

```
{
```

```
        f->precision = (f->precision * 10) + (**s - '0')
```

```
        ++(*s);
```

```
        continue;
```

```
}  
break;
```

```
}
```

```

void check_modifier(char **s, fmt_opts_t *f)
{
    int is_modifier = 1;

    while (**s != '\0')
    {
        switch (*s)
        {
            case 'h':
                if (*(*s + 1) == 'h')
                    f->modifier = strdup("hh");
                else
                    f->modifier = strdup("h");
                ++(*s);
                break;
            case 'l':
                if (*(*s + 1) == 'l')
                    f->modifier = strdup("ll");
                else
                    f->modifier = strdup("l");
                ++(*s);
                break;
            default:
                is_modifier = 0;
        }
        if (is_modifier)
        {
            ++(*s);
            break;
        }
    }
}

```

```
void checkSpecifier(char **s)
```

```
{
```

```
char specifier[] = "cS%";
```

```
if (**s == '\0' || strchr(specifier, **s) == NULL)  
    *s = NULL;
```

```
}
```

Number Systems

d → decimal

b → binary → sizeof(int) / 1 = 32 / 1 = 32

o → octal → 32 / 3 = 11

x → hex → 32 / 4 = 8

X → HEX

Converting an unsigned → binary

$\text{uint} \rightarrow 4 \text{ bytes} = 32 \text{ bits}$

so max-space for binary-buf = ~~32 + 1~~

e.g. 7284

$$7284 \% 2 = 0$$

$$3642 \% \cdot 2 = 0$$

$$1821 \% 2 = 1$$

$$910 \% 2 = 0$$

455 % 2 = 1

227% 2 21

113%221

56% 2 20

$$28\%2 = 0$$

$$14\% \text{ } 2 = 0$$

$$7\%_2 = 1$$

$$3\% \text{ } 2 = 1$$

1'0221

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```

int _putchar_buf (int ch, char *buf, int *ctr)
{
    int printed_chars = 0;
    if (ch == -1 || ctr == BUFF_SIZE - 1)
    {
        printed_chars += write(1, buf, *ctr);
        *ctr = 0;
    }
    if (ch != -1)
        (*buf)[ctr++] = ch;
    return (printed_chars);
}

```

