Programming Principles in C Assignment

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1. Problem solving

The following functions were implemented in the class functionClass.c:

The Class made use of the following libraries as can be seen below and the header class functionClass.h, as well as defining of constant size as 200 which will be used as the maximum number of elements which the user can enter in the array:

```
//functionClass file which includes methods to be used by runner file
//Libraries used in the program:
#include <stdio.h>
//Header file used in the program:
#include "functionClass.h"
//Defining of constant size
#define SIZE 200
```

a)i) init array()

Explanation

In this method the user is prompted to enter a list of numbers, the max being 200 numbers entered. Proper validation is done in case the user enters a decimal point the input is type casted into an integer. Negative integers are also allowed as a valid input. If the user enters a character, the user will need to re-enter the element as character is invalid in integer array. If the user wishes to stop entering numbers into the list, he may opt to enter 0 to break from the method. In this case the digit 0 was chosen as a stopping condition since 0 signifies an absence of a number. In case the user enters all 200 elements, the program would break from the method when the 200th element is entered.

The init_array method in functionClass.c class:

Testing

Input	Type of data	Output	Values stored in the
			array
1,2,700,-2	Valid data	Valid data	1,2,700,-2
-4.5,7.8	Invalid data but is accepted	Invalid data but is accepted	-4,7
a,b	Invalid data	Invalid data	NA
0	Breaking statement	Breaking statement	NA

```
Enter a series of numbers, max is 200, numbers Enter a 0 to quit

Enter Element 1:

1
Enter Element 2:
2
Enter Element 3:
700
Enter Element 4:
-2
Enter Element 5:
-4.5
Enter Element 6:
7.8
Enter Element 7:
a
Enter Element 7:
b
Enter Element 7:
0

Choose from the following Menu:
```

Showing the values which are stored in the array through the display method for testing purposes:

a)ii) display()

Explanation

In this method the user is shown the values of the inputted array (passed as parameter) in the requested format. One can also display the features via shell redirection. To ensure requested output, proper indentation was used by utilising %s.

The display method in functionClass.c class:

```
//Method display with size and array parameter passing
void display(int size,int array[]){

    /*Utilised print statements to print the required format output
    *In some cases I had to use % (number of characters before output)s,
    *to reference strings in order to obtain the required output indentation*/
        printf("{\n");
        printf(" %10s: [\n","\"array\"");
        for (int i = 0; i < size; i++) {
            printf("%8s\n","{");
            printf("%17s:\"%.2d\",\n","\"offset\"", i);
            printf("%16s:\"%.2d\"\n","\"value\"", array[i]);
            if (i!=size-1)
                  printf(" %8s\n\n","},");
            else
                  printf("%4s\n","]");
            printf("%4s\n","]");
            printf("%4s\n","]");
            printf("%4s\n","]");
            printf("%4s\n","]");
            printf("%1s\n","]");
            printf("%4s\n","]");
            printf("%4s\n",
```

Testing

Array contents	Values Outputted
2,3,4,53,2,3	2,3,4,53,2,3

```
"array": [
     "offset":"00",
    "value":"02"
   },
     "offset":"01",
    "value":"03"
   },
     "offset":"02",
     "value":"04"
  },
     "offset":"03",
    "value":"53"
   },
     "offset":"04",
     "value":"02"
   },
```

Showing the output via Shell Redirection:

Input from terminal:

```
PS C:\Users\User\Documents\CProjects\Question1Assignment> cd cmake-build-debug
PS C:\Users\User\Documents\CProjects\Question1Assignment\cmake-build-debug> ./MainClass >Output.txt

1
2
3
4
53
2
3
9
2
7
PS C:\Users\User\Documents\CProjects\Question1Assignment\cmake-build-debug> ./Output.txt
```

Output in File:

```
"array": [
    {
       "offset":"00",
       "value":"02"
    },
       "offset":"01",
"value":"03"
    },
       "offset":"02",
       "value":"04"
     },
       "offset":"03",
"value":"53"
     },
       "offset":"04",
       "value":"02"
    },
       "offset":"05",
       "value":"03"
    },
]
```

a)iii) reverse()

Explanation

In this method the contents of the first array are copied into the second array, both arrays are passed as a parameter as well as the size. The contents of the first array are placed in the second array, however in the reverse order. This was achieved by looping through all the elements in the array and utilising a counter to act as index for the values in the arrays.

The reverse method in functionClass.c class:

Testing

Array contents	Values Outputted
2,3,4,53,2,3	3,2,53,4,3,2

Showing the values which are inputted in the array through the init array method for testing purposes:

```
Enter a series of numbers, max is 200, numbers Enter a 0 to quit

Enter Element 1:

Enter Element 2:

Enter Element 3:

Enter Element 4:

Enter Element 5:

Enter Element 5:

Enter Element 6:

3
```

Showing the values in the array which are outputted through the display method for testing purposes:

```
"array": [
     "offset":"00",
     "value":"03"
   },
     "offset":"01",
     "value":"02"
   },
     "offset":"02",
     "value":"53"
   },
     "offset":"03",
"value":"04"
   },
     "offset":"04",
     "value":"03"
   },
     "offset":"05",
     "value":"02"
   },
```

a)iv) frequency()

Explanation

This method accepts an integer array and a freq array as a parameter, the method first calculates the size of the int array as it wasn't passed as a parameter. In continuation the method loops through all the elements in the int array, then utilising a second for loop it loops through the freq array to check whether the element appears in the freq array. If the element isn't found in the freq array, the program will resort to add the item to the freq array. Succeeding this, if the same value is found whilst searching through the freq array, the frequency of said value is increased by 1, this was done using 2 nested loops by looping through the int array and freq array. Finally, the last element of freq array is filled with "value" as -1 and "frequency" as 0 to signify end of freq array.

functionClass.h header class which includes the declaration of the struct freq which will be used in functionClass.c and main.c classes:

```
//Header file which allows main class to access methods of functionClass.c files
//Declaration of struct freq and assigning 2 int values, value and frequency
typedef struct {
   int value;
   int frequency;
}freq;
```

functionClass.c class which includes frequency method:

Testing

Array contents	Values Outputted
2,3,4,53,2,3	{2,2},{3,2},{4,1},{53,1}

Showing the values which are stored in the array through the display_freq method for testing purposes:

a)v)display freq()

Explanation

This method accepts a freq array as a parameter, the method first calculates the size of the freq array as it wasn't passed as a parameter. In continuation the method utilises the selection sort to sort the values in the freq array in ascending order. The values are outputted in the requested format in ascending order. One can also display the features via shell redirection. To ensure requested output, proper indentation was used by utilising %s.

