

CS 1713  
Introduction to Computer Programming II  
Assignment 3  
Due Wednesday February 22

1. (100 pts) Write a program that implements the following functions *iteratively* (*no recursion*).

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double factorial(int n)
double exponent(double x, int n)
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The functions implemented should follow below guidelines

- *factorial*: Computes  $n! = n \times (n - 1) \times \dots \times 1$
- *exponent*: Computes the sum of first  $n$  terms of  $e^x$  using the following approximation.

$$f(x, n) = e^x = \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{x^i}{i!} = \frac{x^0}{0!} + \frac{x^1}{1!} + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \dots + \frac{x^n}{n!}$$

You can use *pow()* and *factorial()* functions in your exponent function.

In *main()* use *argc* and *argv* read the value of  $n$  and  $x$  from the user and compute and print the approximation of  $e^x$  for all values up to  $n$  using the function *exponent*. Print the results as a table as shown below. Also, print the exact value of  $e^x$  using the math library function *exp()*. When you increase the value of  $i$  your result should get closer to the result of *exp*.

Name your program assign3.c Sample execution of the program is given below. First parameter is  $n$  and second parameter is  $x$ . You need to use functions *atoi()* and *atof()* in *stdlib.h* to convert strings to integer and double respectively.

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fox01> assign3 10 2.2
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i	Approximation
0	1.0000000000
1	3.2000000000
2	5.6200000000
3	7.3946666667
4	8.3707333333
5	8.8002026667
6	8.9576747556
7	9.0071659835
8	9.0207760712
9	9.0241029815
10	9.0248349018
Exact Value =	9.0250134994

*Submit your program electronically using the blackboard system*

*The program you submit should be your own work. Cheating will be reported to office of academic integrity. Both the copier and copiece will be held responsible.*