```

int _puts_buf (char *str, char *buf,
               int *ctr)
{
    int printed_chars = 0;
    while (str != NULL && *str != '\0')
        printed_chars += _putchar_buf (*str++);
    return (printed_chars);
}

```

printing invalid Syntax

int - print_invalid_syntax(cuer *p, cur *

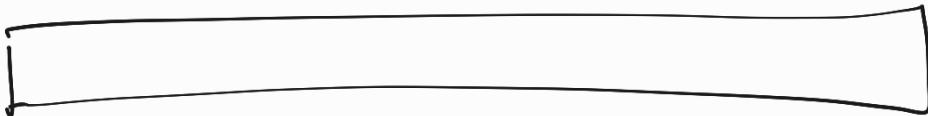
'h' is skipped → "%#4hz"
 ↑ ↑
 pcr spc
spc-cur = 0,
modifier = 'h'

'h' is not skipped → "%4#hz"
 ↑ ↑.
 pcr spc
spc-cur = 0
modifier = 0

Field Width

width \geq strlen ✓ → format
width < strlen ✗

Formatting

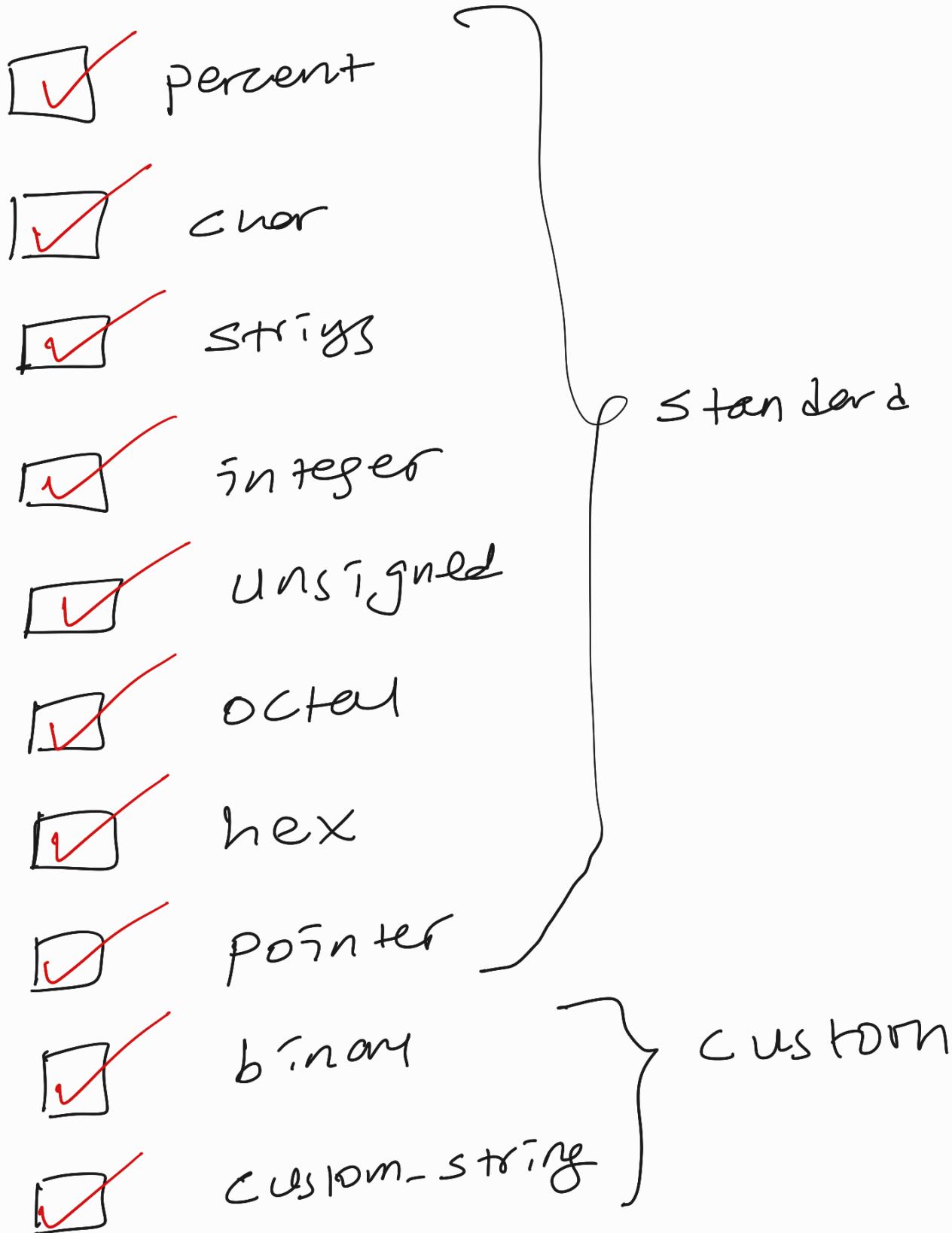


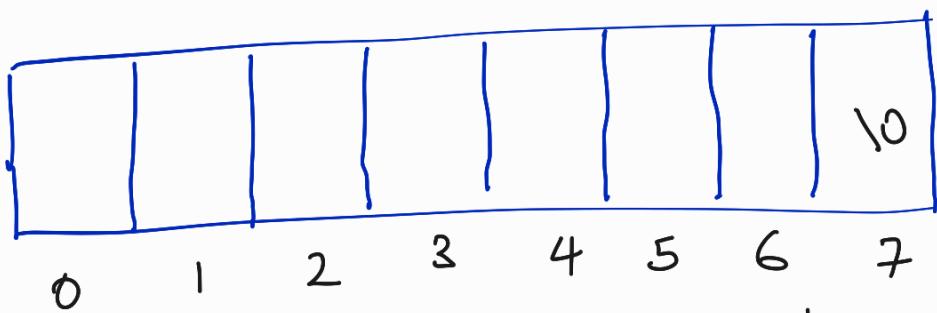
memset(padding)

copy str to form from back to front
or from front to back

TO DO

move args → format-data





actual width(7)

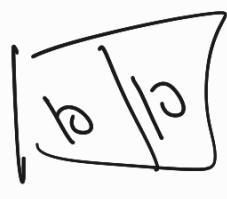