The display_freq method in functionClass.c class:

```
roid display freq(freq pairs[]) {
```

```
printf(" %8s\n","},");
}
printf("%4s\n","]");
printf("}");
```

Testing

Array contents	Values Outputted
2,3,4,77,2,3,5,4	{2,2},{3,2},{4,2},{5,1},{77,1}

Showing the output to the user:

```
"array": [
  {
    "offset":"00",
    "value":"{2 , 2}"
     "offset":"01",
"value":"{3 , 2}"
   },
      "offset":"02",
     "value":"{4 , 2}"
   },
      "offset":"03",
"value":"{5 , 1}"
   },
      "offset":"04",
     "value":"{77 , 1}"
   },
```

Showing the output via Shell Redirection:

Input from terminal:

```
PS C:\Users\User\Documents\CProjects\Question1Assignment\cmake-build-debug> ./MainClass >Output.txt

2
3
4
77
2
3
5
4
0
4
0
4
5
q
PS C:\Users\User\Documents\CProjects\Question1Assignment\cmake-build-debug> ._/Output.txt
```

Output in File:

```
"array": [
    {
    "offset":"00",
    ""12
      "value":"{2 , 2}"
    },
      "offset":"01",
      "value":"{3 , 2}"
    },
      "offset":"02",
      "value":"{4 , 2}"
    },
      "offset":"03",
      "value":"{5 , 1}"
    },
      "offset":"04",
      "value":"{77 , 1}"
]
```

b)Command-line Menu

Explanation

The user is presented with a command-line method showing all the options from task 1)a).

Proper validation is ensured in case the user enters an option which is not valid. Furthermore, validation has also been ensured that the user would access option 1 before attempting any other option. The same validation method was applied in case the user opted to access option 5 before accessing option 4.

The functionclass.h header files which contain methods which will be utilised by the main.c class:

```
//Header file which allows main class to access methods of functionClass.c files
//Declaration of struct freq and assigning 2 int values, value and frequency
typedef struct {
    int value;
    int frequency;
}freq;
//Declaration of method init_array with array parameter
int init_array(int array[]);
//Declaration of method display with integer and array parameter
void display(int size,int array[]);
//Declaration of method reverse with integer and 2 array parameter
int *reverse(int *arr1,int *arr2 ,int size);
//Declaration of method frequency with integer array and struct freq array parameter
void frequency(int arr[],freq pairs[]);
//Declaration of method display_freq with struct freq array parameter
void display_freq(freq pairs[]);
```

The main.c class:

```
//Runner file
//Libraries used in the program:
#include <stdio.h>
#include "functionClass.h"
//Bedining of constant size
#define SIZE 200

//Declaration of Main Menu function with parameters
void MainMenu(int size, int arr1[],int arr2[],freq pairs[]);
int main(void) {
    //Declaring array variables which will be used throughout the menu options
    int arr1[SIZE];
    int size=SIZE;
    freq pairs[SIZE];
    int size=SIZE;
    freq pairs[SIZE];

    //Calling MainMenu method and passing the values by reference in case of arrays and
    passing by values in case of size
    MainMenu(size, arr1, arr2, pairs);
    return 0;
}

//MainMenu method
void MainMenu(int size, int *arr1, int *arr2, freq pairs[]) {
    //Declaring the user input which will be used as an input for the menu, declaring
    it as type char to accept 'q' as a termination of the menu
    char choice;
    //Declaring variable check to be used to check whether option 1 was executed, since
```

```
arr2 = reverse(arr1, arr2, size);
```

Testing

Array contents	Values Outputted
1,2,4	Valid data
a,b,-2,7	Invalid data
Accessing option 4 before 5,	Invalid data
Accessing option 3 before 1	

Valid data:

```
Choose from the following Menu:
1.Initialise Array
2.Display Array
3.Reverse Array
4.Frequency
5.Display Frequency
q. Quit
1
Enter a series of numbers, max is 200, numbers, Enter a q to quit
Enter Element 1:
```

```
Choose from the following Menu:
1.Initialise Array
2.Display Array
3.Reverse Array
4.Frequency
5.Display Frequency
q. Quit
```

Invalid data:

```
Choose from the following Menu:
1.Initialise Array
2.Display Array
3.Reverse Array
4.Frequency
5.Display Frequency
q. Quit
Re-enter option
Choose from the following Menu:
1.Initialise Array
2.Display Array
3.Reverse Array
4.Frequency
5.Display Frequency
q. Quit
Re-enter option
Choose from the following Menu:
1.Initialise Array
2.Display Array
3.Reverse Array
4.Frequency
5.Display Frequency
q. Quit
2
Re-enter option
```

```
Choose from the following Menu:
1.Initialise Array
2.Display Array
3.Reverse Array
4.Frequency
5.Display Frequency
q. Quit

Re-enter option
```

<u>Invalid data when user tries to access option 3 before 1:</u>

```
Choose from the following Menu:
1.Initialise Array
2.Display Array
3.Reverse Array
4.Frequency
5.Display Frequency
q. Quit

3

Error Need to execute option 1 Before
```

