

Given: Mon, Nov 13

Due: Fri, Dec 8, 5 p.m.

This project is to create a program that will help the local youth soccer association manage registrations to their summer league. The program should maintain a file containing a list of all the players. Each player entry in this file should consist of four lines:

name

year of birth

category

registration status

The possible categories are U6, U8, U10, U12, U14 and U17. The registration status is either *paid* or *not paid*.

The program should be interactive and provide the following functions:

1. *Start a new season.* The user provides the current year and the program deletes all the existing players from the file. Before deleting, the program asks for a confirmation.
2. *Add a player.* The user provides the name, year of birth and registration status of a player and the program adds an entry to the file. The category is automatically computed.
3. *Look up a player.* The user provides a name and the program displays the entry for that player or a message saying that the player was not found.

4. *Edit a player's information.* After searching for a player, the user is given the option of changing that player's information (name, year of birth, registration status). If needed, the category is recomputed automatically.
5. *Delete a player.* After searching for a player, the user is also given the option of deleting that player from the system. Before deleting, the program asks for a confirmation.
6. *Produce files with lists of players.* The program asks the user for a category. The user is also given the option of specifying all categories. If the user specifies a category, the program produces a file with all the players in that category. The file is named after the category and with the extension `txt`. For example, `U10.txt`. If the user specifies all categories, the program produces a file named `ALL.txt` and one file for each category. In the file `ALL.txt`, all the players from all categories are listed. In all of the files, the players appear in the format described above and they are listed in alphabetical order.
7. *Display statistics.* The number of players, the number who have paid and the number who haven't paid, in total and for each category.

Here are some additional details:

- *Categories:* U_x stands for *Under x*. For example, U_6 is for players that are younger than 6 years old and U_8 is for players that are 6 or 7. Players younger than 4 or older than 16 cannot play in this summer league. If the user attempts to add such a player, the program should not do it and instead print an explanation.
- *Player ages:* The age of a player is computed by subtracting the year of birth from the year that the user provided at the beginning of the season.

For example, if the year of the current season is 2017 and a player was born in 2005, we consider that the player is 12 years old.

- *Error checking*: When the user is asked to enter a year, the program should check that the user enters an integer and nothing else. Otherwise, the program should ask for the year again. The program should also check that the file opens properly. If not, the program should print a message and quit. The program does not need to check that the file is properly formatted.

As was the case for the first project, the assignment policy available on the course website applies to this project with one exception: you are allowed to do the project as a team of up to three students.

If you choose to do the project as a team, you should do the specification and design of the program as a team, but a lot of the implementation work can be divided. You can also have two teammates work together on the implementation of the same part of the program. If you do this, make sure that each team member gets a chance to write some of the code.

Note that even if you divide the implementation work with your teammates, you should expect to have to help each other out throughout the project.

Whether you work as a team or on your own, I strongly suggest that you build the program very gradually.

You should read Chapter 9 of the notes, *Object-Oriented Design*, before beginning this project.

Submit your project on Moodle by the deadline (even if it's not complete). If you work as a team, submit only one copy of your project. Include the following in your submission:

- *A program specification*. Make sure it is complete, precise and easy to understand. Don't forget to fully specify the user interaction and the file

format.

- *A design document.* This too should be complete, precise and easy to understand. Make sure your program is highly modular. If possible, the user interaction, the storage of the player data and the details of individual player entries should be isolated in separate components. Your program should store the list of players in main memory. Choose an appropriate data structure. Document possible alternatives and explain the reasoning behind your choice.
- *A component diagram* that shows the main methods and data members of each component. (See Chapter 9 of the notes.)
- *Interaction diagrams* that illustrate some typical scenarios. (See Chapter 9 of the notes.)
- *All your code.* The program should be organized into multiple files in the standard way. Make sure you write standard C++ code so I can compile it without problems. Your code should be easy to understand. Pay particular attention to indentation and choice of names for variables, classes and functions.
- *A status report.* It should state whether your program works. In case it doesn't work perfectly or isn't complete, explain exactly what doesn't work or what remains to be done. If you work as a team, list the names of the team members at the top of the report.