must be ''10''

A 10

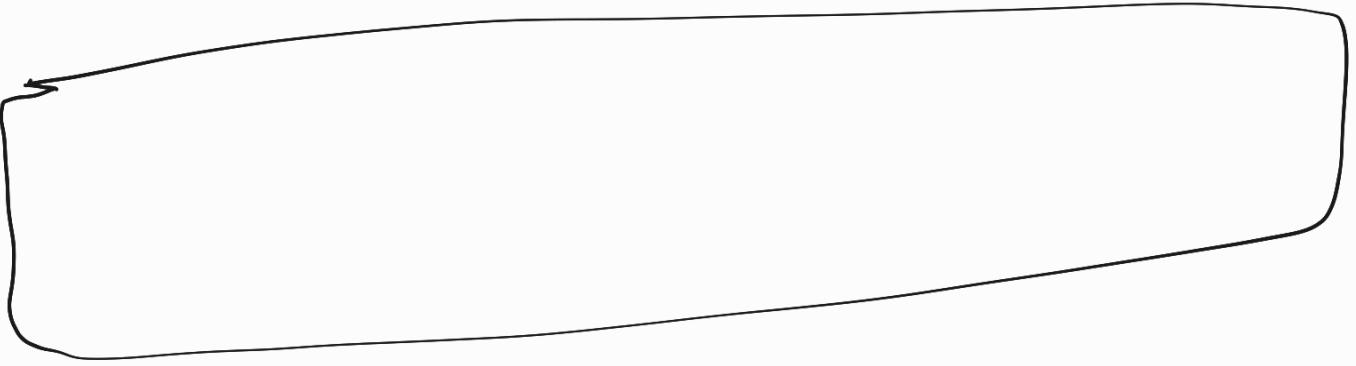
10



then .



0

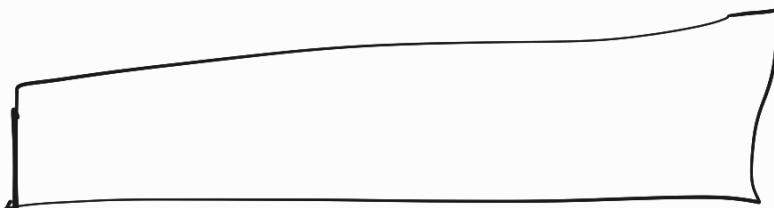


if (str ! = null & f → prec >= 10);
str { f → prec } = 10;
if (str == null || f → prec < 10)
str = "0";
else if (f → prec > 0)
str = str.substring(0, str.length() - 1);
str = str + "0";
if (str.length() < 1)
str = "0";
return str;

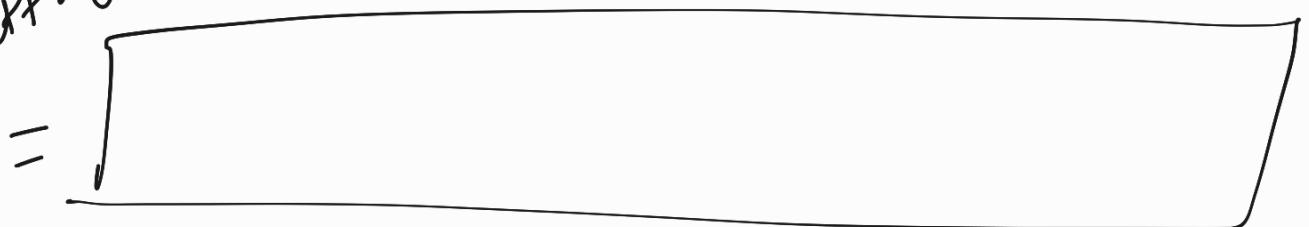
This is how formatting works

Integer

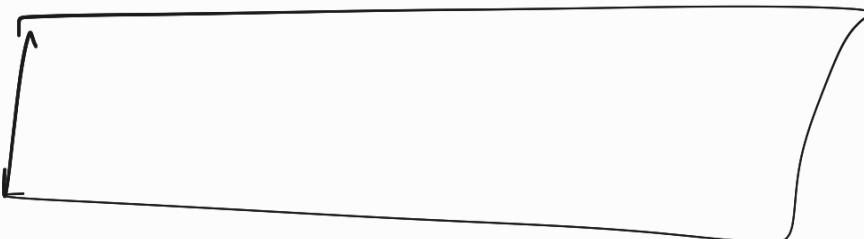
int-str 2



formatting



buffer =



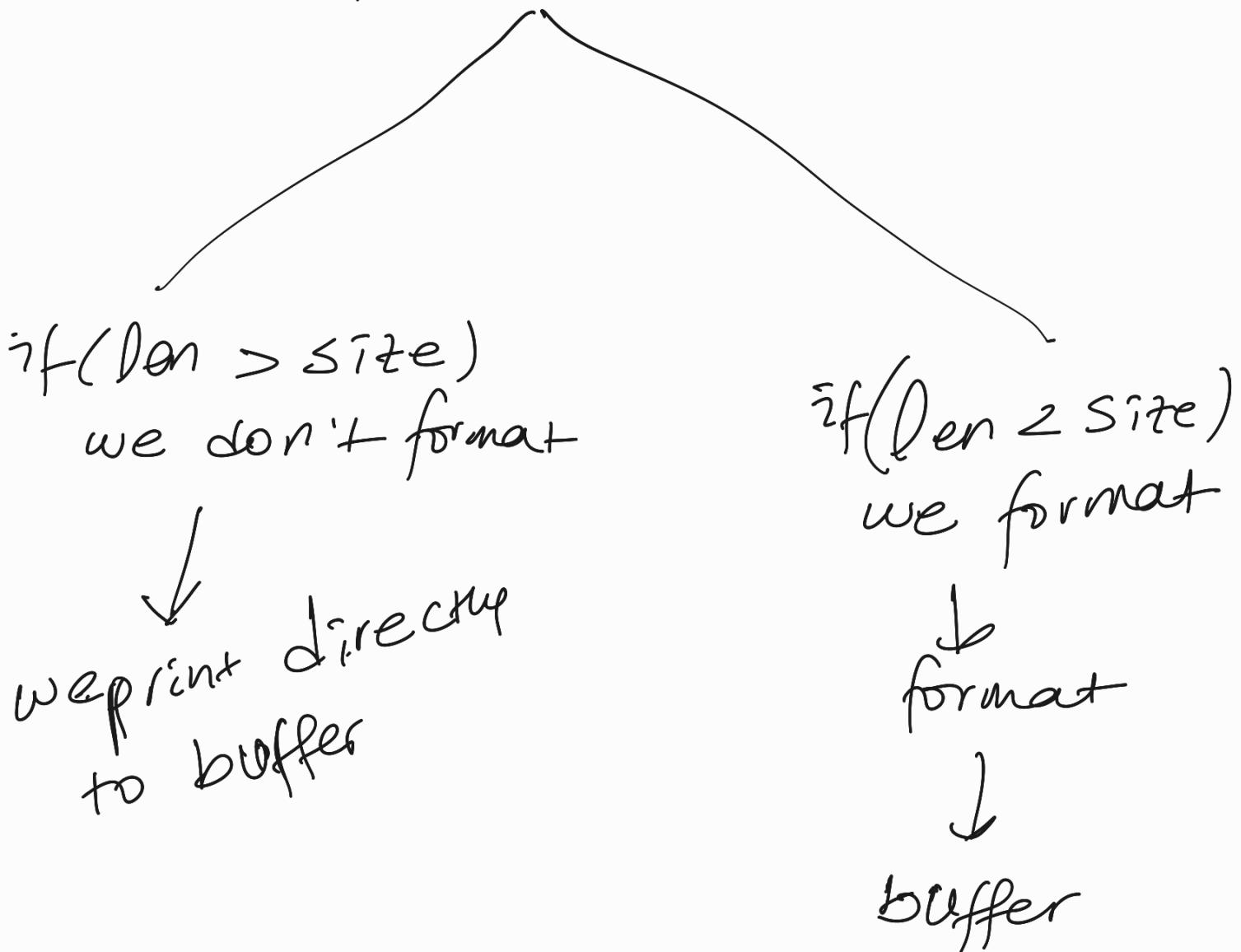
STDOUT

First determine format size

$\text{size} = \max(\text{width}, \text{precision})$

$\text{len} = \text{strlen}(\text{int_str})$

There are cases where we
don't format



Steps in formatting

1. Determine format size