2. A DataTable library a)

The following functions were implemented in the class functionClass2a.c and utilised the following structs from the functionClass2a.h header file:

```
//Declaration of union location
typedef union{
    //Assigning an array of float
    float floatrows[ROWS];
    //Assigning a 2d array of char
    char stringrows[ROWS][SSIZE];
}location;

//Declaration of struct DataTable_t
typedef struct{
//An array containing pointers setting it to type union location to have both float and character string pointers
    location *columns[COLS];
    //An integer to hold the number of populated rows
    int nrows;
    //2 integers to hold the start of the string columns and end of the columns
    int colstart,colend;
    //Assigning a 2d array of char to hold the labels
    char labels[COLS][SSIZE];
}DataTable_t;
```

The Class made use of the following libraries as can be seen below and the header class functionClass2a.h, as well as defining of constants:

```
//functionClass file which includes methods to be used by runner file
//Libraries used in the program:
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdib.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <ctype.h>
//Header file used in the program
#include "functionClass2a.h"
//Defining of constants
#define COLS 6
#define SSIZE 64
#define ROWS 1000
```

For testing purposes, a Testing file containing 998 rows and 6 columns was used for Task2a), the first three columns were of type float and the other three were of type string.

2a)initDT()

Explanation

In this method a new DataTable_t structure is initialised, by allocating memory for said DataTable on the heap. The function allows an integer parameter to be passed. If the parameter is 0, this implies an initial commitment of the DataTable_t with a static size according to the requirements in the assignment brief, but if the parameter is 1 then a new DataTable_t is created upon specific specifications (i.e., specific rows and columns. When the initial commitment is chosen, the user is prompted to enter the labels for the columns.

The initDT method in functionClass2a.c class:

```
Declaration of method initDT with interger parameters choice
DataTable t *initDT(int choice) {
```

2a)deinitDT()

Explanation

In this method all sources pertaining to the DataTable_t structure are relinquished through the free function.

The deinitDT method in functionClass2a.c class:

```
//Declaration of method deinitDT with DataTable_T pointer parameter
void deinitDT(DataTable_t *data) {
    //Freeing the data->columns from memory
    for( int i=data->colstart;i<data->colend;i++) {
        free(data->columns[i]);
    }
    //Freeing the DataTable_t from memory
    free(data);
}
```

2a)loadDT()

Explanation

In this method contents of a csv file are loaded into a newly initialised DataTable_t structure. This was executed by first opening the file in read mode (if file is not found error message is displayed) and reading a line at a time from the file and placing it in a string called line. The string was then parsed to check whether a \, occurs, if so, it was replaced with a \., to not be recognised as a column separator. Afterwards, the string line was split into tokens, each token being a cell in the DataTable. Atof was used to check if the column was a float or string, and based on the respective data types, the cells were added to the DataTable_t. In case the cell is string \. Is parsed into a ', 'followed by a space. Following this, the csv file was closed by utilising fclose() and the meta data for the number of populated rows was set to the counter rows.

The loadDT method in functionClass2a.c class:

```
Declaration of method loadDT with DataTable T pointer parameter
 FILE *fptr;
                  tmp[pos + 1] = '.';
```

Testing

Utilising the showDT method for testing purposes to show the data loaded from TestingFILE.csv into the DataTable t:

	label1	label2	label3	label4	label5	label6
1	1.50	5.50	10.50	text1	text21	text31
2	1.50	5.50	10.50	text2	text22	text32
3	1.50	5.50	10.50	text3	text23	text33
4	1.50	5.50	10.50	text4	text24	text34
5	1.50	5.50	10.50	text5	text25	text35
6	1.50	5.50	10.50	text6	text26	text36
7	1.50	5.50	10.50	text7	text27	text37
8	1.50	5.50	10.50	text8	text28	text38
9	1.50	5.50	10.50	text9	text29	text39
10	1.50	5.50	10.50	text10	text210	text310
998	5.50	9.50	14.50	text1000	text21000	text31000

Utilising the showDT method for testing purposes to show the how the method handles \, as can be seen in row 1 in label4:

1	label1 1.50	label2 5.50	label3 10.50	label4 text, 1	label5 text21	label6 text31
2	1.50	5.50	10.50	text2	text22	text32
3	1.50	5.50	10.50	text3	text23	text33
4	1.50	5.50	10.50	text4	text24	text34
5	1.50	5.50	10.50	text5	text25	text35
6	1.50	5.50	10.50	text6	text26	text36
7	1.50	5.50	10.50	text7	text27	text37
8	1.50	5.50	10.50	text8	text28	text38
9	1.50	5.50	10.50	text9	text29	text39
10	1.50	5.50	10.50	text10	text210	text310
 998	5.50	9.50	14.50	text1000	text21000	text31000

2a)exportDT()

Explanation

In this method contents of DataTable_t structure are exported into a csv file. This was executed by first opening the OutputFile.csv in writing mode. The method loops through all the cells in the DataTable_t structure and appends the cells to a string, separating each cell with a ','. After the method loops through a whole row, it resorts to print the string onto the OutputFile.csv. If the last character of the string is not a \n, the method will print a \n to the file to signify end of row. The string cells which had a ',' followed by a space were parsed to store a \, in the csv file. The file was closed by the fclose() function.

The exportDT method in functionClass2a.c class:

```
<mark>roid exportDT</mark>(DataTable t *data){
   fptr=fopen("OutputFile.csv", "w");
    for(int i=0;i<data->nrows;i++) {
```

Testing

Output in OutputFile.csv:

2a)showDT()

Explanation

In this method contents of DataTable_t structure are displayed, showing the labels followed by the first 10 rows, and the last row. This was achieved by utilising a nested for loop to loop through all the columns and the first 10 rows, printing the relevant cells respectively. If there are less than 10 rows, all the rows are printed. After the first 10 rows are printed a line of '…' is printed which is followed by printing all the columns in the last row. Row numbers are also clearly displayed at the beginning of each row. If each cell has more than 10 characters, only the first 10 characters are displayed.

