

Assignment 3

1. Write a LEX program that copies a file, replacing each nonempty sequence of white spaces by a single blank.

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%%
[ ]([ ])* { /* Pattern for recognizing multiple spaces */
    fprintf(yyout, " ");
}
([ ])*(\n)([ ])* { /* spaces followed by newline followed by
spaces */
    fprintf(yyout, " ");
}
%%
int main()
{
    // Point yyin to a file with text, this acts as input to
    our program
    yyin = fopen("text1.txt", "r");
    // Point yyout to output file.
    yyout = fopen("text2.txt", "w");
    yylex();
    return 0;
}
```

2. Write a LEX program to remove the comments from a c file.

2. Write a LEX program to recognize the following tokens over the alphabets {0,1,...,9}

- a) The set of all string ending in 00.
- b) The set of all strings with three consecutive 222's.
- c) The set of all string such that every block of five consecutive symbols contains at least two 5's.