$\rightarrow \text{fmtSize} = \max \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{width} \\ \text{precision} \\ \text{length of number + pre} \end{array} \right\}$

$\rightarrow \text{if } \text{fmtSize} \geq \text{precision}$

$\text{fmtSize} += \text{strlen}(\text{prefix})$

2. Determine Padding

- Pad = 1 → by default

- Pad = 0 → if
- precision is set or

- zero is set & P
minus flag is not set

3. Write

handler function

- fetch the argument with modifiers in mind
- convert numbers to string format
- determine prefix
- get formatted output

format output

- string to formatted data
- determine fmt size
- determine padding
- write formatted output

Pad = '0'

- no justification

- syntax

Pad = '+'

- justification is applied

- left justification

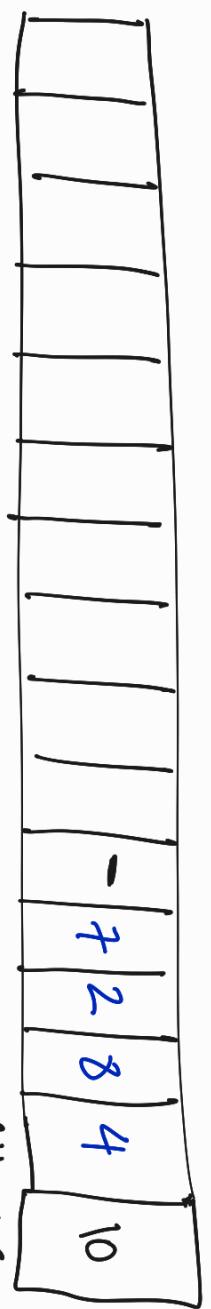