The showDT method in functionClass2a.c class:

```
Declaration of method showDT with DataTable T pointer parameter/
      printf("\n");
```

```
printf("%-10.10s\t", data->columns[i]->stringrows[(int)data->nrows-1]);
}
}
```

Testing

Utilising the showDT method to print the DataTable_t structure:

1	label1 1.50	label2 5.50	label3 10.50	label4 text, 1	label5 text21	label6 text31
2	1.50	5.50	10.50	text2	text22	text32
3	1.50	5.50	10.50	text3	text23	text33
4	1.50	5.50	10.50	text4	text24	text34
5	1.50	5.50	10.50	text5	text25	text35
6	1.50	5.50	10.50	text6	text26	text36
7	1.50	5.50	10.50	text7	text27	text37
8	1.50	5.50	10.50	text8	text28	text38
9	1.50	5.50	10.50	text9	text29	text39
10	1.50	5.50	10.50	text10	text210	text310
998	5.50	9.50	14.50	text1000	text21000	text31000

2a)projectDT()

Explanation

This method returns a pointer to a new DataTable_t structure but containing the rows from x to y and columns from m to n. This method requires the user to input x, y, m and n and proper validation is ensured for all inputs, in case the user input; is not in the required range, is not of an integer data type or if the second input is smaller than the first one. The method then declares and initialises a new DataTable_t, reusing the initDT function but passing 1 as a parameter, as a new DataTable is created upon specific specifications. Meta data for the new DataTable structure is set to have the column start (first column which is a string) and column end at (n-m)+1.

The creation of this meta data was required for the new DataTable to utilise the other methods. The relevant cells are copied from the initial DataTable to the new one.

The projectDT method in functionClass2a.c class:

```
DataTable t *projectDT(DataTable t *data){
           if (notvalid==0) {
               printf("\nRequired to enter positive integers");
               x = atoi(str1);
               y = atoi(str2);
```

```
if (y < x) {
   printf("\ny must be greater than x");
   notvalid = 0;
printf("\nn must be greater than m");
```

Testing User input (Similar validation for m & n):

Input	Type of data	Output
x=3,y=5	Valid data	Valid data
x=5,y=3	Invalid data	Invalid data
	X must be smaller than y	X must be smaller than y
X=abc,y=-3	Invalid data	Invalid data
	Required to enter positive	Required to enter positive
	integers	integers
X=0,y=1	Invalid data	Invalid data
	Not in range	Not in range

```
Input x rows5

Input y rows3

y must be greater than x
Input x rowsabc

Input y rows-3

Required to enter positive integers
Input x rows0

Input y rows1

x must be in range 1 - 998
Input x rows3

Input y rows5

Input m columns
```

Utilising the showDT method for testing purposes to show the data in the new DataTable_t structure:

```
Input x rows3
Input y rows5
Input m columns2
Input n columns5
                                         label4
        label2
                        label3
                                                          label5
        5.50
                        10.50
                                         text3
                                                          text23
2
        5.50
                        10.50
                                         text4
                                                          text24
        5.50
                         10.50
                                                          text25
                                         text5
        5.50
                         10.50
                                         text5
                                                          text25
```

Utilising the exportDT method for testing purposes to show utilisation of the new DataTable_t structure:

Utilising the mutateDT and showDT methods for testing purposes and mutating column 1 to show utilisation of the new DataTable_t structure:

Input	: column number	1			
	label2	label3	label4	label5	
1	38.50	10.50	text3	text23	
2	38.50	10.50	text4	text24	
3	38.50	10.50	text5	text25	
3	38.50	10.50	text5	text25	

2a)mutateDT()

Explanation

This method accepts a user-defined function and changes the respective column chosen by the user. If the column is a float, it will multiply all the rows in said column by 7. If the column is a string it will replace any character which is a 't' into an 'a'. Proper validation is ensured on the user input column, in case the user input; is not in the required range, is not of an integer data type.

The mutateDT method in functionClass2a.c class:

Testing User input:

Input	Type of data	Output
Inptcol=3	Valid data	Valid data
Inptcol=-3,inptcol=abc	Invalid data	Invalid data
	Required to enter positive	Required to enter positive
	integers	integers
inptcol=0	Invalid data	Invalid data
	Not in range	Not in range

```
Input column number-3

Required to enter positive integers
Input column numberabc

Required to enter positive integers
Input column number0

column must be in range 1 - 6
Input column number3
```

The following is the user defined function to multiply the float cell with change(value of change is always 7):

```
//User defined functions:
float floatnumbers(float num, int change)
{
    return (float)change*num;
}
```

Utilising the showDT method for testing purposes to show the data change in the DataTable_t structure (performing mutation on column 3):

1	label1 1.50	label2 5.50	label3 73.50	label4 text∖,1	label5 text21	label6 text31
2	1.50	5.50	73.50	text2	text22	text32
3	1.50	5.50	73.50	text3	text23	text33
4	1.50	5.50	73.50	text4	text24	text34
5	1.50	5.50	73.50	text5	text25	text35
6	1.50	5.50	73.50	text6	text26	text36
7	1.50	5.50	73.50	text7	text27	text37
8	1.50	5.50	73.50	text8	text28	text38
9	1.50	5.50	73.50	text9	text29	text39
10	1.50	5.50	73.50	text10	text210	text310
998	5.50	9.50	101.50	text1000	text21000	text31000

The following is the user defined function to replace a 't' with an 'a':

```
void stringinput(char* string, char strchange, char strreplace)
{
    int pos=0;//Position to hold position of string array
    //Checking if tmp has reached end of string
    while(string[pos]!='\0'){
        //If tmp[pos] is 't' then tmp[pos] is changed to 'a'
        if(string[pos]==strchange) {
            string[pos]=strreplace;
        }
        //Incrementing position
        pos++;
    }
}
```

Utilising the showDT method for testing purposes to show the data change in the DataTable_t structure (performing mutation on column 5):

