

Homework 7 Solutions – Binary Files

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/*    Question 1
 *    Write a void function to copy a binary file into another file, 100 bytes at a time.
 *    The function receives the two FILE pointers (src and dest) as arguments.
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void copy (FILE *scr, FILE *dest)
{
    int    r;
    char   x[100];

    while ((r = fread (x, sizeof (char), 100, scr)) > 0)
        fwrite (x, sizeof (char), r, dest);

    return;
}
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/*    Question 2
 *    Write a function to initialize array x of size SIZE with integers read from a binary file.
 *    The function receives the name of the file as an argument.
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void init (char *name)
{
    FILE    *fp;
    int     i;

    fp = fopen (name, "br");
    if (fp == NULL)
    {
        printf ("no file\n");
        return;
    }

    if (fread (x, sizeof (int), SIZE, fp) < 1)
        printf ("error reading\n");

    fclose (fp);
    return;
}
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/*    Question 3
 *    Write a function to return the number of even integers in a binary file.
 *    The function receives the file pointer (FILE *) as an argument.
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int even (FILE *fp)
{
    int    i, ret;
    int    counter = 0
    int    buffer[SIZE];

    if (fp == NULL)
        return -1;

    while ((ret = fread (buffer, sizeof(int), SIZE, fp)) > 0)
    {
        for (i = 0; i < ret; i++)
            if (buffer[i] % 2 == 0)
                counter++;
    }

    return (counter);
}

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/*    Question 4
 *    Write a function to traverse a circular linked-list writing each node to a binary file.
 *    The function receives the file pointer (FILE *) as an argument.
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void binary_write (FILE *fp)
{
    NODE   *p;

    if (fp == NULL)
        return;

    if (head == NULL)
        return;

    p = head;
    do
    {
        fwrite (p, sizeof (NODE), 1, fp);
        p = p->next;
    }
    while (p != head);

    return;
}

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/*    Question 5
 *    Write a function to create a linked list with nodes obtained from a binary file.
 *    The function receives the file pointer (FILE *) as an argument.
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void link (FILE *fp)
{
    NODE *temp;
    int counter = 0

    if (fp == NULL)
        return;

    while (1)
    {
        temp = (NODE *)malloc (sizeof (NODE));
        if (temp == NULL)
            break;

        if (fread (temp, sizeof(NODE), 1), fp) < 1)
        {
            free (temp);
            break;
        }

        insert (temp);
    }

    return;
}

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/* Question 6
 * Write a void function to compare two binary files.
 * Your function should receive the file pointers (src and dest) and
 * printf either "Files are equal.\n" or "Files are not equal.\n".
 * Use fread, fwrite, and an array to make the process more efficient!
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void compare (FILE *fp1, FILE *fp2)
{
    int i;
    int ret1;
    int ret2;
    char buffer1[SIZE];
    char buffer2[SIZE];

    while (1)
    {
        ret1 = fread (buffer1, sizeof(char), SIZE, fp1);
        ret2 = fread (buffer2, sizeof(char), SIZE, fp2);

        // not same size
        if (ret1 != ret2)
        {

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        printf ("Files are not equal\n");
        return;
    }

    //    done
    if (ret1 < 1)
    {
        printf ("Files are equal\n");
        return;
    }

    for (i = 0; i < ret1; i++)
    {
        if (buffer1[i] != buffer2[i])
        {
            printf ("Files are not equal\n");
            return;
        }
    }

    return;
}
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