- Prefix + Pad + number

prefix + number + Pad

- right justification

Pad + Prefix + number

- return formatted output



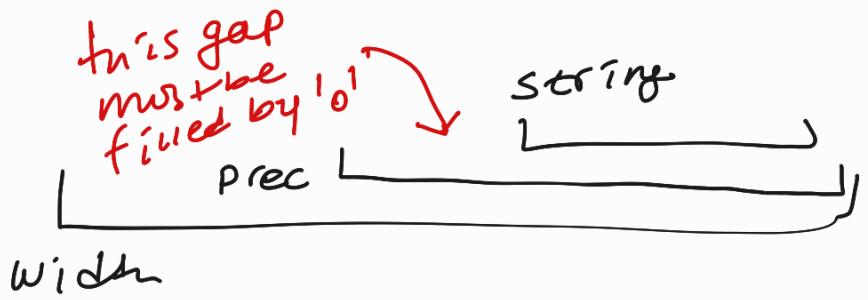
$\rightarrow \text{fmt_output}$
 $\text{size} = 16$

$\downarrow \leftarrow \text{number} = 7284$
 $\text{prefix} = -$

e.g.

$\text{fout_len} = 15 \quad \text{(1)}$
 $\text{int_len} = 5 \quad \text{(pre + str)}$

$\text{fmt}(\text{fout_len} - \text{str_len})$
 (4)
 (15)



precision < string

we consider precision in determining if the precision field is larger than the integer string then remaining space on the left must be padded with zeros

width = 14 num = 7284
precision = 10 list = {
 }

0	0	0	0	0	0	7	2	8	4						10
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15

prec

1. Pad the precision area with zeros