1	label1 1.50	label2 5.50	label3 10.50	label4 text∖,1	label5 aexa21	label6 text31
2	1.50	5.50	10.50	text2	aexa22	text32
3	1.50	5.50	10.50	text3	aexa23	text33
4	1.50	5.50	10.50	text4	aexa24	text34
5	1.50	5.50	10.50	text5	aexa25	text35
6	1.50	5.50	10.50	text6	aexa26	text36
7	1.50	5.50	10.50	text7	aexa27	text37
8	1.50	5.50	10.50	text8	aexa28	text38
9	1.50	5.50	10.50	text9	aexa29	text39
10	1.50	5.50	10.50	text10	aexa210	text310
998	5.50	9.50	14.50	text1000	aexa21000	text31000

The functionClass2a.h included the declaration of the following functions to be used in the test driver:

```
//Declaring of methods:
//Declaration of method initDT with interger parameters choice
DataTable_t *initDT(int choice);
//Declaration of method deinitDT with DataTable_T pointer parameter
void deinitDT(DataTable_t *data);
//Declaration of method loadDT with DataTable_T pointer parameter
void loadDT(DataTable_t *data);
//Declaration of method exportDT with DataTable_T pointer parameter
void exportDT(DataTable_t *data);
//Declaration of method showDT with DataTable_T pointer parameter
void showDT(DataTable_t *data);
//Declaration of method projectDT with DataTable_T pointer parameter
DataTable_t *projectDT(DataTable_t *data);
//Declaration of method mutateDT with DataTable_T pointer and user defined functions as
parameters
void mutateDT(DataTable_t *data, float (*floatfunction) (float num, int change), void
(*stringfunction) (char* string, char strchange, char strreplace));

//User defined functions:
float floatnumbers(float num, int change);
void stringinput(char* string, char strchange, char strreplace);
```

The test driver class: main2a.c

```
//Runner file
//Header file used in the program:
#include "functionClass2a.h"

int main() {
//Calling the respective methods from the functionClass.c
// Calling initDT method with choice-0 , since creating a new DataTable from file
    DataTable_t *data=initDT(0);
    loadDT(data);
    showDT(data);
    exportDT(data);
    DataTable_t *data2=projectDT(data);
    showDT(data2);
    deinitDT(data2);
    mutateDT(data, floatnumbers, stringinput);
    showDT(data);
    deinitDT(data);
    return 0;
}
```

3. A DataTable library b)

The following functions were implemented in the class functionClass2b.c and utilised the following structs from the functionClass2b.h header file:

```
//Header file which allows main class to access methods of functionClass.c files
/*General types definition */
//Declaration of union location
typedef union{
    //Assigning a float value
    float floatrows;
    //Assigning an integer value
    int introws;
    //Assigning a pointer to a char array
    char *stringrows;
}location;

//Declaration of struct DataTable_t
typedef struct{
    //A pointer to an array containing pointers to union location to have both float,
integer and character string values
    location **columns;
    //An integer to hold the number of populated rows
    int nrows;
    //A pointer pointing to strings (i.e. char*)
    char **labels;
    //An array containing the column types
    int *coltype;
    //An integer to hold the number of populated columns
    int ncols;
}DataTable_t;
```

The Class made use of the following libraries as can be seen below and the header class functionClass2b.h:

```
//functionClass file which includes methods to be used by runner file
//Libraries used in the program:
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <ctype.h>
//Header file used in the program
#include "functionClass2b.h"
```

For testing purposes, a Testing file containing 1003 rows and 7 columns was used for Task2b), the columns had different datatypes.

2b)initDT()

Explanation

In this method a new DataTable_t structure is initialised, by allocating memory for said DataTable on the heap. The function allows 3 integer parameters to be passed, the first one being the choice, and the other two are the number of columns and number of rows respectively. If the parameter is 0, this implies an initial commitment of the DataTable_t, but if the parameter is 1 then a new DataTable_t is created upon specific specifications (i.e., specific rows and columns). When the initial commitment is chosen, the Testing2.csv file is opened in reading mode to calculate the number of rows, columns, and column data types in the DataTable_t structure.

- To get the number of columns needed for the DataTable_t structure; a do while loop is being utilised, when a ',' is present in the file (implying a new column) the column counter is incremented. The method loops until '\n' is reached.
- To get the number of rows needed for the DataTable_t structure; a do while loop is being utilised, when a '\n' is present in the file (implying a new row) the row counter is incremented. The method loops until end of file is reached.
- To get the column data types needed for the DataTable_t structure; the first line of the csv file is stored in a string, this is achieved through a do while loop. In continuation a for loop is being used to loop through all the characters in said string, if a '.' Is found the points counter is incremented, else if a digit is found the digits counter is incremented, else if a letter is found the chars counter is incremented, else the others counter is incremented. These 4 counters were utilised to find the relevant types of each column. If the column is float, the meta data array for column type is set to signal bit 1, if column is integer, the signal bit is set to 2 and if the column is string, signal bit is set to 4.

The user is also prompted to enter the column labels for each column, which is achieved through a dynamic string array, adding a character at a time to a temporary string and then copying contents of said string to the label array in DataTable_t structure.

The initDT method in functionClass2b.c class:

```
//Declaration of method initDT with interger parameters choice, noofcols and noofrows
DataTable_t *initDT(int choice , int noofcols, int noofrows) {
    //Declaration of DataTable_t pointer
    DataTable_t *data;

    //If choice is 0 , then the DataTable is initialised from a file
    if(choice==0) {
        //Creating size in heap for DataTable_t
        data = (DataTable_t *) malloc(sizeof(DataTable_t));
        //If no sufficient memory is found error message is displayed
    if (data == NULL) {
        printf("There wasn't sufficient memory to complete this operation");
        exit(1);
    }

    //Declaring file pointer and opening file in read mode
    FILE *fptr;
    if ((fptr = fopen("Testing2.csv", "r")) == NULL) {
            //If file is not found an Error message is presented
            printf("Error file not found");
    } else {
```

```
rewind(fptr);
```

```
line[noofChars] = currentchar;
    noofChars++;
```

```
free(line);
```

```
free(tmp);
```

2b)deinitDT()

Explanation

In this method all sources pertaining to the DataTable_t structure are relinquished through the free function.

