gdb Tutorial

1. You can use the file in /nobackup/faculty/cheungr/examples/gdb_tutorial_dir/ to practice. If you have not done so, please copy the examples directory to your cs341 folder using the cp -r command:

\$cp -r /nobackup/faculty/cheungr/examples/ .

Please note the space between "examples/" and '."

2. Type cd examples/gdb_tutorial_dir/ and then ls. You should see exchange.c in the directory. Build the executable to be used with gdb using –g option:

\$gcc -g -o exchange exchange.c

3. Invoke gdb by typing:

\$gdb exchange

4. A short tutorial on gdb is shown in gdb Quick Start. You can also find a summary of gdb commands in gdb Quick-Reference Guide