

Coding Convention Guidelines

	Rule	Should	Should not
Naming Convention	Rule #1.0: Use meaningful names	int price, tax, total; void sum();	int x, y, z; void f();
	Rule #1.1: Use Camel Case for variable, struct, function names	float grade, TotalPriceWithTax; struct SalePerson { };	float GRADE, totalpricewithtax; struct SALEPERSON { };
	Rule #1.2: Use All Upper Case with underscores for constant names	const int TAX_RATE = 10.0;	const int TaxRate = 10.0;
Statement Convention	Rule #2.0: Write easy-to-read statements	x = a + b - c * d; for (int i = 0; i < n; i++);	x=a+b-c*d; for(int i=0;i<n;i++);
	Rule #2.1: Write one statement on one line	int a; float b; if (a > 10) b = 5;	int a; float b; if (a > 10) b = 5;
	Rule #2.2: Group related statements in paragraph	a = 5; b = 6; if (a > b) max = a;	a = 5; b = 6; if (a > b) max = a;
	Rule #2.3: Indent statement blocks	if (a[j] > a[i]) { int temp = a[i]; a[i] = a[j]; a[j] = temp; }	if (a[j] > a[i]) { int temp = a[i]; a[i] = a[j]; a[j] = temp; }
	Rule #2.4: Split long function (> 10 statements) into smaller ones		
Comment Convention	Rule #3.0: Explain code with comprehensive comments		
	Rule #3.1: Explain each function with comments	// This function sum up // two input integers int sum(int a, int b) { }	int sum(int a, int b) { }
	Rule #3.2: Comment to complex if/loops/expressions when possible	// Find max between a and b max = (a > b) ? a : b; // Calculate x^n for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) s = s * x;	max = (a > b) ? a : b; for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) s = s * x;

Practice

Find and correct what do not follow the Coding Convention Guidelines in the code below:

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01: #include <stdio.h>
02: #define maxarray 100
03:
04: void read_sort_array(int a[], int &n)
05: {
06:     printf("Enter number of elements = ");
07:     scanf("%d", &n);
08:     for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
09:     {
10:         printf("Enter element [%d] = ", i);
11:         scanf("%d", &a[i]);
12:     }
13:     for(int i = 0; i < n - 1; i++)
14:         for(int j = i + 1; j < n; j++)
15:             if (a[j] < a[i])
16:             {
17:                 int temp = a[i];
18:                 a[i] = a[j];
19:                 a[j] = temp;
20:             }
21: }
22:
23: void f(int a[], int n)
24: {
25:     printf("Elements of array:\n");
26:     for(int i=0;i<n;i++) printf("%d ", a[i]);
27: }
28: void main()
29: {
30:     int a[maxarray]; int n;
31:     read_sort_array(a, n);
32:     f(a, n);
33: }
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