The deinitDT method in functionClass2b.c class:

```
//Declaration of method deinitDT with DataTable_T pointer parameter
void deinitDT(DataTable_t *data) {
    //Looping through all the columns
    for( int i=0;i<data->ncols;i++) {
        //Freeing columns[i] and labels[i] from memory
        free(data->columns[i]);
        free(data->labels[i]);
    }
    //Freeing coltype, labels and columns from memory
    free(data->coltype);
    free(data->labels);
    free(data->columns);
    //Freeing the DataTable_t from memory
    free(data);
}
```

2b)loadDT()

Explanation

In this method contents of a csv file are loaded into a newly initialised DataTable_t structure. This was executed by first opening the file in read mode (If file is not found, error message is displayed) and reading a line at a time from the file and placing it in a string called line. The string was then parsed to check whether a \, occurs, if so, it was replaced with a \., to not be recognised as a column separator. Afterwards, the string line was split into tokens, each token being a cell in the DataTable. Based on the respective data types, the cells were added to the DataTable_t. In case the cell is string \. Is parsed into a , followed by a space. Following this, the csv file was closed by utilising fclose() and the meta data for the number of populated rows was set to the counter rows. Due to the columns and rows having dynamic features, the csv file can have more than 6 columns and more than 1000 rows, as well as have different data types.

The loadDT method in functionClass2b.c class:

```
/Declaration of method loadDT with DataTable T pointer parameter
       }while (filechar!=EOF);
       rewind(fptr);
```

```
while (tmp[pos] != '\0') {
//If character is \, then we transpose it to \. to not be influenced by strtok later on
    if (tmp[pos] == '\\' && tmp[pos + 1] == ',') {
        tmp[pos] = '\\';
```

```
strcpy(data->columns[cols][rows].stringrows, line2);

//Incrementing cols
cols++;
//Updating the location of the next token
line2 = strtok(NULL, ",");
}
//Incrementing rows and resetting cols
rows++;
cols = 0;
}
//Freeing tmp from memory
free(tmp);
//Closing the file
fclose(fptr);
}
```

Testing

Utilising the showDT method for testing purposes to show the data loaded from Testing2.csv into the DataTable_t:

	label1	label2	label3	label4	label5	label6	label7
1	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text, 1"	"text21"	"text31"
2	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text2\"	"text22\$"	"text32"
3	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text3"	"text23"	"text33"
4	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text4"	"text24"	"text34"
5	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text5"	"text25"	"text35"
6	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text6"	"text26"	"text36"
7	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text7"	"text27"	"text37"
8	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text8"	"text28"	"text38"
9	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text9"	"text29"	"text39"
10	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text10"	"text210"	"text310"
1003	5.50	9.50	14.50	14	"text1000"	"text21000	"text31000

2b)exportDT()

Explanation

In this method contents of DataTable_t structure are exported into a csv file. This was executed by first opening the OutputFile.csv in writing mode. The method also required opening the Testing2.csv file in reading mode (if file is not found, error message is displayed) to find the maximum number of characters present in a row, to allocate sufficient memory to be able to write to the OutputFile. The method loops through all the cells in the DataTable_t structure and appends the cells to a string, separating each cell with a ','. After the method loops through a whole row, it resorts to print the string onto the OutputFile.csv. If the last character of the string is not a \n, the method will print a \n to the file to signify end of row. The string cells which had a ',' followed by a space were parsed to store a \, in the csv file. The files were closed by the fclose() function.

The exportDT method in functionClass2b.c class:

```
roid exportDT(DataTable t *data) {
```

```
char *text= (char *) malloc((maxdigits+10) *sizeof(char));
```

```
free(text);
        strcpy(words, data->columns[j][i].stringrows);
if (temp[strlen(temp)-1]!='\n') {
free(temp);
```

```
fclose(fptr);
fclose(fptr2);
}
```

Testing

Output in OutputFile.csv:

```
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text2\","text22$","text32"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text3","text23","text33"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text4","text24","text34"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text5","text25","text35"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text6","text26","text36"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text7","text27","text37"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text8","text28","text38"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text9","text29","text39"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text10","text210","text310"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text11","text211","text311"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text12","text212","text312"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text13","text213","text313"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text14","text214","text314"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text15","text215","text315"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text16","text216","text316"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text17","text217","text317"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text18","text218","text318"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text19","text219","text319"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text20","text220","text320"
1.5,5.5,10.5,10,"text22","text222","text322"
```

2b)showDT()

Explanation

In this method contents of DataTable_t structure are displayed, showing the labels followed by the first 10 rows, and the last row. This was achieved by utilising a nested for loop to loop through all the columns and the first 10 rows, printing the relevant cells respectively. If there are less than 10 rows, all the rows are printed. After the first 10 rows are printed a line of '…' is printed which is followed by printing all the columns in the last row. Row numbers are also clearly displayed at the beginning of each row. Depending on the respective column type, the relevant datatype is printed. If each cell has more than 10 characters, only the first 10 characters are displayed.