```
memset(fout, '0', prec)
```

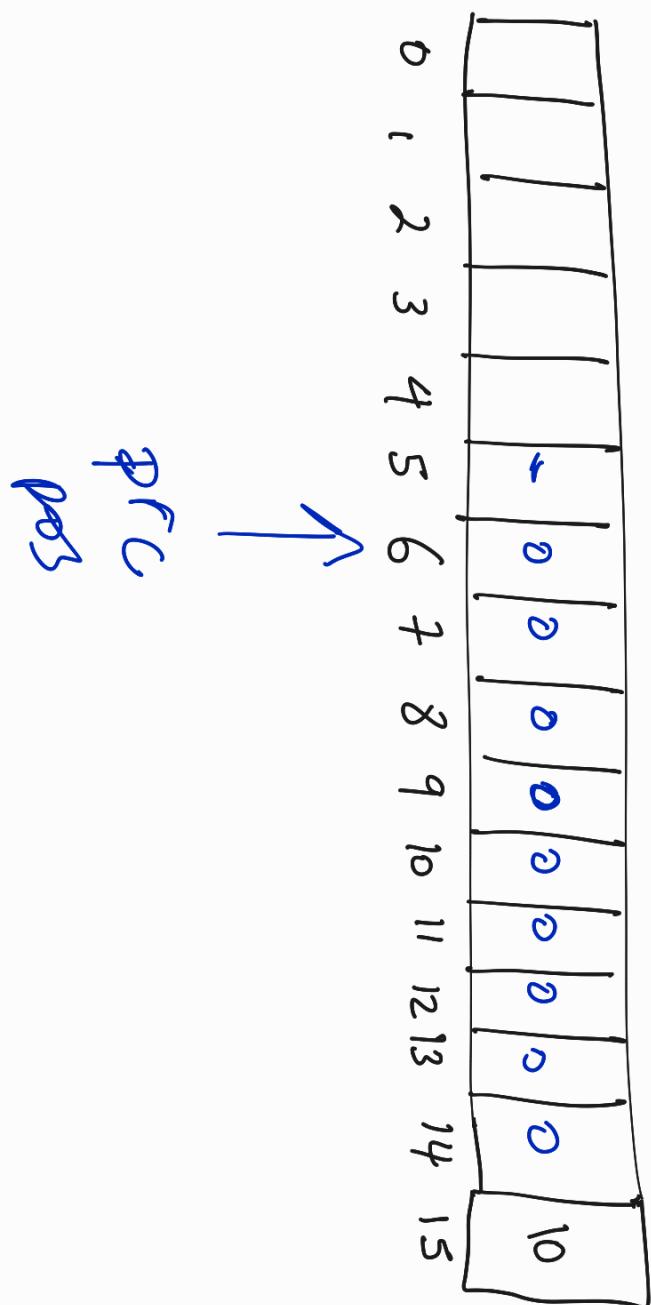
2. write prefix

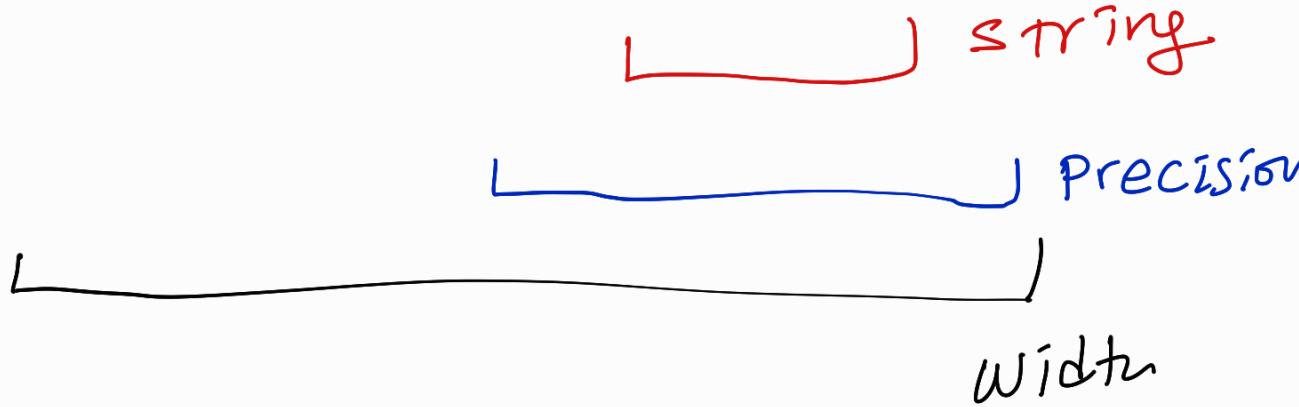
```
memcp(fout, prefix, pre_len)
```

3. write intstr

