

Computer Programming

Lab6

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Ex3

- **Problem: *Integer Power* – function**
- Write a **function** `integerPower(base, exponent)` that returns the value of $base^{exponent}$. For example, `integerPower(3,4)` = $3^4 = 3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3$. Assume that `exponent` is a positive, nonzero integer, and `base` is an integer. Function `integerPower` should use `for` to control the calculation. **Do not use any math library functions.**

- **Program output**

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[ohyong@cse ~/cp/Lab6]$ vi ex6_3.c
[ohyong@cse ~/cp/Lab6]$ gcc ex6_3.c -o ex6_3
[ohyong@cse ~/cp/Lab6]$ ./ex6_3
Enter integer base and exponent: 5 3
5 to the power 3 is: 125
[ohyong@cse ~/cp/Lab6]$ ./ex6_3
Enter integer base and exponent: 2 4
2 to the power 4 is: 16
```

- Write a program that solves a quadratic equation of the form $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$. Use the `sqrt()` function.
 - ✓ In C, mathematical functions are defined in the `math.h` header file, and the GCC compile option `-lm` is used to link the math library.
 - ✓ Take three inputs: `a`, `b`, and `c`.
 - ✓ Calculate the discriminant $D = b^2 - 4ac$.
 - ✓ If $D > 0$, the equation has two distinct real roots, and the program should compute and print them.
 - ✓ If $D = 0$, the equation has one real root (a double root), and the program should compute and print it.
 - ✓ If $D < 0$, the equation has no real roots, and the program should print a message indicating that.
 - ✓ You can use the formula for the roots of a quadratic equation:
 - Root 1: $(-b + \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}) / 2a$
 - Root 2: $(-b - \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}) / 2a$

- Program output

```
[ohyong@cse ~/cp/Lab6]$ vi ex6_extra.c
[ohyong@cse ~/cp/Lab6]$ gcc ex6_extra.c -o ex6_extra -lm
[ohyong@cse ~/cp/Lab6]$ ./ex6_extra
Enter a: 1
Enter b: -3
Enter c: 2
Root 1: 2.00
Root 2: 1.00

[ohyong@cse ~/cp/Lab6]$ ./ex6_extra
Enter a: 1
Enter b: -6
Enter c: 9
Double root: 3.00

[ohyong@cse ~/cp/Lab6]$ ./ex6_extra
Enter a: 1
Enter b: 4
Enter c: 8
No real roots exist.
```

Submission

- **Submit to server**

At the end of the Lab6, submit your C sources file by typing

`~gs1401/bin/submit Lab6_2 ex6_3.c ex6_extra.c // by Thur 11:50`

You may check that you have submitted your source code correctly by typing

`~gs1401/bin/submit -check`