The showDT method in functionClass2b.c class:

```
/Declaration of method showDT with DataTable T pointer parameter
```

```
printf(".....");
}
else {
    printf("%-10.10s\t", data->columns[i][j].stringrows);
}

printf("\n");
}
//Printing the number of the last row
printf("%d\t", (int) data->nrows);
//Looping through all the columns in the last row
for (int i=0;i<data->ncols;i++) {
//If the column is float contents of data->columns[i][data->nrows-1].floatrows is
printed
    if (data->coltype[i]==1) {
        printf("%-10.2f\t", data->columns[i][data->nrows-1].introws is
printed
    else if (data->coltype[i]==2) {
        printf("%-10.2d\t", data->columns[i][data->nrows-1].introws);
}
//Else the column is string contents of data->columns[i][data->nrows-1].stringrows is
printed
    else if (data->coltype[i]==4) {
        printf("%-10.10s\t", data->columns[i][data->nrows-1].stringrows);
}
}
//Else the column is string contents of data->columns[i][data->nrows-1].stringrows is
printed
    else if (data->coltype[i]==4) {
        printf("%-10.10s\t", data->columns[i][data->nrows-1].stringrows);
}
}
```

<u>Testing</u> Utilising the showDT method to print the DataTable_t structure:

	label1	label2	label3	label4	label5	label6	label7
1	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text, 1"	"text21"	"text31"
2	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text2\"	"text22\$"	"text32"
3	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text3"	"text23"	"text33"
4	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text4"	"text24"	"text34"
5	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text5"	"text25"	"text35"
6	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text6"	"text26"	"text36"
7	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text7"	"text27"	"text37"
8	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text8"	"text28"	"text38"
9	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text9"	"text29"	"text39"
10	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"text10"	"text210"	"text310"
 1003	5.50	9.50	14.50	14	"text1000"	"text21000	"text31000

2b)projectDT()

Explanation

This method returns a pointer to a new DataTable_t structure but containing the rows from x to y and columns from m to n. This method requires the user to input x, y, m and n and proper validation is ensured for all inputs, in case the user input; is not in the required range, is not of an integer data type or if the second input is smaller than the first one. The method then declares and initialises a new DataTable_t, reusing the initDT function but passing 1 as a parameter as well as number of columns and rows, as a new DataTable is created with specific row and column specifications. The relevant cells were copied from the initial DataTable to the new one.

The projectDT method in functionClass2b.c class:

```
DataTable t *projectDT(DataTable t *data) {
    int notvalid;
```

```
notvalid = 0;
char *str4= (char *) malloc((maxdigits+10) *sizeof(char));
if (str4 == NULL) {
```

```
notvalid=1;//Setting notvalid to 1
        m = atoi(str3);
        n = atoi(str4);
            notvalid=0;
            notvalid = 0;
for (int i=m; i<=n; i++) {</pre>
```

```
strcpy(data2->labels[tablecols], data->labels[i]);
free(str2);
free(str3);
free(str4);
str4=NULL;
```

Testing User input (Similar validation for m & n):

Input	Type of data	Output
x=3,y=7	Valid data	Valid data
x=5,y=3	Invalid data	Invalid data
	X must be smaller than y	X must be smaller than y
X=abc,y=-3	Invalid data	Invalid data
	Required to enter positive	Required to enter positive
	integers	integers
X=0,y=1	Invalid data	Invalid data
	Not in range	Not in range

```
Input x rows5

Input y rows3

y must be greater than x
Input x rowsabc

Input y rows-3

Required to enter positive integers
Input x rows0

Input y rows1

x must be in range 1 - 1003
Input x rows3

Input y rows7

Input m columns
```

Utilising the showDT method for testing purposes to show the data in the new DataTable_t structure:

```
Input x rows3
Input y rows7
Input m columns1
Input n columns3
                                         label3
        label1
                        label2
        1.50
                        5.50
                                         10.50
                        5.50
                                         10.50
        1.50
        1.50
                        5.50
                                         10.50
        1.50
                        5.50
                                         10.50
        1.50
                        5.50
                                         10.50
        1.50
                        5.50
                                         10.50
```

Utilising the exportDT method for testing purposes to show utilisation of the new DataTable_t structure:

```
1 1.5,5.5,10.5
2 1.5,5.5,10.5
3 1.5,5.5,10.5
4 1.5,5.5,10.5
5 1.5,5.5,10.5
```

Utilising the mutateDT method for testing purposes and mutating column 2 to show utilisation of the new DataTable_t structure:

Input	column number	2	
	label1	label2	label3
1	1.50	38.50	10.50
2	1.50	38.50	10.50
3	1.50	38.50	10.50
4	1.50	38.50	10.50
5	1.50	38.50	10.50
5	1.50	38.50	10.50

2b)mutateDT()

Explanation

This method accepts a user-defined function and changes the respective column chosen by the user. If the column is a float or integer, it will multiply all the rows in said column by 7. If the column is a string it will replace any character which is a 't' into an 'a'. Proper validation is ensured on the user input column, in case the user input; is not in the required range, is not of an integer data type.

The mutateDT method in functionClass2b.c class:

```
notvalid=0;
```

```
inptcol = atoi(str5);
    //Checking if inptcol is in required range if not notvalid is set to 0
    if (inptcol <= 0 || inptcol > data > ncols) {
        printf("\ncolumn must be in range %d - %d", 1,data > ncols);
        notvalid = 0;
    }
    //Looping if notvalid == 0
}while (notvalid == 0);
//Decrementing both counts since in C index starts at 0
inptcol --;
//Looping through all the columns
for (int i = 0; ixdata > nrows; i++) {
    //Based on column type respective if statement is chosen
    if (data > coltype[inptcol] == 1) {//Float
        // user defined function
        data > columns[inptcol][i].floatrows = floatfunction (data - columns[inptcol][i].floatrows, change);
}
else if (data > coltype[inptcol] == 2) {//Integer
        // user defined function
        data > columns[inptcol][i].introws = intfunction (data - columns[inptcol][i].introws, change);
}
else if (data > coltype[inptcol] == 4) {//String

        // user defined function
        stringfunction (data - columns[inptcol][i].stringrows, strchange, strreplace);
}

//Freeing str5
free(str5);
str5 = NULL;
}
```

Testing User input:

