

## hexStrToDec

Write a C function hexStrToDec() that takes in a string *hex* which contains a hexadecimal number as parameter, converts the hexadecimal string into its equivalent decimal number (i.e. converts the number (in *str*) with base value 16 to base value 10) and returns the converted decimal number to the calling function.

A sample program template is given below:

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <math.h>
#include <string.h>
int hexStrToDec(char *hex);
int main()
{
    int num;
    char hex[100];

    printf("Enter a hexadecimal number: \n");
    scanf("%s",&hex);
    num=hexStrToDec(hex);
    printf("hexStrToDec(): %d\n", num);
    return 0;
}
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{
    /* Write your code here */
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int hexStrToDec(char *hex)
{
    int i, num=0;
    int len;
    char hexdigit;

    len = strlen(hex);

    for(i=0;i<len;i++)
    {
        hexdigit = hex[len-i-1];

        if (hexdigit >= '0' && hexdigit <= '9')
            num+= (hexdigit - '0') *pow(16,i);
        else
            num+= (hexdigit - 'A'+10) *pow(16,i);
    }
    return num;
}
```

Some test input and output sessions are given below:

### (1) Test Case 1

```
Enter a hexadecimal number:
5
hexStrToDec(): 5
```

from the last digit

### (2) Test Case 2

```
Enter a hexadecimal number:
2A
hexStrToDec(): 42
```

when hexdigit is in a range

can do subtraction for char and get int

### (3) Test Case 3

```
Enter a hexadecimal number:
45
hexStrToDec(): 69
```

### (4) Test Case 4

```
Enter a hexadecimal number:
10E
hexStrToDec(): 270
```