```
memcpy(fout +
```

width = 14
precision = 10
num → 284
jst = 1





Note on formatting

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- In formatting an output the major steps undertaken are
 1. Determine the actual format field width
 2. Determine the justification of the output
 3. Determine the padding character
- 1. Actual format field width
 - Now we know that the user can give us a value for the format field width in the format options.
 - But the actual format field width of the output depends on these three things
 - a. the length of the string
 - b. the given field width
 - c. the given precision.
 - And each of these properties have different behaviors based on the conversion specifier.
 - So let's first understand these properties based on the conversion specifier handled.

a. the length of the string

- Each conversion specifier value, meaning value given by the optional arguments is converted to a string format in order to be printed.

char
string
int
unsigned int
hexadecimal
octal
pointer

} all is converted to a string format
e.g.
1945 (int) → "1945" (str)

- So Length of the string means the length of the converted string.

b. the given field width

- A field width value can be given by the user.
- Now even though a user supplied a field width, the actual field width of the formatted output may some other value.
- This is because if the length of the string to be printed is larger than the given field width then printf will take the length of the string as the actual field width.

→ This means that the field width option never truncates the output (the string to be printed) if it is larger than the given field width.

- So

```
if (str_len > field_width)
    actual_field_width = str_len
else
    actual_field_width = field_width
```

c. the given precision

- Okay now precision doesn't directly affect the actual field width.
- In printf the precision format option defines how many characters of the output need to be printed.
- In the case of:
 - i) character and string conversion
 - if precision > str-len , then the output string will be as-is
 - if precision < str-len, then the output string is truncated
 - ↳ truncated meaning if the output string length is 10 and if the precision is 7 then only the first 7 characters from the output string are printed.
 - ii) Integer conversions
 - if precision > str-len , then the extra spaces will be padded with zeros.
 - e.g.
if the converted integer string = "1945" → 4 chars and the precision value is 7 , then the extra 3 chars will be zero, padded from the left
"1945" → "0001945"
 - This applies for all integer conversions.
 - if precision < str-len , then the converted integer string is printed as-is, it will not be truncated.
- So we see that the precision value affects the output string length. Because it can truncate it (for character & string conversions) or enlarge it (for integer conversion).
- And the actual field width depends on the output string length, so we can see that the precision indirectly affects the actual field width.

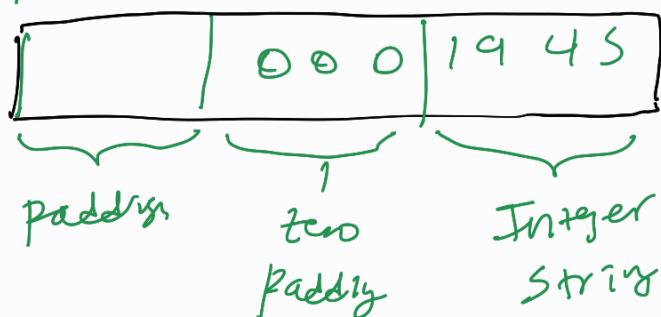
summary

- So in summary the actual field width depends on the given field width and the length of the output string.
- And the output string length depends the precision and the conversion specifier.
- I hope you get the idea 😊

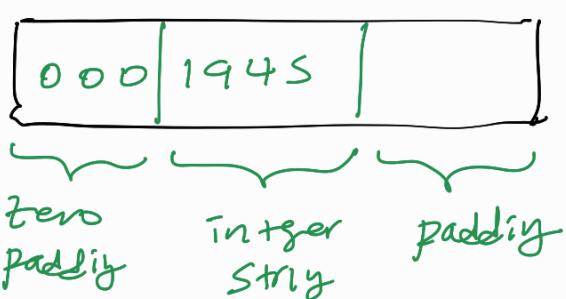
Idea

- I can divide the formatted output into different parts and directly print those parts to the buffer without ever using malloc allocation.
 - the different parts are
 - the padding
 - the zero padding → for integer conversions
 - the output string

Left justification



right justification



Example Calculation

Integer Conversion (for all integer conversion)

$\text{d}, \text{i}, \text{o}, \text{u}, \text{x}, \text{p}$
 intger
 strig
 len

$\text{output_str_len} = \frac{\text{integer}}{\text{string length}} > \text{Precision?}$ precision : $\frac{\text{intger}}{\text{strig}}$;
 $\text{actual_field_width} = \frac{\text{output}}{\text{str_len}} > \text{field width?}$ output : $\frac{\text{field}}{\text{width}}$;

$\text{padding_length} = \text{actual_field_width} - \text{output_str_len};$

$\text{zero_padding} = \frac{\text{converted}}{\text{string_length}} > \text{precision?}$ 0 : precision - $\frac{\text{converted}}{\text{string_len}}$;
 length

String Conversion (same for characters)

$\text{output_str_len} = \text{string length} > \text{Precision?}$ string length : precision ;
 $\text{actual_field_width} = \frac{\text{output}}{\text{str_len}} > \text{field width?}$ output : $\frac{\text{field}}{\text{width}}$;

$\text{padding_length} = \text{actual_field_width} - \text{output_str_len};$

$\text{zero_padding} = 0$
 length