Input	Type of data	Output
Inptcol=3	Valid data	Valid data
Inptcol=-3,inptcol=abc	Invalid data	Invalid data
	Required to enter positive	Required to enter positive
	integers	integers
inptcol=0	Invalid data	Invalid data
	Not in range	Not in range

```
Input column number-3

Required to enter positive integers
Input column numberabc

Required to enter positive integers
Input column number0

column must be in range 1 - 7
Input column number3
```

The following is the user defined function to multiply the float cell with change(value of change is always 7):

```
//User defined functions:
float floatnumbers(float num, int change)
{
    return (float)change*num;
}
```

Utilising the showDT method for testing purposes to show the data change in the DataTable_t structure (performing mutation on column 3):

	label1	label2	label3	label4	label5	label6	label7
1	1.50	5.50	73.50	10	"text, 1"	"text21"	"text31"
2	1.50	5.50	73.50	10	"text2\"	"text22\$"	"text32"
3	1.50	5.50	73.50	10	"text3"	"text23"	"text33"
4	1.50	5.50	73.50	10	"text4"	"text24"	"text34"
5	1.50	5.50	73.50	10	"text5"	"text25"	"text35"
6	1.50	5.50	73.50	10	"text6"	"text26"	"text36"
7	1.50	5.50	73.50	10	"text7"	"text27"	"text37"
8	1.50	5.50	73.50	10	"text8"	"text28"	"text38"
9	1.50	5.50	73.50	10	"text9"	"text29"	"text39"
10	1.50	5.50	73.50	10	"text10"	"text210"	"text310"
 1003	5.50	9.50	101.50	14	"text1000"	"text21000	"text31000

The following is the user defined function to multiply the integer cell with change(value of change is always 7):

```
int intnumbers(int num, int change)
{
    return change*num;
}
```

Utilising the showDT method for testing purposes to show the data change in the DataTable_t structure (performing mutation on column 4):

	label1	label2	label3	label4	label5	label6	label7
1	1.50	5.50	10.50	70	"text, 1"	"text21"	"text31"
2	1.50	5.50	10.50	70	"text2\"	"text22\$"	"text32"
3	1.50	5.50	10.50	70	"text3"	"text23"	"text33"
4	1.50	5.50	10.50	70	"text4"	"text24"	"text34"
5	1.50	5.50	10.50	70	"text5"	"text25"	"text35"
6	1.50	5.50	10.50	70	"text6"	"text26"	"text36"
7	1.50	5.50	10.50	70	"text7"	"text27"	"text37"
8	1.50	5.50	10.50	70	"text8"	"text28"	"text38"
9	1.50	5.50	10.50	70	"text9"	"text29"	"text39"
10	1.50	5.50	10.50	70	"text10"	"text210"	"text310"
 1003	5.50	9.50	14.50	98	"text1000"	"text21000	"text31000

The following is the user defined function to replace a 't' with an 'a':

```
void stringinput(char* string, char strchange, char strreplace)
{
    int pos=0;//Position to hold position of string array
    //Checking if tmp has reached end of string
    while(string[pos]!='\0') {
        //If tmp[pos] is 't' then tmp[pos] is changed to 'a'
        if(string[pos]==strchange) {
            string[pos]=strreplace;
        }
        //Incrementing position
        pos++;
    }
}
```

Utilising the showDT method for testing purposes to show the data change in the DataTable_t structure (performing mutation on column 5):

	label1	label2	label3	label4	label5	label6	label7
1	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"aexa, 1"	"text21"	"text31"
2	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"aexa2\"	"text22\$"	"text32"
3	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"aexa3"	"text23"	"text33"
4	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"aexa4"	"text24"	"text34"
5	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"aexa5"	"text25"	"text35"
6	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"aexa6"	"text26"	"text36"
7	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"aexa7"	"text27"	"text37"
8	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"aexa8"	"text28"	"text38"
9	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"aexa9"	"text29"	"text39"
10	1.50	5.50	10.50	10	"aexa10"	"text210"	"text310"
1003	5.50	9.50	14.50	14	"aexa1000"	"text21000	"text31000

The functionClass2b.h included the declaration of the following functions to be used in the test driver:

```
operation: initialises DataTable t struct*/
DataTable t *projectDT(DataTable t *data);
float floatnumbers(float num, int change);
void stringinput(char* string, char strchange, char strreplace);
```

The test driver class: main2b.c

```
//Runner file
//Header file used in the program:
#include "functionClass2b.h"

int main() {
//Calling the respective methods from the functionClass.c
//Calling initDT method with choice-0 , since creating a new DataTable from file ,
//and setting noofcols and rows to 0 since they are not needed
    DataTable_t *data=initDT(0,0,0);
    loadDT(data);
    showDT(data);
    exportDT(data);
    DataTable_t *data2= projectDT(data);
    showDT(data2);
    deinitDT(data2);
    mutateDT(data, floatnumbers, intnumbers, stringinput);
    showDT(data);
    deinitDT(data);
    return 0;
}
```

4. A DataTable library c)

To complete the full implementation as a shared library, the contents of functionClass2b.h was copied to functionClass2c.h, functionClass2b.c was copied to functionClass2c.h and main2b.c copied to main2c.c respectively. The CMakeLists.txt was altered as can be seen below to account for a shared library interface.

```
set(SOURCE_FILES1 functionClass2c.c)
add_library(MainClass SHARED ${SOURCE_FILES1})

set(SOURCE_FILES2 main2c.c)
add_executable(MainClass2c ${SOURCE_FILES2})
target link libraries(MainClass2c MainClass)
```

ADT interface documentation located in the functionClass2c.h header files, which outline the operation, preconditions and post conditions required:

```
float floatnumbers(float num,int change);

/*User defined function used for testing:*/
int intnumbers(int num,int change);

/*User defined function used for testing:*/
void stringinput(char* string,char strchange,char strreplace);
```

Showing successful library linking in MainClass2c, through initDT method functioning properly:

```
C:\Users\User\Documents\CProjects\Question2Assignment\cmake-build-debug\MainClass2c.exe

Enter label 1
```

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